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Mr. Donald Mote P. 0. Box 566 Riverside, California

Dear Mr. Mote,

Your letter of April 18th received and I was very glad to hear from you. I am not located at Los Angeles now, as my work as District Overseer requires quite a bit of traveling around. Elder Clayton Faubion is the new Pastor at Los Angeles, and I am sure that he will be happy to welcome you in their church there, located at 425 Laconia Boulevard, Los Angeles.

Your best route would be to take Highway #91 out of Riverside to Highway #101 until you come to "Imperial Highway" (name of a street). Take "Imperial Highway" to Figueroa street, and turn south on it until you reach Laconia Boulevard (about & mile), turning then left about ½ block east. It (Laconia) is also the same as 124th street.

Riverside is a very nice place and we hope that you will like your new home. The climate is very fine there the year around and we hope that you will find it also conducive to your health.

There are quite a few important differences between the Church of God and Seventh Day Adventists. I do not believe that we need go anywhere but to the Bible for God's revelations to His people and the true gospel.

We understand that the Seventh Day Baptists do have a very nice church in Riverside. They are very fine people and always a friendly group. We hope that as the coming of the Lord draws nearer that God's people in all Christian groups will be more and more unified and drawn together on the Lord's side, as the forces of evil become more active.

The Los Angeles Church will be happy to have you attend there, and Elder Faubion will be looking for you as I have notified him.

Yours in Christian Service,

Elder Carl V. Statyle

District Four Overseer