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Do not be sad, my dear Child, whatever happens. Do not be afraid of a little trial or a little humiliation. These are means of reaching the heart of your Spouse.

I permit you to wait before using gaiters. I think your legs will mend without them.

I am all yours in our divine Master.

Your spiritual Father C. G. Van Crombrugghe

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