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Dear Mr. Biddle,

This is just a personal note of great appreciation for your time and comments during our meetings in Santa Fe. Your hopes for the arts are well founded and I feel quite confident of our mutual and universally beneficial success in this area. None of these changes and advancements could happen soon enough but with your aid and education of us, we are bound to succeed.

I found your wife to be a most delightful woman. Her grace and ease with all of us was most exciting to watch and be a small part of. I must thank you both again for a lovely dinner. Both the stories and the spirit of commitment you shared with me will make me smile for quite some time.

I look forward to seeing you again. It was a sincere honor to have met you.

Best wishes and care,


Roberta J. Pilk
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