Sept 27, 1886

Dear Son John, you have asked me concerning the New Testament covenant. I have for it is binding upon my people, but I say this because of their weakness, because of the perilous times. Furthermore, it is more pleasing to those men should use their free agency in regard to these matters. Nevertheless, if the Lord do not change my words or my covenants, my law do not. If you have heard of David by my servant Joseph, all those who take part into my glory must make obeisance to my law, to my commandments. If they were Abraham's seed and entered into my glory, they must do the works of Abraham. I have not rebelled this law nor will I for it is everlasting. And those who will enter into my glory must obey the conditions therein given. Amen.
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My son John, you have sent me a note concerning the new weekly sermon. Since you have not brought it to my reading, I have not yet read it. I have been thinking about my own situation, and I am concerned for my own well-being. I am considering my own mortality and hope to make arrangements accordingly. I am concerned for your future, as well, and hope you will consider your own situation.

I am thinking about the future, and I am concerned for the well-being of my children. I am considering my own situation, and I am concerned for my own well-being. I am considering my own mortality and hope to make arrangements accordingly. I am concerned for your future, as well, and hope you will consider your own situation.

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