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RE: Meeting

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To: Mark Ivins <[REDACTED]>

President Ivins,

Your understanding is ***not*** correct.

I am asking you questions seeking clarification and understanding from you as to how you and the church justify your demands to censor me, obstruct my free agency and the free agency of others, and to take our conversation away from the light of transparency and openness into the dark of secrecy and non-transparency.

I am trying to understand why you are not answering the following questions I have asked you over and over and over the past year and a half:

- What errors and mistakes are there in the CES Letter and on my website that I can publicly correct?
- If there are no errors or mistakes, why am I being punished for seeking and sharing the truth?
- What questions am I being punished for asking?

I have answered your questions and I have outlined my defenses and reasoning to your accusations against me. Why won't you just answer the questions in addition to clarifying how your demands are reasonable and congruent to the foundational principles of free agency, transparency, honesty and freedom?

I have done nothing wrong. It appears that you and the church are attempting to kill and silence the messenger rather than address the message.

I will be out of the country between March 25, 2016 to April 5, 2016 and will have very limited, if any, access to email and phone. Obviously, I will also be unable to receive and sign any certified mail.

I remind you of your written agreement to abide by Handbook and respectfully request that you treat me fairly by not holding a disciplinary council in my absence. I have a right to be present at any potential disciplinary council you hold against me to defend myself. I trust that you will be honorable and will respect this request and the Handbook by not attempting to hold a disciplinary council against me in my absence and inability to defend myself.

It is my sincere hope that your next email to me will contain answers that I have been asking you for – *many times* – over the past year and a half. Questions which you agreed to help me get answers to – with **zero conditions** attached – in our November 2, 2014 meeting.

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