

Grace United Church of Christ

307 Plymouth Street

Culver, Indiana

MEREDITH J. SPRUNGER, MINISTER

June 10, 1958

Dr. William S. Sadler
533 Diversey Parkway
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Dr. Sadler:

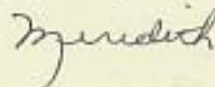
Thank you for your very kind letter. More than any other mortal, I have come to regard you as a spiritual father. As the result possibly of my own decision to spend full time in the Urantia movement and your recent letter, a life plan seems to have crystalized itself in my thinking. Heretofore every attempt to express the inner drive my personality has been partial. Now everything seems to fall into place and give opportunity for a total life effort.

The life plan that came to me with a certain amount of finality is one I had never considered before. It is to promote, organize, and develop a Urantia Theological Seminary. All of my experience and aspirations seem to have meaning and purpose in this life plan. One of the first tasks will be to find wealthy people to back it. We have a number of very wealthy people around the lake and I am starting a philosophical discussion group among these people this summer to see what possibilities there may be here. In my estimation the shores of Lake Maxinkuckee would be an ideal place for such a seminary. The executive offices of the Brotherhood, I think, should always remain in Chicago but a place like Culver would be excellent for seminary activities.

This picture may change but I doubt it. I may never accomplish this goal but to have a goal which so completely fits the inner aspirations of service and to work at it a life time is reward enough. Although I may serve for a time as a field secretary of the Brotherhood, I am rather sure my real goal will be the materialization of a Urantia Theological Seminary.

To the degree you think wise, you may share these aspirations with the Executive Committee of the Brotherhood. Thank you again for your help in this process of personality clarification and expression.

Cordially yours,



Meredith J. Sprunger

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MEREDITH J. SPRUNGER, MINISTER

June 16, 1958

Dr. William S. Sadler
533 Diversey Parkway
Chicago 14, Illinois

Dear Dr. Sadler:

We appreciate the invitation to the annual picnic which Marian Rowley sent us. But unfortunately we cannot attend as we are leaving tomorrow for the North Woods and will be gone the 21st. I know that we would have a wonderful time and we regret not being able to attend.

As you know I have been sporadically involved in the labor of love rewriting the Psalms in the light of Urantia Book insights. Am enclosing the Psalms I have finished. If you have any suggestions I would be glad to receive them.

We hope that it might be possible for you folks to visit us in Culver sometime this summer. Let us know when you could come. We will be returning from Michigan June 27th.

Cordially yours,

Meredith

June 30, 1958

Dr. Meredith J. Sprunger
307 Plymouth St.
Culver, Indiana

Dear Dr. Sprunger:

I have neglected your letters for I have been out in the sand dunes for 10 days.

I am very appreciative of your great interest in the Urantia movement, and of course, I feel very sure that you have been brought to the kingdom for just such a time as this. I will not write too much, for I hope to see you soon.

Let me thank you for the revised versions of the Psalms. I am very much pleased with them and hope you will go on and finish all 150. Some arrangements should be made to have them reproduced and made available to all of us.

Be good until I see you.

Sincerely,

William S. Sadler

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