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Willie dear,

You are good.

It was very thoughtful  
& good & kind of  
you to write to me.

That is true sympathy  
if H. B. W. did say I  
did not know what  
the word meant.

But I won't thank  
you for that - nor  
for any thing - if  
I should begin  
there would be  
no end - but you  
will have your  
reward. I am  
glad about the  
meetings and the

religious interest - It is heaven's  
highest mark of approbation  
of you & your work -

Wo wonder you can  
"Thank God & take courage."

I will pray for you  
earnestly but then you  
know I always pray for  
you my cousin. As for  
your deacons it is my  
opinion that the Turks

are nothing to them -  
Shall I tell you - don't laugh!  
I feel almost, yes I think  
quite afraid to write to  
you - lately you have seemed  
so different to me from  
what you used - I mean  
so much better, higher, nobler  
on a different plane - as if  
your soul had risen into  
a clearer sweeter light &  
glory & left me far behind -

I am glad for you tho'.  
There can be nothing better than  
pure & undefiled religion  
if one can attain it. But  
you have no time for so  
long a letter & I could put  
all I have to say in three words,  
God bless you always.

Cousin Susan.