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"The Gathering Call"  
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Dear Brethren,

I have got your name and address from the Bible Sabbath Association is "Handbook" and I also received the tract "S. D. A. Leaders Surrender to the Catholics" published by you, from Elder Alfred Kube in N. S. W. Australia. Is 'The Gathering Call' a magazine or paper? as I suppose it is not the name of your sect. I have been a Seventh Day Adventist for the last 41 years, but I see from your tract and Bro's Connolly and Marsh in N. Z. and a printer, Bro Hudson of Baker, Oregon, whom they contact, that a good few mis-steps have been made by our S. D. A. general Conference in Washington D. C. Have you heard of the Barnhouse - Martin episode which enabled them to write their book "Adventists Answer Questions on Doctrine"? Barnhouse is an Evangelical Adventist, and they believe in eternal torment, once saved always saved, the conscious state of the dead and Sunday keeping, and our Gen. Conference people have been writing in their book on Doctrine about the false doctored Evangelicals as follows "At this time God raised up many courageous leaders to proclaim the faith once delivered to the saints" and "We recognize that God has been leading in all this revivals and reformat-ions". I feel that it is not right of them to so highly praise these false teachers. Also our Church permits the remarriage of the innocent party in divorce, during the lifetime of the former partner, and that is 'adultery' Heb. 'niuf' - a capital offense in Mosaic law. And although our Church believes and teaches that the end of all earthly things is near 'even at the doots' they do not build wooden churches, and save money thereby to spread the

gospel, but build expensive brick and concrete ones here in N.Z. which like their highly glazed and coloured papers and television or such accompaniments, and colorama to their Missions in N.Z. have all become show-pieces and showmanship. But I will not drop out of their Church. Please tell me when your group was started and were you S.D.A's before that time? Hoping to receive, in due course, your kind information on what you know about the above matters.

I am,  
Yours Sincerely,  
Edgar Duggan.

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P.S. Please send me any papers you can such as 'The Gathering Call' or your leaflets - E.D.

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