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My dear friend

One of your countrywomen returning, very kindly offers letter carriage gladly accepted to greet our dear living brethren & ask of their health & courage in the midst of your crooked & perverse generation may your hands be made ever more strongly by the mighty God of Jacob to wrestle with principalities & powers oh may the martyr's heart be enlarged to you for what is heaped upon it of wrong & outrage oh what a rash & bloody deed is this to annex Texas & to give you a pro-slavery president it must be almost beyond endurance but how are you warring my dear friend? are you directing your forces to the root of the evil tree? the monopoly which holding all power in the hands of the men keeps the monopoly in its wicked strength are you directing your forces to this citadel of wrong & with your battering rams making a sensible breach? it is cruel work to humanity this one sidedness how long for a few lines from thee expressing thy sentiments & state of health do write me word how thou doest & what thy health enables thee to do? & what is printing of good in the new world Mrs. Susanna Reed has made a good book a plea for women excellent with exception of contradictions & must do good may let me have a few of your good books on this subject I will thankfully pay for them we want all the help we can in our warfare for we are a nation scattered & peeled - we are sadly down trodden but there is one above whose eyes behold whose eye lids try the children of men"

Do write soon & direct to
Mr Moore 5 2^d Place ge for thy truly affectionate friend
Anne Knight



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