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Dr. William S. Sadler
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Dear Dr. Sadler:

Enclosed are several copies of a condensation of the Urantia Book and a brief catechism approach to the essential aspects of our faith aimed at twelve year olds.

Each year I have a religious instruction class of twelve year olds. It seemed to me the larger condensation was a little too involved for them. In an effort to have something better, I have worked out these two tools.

Since most religious instruction in churches takes place around this age, we ought to have helps. I'm not a "natural" teacher of children and so I'm wondering if you would give copies of the enclosed to several Chicago people (I had in mind your family, Marian Rowley, Harold Karrer, etc.) asking if they would give suggestions on how these instruments can be improved.

Am aware of poor grammar here and there but wanted to have it ready for the class this week so duplicated it as I had it. So would appreciate their calling my attention to poor expression and mistakes in punctuation too.

I'm in no hurry to have these suggestions as I probably will not get around to revising it until just before the class meets next year! Possibly some of the folks in the Brotherhood who teach the seventh or eighth grade would have valuable suggestions.

Will appreciate any help you folks can give and judging from reactions in our pastor's study group others will be wanting something of this kind in a year or two.

Greetings to the rest of your family.

Cordially yours,

Meredith