

Very Personal - For Jim's Eyes Only -

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Anyway, the main problem came about on the way home from Santa Rosa. She kept asking me about L.S. and whether we had ever held hands. I answered yes. She then asked: "Did you ever kiss her and did she ever kiss you." Figuring she knew I answered "yes." Then I saw a look of shock in her eyes and sensed that I must have tarnished your standing in her eyes. She stated she was going to leave the church, that she just had a very important question to ask you, that she wanted to reach you wherever you were. (I became near-hysterical, feeling I was responsible for her leaving the church. She calmed me down.) She asked me how long this had been going on. I said "two months." (It then dawned on me that what probably happened is that you had told her that L.S. had found my touching her revolting. I had stated to my wife before this point that I didn't actually think it L.S. found me revolting and was surprised to hear her say that, that I thought L.S. liked me. She said "don't you know, that relationship is legit. L.S. doesn't like men. What makes you think she would like you?")

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