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Respected Friend:

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Dear Friend

Your letter received and I have been trying to locate some glass as mine went some time ago. if I find other there is any will remember you. And the old stone jaw are also among the missing. we have old glass tquad & two quart measuring jars that have tin covers or no covers.

I wish I had the kind you want.

Your friend
Sarah Collins.

After five days return to
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Jan 1st 1934

Dear Mrs Reynolds,

Today I
 am writing a few letters
 to three friends in Brooklyn
 one a woman to inquire
 about living here. as she
 lived here when a girl—
 another a Mrs Robert at
 Flat Bush N Y who has a
 summer home in Canaan N Y

Dear Mrs Roberts & you
 I have always had good
 friends in N Y and other places
 I trust you
 are all well & I thank
 you for your kindness &
 friendship— Today is Mild

I am sitting by my stove
in my Bed Room right
where your table was a
warm fire by the ancient
stove; upstairs is my
old bed room tomorrow
I will be out at the chair
rooms some chair orders
not as it once was. I
would like to be up here
all through 1934 But
cannot decide just yet.
They would like my work
(Down St.) now (after ^{the} death
^{of} Burrill) we all feel ^{pro-2} ^{the}
last week dreadful cold I
listened to the Radio in here,
I wish a good smart woman
lived here with me I ex-
pected one from Brooklyn
N.Y. last summer she
once lived here Ida-
Thomas - went up the River

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to Yonkers so is with here find
Very few people come in
the winter - I love this
old Place. Eldress Sarah B.
at the North Family died
last Fall so Ste Rosetta
Stewans will take S B's
place. we are mostly all
aging I am pretty
well & expect to see
you ^{all} next year hope
so

I am writing with
pencil on my knee
Ste Rosetta would not
do this they have steam
heat near the desks -

I did not hear from her
 again; next may I will
 center my 20th year
 I'm going over forever. I
 do not go from home
 often have always ^{been} any
 yours to help out. of debt
 Big tax bills so I will
 have to sell by & by.
 But keep a home we
 must something to think
 about all the time we
 have all lost some
 more & some less.
 But have been able to
 help out & have done a
 lot of good. must
 look out these days -
 next time I will get
 my pen & ink you
 will excuse this -
 Your friend Sarah Collins

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Respected Friend:

Dear Friend Mrs Reynolds -
 I have been moving down
 from the old home to the
 family where the chair frames
 are made I was the last
 sister and they have been
 a year trying to move me I
 am nicely situated here but
 the old place is dear to me
 But I am glad I out-lived
 all the members sep them, that
 I lived with so many years.
 in a way I feel justified I
 was always patient with
 them never contending in
 any way with any body I
 do not believe for strife
 we are not all able to get

acquainted with different people
alike faterally I was always
well and working all
my life for money to meet

The bills I slid at it -
Mr Perkins was ill at this place
over a year and we were
about out of chairs are trying
to start & catch up, we
could not keep up all the
places so few members.

Yesterday we
held the entertainment at the
Boys School just below here.
Ohh Dwelling a great many
people came & after a fine
lunch was served free I thought
they could have taken up a col-
lection but they did not they
have thirty boys it is growing
slowly - we moved the furniture
down but it is large mostly -

Best Wishes your friend Sarah Collins

P.S. When I started to write to
you it was to say that I
found some of the protocols that
you asked me for some time
ago. One is Welcome & Remember
me and Happy new year
in red & green, Remember me
in blue letters.



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'Tis only when blinded to this that men fall,
They enter love's kingdom who follow Love's call.

Her companion is Wisdom, and pure, undefiled,
Are the pleasures she seeks, yet gentle and mild
She dwells in the heart of the innocent child.

Then greet the world lovingly, never with scorn,
And know in thy heart when the Christ-love is born,
Ah! then mayst thou enter the gates of the Morn.

Like a pearl-light of life from the infinite sea,
Where the soul finds its summer and hearts are as free
As the perfume of flowers when it sweetens the air,
And floats on the breeze, like a hymn or a prayer,
That lifts from a grief-burdened spirit its care,—
Like a messenger-bird from the radiant shore—
Where Morning has dawned, and "the Night is no more."
Like the light of all beautiful visions combined,
Like the essence distilled from all pleasures refined,
Like our joy in the loveliest things that we find,
Like these was the birth of that song to my mind.

Oh! pearl-light of life from the infinite sea,
Oh! breath of the Summer land wafted to me,
I bless thee that ere in my heart thou wast born,
As I labor and sing by the gates of the Morn.
Ah! high the tuition and holy the art
That worked the deep fountains of peace in my heart,
And taught me this beautiful lesson of life, [strife,"
"That a power comes with love that can triumph o'er
And soothe the dark spirits that wander o'er earth,
By wild passions driven, sin-stained from their birth.
Since then with a patience and trust growing strong
Thro' the blessings up-springing from sorrow and wrong
I have toiled with a courage that cheerfully waits,
Oft hearing the angel that sings by Love's gates,
Ever saying to mortals. "Behold ye the law"
In the life that God giveth is never a flaw;
Then shelter and cherish, but *never deem low*
One child that his *wisdom* alone can bestow,
But oh! give it time, give it room here to grow,
In the sunshine of love let it ripen below;
Then its fruits will be blessings, and curses no more
Will sweep o'er the world with their pestilent lore;
Every heart then will plant in Love's garden the seeds
That will show in her harvest increase of good deeds,
And the *blessings of life* will then *equal* man's *needs*.
Then prisons and chains, then the gallows and knife
Will mar not the growth of this wonderful life,
Or wake the dark fountains of hatred and strife,—
But men, taught of angels, will cultivate flowers
To bloom in life's garden, as well as her bowers,
And Love, and Love ever give wings to the hours,—
Then "wars and rumors of wars will cease,"
And the triumphs of Justice and Mercy increase,
Till Earth shall resound with the "Gospel of Peace."

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We are all well
right here we have
a Christmas tree Big
Bell and small ones.
all red.

This Poem was
written by a writer
who died here many
years ago. some time
ago. I like the
subject Gospel of Peace
and rumors of war night-
cease -

Many letters &
cards found me
here this year I look
up at the dear old
place - It looks down
on me now. The
wind was dreadful
all last night; better
now; Turkey & Chicken
here Thanksgiving & Christmas
same up on place on
the hill always. S.C.

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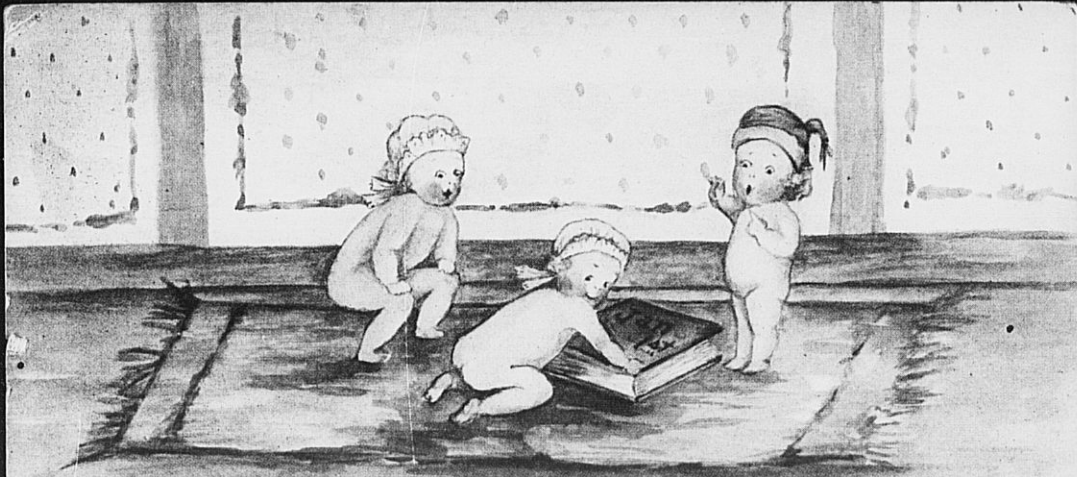
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Just received your letter I
saw the birth of
your baby in the
paper Glad you are
in luck take good
care of yourself & Elizabeth
all I am trying to do
have been thinking of
every day I
expected to be at the
Hospital Tuesday but so
very cold - could not
venture out. I made
something for the baby
you may see me
there yet Best wishes always
to dear Betty and baby
Your friend Sarah Collins

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To R. M. WAGAN & CO., Dr.



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West Lebanon, N. Y.

Dear Friend

This winter as usual I have been very busy writing more letters or rather notes to my friends so many for various reasons. For Christmas for my friends for Red Cross and last but not least, for poor Uncle Sam I had a hundred or all not finished yet — I hope my notes & cards found them all well I am not writing this very good getting tired perhaps. quite a number of my friends are in Brooklyn. This is a very fine winter day sunshine & no wind. Another year is past and gone I hope 1936 will be an extra good year all around last year was a poor fruit year; a girl in

Brooklyn came here years ago is
in a Hospital now in Brooklyn
I'll has just written to me to
send here some Apples and
we never had such a poor
year for Apples as the year past
when she lived here Quantities of
them in those days quantities are
are none for the amount.
This ink has been frosted but
almost gone. You will this a
childs letter. I am writing with
a gold pen. New shoes & gloves
& stockings and candy &c kept
us busy wondering what next.

I gave some Boys &
their Father & Mother mittens I
knit for them every evening un-
till the New Year came Best Wishes
I hope you are feeling well I am.
Friend S Collins!