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Dear - -

Thank you for your letter. I am glad indeed to do what I can to answer the questions that you have asked.

The Lord has given me the opportunity of being thoroughly trained in these lines. Not only have I spent many years in study of the Old Testament; I have also been privileged to take advanced work in historical study at various universities, and to learn the difficult art of distinguishing proven fact from statements that rest on no evidence except someone's personal hatreds. In view of these books that you have been reading -- and I am appalled to see the amount of unhistorical nonsense that has been included in some of the books that have come to your attention -- it is not at all strange that your letter should contain the quotations that it does. Yet these expressions are utterly centrary to the spirit and attitude that the Lord wishes all Christians to have, and are such as are bound to bring misery and trouble if one continues to hold them. Therefore, I am glad indeed to give you some facts about them which should enable you to escape from this web of falsehood. Even true Christians are sometimes misled by Satan, and thus caused to adopt attitudes that are thoroughly unChristian and contrary to Biblical teaching.

The Bible clearly teaches that every person is an individual before God. There are many who hate all Germans and love the French, or who hate all French and love the Germans, or who take similar attitudes toward various other nationalities. I have had experience with many different national