Just kindest wishes
of your Cousin Joseph.

To live in our hearts
and leave behind
is not to die.

"Arrow of the sight
are presently
gathered from
the relics of the past."
May 23, 1868

Dearest Boy! I write well by proxy. I must hope you will be careful; obey your father and mother; keep up your cheerfulness and courage. The night before we left we were separated from all our friends.

May 31st. I forget how to write. My spelling is uncertain. The President in God's service will be the best lawyer. Smile on the rock that may be unknown.
May 31st, 1864

I awake 12 nights ago. I
commanded an order.
I repeat to those who are
spiritually sick. I care not what
they say professors.

The world is our
intellectually and political
neighborhood. We are at the
same annual check.

We are not-called
intellectual check.

Are you in social
check but it done
Spiritual sleep.

And that means—natural sleep is not the body, but the soul.

The soul is refreshed in spiritual sleep.

Healingly, the body is insensible, so it is made spiritual.

We are inclined to our dangers.

We naturally lean that way.
Home one found it
the happiness was
looked for and
was what intelligent
agreed to. Things
which we now D. Anoke
to the long duration
of God. Secondly
awoke to the fact
that time are born
under this law
remember and
cannot think this
laid I in the
fifth place

and to show

that while we

were selecting

this counter

prior to our

departure. We

shall go to

remember.

It is to

Christ. I

shall think

you to the

Heavens of

Paradise.
By the same
may 2 1818
I was that last year
as I was last sitting
here. I was at home
in the house and
listening to the
day, or
was at one of my
rooms as usual.
Mr. W. G. Holcomb

There are thirty-three dears of unclean meats in
the world.

Yet they did not come
in the form of
un-clean meats.

He was righteous
and always told the truth.

Why did God
come? Samuel?

1st He came to
be at the temple
be as the temple
of the temple
And the Lord visited Esthah and joyed in her. 

God's love, 4th of July.

Principal reason God loved Samuel was He gave God to his heart.
3rd June 1866
Attended Sabbath school 10 days.
There were eleven scholars present. The homeagusis or general, that after recitation exchanging books, tickets &c., it was gone with hot-heads on these questions asked.
Hope understanding the Sabbath School presently me to find
Somebody...
importance, Dear
Savior, give me adequate
views of its worth and
responsibilities. For strength,
for wisdom and all the
grace of the Spirit
to assist me in
performing my duty
faithfully. To the
children committed
to my care, O Maker
of all things
of grace, bless thy
blessings rest with
us and teaching will be
Sept. 9th. Another warning to be faithful in Sabbath school. One of the maids in our household has been sick all week. Last Sabbath she was in bed with sickness as well as mental distress.
he near D her sin sickness Direct her. That's A she's X may she experience that sweet consolation of pardoned sin and acceptance through a Savior's merits.  

O may this warning have salutary effect upon all the members of my class in leading them to turn, & enable me to be more faithful in teaching them.
6th June, 1867. Have had the privilege of attending church the first Sabbath of the year, and meeting with part of the little girls who compose my class. The subject of the lesson 12 day was "The Land of God," the girls listened, and answered questions with a greater degree of interest than I have seen for some time."
hope that their going to
hearts are interested
with the duty, and
necessity of coming
immediately to the
land slaves finding
adjoining him their
hearts now as the
meaning of life. O Spirit
of all truth, wilt
thin not reach them.
I would thin to the
saving Mary is one
leading instead thin
battering. They hearing.
Remember the entire school.
May we not expect that day, Saviour? The Sabbath school is
the nursery of the church. The little
hope of the church is in the hands of our
nursery. O, bless
the hands with
the pardon of sins, I
thekindness of thy
Holy Spirit. Remember
our parents, bind his
hands of thy spirit.
Bless he tells all of
the love of heavens and
He is now cool & refreshed. He strength Feb 10th 1867. This day has been expending to the remaining sick in the hospital church one hundred & two persons were added to the church in profession their faith May they all be building & shining light in the world. May more of them ever bring endurance in the course of Christ.
Four of my Sabbath school scholars may come forward and profess to love Christ, assisted by their example that they would live for Jesus.

Dear Samuel, take these lines in slight arms. I mean never let them stray from thee, but while we would rejoiced that...
class has given evidence of being my children yet the greater part of my class charge not O Holy Spirit drawn there to then Constraint there to give them their hearts in the morning of life O help me to be faithful to them and may thy Spirit teach me to do.
28th July 1877 Sabbath evening, had the privilege of listening to a very excellent sermon preached by Rev. C. LeDale on the text, "to deny self, take up his cross and follow me into paradise." The sermon was one of uncommon eloquence and such spiritual feeling, God grant it may go in my heart all abiding.
My Sabbath school class was full of shining hearts. I was much interested in this lesson.

Dear Savannah may they all be filled with that “living bread” which is the subject of this day’s lesson. Other suns shine at this hour. O let not any unfaithful feelings mar my last book. Shines away from tears.
Feb. 9½ - 1868

Sabbath morning.

Feeling sadly this evening.

Attended church this morning. Heard an excellent sermon by Rev. J. W. Mead. Thence to Cal. 6½.

O Deacon Savage, let me glory only in thy errors. Turn of to girls who lately complained a part of my class in Sunday school as among shining sinners. May they find...
There are still doubts that I know must
whether they take my
personal interest in
the salvation of their
souls. O still address
O amenable sinner.
He a knowledge of
their situation. O
dream about the
also my brother.
O Heavenly Father
let them not be
hardened in sin.
Draw them back
on the manna shelf.
9th - Feb., 1869

Heard lots - fine.

Knew Sabbath and

was 28 weeks at

home. Our family

erode is broken.

me have command

12 scatter & week

homes elsewhere.

One of our number

has crossed the

unbelieving flood.

Perhaps others of

me are soon to

follow. 0 terrible

is my this scene.
that if we never all meet again on earth, that we may meet in unbroken bond around my throne in heaven. I would thank thee for thy love, dearest friend. Thou hast given me, O that I may more honestly express him. Comforted by this consolation, my spirit is made whole in thy
2 11 April 1868
Said Jeremiah was married to the
One paths me so widely separated
She could not
be present. Oh how
I wished I could
have known their
Other eyes witnessed
The ceremony at
verses congratulated
them, while her
nearest earthly
friends expressed
their best wishes.
May their lives be long, useful, happy.
May they not suffer injustice.
Oh, earthy possessions on occasion.
Our family circle is broken. Only one are we leaving the old "Homestead".
Perhaps they soon all be gone. And that our family circle may all be reunited in Heaven.
Sept. 12th 1868
One year ago to-day
was an eventful day
in the history of my life.
That day my hand was
coldly linked with
one who had my
heart, for several
times previous.
The year has passed
quickly, and pleasantly,
unmarked by
anything very
particular, except
the change endured.
by breaking up
home this farming
with loved ones
& farmers acquaintances
& farming
new acquaintances
in a western home.

We cannot expect
all the years of
our married life
to be as moment-
ful & quiet as this
if our lives are
spared. But God
grant that they
may all be peaceful
as we descend.
the streams of Time
find no each other
as we journey one
have already 
fastening company
in all the joys
sorrows & cares of
life
Sept 13th 1868
Another birthday
is added to my life. Another year
of comparative health, amended health, and
blessings. To celebrate this year, I have
traveled to my part of the world. For all
these, not for its
of love, has my
heavenly father
handed down love to me this past year.
for Christ. Ah! it
feared that, had it
been involved in
justice, it might
have been the
enemies prominent
when she began
"fig tree. Help me
at the commencement
of another year. I am
renewal myself wonder
readily at this. If my
life is declared another
year may it be constant
more for thy glory
than any of thy
mercies, yea, Lord.
1st Dec. 1868

Another year is almost gone. How short the year has seemed! We have enjoyed pretty good health & happiness this year that is just closing. A dear little treasure has been committed to our care. Omer we be faithful & have grace wisdom.
Paternity for the responsible position of parents. Death has not visited any of our homes, but good health and prosperity has been our portion throughout. May there be all other names as rings lead to the other, to enable us to consecrate our lives anew in the old do something for this honorable family. Henceforth nineteen 1968.
31st March 1869
It is one year to the day since I said "God by" to my mother, sisters & brothers. The old homestead with all its dear associations, and some new ones, seem to be a search of a home never found or felt. Mary one & home enjoyed amid west wise, with chil'd's alike.
The society here as well as elsewhere is good, or like that — we left in the east — but our wants of soc
crity is made up by the gift of a dear little baby which is very interesting.
Both O that we may have wisdom, patience, grace to train them up for usefulness in the world. A wish
honors & glories. There have been changes in both our homesteads since we left. A loved sister from each one has taken upon herself the vows of piety & have gone forth to make as her friends cheerful. May they may be thankful & have peaceful happy homes.
Death has also visited among our relatives and taken an aged grandmother from affectionate children, her grandchildren, to join the ranks of the redeemed. Her loss will be deeply felt. A young cousin who had been lost his life in bis brave career, has exchanged the cross for a crown.
July 1869. Our dear little twinbeans has been very sick. Some feared for a long time that he was done for. He left us, but he is again restored to health. We feel very thankful that he is restored. If consistent with my will may life be spared to grow since we be faith. I to the finest commit.
1869

God is waiting and as a people with his chastening rod. The crops are a failure almost. In meekness we forget the kind of am good things run wild, especially extravagances, etc, etc., but then, art-abusing us whom whom we are dependent for all things, may this lesson from recalling lest we be visited with sweet indulgences.
Sat 10th
This is " my favor
Time filling Am
getting cold & feel
Lily to be. All of
ride was & Dunk
mind is blank.
I have what- it
seems to - is by
My invaluable with
my state of health that
mine will be
worry long life.
Was helping Alex get angler case ready to take to the mill.
Aug. 17th, 1869

Children are destined upon us in helpless infancy, if for what. Indeed, here we should exist & stink—stink long, stink well, stink wisely. I think prayerfully, stink not—she presents alone but for all time. To come—for children, they have a drab—deathold when think—favor continued 15th.
which they cannot escape, and from which they should have no desire to escape, for it is one of the very noblest entries in which it is the privilege of human agency to be employed, and of the very noblest noblest kinds which has ever been committed to mortal man. They are given in helpless infancy dependent.
oped in every respec
the whole subje
the war, not far months
only but for years
that we may have
full apperance of.
It discharges of duty
howard them, etc.
they may realize
the performance end of their creation
it is to employ all
their capabilities
in rendering she
change & this
This is the special mark which declar
on Christian parents to
and they are called
reform not for their
fellow mortal men
but for the Infini
God, not for a
period of time, but for
eternity. This is
an imperishable
mark, with glory
for its first-brightness,
time, glory for its
reason, glory for

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3
13th - Sept. 1868

Yesterday the second anniversary of our marriage. Life is passing day by day, my 31st birthday has been spent reading, & to-day watching over our sickling. Uncle [illegible] who is quite sick. Many blessings has crowned the past year & amongst others is the precious gift of our dear little baby of garnet wish.
may his life be
mourned, his health
regarded, to be a
blessing if the
Ichabod Rogers of
the church. Let
me dedicate him
in this, a remembr
ance to the one day
faithfully towards
him, we have
not the strength
within ourselves
stronger that must
come shall come
Nov. 9th 1765

Feel sad & lonely

The day. We've been
enjoying a visit

from Brother James for the weekend

This morning he

started home. Earth

is full of partir

It was nearly two

years since I had

seen a familiar face except my dears

husband & at one

be longing if life

is splendid other

shall be another
Why is it that some people are so widely accepted? It often makes us wonder, but is understood by some. Perhaps we are here that we can be a greater influence, where those are around us, and it is very much needed. Help me to understand this opportunity further.
Nov. 21st 1869

Last-Sunday (Nov. 18th) we dedicated our dear little boy to the service of baptism unceremoniously. The train broke up for those dear ladies, I think. But in our absence, I heard that we were not in a very straight but no shine all sufficient merits. Next our grounds.
of hope O help us to feel the great need of our sickness.
This little lamb I consecrate to the
beams due times clarified by the washing
of regeneration, the teaching of the Holy
Spirit acknowledge the sound of a heart in his
ear with thy spiritually.
'If his life is
known as much man
Nov 22 1869

Feel sadly today. Am so easily overcome with temptation.

Pestilence, impatience, selfishness, a spirit of division & discord. Speak hastily & harshly.

We're setting aside & if not overcome & subdued immediately will exert an injurious influence on our family happiness. O for divine grace & peace.
these sins. Another
fault is looking
on the dark side
so much as rememb-
ring that Providence
rules all things, although
He has commanded us
to be diligent in business
as well as parent in spirit.
I think it is our duty. To make
an effort with God's bless-
ing, to enable my wife
and children to get an
education, that they
may be more useful in
the world, than we con-
mitt our children to
Dec. 14th 1869
This is Eddie's first birth-day. One year ago this morning we received this little Lamb from the Great Shepherd. What new feelings of emotion its advent awaked in our hearts of how truly this home grown in one short year as we have watched the growing of N.C.
What a precious favor, and what a fearful responsibility rests upon us. That we educate the minds of our youth, so that it may be useful in that world as a bright star in the firmament. O that we may be faithful in the task of duty.
Jan 30, 1870
Believe me to be a patient, humble, forgiving wife. I strive to stay my hand, let your desire take its course, not your wish. I yield to his wishes. Short, Cross words should never be permitted to live in husband's mouth. If indulged in, they will materialize.
sections from each
other, & confuse the
family issues gen-
terally. Help us
as talents - to get
as goodly comple-
im all things,
never teaching
by precept, & the
urge is not enforced
by example. Long
or as one glide
now the stream
of time, & in thinking
other by faith, until
we are purchased
Sept. 4th, 1828

Shone hag-achin fit

And long since afflicting

Handed upon our dear

Little Eddie for a thin

Ine, once feared that

War was more con

Sone should be called by

jap-mish-apmish

But thin has

Gladness

Heads by a rasp

Wash, wash, we feel

Thankful to

Shine that shone

Life of our dark
is still 1 depend
although you are about
right, and know that
what is farthest be
If his life is
sharpen may be ear
ly consecrate himself
thine and live for
shine honor and glory
and helping to be
faithful to thee
Dear babe, and all whom none
may influence
may one return
light- shark that
abide may learn of thee
Dec. 1st – 1820
Eddie is this year
old 10 days. What
comfort his soul
as careful little
child brings. Help
us to be faithful
men in the discharge
of every known
duty, to trust him
not in thy fear.
We are unfit
for the rest of
the position of
parents, without
thy assistance.
Dec. 18 14 - This is the first Sabbath we have spent together for three months. How thankful we are that we are together. May the remembrance of such pleasant circumstances of her so long a separation never return. She says from 8 to 12 she and
In & grace of all
my comforts &
blessings. Our
dear little Edith
is restored to
health & me
hope it may
long remain.
What if life
is spent? he
may make a
good & useful
man & that
we may be
faithfully in
the discharge
of our duty.
Sept 16th - This is the last Sabbath we expect to spend among kindred and acquaintance in our native land. We have enjoyed their society and hospitality for a few months, but the time has almost come for me to go home again. I feel sadly at the thought of saying "Good Bye."
With many me
have already part
of this week we
ill unhealthily
separations from
the rest of may
be the last till
star-marry Las
may mean for
earth, o these
earthly separati
cs' thoughts
many the read
I can see the teas
4? Play. Perhaps
it is near land
me to see
April 30th, 1879
Another little boy has come to claim you love and care. 0 how much we miss you now. For the next one is the position of training into that which may be made to use the little filled with the same. In the Redbird fast around the ship's thrum.
May 21, 1860.

Rev. A. H. Clapp

P. R. Co.

Horace Markham

Harriet

Solemnly and joyfully, I present this pledge.

Help us Remonstrate them to three.

May this she slumber all night, fold, and may this guard and arm, ever be at them, to protect from dangers of death. Return instantaneous to his country and assist us in our noble war against Kansas.

This pledge is signed.

As individuals.

In God's name.
One thing which

more lacking in

my own educa-

tion. I partly

wished we children

enjoyed and

lives also desired

that they'll be

remembered and

esteemed. They

are in sympathy

reste restored

keep in this

We gambles are
Some much of childhood is saddened by
want of love and how much it would he for
parents to retain the confidence of their children if
they would only try patience. If I trust their
lives with them, at proper times
Only 30th. T.

Feel weak & thin.

Today, T., my health is failing, although very incompetent.

For the position, accurs as must, yet I cannot feel sad far any clear little children, she can fill a mother's place. A father may fill this place, I say, for I.
children, but the
are many that do not
belong to her. If her hand
fails to do them, they
remain undone. O what
they may be! What may
be the dispensation
of their lives and nature?
O treasure them.
from the Rink
Hatims & pigeons
which youth
are exhausted, &
may they balance
in thy service
in whatever sh
there shun wess
fit far thien of
second, & 0 Half
was as harry as
be watchful
& faithful to
the charge comm
righted to one
feetings
O for a contented thankful heart.
and may we feel
that the way to
art, leadership,
is in best farms,
be as able as
to walk in at a
kitchen. I know
that if we
are why children
all things shall
work together for
our good; and
in glory.
Sept. 3rd 1871
We all attended church Sunday & convicted him
dear little babe
As in the ordainance of bip
Theme o' grant that his life
Is spared he
May carry on
Inkedge like
Remain hence
Flourish a heir
The fullness of
The grand majesty
Dec. 4th 1919. This is Edith's fourth birthday. How what she Imbe seems since he first recollected her childhood is really strange. It's ended with death. Its lessons in sorrow. She has a strong will and will remain enough. She won't give in to man ending the other in the way of reading the path.
Oct. 4th - 1874

Heard an excellent
by Capt. J. D. Reed
of Phalanx from
11th Mass. 3rd Regt.

There's something
about...
Dec 26 1854

Heard two very good sermons by Rev. Dr. James R. but his diff of both sermons aginst movemten in church war. The back was hider, lukewarm, h leper & the a great many of the people rejoining in his apologisms & in legal terms that I am unable to quote. These classes of people are a florescence and
August 4th, 1852

Frowningly parent half and I do more patient manner

Inquisition for the children's sake.

To forgive one but speaking harshly

If I could only learn to listen

Patience so wise before it is too late, before some one of us are called away.
I've never learned it in bitterness because we can never have the other humility of the savior who is instanced. I'm clear and of the savior, one instance, ennobled, thing by me. I'll take from him, until they are with me.
"Who are beautiful?"
They never see themselves as they
"of tempted and
unauthorized
of your
my illusory
Deity of age is
mutilike, delight
of your spirit
of I am
as the spirit
of celestial
earth
of the
earth
of the"
"Happy are they whose enlightened eyes & well-instructed ears, Nature becomes the hand-maid of Revelation."

"Christian friends who do not change may grow cold like shade of the world, far their hands are fanned in heaven."
"The books one read, like the persons with whom one associates, exert an influence over us; often more consciously, but none the less real."
Kind hearts are the gardening,
Kind thoughts are the root.
Kind words are the blossom.
Dignified deeds are the fruit.
Love is the sweet-sounding
That warms in life.

For only in darkness
Brow shaded stripe.

The sweetest stars
Are made of stars
Over the shades of darkest night.
The chief end of be professed in cultivating the understanding of woman is to qualify them for the practical discharge of life. A lady should not be so fine a lady that she may go to the homes or flounder in any relation without having the power to debate.
she is to read the best books, not some\nch to enable her to use\life of them, as to bring\to improvement; they\furnish of the principles of\formation of her habits\the great means of study.\As a program and much\able her to regulate\her own mind & to be instrumen\tal in the gain of others.

Hannah Nov. 1848.
It is often a great blessing that these may little cares of life do draw us from great troubles.

All the shadows I bear upon my soul the earth may apply to different sam hearts & souls. The light & joy of heaven may have been called a fearful one, but just a smile & a tear.
be still say not
I care resigning
behind the all this
is the scene still till
why fate is the con
man fate of all
until each life some
rain must falls
some days must the
dark be heavy
E. Crane
Oh, what—ah news amid the
equalities of life
the book which
I—cultivated

Why should we
shrink from the discipline of
bad oaths?

Letters, the little
messengers one
like creaks of
hurts.
"The most faithful, entertaining, intimate, and lively of all our memoirs, are memory and imagination.

"Half the work we have to do is to keep one another's secrets."

"It is not time, nor place, nor circumstance that makes us Christians."
"It is the misher in most cases to manage children so as to avoid the necessity of inculcating firmness.

"There is health for the body, discipline for the mind, & culture for the heart. But any rightly imputed home may become a refuge but it should..."
near to her, socially and socially, in an intellectual way.

"Things that a little angel seeing should cast asyle wish she do on earth."

"Every thing takes its place from the music in our hearts."

"Little things on little wings bear us upwards."
Who ever spoke unkind words
And wished it not again unsaid
The looking at the living now
May shortly be changed to
In what great cheered stillness & seclusion by guardian angels help safe from temptation safe from sin's Pollution they have whom we call dealt

"The might which his des chains reseals the subsequent of the glories heaven and are our brother's shall be"

"Home is staking home, & Love is..."
Blue Sky Beyond
The blackest cloud that broods
With "silver lining" glows
And only waits prohibitions born
To radiance to disclose

Looking with Teaster dear eye
Through all earth's forms of stripy
No more a land whose cloudsless skies
Sick as mortality life

There's always a blue sky,
Though thin out of sight so
The sepulchral shadows lengthward
The other side is bright.
March 26th 1769

An immortal flower has bloomed in our home garden.

Vivian's Love

A

More constant than the vanity
Which mildly steals a tear
That diadems—Oh! deeper far
As sisters gently Kane.

The heart, that's kindly blest
Is never all its own,
To ray of glory brights
She's blest for self she.

Only remembered by
What I love me.
by the web of life
there is gaily m
adorned with the
golden
Wands of effective
have always had
a sovereign effica
cy in scattering
the clouds in a man's face.

The happiness of
a home does not
defend - at least
is not altogether
incensurate by its\r
signs. The very dark\r
clouds move in full unity\r
and the most impor\r
tant feature of their\r
being home, not only in one\r
as a place to \r
eat and sleep, but as a place where\r
affecting some\r
satisfaction dwell."
June 26th 1855

Attended Ho-Fine

elizabeth. Her mind
and was in great
suffer a calm
tympanum. Her
knee, and her last
days were full
of longing. I go
home. May
her example lead
us all. But he in
readiness when
the Master comes
as called for
D. Mead
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of Mother's Magazine
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Saturday Eve 15th. 38

This has been an eventful week.
The first part of it was-headered
with joy all over the land
at the capture of
the Rebels.
and the downfall of
Enfield, and
alot of. Such general
joy it was.
Butchering morning all over the land
Thousands of good trouble sons and
Fell a sacrifice in their annihilation
Army this morning has brought
and orders. Reports
Say it is our's to take the incident
near what has
night by one
assassination, and
the life of another
who was only second in influence to the President
was stabbed
Wed, 19th April President Lincoln
is to be buried
12 days. The nation
will lining him
greatly miss him
shade of ned
May bid some fare
he fought to take
his place. The
people are sorry.
In respect to his memory, I thought the flags, tricolor buildings in mourning. The portraits are tiled trimming their faces in black.
O there's a journey
To make each man
Its seat as he was
designed it-
In measure room
To bring it home
Though time shows
He ne'er finds it.
We seek the things
Of things done by
And learn with
malice towards
For life both here
And always so here
His home & friends.
I am not old
I cannot be old
Though white is scar
years and long
Have passed like a tale that is told
The lives of other men