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My dear Etha:

I have your letter now of April 6. I have been out of the state for sometime, but I do want to acknowledge the receipt of your lovely letter.

I am glad you could hear my talk over television from the Tabernacle on Sunday morning. I appreciate very much your kind expressions and your encouragement. I am so happy that you concur in what I had to say, and I will be grateful if anything I said will help you with your wonderful boy, age 16, and your little girl, age 11.

Yes, of course, I remember who you are. I would like to describe you by saying "little Etha Quinn." You were a wonderful student, and I shall always remember you, and I am glad you remember some incidents about our association as teacher and student. I remember Faun Bartholomew likewise and that incident, so once more I appreciate your kind expressions.

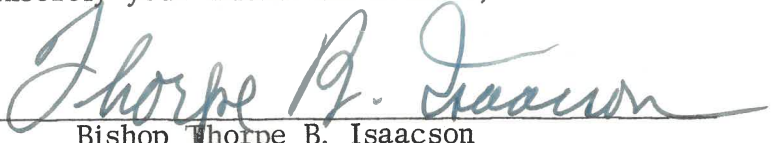
I was happy to know that years ago you worked for Dr. Adam S. Bennion when he was with the Utah Power and Light Company. Truly, he was a great man.

Yes, it has been nice to talk to you after so many years, and I appreciate the idea of your letter, particularly the "talking to each other" appealed to me. Once more from the bottom of my heart let me say "thank you."

I am glad your son is a "fine pianist and a wonderful public speaker." I am sure he will go a long ways in this world. Likewise, your beautiful daughter, "a happy child and a sports enthusiast." What a wonderful way you have of describing your situations.

Let me again, Etha, express to you my deep appreciation. Try it again sometime. If I am ever in that part of the country, I hope to see you. The next time you are in Salt Lake, I would like to have a visit with you.

Sincerely your friend and brother,


Bishop Thorpe B. Isaacson

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