

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH, MARCH, 2, 1917.

A BLESSING GIVEN BY HYRUM G. SMITH, PATRIARCH, UPON THE HEAD OF  
WILLIAM WALLACE HUNTER.

son, daughter, of EDWARD HUNTER, and LAURA (COFFMAN) HUNTER.

born APRIL, 8, 1851, at SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

BROTHER WILLIAM W. HUNTER, according to thy desire I place my hands upon thy head and by virtue of my office and calling in the Holy Priesthood give unto thee a blessing and pray the Lord to direct it, for thy comfort and benefit. Thou art numbered among the sons of Israel whose blessings have been and <sup>are</sup> many and most precious. Thus far in life the Lord has accepted thy devotion in His service and as long as thou wilt prove faithful to thy Covenants and the trusts give thee, God will bless and magnify thee and qualify thee for every duty and labor required at the hands in righteousness, and in answer to thy prayers doubts concerning thy duties will be removed and thou <sup>shalt</sup> be blessed with understanding concerning the things expected of thee. Records will be placed in thy hands, concerning thy kindred dead and in connection with thy brothers the amount of work which thou shalt do will astonish thee, and thou shalt find joy and satisfaction in this sacred labor. Thou art of the lineage of Ephraim and thy name shall live after thee in honorable remembrance in the midst of thy people from generation to generation, and by the promptings of the Holy Spirit, thou shalt be comforted, and guarded, both from accident and from the hands of thine enemies, and thy children will hold sacred thy teachings. Therefore I say unto thee rejoice in thy blessings, continue to keep thy trust in the Lord and in the due time of the Lord thou shalt be enabled through the blessings of the Holy Priesthood to seal and to confer Sacred and Holy Promises, upon the heads of thy children. It will also be thy privilege to live yet a goodly number of years to accomplish good in the earth and to finish thy mission, and as long as thou wilt remember the Lord in the exercise of thy gifts and in thy tithes and in thy offerings, thou shalt in no wise lose thy reward but much will be given where only little is asked for, both temporally and spiritually.

I seal this blessing upon the head through thy faithfulness and I seal thee up unto eternal life to come forth in the resurrection of the just a Savior among many kindred and friends, with thy loved ones, among the redeemed and glorified of Israel, by virtue of the Holy Priesthood and in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

Approved

