



The Church of Jesus
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✠ Bishop ✠

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My dear Bishop Colmore -

Yours has just been received, and I am sorry that it is so late that I can only write a few lines to catch the return mail.

We judge by your letter that Mrs. Colmore is again with you - and hope that means your daughter is greatly improved -

Our daughter, is quite well again, I am thankful to say, and making up her school work -

I suppose that by this time you have received the official report of the meeting of the Committee - I have received a copy of it only two or three days ago.

The proposition is to give me a Supplemental Consecration, and then for me to go there and give my presbyters Supplemental Ordination - and arrange all other matters little by little in agreement with you - The statement is

entirely satisfactory to me - and the attitude of all the members of the Committee has impressed me most favorably. so that I am

Confident everything will be decided upon
and carried out - for the best - very soon.

Of course, I expect to see you in New York
as you will be the Consecrator together with
two others to be nominated by the Presiding
Bishop as soon as the majority of votes
come in.

We had the opportunity of seeing Mr. Kortzen
bentel on his way back to New York from the Isle
of Pines, and we decided that as soon as my
supplemental consecration is accomplished,
that the Board of Trustees should resign and
that the Board of Missions should be nominated
as Trustees. This, in my opinion, ought to be done
before I go to Porto Rico.

Now, dear Bishop Colmore, I shall have to
close and mail this letter - which has been
written in haste - as you see - Modesto writes
me that Don Simón is surrendering the
property - and I have written him to do what
is urgently needed on the pieces of coffee
plantation - but not to make any arrange-
ment with regard to the property - that is not to
take anyone in - or give land to work -

We thank you and Mrs. Colmore most heartily for
your kind invitation to Mrs. Ferrando and myself
and shall look forward to the pleasure of seeing
you both in Porto Rico some day -
With warmest regards, as ever
Marcel Ferrando