



The Endowment Series - Card 5

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This is the promise given to the men and women of this day... I know this is a difficult day, a day when men's hearts are failing them for fear, but it ought not to be so among you. Your brethren have the assurances of the gospel of Jesus Christ that the forces of destruction shall not be permitted to engulf the world as to make impossible the redemption of Zion and the completion of the task in which you are engaged. I can bear personal testimony that God is able to save to the uttermost those who put their trust in Him. **The endowment will come when we extend ourselves.** *Verily I say, Men should be anxiously engaged in a good cause, and do many things of their own free will, and bring to pass much righteousness; for the power is in them, wherein they are agents unto themselves...But he that doeth not anything until he is commanded, and receiveth a commandment with doubtful heart, and keepeth it with slothfulness, the same is damned (Doctrine & Covenants 58:6d, f).*

Gentlemen there are people lying upon beds of affliction in this city, who I am sure could be healed if there were more virtue in the Church. And where will that virtue come from, except it is through the discipline that we ourselves voluntarily undertake in the cause of Christ?

Remember: *And if it so be that you should labor all your days, in crying repentance unto this people, and bring save it be one soul unto me, how great shall be your joy with him in the kingdom of my Father (Doctrine & Covenants 16:3f)!*



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