The Gathering Call

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Dear Sir and friend:

Your communication of recent date with remittance in the amount of \$3.60 has reached us, and we take this opportunity to reply.

I note from your letter that you have just returned from a long sea voyage. I imagine it must seem good to be back in port for a while.

I am mailing under separate cover, the books and pamplets which you ordered. However, I am obliged to advise you that we have been forced to raise the prices of most of our printed matter. It has become necessary since Elder Ballenger's death to try to make the work of The Gathering Call more self-supporting. Elder Ballenger was still charging only 1938 prices for his literature. He was not wealthy by any means, but he had enough of this world's goods so that he could afford to do so. The picture has changed now. The Gathering Call must support itself if it is to survive. We have been forced to raise the price of a year's subscription to \$1.00. We feel sure you will understand the necessity for this action. This was voted on and passed by the Board of Directors last February. We still feel that the magazine is well worth the price asked for it.

I am enclosing another descriptive folder which tells about our literature and prices with the necessary price changes made on it.

If we can be of any further service to you, please call on us.

Wishing for you every blessing in this life, and in the Kingdom eternal life, I am

Yours in the Master's service.

Donald E. Mote Assistant Editor

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