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of Him who liveth forever and ever, that
time shall be no longer, then woe be unto
the wicked and those who have rejected
the servants of God, for they shall be con-
sumed by the brightness of his coming
and punished for the abuse of that moral
agency given them, and in the exercise
of which they had been so carefully pro-
tected by the laws of Zion.

You see the difference between the
period of time in which the king-
dom is growing and spreading forth
and enlarging its dominions, and that
more glorious period when the king-
dom of heaven shall come to meet the
earthly kingdom—when all the pow-
ers of heaven shall be made mani-
fest and have place on our transfigured
and sanctified earth. May the Lord
our God, our great King and Lawgiver,
bless the people! May he open the eyes
of the honest, that the words of truth
may penetrate them! May the power
of the Holy Ghost, like a gentle stream,
flow over them! May the Spirit of truth
rest down mightily upon the Saints of
the latter days! May they be armed
with power and with the righteousness
of God in great glory! May they rise up in
mighty faith, like the people in the days
of Enoch, that the heavens may clothe
them with the glory of God! And may
they go forth, conquering and to conquer,
until the false tradition and evils and
sins and abominations of the children of
men shall be swept from the earth, and
until the King of kings and the Lord of
lords shall reign triumphantly with om-
nipotent power! Amen.

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UP THE QUORUM OF THE TWELVE—REMARKS TO
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REMARKS BY PRESIDENT BRIGHAM YOUNG, DELIVERED IN THE TABERNACLE, GREAT
SALT LAKE CITY, APRIL 7, 1860.

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I have not inquired whether there are
any cases of difficulty between brethren
or differences in doctrine that should be
presented before the Conference. I have
heard of none; consequently I have not
given an opportunity to present any. I do
not expect there is any such business re-
quiring our attention.

We will first present the authorities
of the Church; and I sincerely request
the members to act freely and inde-
pendently in voting—also in speaking,