

No 50 Queens Rd South England

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Dear Mary, I received same letter Satth this evening
telling me of a poor little Leonard. Bless his little
heart he seems to good to live on this wicked earth.
of course Mary this is something if you give way to
us think we cant stand it. I realize it is one of the
hardest things to get over there is but Mary we cant
help it you do all that was in your power
and it seams as though every brother and sister
as to put up with some of it. but the greatest
satisfaction we have is to see that if we live well
we will have the privilege of visiting him a gain
and I hope you will look at it in this way.

I wrote you a letter this morning I felt so bad I
told Elder Birchard I didnt think that I would try and
do anything so stayed home all day so you may
get this line the same day. you will see by the other
one I was looking for ~~it~~ this evening.

Walt Mary try and not worry a heart it any more
than you can help you have my prayers and
simply it is harder for you than me I no you
will miss him all the time but I am so far a way
from home it dont seem hardly feasible. it was only
a bout a month from the time I left home.

May God bless you and help you to bear the trial which
we are called to pass through. Tell Leona and Willie and Loring
to be good for the world to see the rest of you all a gain
some day, hoping to hear from you soon and that you have
all well is the prayer of your friend

The letter is dated May 3 1908 and is addressed to Mary. It is a handwritten letter from a man, likely the author of the text on the page, to Mary. The letter discusses the death of a young boy named Leonard and the author's feelings about it. The author expresses sympathy for Mary and offers prayers and support. The letter is written in a simple, conversational style.