Apostle Apl 1678

Dear Brother William: It seems a long time since I have had any thing from you although I dear frequently thought thou of your welfare. My daily prayers and ernest wishes are that you may delay no hope are soon to be realized, in which way of your pursuits have appeared to me their desire to be accomplished. Mrs Susan Brant always enquires kindly after you. Mr Sargent called in one last week also asked about you. Jesse writes quite often & thinks it is time I answered a letter last week but I hope you will excuse me. I miss Mary very much & long to see her. Amanda & her family are well. Since you left we have had very warm weather as long as I can remember. We have had yet pleasant days, and our cases are many, as there seems no demand at present to purchase homes. Have sent you some pamphlets to peruse

Mrs Jarkes asked me to ask
you to send and ask us back
my love — hope you will send the
same. Love & Kisses dear Love.
In which I join with best wishes
for your health & happiness.

Truly Yours
Ed

Friday Evening

Dear Mrs Smith

I cannot
come until a week from
next Monday.

Ever