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We may together with those
gone before so dear to us be
forever with the Lord. If any
place or arrangement on earth
could promote my happiness it
would be some such plan &
place as that we talked over
together & about which you say
you have talked with your
brother. Do not act in any
way hastily. I am quite pleased
that you should confer about this
or any other plan your love for
your mother & myself may
suggest. as I know that in
the promotion of my Comfort
during the very short portion
of our pilgrimage on earth
for which remains
~~known as company~~ you will feel that
you are best fulfilling your duty
to her, who sacrificed everything

for me. I am becoming
more & more conscious of how
great that sacrifice has been
during the fifty one years in
which she lived only for me &
our Children, But I will not
dwell on the sadness & sorrow
but endeavour to fulfil her parting
precept "My dear husband let us trust
our Heavenly Father". Let us all so
trust Him as to serve Him moment
by moment. We can not redeem
the past, but we may determine
that "As others do as they will as for
me & my house we will serve the Lord"
as did Joshua of old — One of the only
two who came out of Egypt & entered
the promised land — Your uncle
is slowly declining, loses strength
daily. He comforts me greatly
but every by expressing the
great pleasure we know we earth