



Mr. Patterson
41 Belmont place
Dec. 19th

My Dear Uncle

Uncle must not
have had the accounts beside her
when she asked you send the
P.O.O. for £2. for they came to
three weekly but I paid the
parties so that they should not
be out of their money to at
your convenience the balance
can come. When I called for
the money they would not give it.

to me because I did not answer
to my sub name Mary Peterson. but
I got it thro' the bank & looking
over your letter some days after
the money was encaselled thro' the
person you sent to take out the
was told he must give a ^{order} & then
name to give Mary & wrote this on
the back of your letter before closing
it, which I did not observe before
Now do you like being a Grandpa?
it will remind you that the years
run quickly on & that we are getting
older day by day. I have had 16
between nephews & Nieces equally

dear & they are a great pleasure
but coming out & in keeping our other
wise quiet house cheerful by their
prattle & noise I only wish you
could see some of them. They are
all so frank with strangers which
makes it so agreeable. All our
circle are at present about their
usual We have been very highly
pleased in the day of teachers labors
several dear Giddy men remaining in
Edin. far some beats the difficulty
is in a day like this to walk in
the park of what we get everything
being opposed to & than growth. Water

Here the hard to us now is lost
up far the day of your redemption
drawn high & every one who looks
carefully into scripture cannot have
a doubt that the Lord will soon
be here to take us all to be far
ever with Himself that is our hope
& to Him that lost far I am shall
He appear the second time without
with sin unto salvation. With love
from our circle here & good wishes

Ever dear Uncle

Your affec^d Nephew

Line M. Postlethwaite