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Each letter stands for a different letter, the same all the way through. The letters already written in are free hints. Write the real letter above each one.

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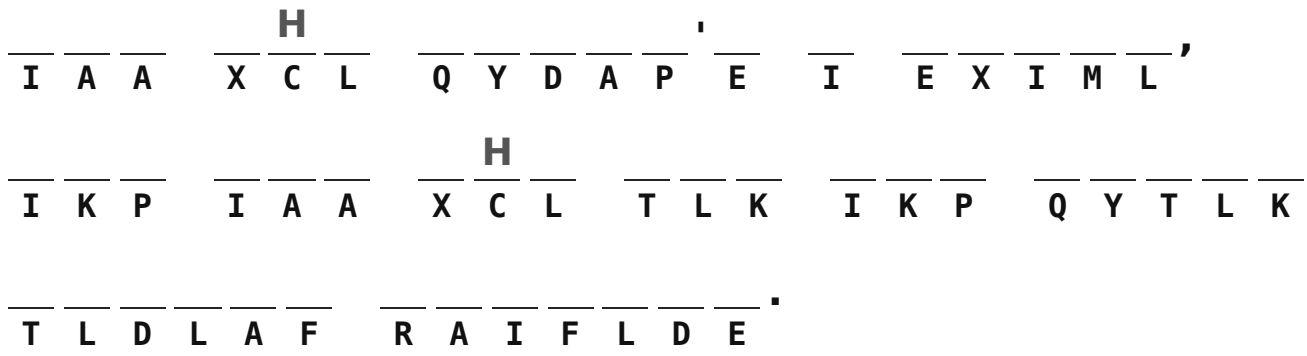

— William Shakespeare, As You Like It

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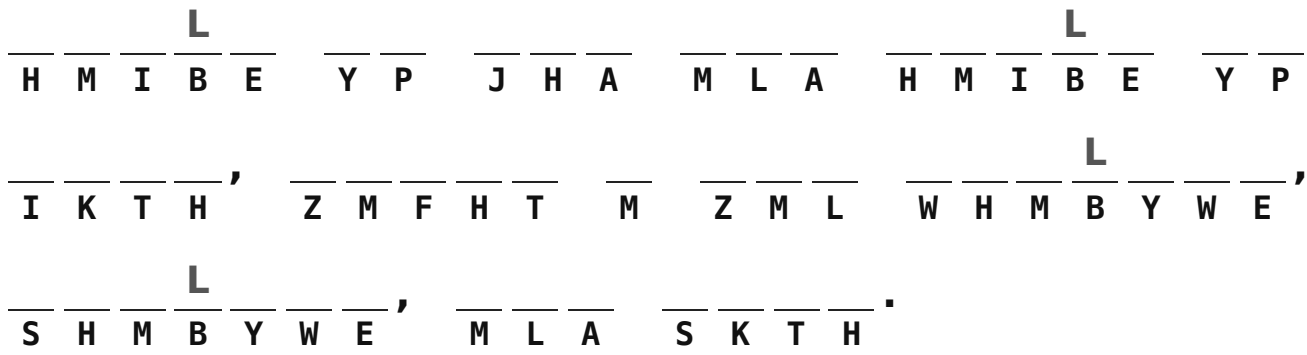

— Benjamin Franklin

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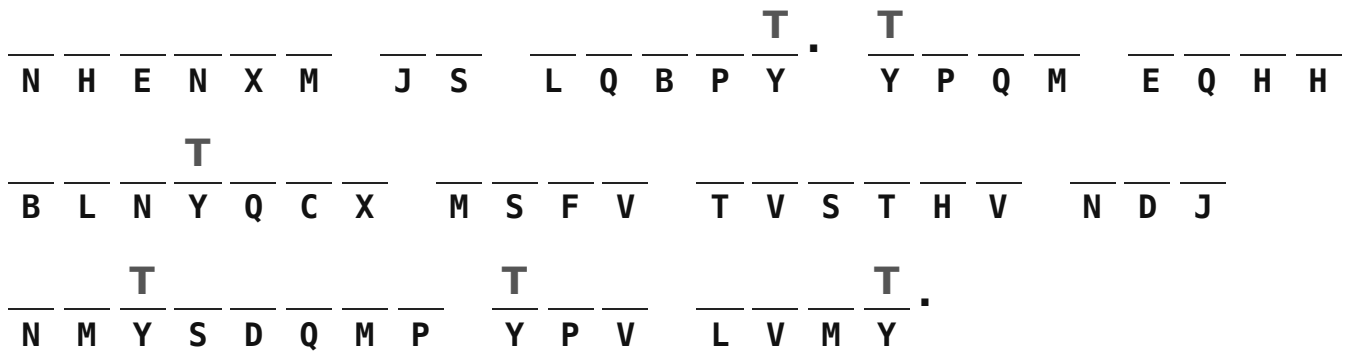

— Mark Twain

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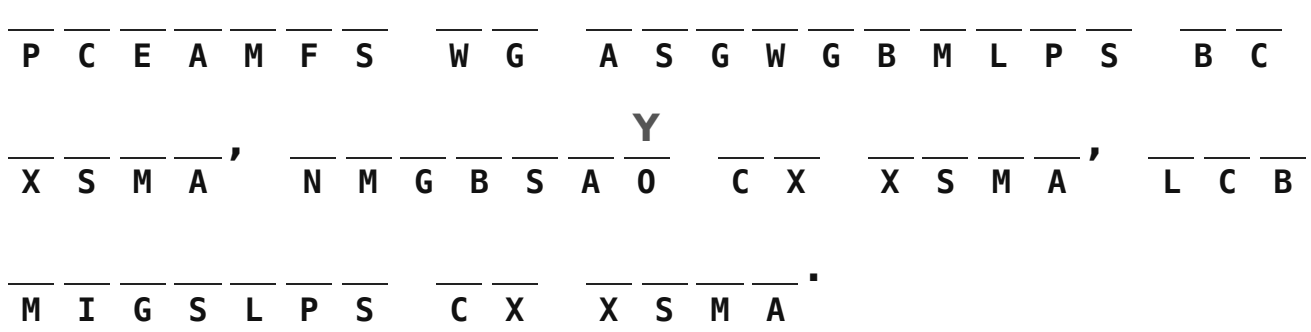

— Mark Twain, Pudd'nhead Wilson

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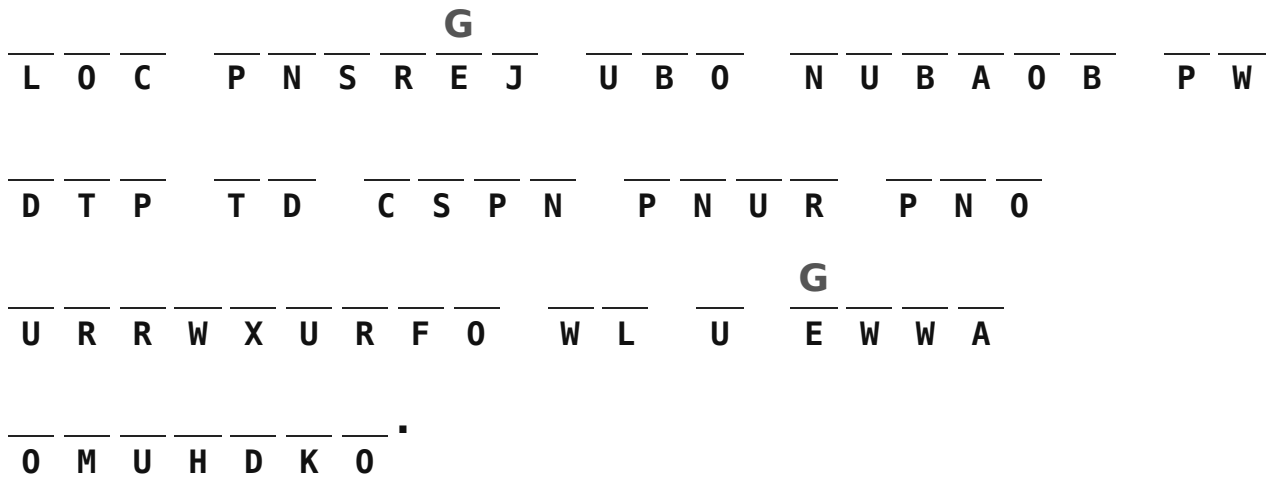

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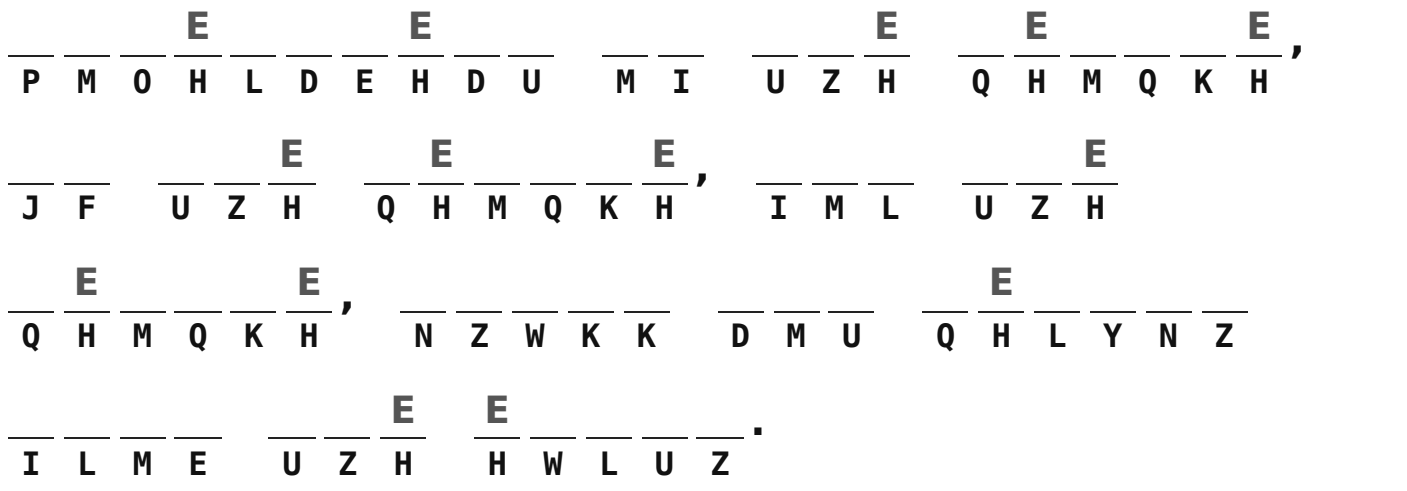

— Abraham Lincoln, the Gettysburg Address

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7.

H

D B Q C K O S H G K Z Z: D S H D B Q P G

S V P C G Z N O G D T M G.

— William Shakespeare, Hamlet

8.

O

'Y K R Y E B Q K L Y Y S C B R K D T W B,

'Y K R Y E B Q K L Y Y S C B L A B B.

— Joseph Brackett, Simple Gifts, 1848

9.

W

B J Z E H J D V C V H J N Y J B R V H,

W W

B J Z E H J D V Z N F H J N Y J B R V H.

— Charles Dickens, A Tale of Two Cities

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10.

G

N F D O H G S N O S N H L J V H S N

X O Q S N O P G S N Q S D O P Y N O G H L

S N O G F W T.

— Emily Dickinson

11.

H Y W E M J N F W L H R K W E G H J S

W

Z X A N G T N I X J G O X R K H

G X J I A N G R N B.

— Lao Tzu, Tao Te Ching

12.

O

A V E Q M N Q N I E V X V W Z V E C

O

Q E N X Q W R C Q I E R E B

E Q E V C U - E Q E V X V W Z V E C

O

X V W N X Q W R C Q I E.

— Thomas Edison

Answer Key

1. All the world's a stage, and all the men and women merely players. — *William Shakespeare, As You Like It*
2. Early to bed and early to rise, makes a man healthy, wealthy, and wise. — *Benjamin Franklin*
3. Always do right. This will gratify some people and astonish the rest. — *Mark Twain*
4. Courage is resistance to fear, mastery of fear, not absence of fear. — *Mark Twain, Pudd'nhead Wilson*
5. Few things are harder to put up with than the annoyance of a good example. — *Mark Twain, Pudd'nhead Wilson*
6. Government of the people, by the people, for the people, shall not perish from the earth. — *Abraham Lincoln, the Gettysburg Address*
7. This above all: to thine own self be true. — *William Shakespeare, Hamlet*
8. 'Tis the gift to be simple, 'tis the gift to be free. — *Joseph Brackett, Simple Gifts, 1848*
9. It was the best of times, it was the worst of times. — *Charles Dickens, A Tale of Two Cities*
10. Hope is the thing with feathers that perches in the soul. — *Emily Dickinson*
11. A journey of a thousand miles begins with a single step. — *Lao Tzu, Tao Te Ching*
12. Genius is one percent inspiration and ninety-nine percent perspiration. — *Thomas Edison*

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