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 and omnificence (118:6sec)
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 God's understanding is infinite (2:1.1)
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 Prince age (45:4.3) (63:6sec)
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Amerinds looked for return of (92:5.6)
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 one of 24 counselors (45:4.5)
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 universal peace (45:4.5) (64:6.7-8)
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 only untrustworthiness stands between us and (28:6.16)
 society should allow (71:3.9)
 sometimes created by death of fondest hopes (48:6.36)
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 open (40:7.5)

oppression

Jesus denounced (140:8.21) (147:8.4) (163:2.11) (173:1.11)
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 only love, brotherhood, can prevent (71:4.17)

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 - associates felt constrained to share (100:7.12)
 - not blind and self-deceived (100:7.9) (181:1.9)
 - truly contagious (127:3.14)
- positive always has advantage over negative (102:6.7)
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- Greeks believed in (90:2.8)
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 - in Central and South America (79:5.8)
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 - indigo in Sahara carried extensive strains of (64:6.13) (78:1.10) (80:1.4)
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oratory

- celestial artisans preserve thought for reproduction (44:4.7-8)
- speaker at forum (132:4.7)

ordeal

- believed to interpret spirit messages (87:5.9)
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- inherently active (112:1.13)

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- ancients believed soul resided in (111:0.3)

orientation

- directional sense fixed in living beings (34:4.12-13)

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