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sleep in dust thousands [of] years few years few days a time will come that
people be resurrected quick as lightning these times and seasons and [objects/principles?] and method
pursued
by the Almighty is to himself we have nothing to do with that if we get
our resurrection that is enough for us we shall get the resurrection we live for
and if we get the bodies we have to prepare them for the celestial kingdom they will
come up prepared for that kingdom another idea with regard to the Holy Ghost
[illegible]⁴ the Son who was it spoke from the heavens said this is my Alone Beloved
Son was it the Lord it was said by the disciples it was a voice heard from
the heavens this is my Beloved Son hear ye him now then this is my
Beloved Son begotten by one of my [illegible] hear ye him or
was the Savior begotten by by [sic] his Father or his brother it makes me think
of the story I heard in play once that individual born of one of their hands
had no mother just as reasonable to me it would be as to say that brother
cousin or fellow laborer of Savior begat him who did beget him his
Father who is his Father our God the Father of your spirits and of my spirits [sic] he is

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the⁵ and framer of body the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ who is he
I will tell you who he is Father Adam Michael the Ancient of Days has
he got a father yes had he a mother if not he was born of one of his hands
no doubt now to say that the Son of God was begotten by the Holy Ghost definitely
presumes to say that the Holy Ghost is God the Father this understand I [cleared?]⁶ up this
doctrine I believe on the stand a year ago last fall conference ~~when~~ I think it was
when there was a dispute rose between our best elders who was the Father of Son of Man
pertaining to the flesh and some contended it was the Holy Ghost and some that it
was Elohim but when I spoke upon it on this stand before a conference of elders
and just cautioned the elders if Holy Ghost begat the Son that Holy Ghost promised
by the Savior to all the disciples and he said give to the people by the laying of
hands I counselled the elders be very cautious when you baptize people and give
them the Holy Ghost be very curious⁷ not lay hands on young women for it is
just as liable to get children now as it ever did and all the power it has carried
it up from that day to this I want to just put you right and then you may
go on what about the resurrection I do not profess to understand it I profess to understand
what has been written and what the Lord disposed to reveal but as for men teaching the resurrection
or business with it in particular until he get the keys of it as much business
with it as the church has with the gospel that we preach they say