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Dear friends
and family etc.

Hello Joe:

I was over to your place Sunday in the afternoon and had something I wanted to talk over just between you and myself. Well since you wasn't home I shall have to tell you in this letter what is on my mind. I should have spoken before but I thought you were going to change as you had done on our twice before but so far no sign of a change as yet is visible.

I seem to me as though I have done my part in treating you about as good as I know how. Maybe you think I am too rough when I'm out but if that is the case I think your as

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you and myself when to Norway and
took Alice and Gertrude Erickson and
Esther Neurickson out. I suppose you
remember to well that I got Esther
and you that you were to have gotten
her. I know this to be true as one
of you talkative friends told me so.

The next time you got sore was when
I walked with Francis Benson from
church to Ant. Thoreau's place. I understood
you were to have been there at 3:00 P.M.
but because you were not there I walked
over there with her. I suppose you want
nobody to talk to a girl friend of yours.
Then you were sore for a few months a-
gain and about 3 months ago you
seemed to get seered over some unknown
reason and I wish you would explain.
I sure have done my part because

much a hypocrite as any one I have seen
as a Christian Mr. Joe you have never
spoken to me and discouraged me
to be come one. I understood I understood
that our class the adriels were posed
to have some christian workers amongst
them as W.A. Sunday's meeting but you
~~me~~ never made a move to talk to me.
I came and sat down and sang beside
you purposely but no sign of your
giving a damn.

If you consider Joe what I
have done for you I should think
you would change. Whenever we would
go out at all you usefully got the best
pick. The first time I took my choice
you got sore because you are a
jealous bird and no much so too.
That time was when Carl, Thor

I've always invited you up to dinner
and you seem to have come up for a
again and been feeling ok toward me
then you'd fly off the handle again

Joe old boy. I'm not the
only one that has noticed this treatment
there are quite a few to know whom you
shall to make some quick changes
to or there be some funny thing happen
ing around our church.

Joe the only way I can see
any way for you to make up
now is to come to me this time and
make and explanation and a
damn good apology.

Your ol' pal

Don't write here I'll
do some next week on this
P.S. It's up to you whether you show
this letter to anyone else I don't give a
damn to you, show it to it's up to you now.