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To Mr. Theophile Ferris
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Dearest Brother and Servant of the Lord:

The most eminent Master has received with delight your last affectionate letter which tells him so much about your progress in the difficult operation of bringing to Him the so long expected daughter. Really we cannot find words to thank you according to your unpayable merit. Your devotion and disinterestedness are all together incomparable. None I assure your, without flattery, have accomplished since the Mission a greater action in the matter. You will never be able to imagine and conceive in your mind what happiness and delight you would bring to the Lord and Master, the day you shall bring his daughter to Him. No, it is indescribable. This shall be undoubtedly the happiest day of his life and the hero who would execute the deed will positively occupy a place unique in the heart of God which means Heaven. You must understand how painful it must be for a kind and [...] father who is God himself incarnated and living in the **flesh** [...] all its sorrows, suffering **and chagrins**, to be thus **separated** from a part of this **flesh dear** to Him. If the Almighty **ever** loves you so much it **is because** you proved yourself to be worthy of such a love by working so enthusiastically and so persistently at what He desires. Beside your accomplishments **as a devoted** servant you add **there of** a generous and noble **man who** sacrifices himself for the [...] glory of God and the **fulfilment** of His wished; and **this** [...]ally is in which reposed your value. And let me tell you personally that you are quite a diplomat in the matter and as we say here, you surely have the right dope. Keep up you shall certainly arrive to a beautiful result; the way you handle the matter now is skilful and exceedingly cunning. That's right, dear brother, do any thing possible and impossible to get her. I, on **my side** encourage you with all my means. Even if you have to marry the old woman, go ahead, by Jove! Fool them as much as you can. Be careful though. The clergy, you know, might **get a** scent of the affaire. But so long as you are in good terms with the old woman, never mind the rest. They are a bunch of rats, any how! What do you say about it?

Dear Theo.

There are things which are almost impossible to express on paper, because they demand to much explanation, and that is the reason why the benevolent Master cannot exactly answers to the minute and very explicitly to your petitions. But experience will teach you a lot of things which now you judge diametrically opposite, and I hope that some day I will have the honor and fortune to meet you and speak to you about several things of main importance. As, for instance, what you ask the Master, on your last communicative

request, about distributing holy dreams and cure upon such and such person, I will repeat to you what I have previously said, that we, mortals and blind beings, cannot see and investigate far enough into the human soul to acknowledge if there is sincerity or deceitfulness in it, and consequently if there is necessity of God's intervention. So many people are so deceitful and false that we are most of the time deceived by the artificial appearance of their factitious honesty and superficial kindness. You will find quantities of pretended faithful and devotees, and especially among women, who will assume an angelical air of holiness to attract admiration and confidence among men and make themselves conspicuous. Beware of them. They are big fakers. Though you must be assured that cures, holy dreams and visions irrefutably exist in our Mission. I mean that we cannot believe every thing that is said unless it is sanctioned and ratified by the Sovereign Master and King. I am sorry to disillusion you on some of your desires, but courage and patience, dearest servant, because every one has to conform himself to the divine decrees of Heaven. If Our sublime Master judges necessary that your request be granted, His infinite power will some day answer to your prayers. Do not lose confidence a single moment in Him, because He is the Most Powerful and the kindest of Fathers. I shall tell you that His divine Majesty has informed me lately through a special despatch that He was feeling bad. Assuredly his suffering must be attributed to our misdemeanors so frequent and so numerous. You are not without being aware that each of our faults fall back on him and that He has to suffer for them. Not because He is obliged but it is the unavoidable fate of **the** earthly real of sins and miserable sequels of wickedness from men's part which bestow upon him an everlasting calvary. So you will excuse if the answer is not quite what you would desire, but His Divinity being seriously indisposed He could not communicate more presently, so I will close this present missive of love and attachment for you from His very heart of sweetness.

Hoping to hear from **you soon**, accept **please** [...] thanks for your liberal [...] devotion,

Your servant in Master's Name
Gustave R.