

Dear Dr. Tomonhos,

I would like to thank you for giving me an incomplete as a final grade in your class during spring quarter. It allowed me the extra time I needed to help my uncle recover from his operation.

If it is possible, I would like to set up a time when I could take a make-up exam. I am working weekdays from 8 AM until 6:00 PM, but I usually have weekends free. The exceptions being Aug 5, 6 and 12-13. However I have a week's vacation starting Aug. 14. If it is convenient for you I would like to take the exam on Aug 15.

Please write to me at the address on the envelope, or you may contact me at 412-654-6195 weekdays from 6:10 to 7:30 PM or after 9AM on weekends.

Once again, thank you for the incomplete, it made a difference.

Ron Earl

Leslie, This must be  
a wonderful book.

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## In Defense of High Culture

By RAYMOND SOKOLOV

Generations of bad teachers in this country have turned writing and reading into painful mysteries, even for their brightest students. The reasons for this intellectual and social catastrophe are many. They include the usual suspects, television and other electronic and chemical squatters in the youthful brain. But the roots of the problem are older and deeper than that. We have always had too many professors who neither loved literature nor knew how to write.

In an earlier generation, modernist pedagogues treated literary texts like puzzles, and the act of writing was like a romantic plunge into the dark woods of the unconscious, not a craft to be practiced and perfected in a rational manner. These days, a new breed of incompetent mystagogues is wearing new robes; call them French frocks. These assassins of literature teach the art of deconstruction, which is a modish and jargon-filled theory that aims to undermine the traditional humanist's "naïve" love of reading and veneration of the classics. The deconstructionists hope to show that the "canon" of books once blithely assumed to represent the best writing handed down from the past was in fact a sinister tissue of propaganda meant to inculcate the supremacy of the white patriarchal capitalist hegemony of Christian Europe and America.

The best refutation of this dangerous and powerfully placed doctrine is to demonstrate the power and beauty of literature as such. And this is what Robert Alter does with such affecting brilliance in "The Pleasures of Reading in an Ideological Age" (Simon & Schuster, 250 pages, \$18.95).

In another age, this is exactly the kind of book we might have expected from a professor of comparative literature at the University of California at Berkeley. It might then have served, as it definitely should now, as an introduction to the lay of the land in literature for students about to embark on their first wholesale encounter with the great books.

In the golden days before angry people began demanding that women and black and third-world contemporary writers be added to syllabuses on an equal footing (or better) with Homer and Henry James, in those days before the doctrine of affirmative action was misapplied to freshman surveys in what was then called, without a trace of apology, Western civilization, Mr. Alter's graceful explications of Fielding, Dickens or Keats, in chapter/lectures devoted to such topics as allusion, structure and style, would have been, so to speak, par for the course.

Today, this is a book that ought to be placed in the hands of any young person who shows the slightest interest in serious reading or in hearing a good, practical defense of high culture. Since even our best schools may have abandoned the actual teaching of literature in the old way (and since even in the best of times there were few instructors with Mr. Alter's gift for ex-

plication), "The Pleasures of Reading" is a simple substitute for what has been deconstructed in contemporary curricula.

Without quite saying so, Mr. Alter has taken up the challenge of the deconstructionists in a personal way. Or perhaps it would be truer to say that he has put himself forward as the champion of his profession, traditionally conceived, and has dared to show exactly how old-fashioned talk about books can be smarter and tougher and more persuasive than the theoretical attacks on normal reading launched from Nanterre to New Haven.

Summarized here, his elegant little performances would not be done justice. But his basic method is worth outlining. Take, for example, his longish analysis of three-and-a-half paragraphs from chapter 22 of part one of Anna Karenina. This passage (quoted completely) occurs as a section of a chapter on "perspective," in other words, the point of view from which a story is told. This is a technical issue, one much fought over by academic narratologists. But Mr. Alter redeems it with his intelligent and sensitive discussion here of Tolstoy's treatment of the entrance of the ingenue Kitty at a ball.

Mr. Alter shows us how Tolstoy works his magic, how he so famously gives us his

### Bookshelf

"*The Pleasures of Reading in an Ideological Age*"

By Robert Alter

characters, makes them live. Mr. Alter calmly dissects the passage, points out its shifting narrative perspectives, its ironic angles of vision. He turns this jewel around and over, missing none of its facets or the different colors they reflect. Succinctly, he offers us a brilliant view of Tolstoy's genius and makes us want to read more.

"The Pleasures of Reading" contains many more of these gems, several necklaces of them. Mr. Alter has things of high interest to say about Pope and Defoe and George Eliot. He is also extremely good on the Bible—his formal title is professor of Hebrew and comparative literature. But I think this book risks misfiring with impatient younger readers because it is not wholeheartedly intended for the innocent. In addition to the passages of literary discussion, in which one breathes the pure serene, there is also much tactical argument of a more technical sort meant, one imagines, for Mr. Alter's colleagues. These passages verge on, and sometimes fall into, profspeak. They have their value; they make their points. But I often wished, as I hurried through them to get to the literary analysis, that they had been tucked away somewhere in small type, in one of those sections that really old-fashioned primers used to entitle "To the Teacher." Caveat lector. If Mr. Alter's preambles don't appeal, skip ahead to the good parts.

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October 10, 1989

Professor Dr. Leslie S. Domonkos  
Department of History  
Youngstown State University  
4109 Wick Avenue,  
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My Dear Laci,

Thank you so much for your lovely shipment and congratulations on your study "A Renaissance Wedding: The Nuptials of the Italian Princess Beatrice of Aragon and Matthias Corvinus, King of Hungary." It is extremely interesting and entertaining reading. It will be filed in your Doctoral Thesis. I am taking this opportunity to thank you for ordering the books for your library which is a great help for me.

With best regards and love to your family, I am,

As Ever,

Dr. A. L. Gabriel

ALG:jl

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219 232-0241 (Residence)

Oktober 21, Szombat este 1989

Kedves Laci:

Itt küldöm másolatát Klaniczay Tiborhoz intézett levelemnek. Mivel három órámat vette igénybe, I did not have time to re-read it or correct it, or to put the innumerable Hungarian accents on the letters. Ne aggodj semmiért. Egeszség a fontos.

Oktober 21.

A családdal együtt ölel

Quinqueecclensis.

Professor Dr. Klaniczay Tibor

A Magyar Tudományos Akadémia Irodalomtörténeti Intézetének Foigazgatója,  
Directeur de l'Institut d'Etudes Littéraires: Centre de Recherche de la Renaissance  
A Magyar Tudományos Akadémia rendes tagja  
Corresponding Fellow of the Medieval Academy of America  
Menesi ut 11-13  
H-1118 Budapest (XI) Hungary (Republic of Hungary)

Kedves Foigazgatom, Carissime Tiburtius, Tres Cher et Erudit Ami:

Oktober 11-i megtisztelő Epistolad már itt volt Oktober 20-an, ugy latszik a magyar Köztársaság postaja jobban mukodik minta Bundesrepublik Deutschland, ahonnan két het alatt érkeznek a levelek.

Megy nekem, hogy a kedves aggodalmad barátunk Domonkos Laci állapota felül. Ha Isten ilyen ereje van, hogy a hatrálata betegségek ellenére dolgozott a Matyas környéken, nem toradva sem a fajdalmas "rut-canál" fogoperációval meg a faraszto és csak a kúszobon által cukor-baj elhárításával. Hogy Lacink egyenlőre bort se tud inni, ez szerintem az inspirációt is valamivel csökkenti.

Beszéltem vele, és megnyugtathattak, hogy a Matyas Környéki utek halad. Masfél fejezet, a haromból már keszen van. De e jobban tudod milyen alapos tudás, és skrupulus. Azt hiszem ha gyorsan nyomják, akkor a Matyas éveben megjelenik.

A Magyar Történetek hirdetett Kongresszusára jelentkeztem. A Magyar Forum rendezte és a Kongresszust Augusztus 29.-Szeptember 1-re terveztek. A titkár Szebenyi Ferenc-ét (Benczúr utca 18/Bp.VI) Tel. 225-405 több levelemben sem tudtam meggyőzni, hogy ugyanabban az időben van Madridban a Commission International des Etudes Historiques 1990-es (mindenöt evenkint rendezett) Nemzetközi Kongresszusa, és a magyar történetek is ott lesznek Augusztus 26-tól Szeptember 2. Az Egyetemtörténeti Komisszió ahol en az Egyesült Államokat képvisel Augusztus 28-31 napján gyűlésezik. --Meg Münchenből is írtam Szebenyi-nek (egy hetet voltam a Staatsbibliothek-ban Szeptember 3-11-ig) de nem tudtam meggyőzni. Sapienti sat. Az európai utam célja volt, hogy ahol a Texts and Studies sorozatot nyomjak, annak a St. Norbertusdruckerij-nak 200 éves jubileuma volt Belgiumban. \*Holas Eckhardt-i doktori disszertációjom 100 peldányban ott jelent meg nyomtatásban franciaul 1936-ban.

Professzor Dr. Klaniczay fálytatas.

Leo Tindemans a volt Belga miniszterelnök, és nyolc évig kulugyminiszter az is ott volt, most Belgiumot képviseli az Európai Közösségen, ahova remelm Ti is bekerültök nemsokara Deo juvante. Egy diplomat is adtak nekem, mint egyik elő legoregebb szerzonek, kinek munkaját kinyomtak. Telefonon beszéltem kitűnő könyvtárosoddal, a csinos és tudós Nemeth Katalin-nal, aki Alexandriai Szent Katalin palastja alatt ejjelt nappalla teve dolgozott a Wolfenbütteli könyvtárban. A Wolfenbütteler Forschungen-t (Band 40) olvasva Rad gondoltam, mert Charles Lohr baratom írt benne a "The Sixteenth-Century Transformation of the Aristotelian Natural Philosophy" (pp. 89)

Please give my regards vagy jobb ha nemetul irom--Herzliche Grusse an Deiner gelehrten Bibliothekarin

Tehát Kedves Tiborom Veletek szeretnem unneplni Matyas 500 éves evfordulóját, ha Szebenyi Ferenc titkárt beleírtva Hanák Péter a Szervező Bizottság elnöke, hogy tokeletlen margitszigeti prepost leven nem nyertem el a BILOKACIO kegyet, és előadásomat:

"Egy ismeretlen Magyarországi Mihály a parizsi Theologiai Fakultason Matyas király uralma alatt." ~~ad meg a címz~~  
A kiadatlan, és senki által fel nem használt Theologiai Fakultas Szamadasaiban találtam meg nevet. Vaucelle alatt doktorált, akinek hugaban barátunk Villon volt szerelmes. Azonos lehet a hires Immaculata Koncepcio Vita hosszúval Mihály-al????  
Tehát nagyon széttáplálék latni.

Nincs kizárva, hogy az új könyvemmel, aminek "Laci modjara" már I-VI fejezete ki van nyomva, (nekem is mint Laci barátunknak harmat kell meg llnom....) február 1-je ha torik, ha szakad ennek kessz kell lenni, és viszem a nyomdába, úgy hogy az Igazgatóval Münchenben találkozunk Február utolsó napjaiban, ahogy Czakonai mondána a farsang végén "ebijeszto pentek" hetében, ami hamvazoszerdával kezdődik.

Kedves Tibor tehát Laci gondol *à Jour et nuit*, mindenöt meg kell tenni, hogy a könyv Matyas eveiben megjelenjen. Ott szeretnék lenni az atadáson.

Igen fontos Post Scriptum. Most van a jelölés a Comité International de Paleographie-ban. Ormanysági duhhez tolj el, hogy a cseh Spunar szól bele (ill.)

Professzor Dr. Klaniczay folytatás

(illetleg) hatraltaja a magyar kepviselőt megvalasztását. Magyarország nem szerepel Mezey halala után. Kire gondolsz???? Fodor Máriaánné az Egyetemi Könyvtárban vagy másra?? Telefonálj Székely Györgynak, és beszéljetek meg, akit Ti ketten ajanlotok, en mint USA képviselője, tanítványommal a paleografus Cornell-i egyetem nyilvános rendes tanaraval partfogolni illetőleg jelölni fogjuk.  
Irjatok Emmanuel Pouille-nak a Secrétaire Général-nak, (aki mint Te jo "aratom") most a Ecole Nationale des Chartes új igazgatója

19 rue de la Sorbonne  
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Kedves Tiborom, bizz a mi Lacinkban es tegyel meg mindennt, hogy a nyomdasz keszen aljon amikor a hiányzó fejezetek megerkeznek. Ha a telefonod előtt ulsz, hív fel Székely Györgyet és add át neki udvozletem, ahogy renaissance Oelletier barátod írt Saghi Sag diáknak Parizsban:  
"frontem comiter et hilare salutaveris"

Fiadrol sok jót írnak es hallok, :tel pere, tel fils.

Megegysszer megkoszönve, joleso, aggodo leveled október 11 (1989)rol sok szeretettel, nagyrabecsülessel , ragaszkodással es humanista baratsággal marad

Ausztrikus

PS. Kuldök egy különlenyomato a Dictionary of the Middle Ages-bol, cíkkem a Universities-rol. Jaj, jaj csak középkori es nem renaissance egyetemről beszéltem.

Itermi te saluto  
sok szeretettel

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## Getrouwheid voor

### Professor Dr. Astrik L. Gabriel

University of Notre Dame - U.S.A.

ter gelegenheid van ons 200-jarig bestaan,  
met dank toegekend voor het gestelde vertrouwen  
en dit sinds 1936.

Westerlo, 15 september 1989.

F. Gebruers,  
Direkteur

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Afsgevaardigd Bestuurder

H.H. J.Noyen:  
Voorzitter Beheerra



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November 9, 1989

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Dr. Leslie Domonkos  
History Dept., YSU  
Youngstown OH 44555

Dear Dr. Domonkos,

Our Fall fund-raising campaign was the best ever, thanks to you and the many others who called in to show your support for WYSU-FM. Approximately one third of the pledges called in were from new members of our family.

Your premiums are being packed for shipping now. You should receive your premium within two weeks after your pledge is paid. If you do not, please let me know.

On behalf of our entire staff, thank you again for supporting fine arts broadcasting from WYSU-FM and Youngstown State University.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive ink that reads "Robert W. Peterson".

Robert W. Peterson  
Director, WYSU-FM

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**Youngstown State University / Youngstown, Ohio 44555-3091**

November 21, 1989

**Office of Associate Provost  
Dean of Graduate Studies  
(216) 742-3091**

Dr. Leslie S. Domonkos  
Department of History  
UNIVERSITY

Dear Dr. Domonkos:

Graduate Council, after reviewing your application for Graduate Faculty membership and receiving a recommendation from the Graduate Membership Committee, has recommended that you be awarded Distinguished Member status. I am therefore delighted to welcome you to the highest tier of our newly-structured Graduate Faculty, effective immediately.

As a Distinguished Member, you have full voting rights on Graduate Faculty matters and are eligible for appointment to any of its committees and for election to Graduate Council. I look forward to working with you as we strive toward the betterment of graduate education at our University.

Sincerely,

*Sally M. Hotchkiss*

Sally M. Hotchkiss, Ph.D.  
Associate Provost and  
Dean of Graduate Studies

SMH:ksg

cc: Dr. Beelen, Chair  
Vice President Alderman

Uncle Les, Aunt Eva and cousins,

I was glad to see you enjoyed the card I sent. They have over a half-dozen different cards picturing every angle of the Wren Building. I sent the one I thought looked best. To be truthful I have only been to the Wren Building once or twice during my stay here. My dorm and all but one of my classes are on the other side of campus --a good ten or fifteen minute walk.

It was good to talk with most of you on the phone. I regret not being able to speak with Uncle Les or Andrew. My room phone has not yet been installed. It was due in earlier this week. When I get my phone and new phone number I will let you know.

I had received word earlier that the strike had been shortlived. It is a good thing that it was resolved quickly. I hope the details of the contract are agreeable.

I hope you all enjoyed the turkey dinner. I spoke with my father and he said everyone seemed pleased. I am sure it was a step above what they serve here. Marriott food services (like the hotel) has the contract for the dining halls. The food is usually mediocre; it is edible but it lacks any hint of spice.

Hopefully this letter reaches all of you in good health. I am fine here. There is a flu that everyone seems to passing back and forth to one another, but that is just one of the hazards of dormitory life.

The typing is for readability. This computer printout is much more legible than my lefthanded penmanship. I am using Wordperfect on a PC in the library computer center.

Enclosed is a booklet that I hope you will show to my parents also. It outlines a program that I should be eligible for next fall, provided I keep my grades above a three point. That may be difficult since the popular joke is that this is the only campus where the blood alcohol levels are higher than the G.P.A.s. William and Mary suffers from severe grade deflation. The average freshman first semester GPA is 1.7. A 3.3 will put a W&M student in the top 10% of his graduating class. The college average is about 2.6. These figures are from campus publications. We were noted a couple of weeks back in a national newspaper (I forget which) to be one of the hardest working schools on the east coast. But the same article also noted that many W&M students fizzle out academically after leaving this place. I guess if they are told that grad school is tougher than undergrad school and they are barely making it here how can they look forward to further studies?

With my current grades I would have a 2.7 at the end of the semester. But I do not know how my finals will be. Accounting is the class I am doing the best in (A-). Anthropology is the worst (D+). I

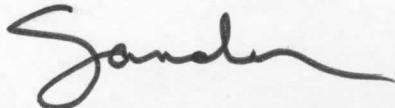
am getting a B in Macroeconomics and a C in Math. I took Pre-Calculus, which is supposedly a remedial course here, to make up for the fine mathematical education I received at Jackson-Milton. I have a government class which is quite interesting. The professor is a representative in the lower house of the Virginia legislature. I don't know how he was ever elected in this area because he is so far left that he makes FDR look like William F. Buckley. I think sometimes he is just playing the devil's advocate though because the political back ground of this area, and in particular this college, is very backward and ultra-ultra conservative. I mentioned to him once in passing that I come from a predominantly Democratic area and just a few days later I received two phone calls and a mailing asking me to join in helping his campaign. I declined since I thought it a unethical to work on the campaign while taking his class but his campaign manager has called me once again since then. Hopefully it won't affect my grade.

My tentative schedule for next semester will include five of these six courses: Intro. Computers, Probability (the next highest math course), Calculus I, Intro. Statistics (on a pass/fail basis), Microeconomics, and the continuation to my Accounting course. I will schedule for six and drop the one I don't like.

I sent a letter to the president of the college my first week here telling him that a statue should be placed on our campus. We have many prominent alumni of two-hundred years ago (None that I know of recently except for Glenn Close). But the only statue on campus is a likeness of an old colonial Governor that is stored in the basement of the library. He thought it was a wonderful idea and has put it in to action. By 1993 (the school's 300th anniversary) there should be a statue placed in the middle of old campus (the buildings around the Wren Building). He said that he had pondered the idea of a statue before but did not do much with it. My letter supposedly sent things rolling. Already I have had a meeting with the man in charge of 300th anniversary activities discussing the statue as well as lunch with the president in his house. Six of the people on my hall went along in support (and also for the food, it was exquisite). I think he was impressed. I will keep you posted on how things turn out. I am pushing for a Jefferson statue but Washington, Monroe and John Marshall have also been brought up in conversation.

Uncle Les is totally correct that I treasure mail in my box. I have to walk halfway across campus to check my mail so an empty box is doubly depressing, but one with a letter is an unparalleled prize. I hope you found this letter interesting, it has grown quite long. Please send my love to everyone in Ohio. I hope to hear from you soon.

In the college spirit,

A handwritten signature in cursive ink, appearing to read "Sandra".

3540 South Canfield-Niles Road  
Canfield, OH 44406  
Phone: 216-533-0181 after 6 P.M.  
Office: 373-2862 8:30-4:00

November 8, 1989

Mary Belloto  
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Dear Mary:

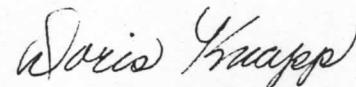
At the recommendation of Dr. Brian Murray, I am making my copyediting skills available to professors in your department. Last summer, I helped edit Dr. Murray's book on H. G. Wells. He was surprised that I had researched his work so thoroughly and he mentioned to me that the professors in your department might be interested in my services. I am willing to negotiate on fees. I am especially interested in working the winter quarter because I am taking only one course.

I am an English major at Youngstown State University and have twenty-five years of working experience in the secretarial field. My curiosity, fortitude, and perseverance in researching a project are my greatest assets. English courses make up the major part of my education, but I have a diversified education that includes chemistry, biology, algebra, geometry.

I have my own library of reference books, including the Chicago Manual of Style, MLA Style Manual, MLA's Line by Line, Judd's Copyediting, Hodges' Harbrace College Handbook, Webster's Ninth, Webster's Third New International (and a second one with a seven language section), Encyclopaedia Britannica, World Book Encyclopaedia, Bartlett's Familiar Quotations, Roget's II, Brewer's, Oxford Universal OED, Encyclopaedia Britannica's Great Books, Magill's Masterplots, and an extensive classical paperback collection that is a hobby of mine.

Enclosed is a resume that will give you more information on my background. I would especially appreciate your efforts in informing Professors George Beelen, James Ronda, and Leslie Domonkos. Do not hesitate to call me at the above numbers any time.

Sincerely,



Doris M. Knapp

attachment



Youngstown State University / Youngstown, Ohio 44555-0001

May 10, 1989

Dr. Leslie S. Domonkos  
59 Camelot Court  
Canfield, Ohio 44406

Dear Dr. Domonkos:

You are invited to attend an Awards Dinner for Faculty and Professional/Administrative staff on Friday, June 2, at 7:30 p.m. in the Chestnut Room of Kilcawley Center. There will be a social hour at 6:30 p.m. in the Ohio Room.

As a faculty member who has completed twenty or more years of University service, we would like to have you attend the dinner as a guest of the University.

If you will be able to attend this dinner, please complete the enclosed reservation form and return it to Thomas J. Kane, Director of Payroll and Fringe Benefits, by Friday, May 26.

Your spouse or guest is also invited. However, because the University is not permitted to pay the cost of dinners for non-staff members, the cost for your spouse or guest will be \$12.00.

I hope to see you on June 2.

Yours truly,

*Neil D. Humphrey*  
Neil D. Humphrey  
President

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Enclosure

SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 1989

# Dr. Milan Halmos, 75; studied medicine in native Hungary

Services will be at 10 a.m. Monday at the Szabo & Sons Funeral Home and at 10:30 a.m. in Our Lady of Hungary Church for Dr. Milan Halmos, 75, of 1647 Mahoning Ave., who died of a heart attack Thursday evening at St. Elizabeth Hospital Medical Center emergency room after being stricken at home.

Dr. Halmos was born Sept. 23, 1913, in Iglo, Hungary, a son of Nandor and Margit Halmos, and came to this area in 1951 from Hungary. He was a 1940 graduate of Peter Paznany University in Budapest and had served a residency in Rokus Hospital there. A family physician on the West Side



Dr. Halmos

since his arrival here, he also had been a staff doctor at St. Elizabeth and, in March 1986, received the hospital's "Medical Excellence Award" for 36 years on the medical staff.

He was a member of the church, the Hungarian Federation of Churches and Societies, the American Hungarian Club, and the Hungarian Veterans (MHBK). He also was a member of the Mahoning and Ohio Medical societies.

His wife, the former Helen Csiby, whom he married Jan. 26, 1943, died June 21, 1979.

He leaves a son, Charles of Waynesburg, Pa.; two daughters, Mrs. Priscilla Strakovits of Dearborn Heights, Mich., and Mrs. Clara Coront of Baltimore; and five grandchildren.

A brother, Odon, is deceased.

Friends may call from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.

6/3/89

July 26, 1989

Dear friend *Kes,*

Excuse the form of this letter. Briefly, a number of my friends have expressed the desire to write the editor of the Book Review section of the Journal of Modern History to protest the unfair (and the only unfair) review I received for my Harvard book. After writing the kind of reply Kates and the editor deserved I threw it away and, on Ed Gargan's advice, wrote the enclosed diplomatic note.

If anyone has the inclination and time to drop Kirshner a note (a diplomatic note), it would be nice. All I can hope for now is that Gary Kates is not given another opportunity by the JMH to write such reviews for some time to come.

If you want a copy of any of the journals I mention to Kirshner let me know.

Meanwhile, I'm revising my MS. on the Hebertistes -- which, if published, will upset the Kates (or, as Shakespeare says, "kites," [persons who prey on others, now obsolete] as in Hamlet's great soliloquy: "I would have fatted all the region kites on that slave's offal"). I can hear some of you muttering: "More matter with less art!" so I'll quit.

Salut,

*Morris*

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CONFIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE

To: Professor Dr. Leslie S. Domonkos  
from: Path Research Research Foundation  
Date: February 26, 1989  
Subject: Final Report - Colorlight Training Grant

April 26, 1989

Professor Dr. Leslie S. Domonkos  
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Youngstown State University  
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Dear Dr. Domonkos:

Dr. Gabriel asked me to send you copies of the two enclosed letters, one to Professor Dr. Hilda de Ridder Symoens and one to Professor Dr. B. Kashkayev. Also, the dues for the International Commission on the History of Universities are due and Dr. Gabriel would like you to send him \$21.00. The total amount is \$42.00, of which, he will pay the remaining \$21.00.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely yours,

*Joan Bluish*  
Joan Bluish,  
Secretary.

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Enclosure 2

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April 24, 1989

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Kashkayev Badrutdin

My Dear and Distinguished Colleague Professor Dr. Kashkayev:

I was delighted to receive your beautifully written letter of January 10, 1989. It recalled to mind those wonderful days spent at the International Congress meetings in Bucarest and Stuttgart. At the Stuttgart meeting they elected a new president, Professor Dr. Feenstra and now I have nothing to do with the organization of the program. Several members of the United States Commission have complained that we were not given any recognition at the Madrid meeting because the commission now organizes its program in cooperation with the International Commission of Law.

I took the liberty of forwarding your good letter to Professor Dr. Hilda de Ridder Symoens, Secretary General, Blandijnberg 2, B-9000 Gent, Belgium. I am extremely sorry that I cannot be of any assistance to you, but as time goes by and new people take over, the direction of the committee is sometimes changed. Nevertheless, I plan to see you in Madrid because I still represent the United States of America, together with my former student, Dr. Leslie Domonkus, of Youngstown State University, who is chairman of the Department of History. With every best wish, I remain,

Sincerely,

Dr. A.L.Gabriel  
Member of the French, Bavarian  
Academy of Sciences

ALG:jl  
CC Professor Domonkus  
Professor Szekely  
Professor Courtenay

INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE



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To: Dr. L. S. Domonkos  
From: George D. Beelen, Chairman  
Date: June 21, 1989  
Subject: Summer Teaching

Summer contracts are currently being prepared; they should reflect your regular offerings as well as Summer Enrichment or Academic Challenge programs. Your specific number of work hours to be paid is 8 (+ \$1,373.00 Supplementary Contract) for a total of \$12,359.00.

Good luck with the Summer Enrichment program. Please submit a critique of the program as soon as you can.

GDB/mb

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "George".

Prof. Ferenc Somogyi, Ph.D., LL.D.  
19608 Thornridge Avenue  
Cleveland, OH 44135

Igen Tisztelet Barátom!

Kedves Laci!

Április 16-án Várdy Béla professzor, kedves jó barátom - a tisztelettemre rendezett ebéd után - ünnepélyesen átadta azt a szép kiállítású kötetet, amelyet "Triumph in Adversity" címmel - mintegy három évvel ezelőtt - 80. születésnapomra szánt.

Hálásan köszönöm, hogy a kötetbe értékes tanulmányt írtál s ezzel a csekélysegemet ért kitüntetéshez hozzájárultál.

Őszinte nagyrabecsüléssel és szíves magyar köszöntéssel:

1989 május 2-án

Tisztelettel teljes részletekben  
jelentőit névem, egyben Sarolta  
legörökítéséből öröcsöt is sal-  
mánon. Mindenre köszönök.

Tisztelettel örökl

les

Prof. Leslie Domonkos, Ph.D.  
Department of History  
Youngstown State University  
Youngstown, OH 44555

# COMMISSION INTERNATIONALE POUR L'HISTOIRE DES UNIVERSITES

Secrétariat général :  
Blandijnberg 2  
B 9000 Gent  
Belgique

Gand, le 27 mars 1989

Aux sous-commissions nationales de la Commission internationale pour l'histoire des universités.

Sous-Commission de(du): *l'USA*

Comme chaque année, la Commission Internationale pour l'Histoire des Universités doit payer sa cotisation au Comité International des Sciences Historiques. Pour l'année 1989, ce paiement n'a pas encore été effectué.

Pour être en règle - dans les délais prévus - avec la cotisation au CISH pour l'année 1989 et pour subvenir aux frais du secrétariat, je me permets de vous demander de vouloir verser dans les meilleurs délais et en tout cas avant le 1er juin 1989, votre cotisation pour l'année 1989. Je me permets de vous rappeler que chaque sous-commission nationale de notre Commission est tenue de verser à la CIHU une cotisation annuelle fixée depuis 1987 à 60 (soixante) francs suisses (ou l'équivalent en toute autre devise).

Vous pouvez effectuer ce paiement soit par mandat international soit par virement au compte chèques postaux 000-0603290-47 au nom de Hilde de Ridder-Symoens, Grote Baan 98, B 9920 Lovendegem.

Il est également possible de verser au compte bancaire 449-3676291-68 de la CIHU, Blandijnberg 2, B 9000 Gent.

Comme les frais bancaires pour ces petites sommes s'élèvent à un tiers du montant, je vous prie d'éviter ce moyen de virement ou bien d'augmenter votre montant de 10 francs suisses pour frais bancaires.

Nous vous prions de croire, cher (chère) Collègue, à notre entier dévouement.

*H. Symoens*  
Hilde de Ridder-Symoens  
Secrétaire général.



*Gift of*  
**Astrik L. Gabriel**

Corresponding Member of the  
French and Bavarian Academies  
of Sciences

10/27/89.

Dear Heekin:

I thank you again for the lovely response  
and for the book at once.

Love to your  
noble family as ever

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Office of Associate Provost  
Dean of Graduate Studies  
(216) 742-3091

f → Dr. Leslie S. Domonkos  
Department of History  
UNIVERSITY

Dear Dr. Domonkos:

Graduate Council, after reviewing your application for Graduate Faculty membership and receiving a recommendation from the Graduate Membership Committee, has recommended that you be awarded Distinguished Member status. I am therefore delighted to welcome you to the highest tier of our newly-structured Graduate Faculty, effective immediately.

As a Distinguished Member, you have full voting rights on Graduate Faculty matters and are eligible for appointment to any of its committees and for election to Graduate Council. I look forward to working with you as we strive toward the betterment of graduate education at our University.

Sincerely,

*Sally M. Hotchkiss*

Sally M. Hotchkiss, Ph.D.  
Associate Provost and  
Dean of Graduate Studies

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cc: Dr. Beelen, Chair  
Vice President Alderman ✓

Applying for:  
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## Youngstown State University Graduate Faculty Application

This is not an application by a faculty member but is a recommendation submitted by a department chairperson. A statement of policy, standards, and procedures regarding membership in the Graduate Faculty is attached to this form. When completed, the form should be sent to the Office of the Dean of the Graduate School. A copy of the completed form will remain in the Graduate School office for its files and a copy will be sent to the Personnel Office for inclusion in the faculty member's official file.

Name of Nominee Leslie S. Domonkos

Date of First Appointment Here September 1964

Academic Rank When First Appointed Here Instructor

Present Department Department of History

Field of Academic Specialization Medieval and Renaissance Civilization

Present Academic Rank Professor

Date of Appointment to this Rank 1975

### EDUCATION: List all colleges and universities attended whether or not a degree was granted.

Institution	Dates Attended	Major Field	Degree Earned	Date
Youngstown Univ.	1956-1959	History-French	AB	1959
Univ. of Notre Dame	1955-1960	European History	MA	1960
Univ. of Notre Dame	1960-1963	Medieval Studies	MSM	1964
Univ. of Vienna	1963-1964	Medieval Civil. (Fulbright Grant)	--	
Univ. of Notre Dame	-	Medieval Studies	Ph.D.	1966

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE: List all positions held, both academic and otherwise. List in chronological order up to the present.

Inclusive Dates	Employed By	Type of Work Done
1983	Visiting Senior Scholar. Historical Museum of the City of Budapest.	
1985-1986	Acting Chairman, Department of History	
1979	Visiting Senior Scholar, Hungarian Academy of Sciences	
1975	Professor of History	
1970-1971	Visiting Senior Scholar, Hungarian Academy of Scien.	
1969-1970	Acting Chairman, Department of History	
1969-1975	Associate Professor of History	
1968-1972	Director of Graduate Studies in History	
1965-1969	Assistant Professor of History	
1964-1965	Instructor of History, Youngstown University	
1960-1963	Research Assistant, Mediaev. Instit. Univ. of Notre Dame	

GPA  
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## SCHOLARSHIP EXAMPLES SUPPORTING DISTINGUISHED STATUS:

Examples should be given for the past five-year period.

### PUBLICATIONS: Books

#### A. Co-Edited,

Louis the Great, King of Hungary and Poland: His Age and His People, S. B. Vardy, G. Grosschmid, L. S. Domonkos, eds., [East European Monographs, No. 194]. Columbia University Press, 1986, 534 pages.

#### B. Monograph,

The Renaissance in Fifteenth Century Hungary: Political and Cultural History in the Age of Matthias Corvinus, Press of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Budapest, 1989 (tentative).

### PUBLICATIONS: Articles

"The Influence of the Italian Campaigns of Louis the Great on Hungarian Cultural Developments" in Louis the Great King of Hungary and Poland, S. B. Vardy, -G. Grosschmid, -L. S. Domonkos, eds., [East European Monographs, No. 194], Columbia University Press, 1986, pp. 203-219.

"István Brodarics" in Contemporaries of Erasmus: A Biographical Register of the Renaissance and Reformation,

P. G. Bietenholz, -T. B. Deutscher, eds., Vol. I, University of Toronto Press, 1985, pp. 203-204.

"Matthaeus Fortunatus," "Johann Henkel," "Janus Pannonius," "Louis II," "Matthias Corvinus." Ibid., Vol. II, 1986, pp. 45-46; 175-176; 233-234; 352-353; 408-409.

"Nicolaus Oláhus," "Jacobus Piso," "László Szalkai," "Alexius Thurzó," "Jan Thurzó," "Stanislav Thurzó," "János Zápolyai," Ibid., Vol. III, 1987, pp. 29-31, 94-95, 303-304, 322-323, 324, 324-325.

"The Portrait Bust of a Hungarian Queen in the Art Collection of an American University," Acta Historiae Artium, XXXII (1986), pp. 59-62.

"Mariology and Vernacular Literature in Late Medieval Hungary," Hungarian Studies, (Budapest), II/II, (1986), pp. 227-241.

"The Hungarian Royal Chancery, 1458-1490. Was it a Center for Humanism?" in Triumph in Adversity. Studies in Honor of Professor Ferenc Somogyi, S. B. Vardy and A. H. Varoly, eds., [East European Monographs, No. 253], Columbia University Press, 1988, pp. 97-111.

"A Renaissance Wedding: The Nuptials of the Italian Princess Beatrice of Aragon and Matthias Corvinus, King of Hungary" in Women in History, Literature and the Arts. A Festschrift for Hildegard Schnuttgen, L. Baird-Lange and T. A. Copeland, eds., Youngstown State University, 1989, pp. 43-61.

## SCHOLARSHIP EXAMPLES SUPPORTING DISTINGUISHED STATUS:

Examples should be given for the past five-year period.

### CONFERENCES AND PAPERS:

- 1988 University of Pécs (Hungary), Faculty of Education: Paper - "University Foundations in Central Europe, with Emphasis on Medieval Hungary."
- 1988 University of Budapest, Hungarian Subcommission for the History of Universities: Paper - "Major Trends in the Growth of American Higher Education, 1636-1988."
- 1987 Cleveland State University, Ethnic Studies Program: Paper: "A Renaissance Wedding: The Nuptials of the Italian Princess Beatrice of Aragon and Matthias Corvinus, King of Hungary."
- 1987 University of Toronto, Medieval Academy of America: Paper: "Unpublished Sources of Medieval Colleges at the University of Paris."
- 1986 Cleveland State University, Ethnic Studies Program: Paper--"Medieval Hungarian Saints: A Historical Perspective."
- 1986 Indiana University, Bloomington, International Conference on the Renaissance in Hungary: Paper--"Matthias Corvinus-Some Reconsiderations"
- 1985 Stuttgart - XVI International Congress of Historical Sciences: Paper--"Chancellor Robert M. Hutchins of the University of Chicago: In Search of the Ideal University."
- 1985 Indiana University, Bloomington, Conference on Medieval Latin Hungarian Sources. Participant and Commentator.

FELLOWSHIPS Fulbright Faculty Research Abroad Grant, 1988.  
AND GRANTS: International Research and Exchange Board, Senior Scholar, Budapest, Hungary, 1988 (4 months).  
University Research Professor, 1986.  
Exxon Education Foundation-Amer. Hist. Assoc. Grant, 1985  
University Research Professor, 1984

HONORS: Distinguished Professor Award for Excellence in Research, 1987  
Distinguished Professor Award for Excellence in Teaching and Scholarship, 1984

## **GRADUATE PROGRAM INVOLVEMENT AND EXPERIENCE**

Indicate extent in terms of estimated proportion of teaching load over periods of time, and the institutions at which the experience was gained.

### **Courses Taught**

#### a) Upper-division undergraduate

Early Middle Ages  
High Middle Ages

Renaissance Europe  
Reformation Era

#### b) Upper-division undergraduate swing

#### c) Graduate courses (I teach about one graduate course per year)

Historical Literature: European  
Seminar in Medieval Culture and Society  
Seminar in Renaissance and Reformation

### **Involvement on Master Candidates' Committees**

#### a) Non-Thesis Committee

Sat on about a dozen Oral Exam Committees in the last five years.

#### b) Thesis Committee

Not since 1982.

### **Other Involvement (Graduate Council and Committees, Department Curriculum and Program Development, etc.), together with Membership Affiliation in Professional and/or Scholarly Associations.**

Served on Graduate Policy Committee for 3 years (1984-1987)  
Serve on Departmental Graduate Committee (1984-1989)  
Serve on Departmental Curriculum Committee (1984-1989)

### **PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

American Historical Association  
Mediaeval Academy of America  
Renaissance Society of America  
Catholic Historical Association  
American Association for the Study of Hungarian History  
International Commission for the History of Universities

The Department Chairperson is requested to fill in the following:

Class of membership in Graduate Faculty for which nominee is recommended:

Distinguished Member

Member

Proposed duties of the nominee as a member of the Graduate Faculty (please be specific):

Dr. Domonkos has two primary duties as a Graduate Faculty member: he teaches at least one graduate class each quarter and he serves on the History Department Graduate Committee each year. He has served as the Department's Graduate Director some years ago, also.

The department chairperson is required to write a succinct statement giving a critical evaluation of the nominee's (a) ability and experience in teaching; (b) ability and experience in research; and (c) general qualifications for graduate faculty membership.

As the attached vita indicates, Dr. Domonkos is a scholar in every sense of the word: his teaching record is among the best at the University and his ability and experience in research is commendable. Thus, his teaching and research background coupled with his long experience with teaching graduate courses provide abundant evidence of his qualifications for membership as a Distinguished Member of the Graduate Faculty. I recommend him highly.

Signed

George D. Beelen  
Department Chairperson

Date

May 3, 1989

Recommendation of the Graduate Council: \_\_\_\_\_

Leslie S. Domonkos  
professzor úrnak  
Canfield

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H-1250 Budapest I.

Országház u. 30. I. 41.

Tel.: 155 9930

Budapest, 1989. december 12.

Kedves Barátom!

Sajnálattal állapítottuk meg, hogy a III. Nemzetközi Hungarológiai Kongresszus szervező bizottságának 1989. szeptember 30-i adatai szerint nem jelentkeztél az 1991-es szegedi kongresszusra, amely a Régi és új peregrináció - magyarok különben, külöldiek Magyarországon témakörrel foglalkozik. Elengedhetetlennek tartjuk, hogy a téma olyan alapos ismerője és a terület olyan fontos szakértője, illusztris képviselője, mint Te, részt vegyen a Nemzetközi Magyar Filológiai Társaság kongresszusán.

Tiszteettel kérünk tehát, vizsgáld felül döntésedet, s a mellékelt jelentkezési lapot kitöltve - utálag - jelezz részvételi szándékodat.

Természetesen, ha a fenti határidő óta már elküldted jelentkezésedet a szegedi szervező bizottság címére, tekintsd kérésünket tárgyalannak, s elnézésedet kérjük a zavarásért.

A kedvező döntés reményében,

baráti üdvözettel

Jankovics József  
főtitkár helyettes

Baráta jól latni bátyám,  
ugye, csak a szokásos önszabályozású hagyja  
miatt nem jelentkezett a felmelegkívántban íme  
réje? Bereng tanárod, Astrik úr mió megelőzött.  
Felkértem minden a felülvizsgát Barátodjal: Jankovics

le 15 juin 1989

Monsieur, cher Collègue,

En 1990 nous célébrerons le 500<sup>e</sup> anniversaire de la mort de Mathias Corvin. A cette occasion le Centre de Recherches de la Renaissance de Budapest organise du 16 au 19 mai 1990, dans la ville de Székesfehérvár, lieu de l'enterrement du roi, un colloque international sous le titre

MATHIAS CORVIN ET L'HUMANISME.

Nous nous proposons d'élaborer le programme du colloque autour des thèmes suivants:

- 1/ La culture humaniste de Mathias Corvin, ses lectures, les traits humanistes de son caractère
- 2/ Humanistes (historiens, poètes, savants, etc) à la cour et au service de Mathias
- 3/ Les débuts de l'humanisme centro-européen à l'époque de Mathias
- 4/ Le mythe humaniste de Mathias Corvin

Bien que par ce colloque nous veuillons rendre hommage à la mémoire de la plus grande figure de la Renaissance hongroise, le but de la réunion n'est pas simplement de commémorer, mais d'enrichir l'histoire de l'humanisme par de nouveaux résultats. Nous espérons que les communications feront connaître et exploiteront de nouveaux faits et des sources jusque là inconnues, où traiteront de textes et de données connus sous un nouveau jour, compte tenu du rôle de Mathias, de sa cour et de ses humanistes dans l'histoire générale de la Renaissance.

Les communications et les discussions se feront en allemand, anglais, français et italien.

J'ai l'honneur de vous inviter à faire au colloque en question une communication de 20 à 30 minutes sur un sujet relevant d'un des thèmes ci-dessus énumérés. A Székesfehérvár, pendant la durée du colloque vous serez l'hôte de notre Centre qui se charge de votre logement et subvient à vos dépenses. Vu les circonstances et surtout les difficultés existant dans le domaine des devises, nous ne sommes malheureusement pas en mesure d'assumer également les frais de votre voyage, mais nous espérons que ceux-ci seront couverts par votre université/institut.

Je vous prie de bien vouloir nous signaler le plus vite possible (mais en tout cas avant le 1er septembre), si vous pouvez accepter notre invitation, si oui, quel sera le sujet de votre communication et en quelle langue vous désirez la tenir.

Dans l'espoir de pouvoir vous saluer en mai 1990 parmi nous, je vous prie d'agrérer, Monsieur, cher Collègue, l'expression de mes sentiments les plus distingués et cordiaux

  
Tibor Klaniczay  
directeur du Centre

május 29

Kedves Domonkos Laci!

Bah Jancsi üzenete, hogy írjam meg a témaik a Vancouver-ben rendezendő (1990) konferenciáról. Ha jól emlékszem, a krisis problémáját javasoljam.

Tehát mellékelem pár szóban, amire gondolkam.

Solyos üdvözli,

Marianna Birókarmi

P.S. B.J. levele tegnap érkezett, ezzel a hene -  
nycsereit leülök, stb.

P.P.S.

Julius 27- aug. 10 ip. Pesten vagyok, a  
Forum Hotelben, ha akar, hagyjon üzenetet.

23.05.1989.

Kedves Éva, Laci és szeretlek!

Nemcségen járt Károlyi Pálit némi és  
belemlott a cegléni családot, mely meg  
fizikai betegségben szenved.

Nekszé Pálit nevűnek emlékezés a hagyá-  
káriakról levélben írta, hogy magán  
művészeti vállalkozása (A&P Attila Kép-  
galam) támogatásba került. Nos most  
aztől országgyártásra a támogatás lefektetés  
címét, időpontját. Július 30-ig kell  
megérkeznie a megáldás 19-ig tart a  
művész, Connecticut államban Torrington  
városban. Ezt követően letelepedése van  
megutangolni. Belépett a SERVATIS travelles  
nemzetközi, az entomológiai valósítószé-  
lei vállalat. Lívesen megfogadja  
Bemutatkozik is amennyiben alkalmassá  
Néhaugusztus végén vagy szeptember  
beszélgetni. Jó lenne, ha megérkezés

versor straldeas Níkels, key ar ati'-  
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bedoerigas autobus stans, Grek'segt  
is li ars vällan' es iq kb neptebel  
li is meradea ar USA ban.

Eqebelit most irgalua neprat eur  
li, vint rásbeli, nábeli vingikta  
kent or nájas juurs hægbar. Eri  
séðen eribj seðben fólkloras felvæli.  
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Masid mali comen' e aladrhau, key  
AKRA taths leitn(dele) be berni austur-  
dæmba keðse. Jay vinnungatjan  
eroltorud a mið Íslanda. kva  
men sunn el fog Sílabá þar.

En mef eqcalive mea frdm knoel  
foglarrum ott, de næstur's valas fja  
semundraids allars vällan'.

Haju ar USA ból eqmæser fóllard' li  
jón mei utaund.

Afha pilis l-hp med ot oag  
kroatisz allmeng bay.

Igy most az utazás előtt „lázas” áll-  
potban vagyok. Vége van az  
„utolsom” a Bauxitban is, jósó hétköt  
fizikaiakban adom át az új évet.

Ezen kívül gyötörök megnéz a gyel-  
tumlassal is, kevésbé s a sepsis  
fizikai, hisz húnyobb legyek az élén  
Hollandiában.

Rémétem jó! van több egészségügy. Hallom,  
a gyerekkel most is húnyezek dolgozni  
a gyermekkel.

Tudom, hogyan nem merítetted levelet időz,  
de azt megpróbálom vissza valamelyiket.  
Elrepülhetek e, hisz hajnali bálaérzéki  
takarozzon. Ugyebár is esetleg Zsuzsa  
családját is megrövidíti.

Sugallanán, ha nem szembesül, kivel

new valószínűleg fel az időben jut el  
az USA-ba.

Egyébhez megírom a fábor nevét címét  
a telefonnál, ahol aug. 19-iS len.

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Camp Director : JANE BIELEFIELD -BLAKE

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TORRINGTON CT 06790

Tel: 203 489 9481

Campower programme -ban van részt.

Miben terveztek vanek a nyáron?

Keményt valamivel magabb utazásra,

vagy olyan okokkal valább?

Választhatnak váva

az egész saládot

számos céltulaj:

Eafied

The symptoms of crisis which appeared in Hungarian public life decades before Mohács can be registered in all walks of life. In literature and art the best examples are the work of Janus Pannonius and the buildings planned in the last years of Matthias' rule.

In my presentation I am planning to address the issue of this crisis as it is reflected <sup>in</sup> literary genres, topoi, and stance.

Ottomai címek:

M. D. Birnbaum  
1159 Tellem Dr.  
Pacific Palisades,  
Calif. 90272, USA

ON THE OCCASION  
OF MY PASTORAL VISIT  
IN THE UNITED STATES  
OF AMERICA,  
WITH MY BLESSING  
AND  
MY BEST WISHES

† LADISLAUS CARDINAL PASKAI  
*Archbishop of Esztergom  
Primate of Hungary*

September—October, 1989

AZ AMERIKAI EGYESÜLT  
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EMLÉKÉRE,  
ÁLDÁSOMMAL  
ÉS  
JÓKÍVÁNSÁGAIMMAL

† PASKAI LÁSZLÓ  
*esztergomi bíboros-érsek  
Magyarorság prímása*

1989. szeptember—október

„MAGYAROK NAGYASSZONYA,  
SZENTSÉGES SZÚZ MÁRIA!  
EMLÉKEZZEL MEG ÖRÖKSÉGEDRÖL ..”  
(ESZTERHÁZY PÁL NÁDOR IMAJÁBÓL)



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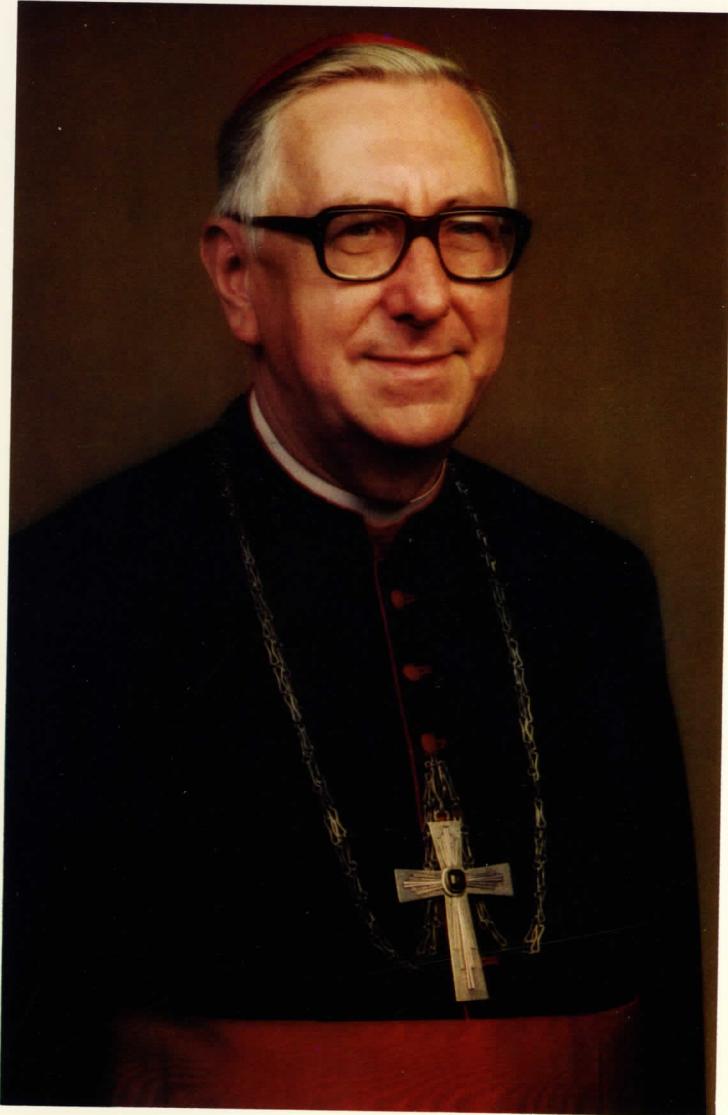
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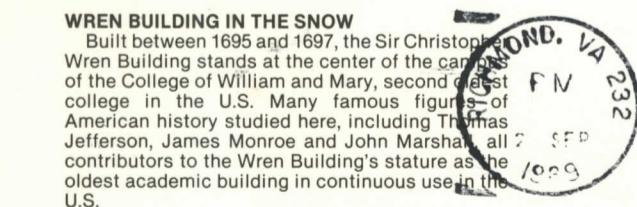
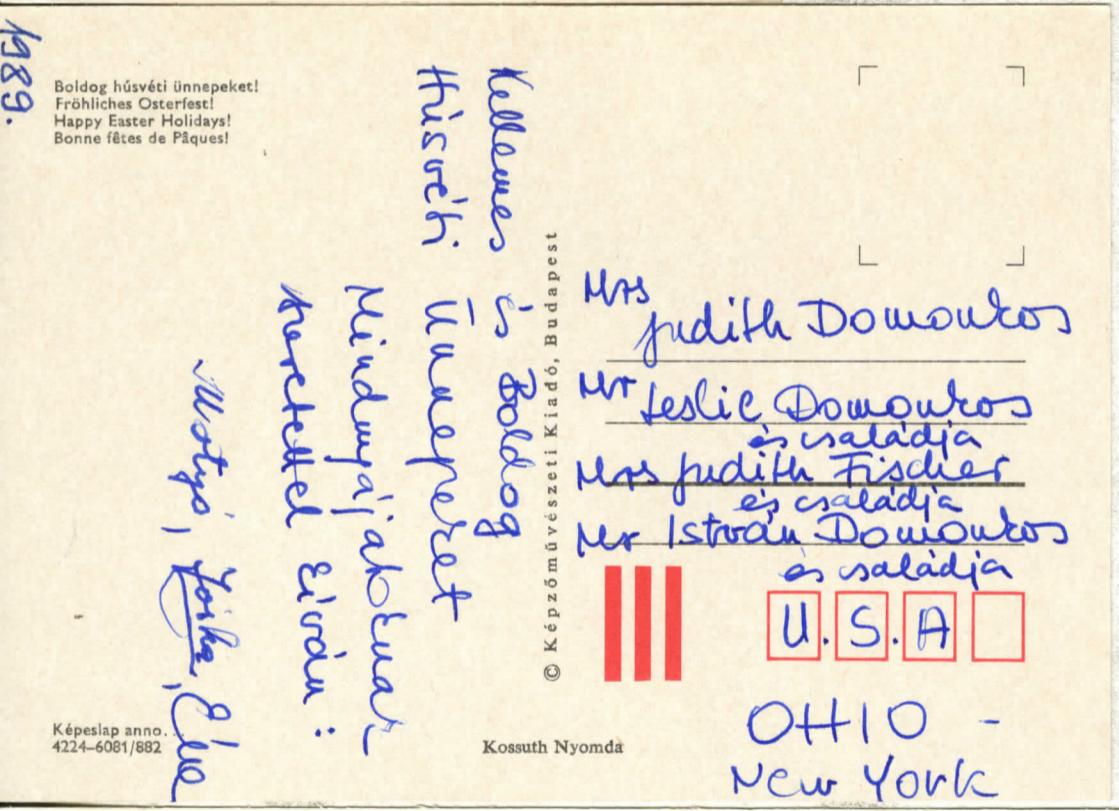
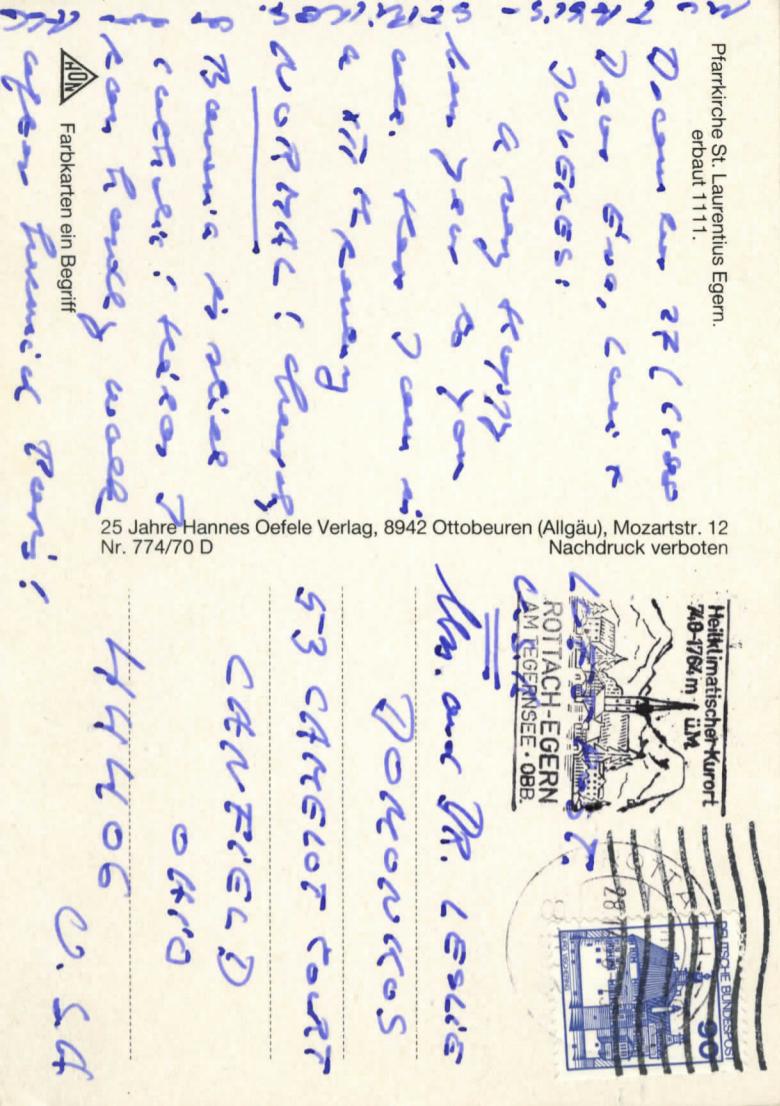
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ESZTERGOMI ÉRSEK

KEGYKÉP, BAKÓCZ-KÁPOLNA  
ESZTERGOM, BAZILICA

KCSUE.







Just a note to say hello.  
I hope the trip to FLA was  
O.K. Classes are fine, the  
food is O.K. and my room (and  
roommate) are pretty nice.

Hugo is predicted to hit just  
south of here on Fri. or Sat.  
But I'm far enough inland it won't  
be too bad.

Tests go through this week and  
next so I have to get studying.  
With love, Sarah

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Fatimai Boldogasszon!

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Die Erde trägt Arme, die Erde trägt Reiche.  
Die Erde trägt Farb'ge, die Erde trägt Bleiche.  
Die Erde trägt G'sunde, die Erde trägt Kranke –  
Doch am allerbesten trägt sie halt Schlanke ...



Edes jó Lacikán, erre felé a postai küldemények nem szoktak el-  
 veszni, így remélem, megkaptad levelezőlapomat. Mikor jössz Bochum-  
 ba? Eh július 21-28 között Hollandiában vagyok, ha megkapom  
 a vizumot. (Ottani címen: c/o Wilken Engelbrecht,  
 Van Speijkstraat 16, NL - 3572 XD Utrecht. Tel.: (0031) - 30-  
 711-622 - Hollandiában a távhívónam: 030 ntb.) Az egész holligá-  
 hivott meg, egypt meggyünk oda, de 29-én ismet Wolfenbüttel-  
 tel felé megyek, ahol előrelátásba leg ang. 3-ig maradok.  
 Hogy utána telik-e még egy kis csavargássra, nem tudom.  
 Nagyon szeretném Váled találkozni! Itt az idő negyen gyorsan  
 telik, sole ar óvassivaló, de a látrivaló még több. (Be kell  
 pótolnom a korábban elmulasztott "Kavalierreiset") Iggy leg-  
 utóbb Hamburgban voltam - nagyon érdekes város! Többnör  
 megfordultam Nyugat-Berlinben is, az visont egsz furcsa hely.  
 Hellyen egsz előadást tartottam "Inventio hungarica. Die Ungarn-  
 mode als Exotikum im Mitteleuropa im 16-17. Jh." címmel.  
 Finius elején visont belekontárkodtam Mátyás királyba is,  
 Herzog August Bibliothek Wolfenbüttel mert Mátyás udvarhátságról és az  
 Cod. Guelf. 85. 1. 1 Aug. 2° Únnepélyekről tettöttem előadást Göttingenben.  
 A. Cortesi, Carmen de Mathiae Corvin Ungariae  
 regis laudibus belicis. 1487/88 Lacikán, ad eletielt! Telefonon i Herni idő  
 néhány 13<sup>2</sup> - 14<sup>2</sup> körül lehet elérni ami Néhány legel 1/28-8, de  
 csak hétköznap. Sólyom ölelek mindenjáratban Áron

## Károly László,

(Kírására a)

újra családnyi  
 "Béla & Károly"

Kírására, hogy re-Brown (1892)

elvégzi könyv bocsát - tanul-

kecs öröklés - hogy Haft NEED

vethet könyv vétel. (De aki TÓ

TEL, hogy reprodukciót veth)

szép üdvözlet a "Béla & Károly" dedekt.

Budapest, augusztus 30. 1989

Dear Eva and  
 Lesli.

This picture on the  
 other side should  
 be a warning to REC  
 to loose some pounds.

E. I. thinking of you  
 2  
 & Károly, Szombathely  
 Szentes + Andor.  
 As ever



Dr. and Mrs. Eva.  
 LESLIE DOKTOROS

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8 reggel/, akkor utól lehet  
érni az 5331-808 207 tele-  
fonszámon, az NSZK hívó-  
számát nem tudom. Remélhe-  
tőleg éppen nem utazom el  
valahová. Talán jobb, ha egy  
lapot írsz! Sok szeretettel  
ölelek Mindnyájatokat

WF, 1989. V. 28.

Öröm



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Édes Lacikám, hát most én vagyok a disznó, - aki nem irok. Eléggé kalandos utazás után érkeztem meg április elején Wolfenbüttelbe egy 14 éves Skodával, amelyik állandóan felmondta a szolgálatot, miután előzőleg 60 ezer fotintöt öltem belé. Itt rengeteg az olvasnivaló, az ember semminek nem tud a végére jutni. Közben sokat utazom, Goslar, Hildesheim, Celle, Lüneburg, Kiel, Braunschweig, Hannover műemlékeit megnéztem, kétszer voltam Nyugat-Berlinben is autóbusz társasutazással /ez a legolcsóbb és a leggyorsabb, mert a személyautók kilométeres sorban várakoznak a határon./ Az az egész fallal körülkerített ország nagyon lehangoló. És miután annyi pénzt kapnak innen, hát nem törekednek a pereszstrojkára. Hogy nálunk odahaza mi megy, azt csak nagy vonalakban tudom. Glatz Feri lett a miniszter, s ma ülésezett a központi bizottság állítólag Nagy Imre rehabilitálása ügyében. Itt azonban oly keveset töröknek velünk, Kina és a lengyelek érhetően sokkal érdekesebbek. Nagyon kérlek, írd meg a bochumi terveidet, mert még nem vagyok egészen biztos benne, hogy egy ilyen rossz tragaccsal el tudok-e jutni oda. Sajnos telefonom nincsen a könyvtár vendégházában ! Itt most kiállították mind a 8 corvinát, ami egész nyáron lát-ható. Talán eljutsz ilyen messzire ?

Dear Eva and Leslie,

I cannot express my gratitude to you for accompanying my aunt and grandmother to Detroit; I'm sure it helped to tip the balance in my grandmother's decision to come. Further, it was a delight to have your company and also the lovely gift. It shall receive pride of place in my home. I hope you will come again... Yrs & Katie

Memo from

August 15, 1989

Wednesday Laci és Éva!

Régen hallottunk Rihátorról. Reméljük  
jól vágottak. Ki hinné, de valóban  
is nőnek a gyerekek. Már Veronika  
is (a nevétől a sorbán) iskolába  
megy ("előkészítő").

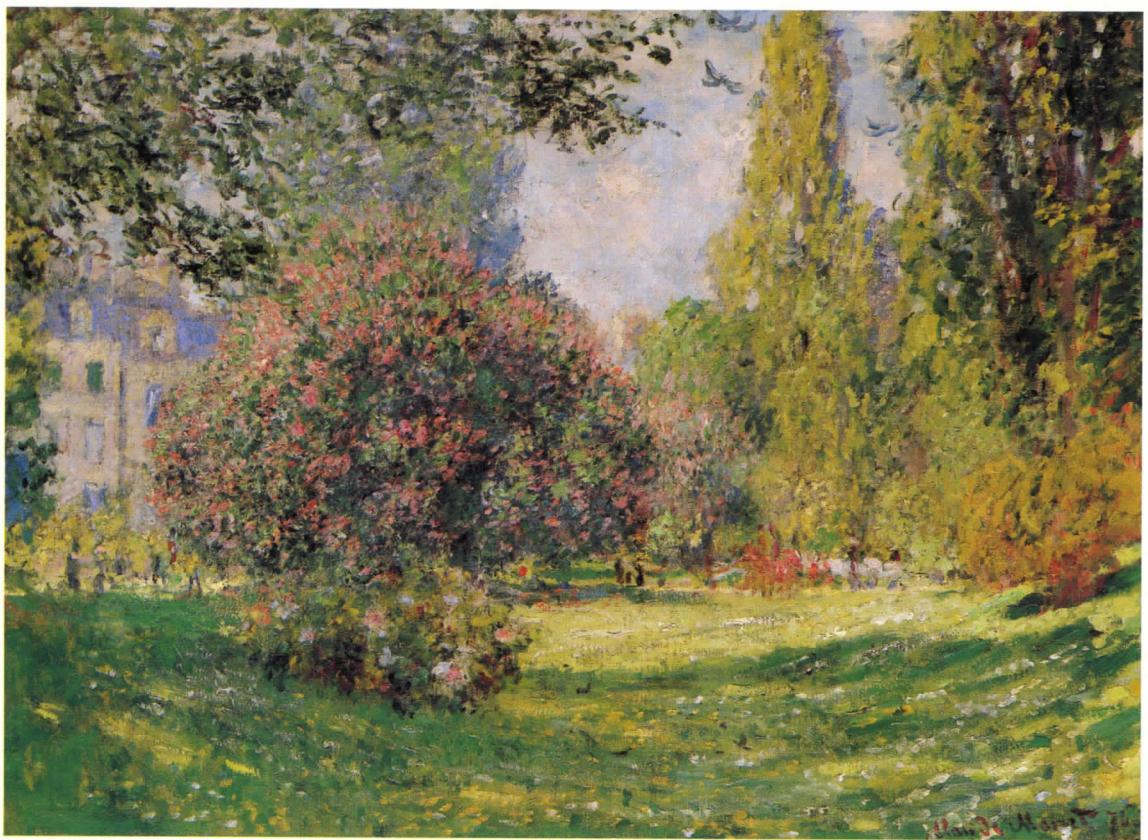
Megvoltak → hivatalban tanítottak,  
s most magyarban folytatók a jainkasi,  
jelentési, építési munkáik.

Mellékhez → egy példát mutat a magyarhoz  
legközelebb esőnkből. Lásd, ha ismerte  
valaki az art departmenten vagy a  
communication szakon akkor érdekelhet,  
legyen rövid műtudó meg. Sok egyetem

Környékünk is megrendelte (pl. Harvard, Berkeley, Stanford, Bremen, Kent, stb.)  
Mindem előírás segít az életkennmaradás-  
ban. A leggyakoribb működési eljárás a  
drága és elérhető postakeltseg-  
séssel kapcsolatos, hisz tudom bármit ír fenn.  
Szeretettel csíkolunk mindenkit,

Joska

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Bequest of Louella D. Lasker, New York City, 1961 (59.206)  
THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART  
French, 1840-1926  
Oil on canvas by Claude Monet  
THE PARC MONCEAU, PARIS



Draaga éva s lacó,

Nagkéssissel de melle'kelve a  
fenghe'pehet, xejetu'm meq -  
kōrōmii a'neuk weekendet  
amisajos túl lamar mit el.  
Ahhoz képest, hog az első film ebből  
a gépből nem is olyan mosolyt, úg?

Nehem van eg I. set - em, iq lá  
Nehetek van hara különböző stb.  
Kálmánk legalábbis mintha  
reklamáluah képehet.

Sajnos a nyármah bőg van -  
S megs soh marad az építkezésből.  
Rendeltetem lesz oht 15-ik megúsz,  
de a kainhabulor 8-9 hétfő es  
meleg meq kell rendelni!

Laptról most jött levél, Ius n.  
jól van, deho mindenki más!

Soh soh hálás csókolal  


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I love you so much dad! And  
I hope this fathers day is as  
wonderful as you are!

all my love,  
Kati

Happy Father's Day!

dear, amey  
(your newest adopted  
daughter!)

Wishing the best  
for someone who  
Deserves the best in life...  
that's you!

HAPPY FATHERS DAY!!

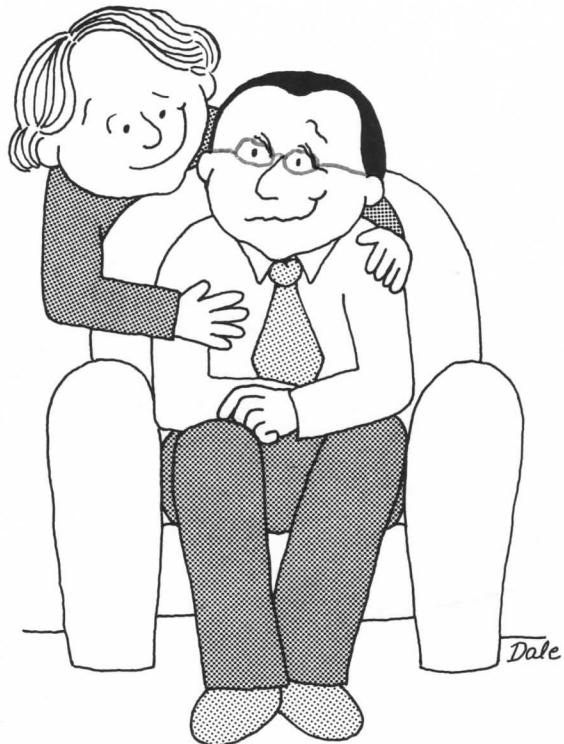
Dad your the greatest  
Love Andrew

Happy F - Day



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DAD, REMEMBER ALL OF THE  
<sup>WE</sup> AGGRAVATION ~~I~~ USED TO  
CAUSE YOU?



WE'RE  
~~I'M~~ ALMOST DONE.

Hope you have a great day!!!

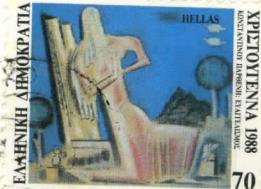
Love,  
Priscilla  
&  
Rich



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MYCENAE - The Royal Graves  
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MI KENE - Tombe Reali

Problem of the  
late Antiquity  
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survey of a  
desert Island



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Dear Les,  
14 July 1989  
since we just visited Mycenae  
last weekend this is an appropriate card. Work goes well.  
The regular crew (mostly from  
Ohio State) are working diligently  
on the Roman Bath at Mycenae.  
We are clearing the various  
mosaic floors of weeds in pre-  
paration for preservation work  
by a Greek technician. We  
are also investigating evidence  
for periods of use and the final  
abandonment of the sanctuary  
& bath by looking at pottery, old  
excavation notebooks and cleared  
areas of the site. It's the whole

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over the next few days will  
contribute to the work be-  
cause of substantial late Roman  
& Byzantine occupation at the  
site. There has been time for  
the beach also! Hope the sum-  
mer is going well. Greetings  
to all. Nick

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09/29/89  
Guten  
Sie das  
verbilligte  
Grußporto!

Dear Les!  
this is an "official"  
letter for the use of  
Mr Jacobson, that he  
should not check off  
"concerning"  
thank you for  
your consideration

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You're a Wonderful Husband...



...and I love ya somethin' fierce.

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

Örökké és  
hűséges  
szerettel!  
Szívepőd

9/9/89.

Dr. Demontas;

Just had to write you a note as I used your name among Dr. Roads & Dr. Salter as being the terrific history teachers as they are serious.

Went to Dr. Adourats, this past Saturday for a check-up and learned my left ear was worst (as I was in pain and my hearing was worst) due to a crust build-up around the tube inserted in my ear. I had to purchase prescription ear drops to be used once a day. He said in ten days this crust should be broken up. I hope so. Looking forward to see you best hope to get a (over)



in front - middle like close by where you  
will be standing mostly. Still hope you will  
want to get your class moved to DeBartolo  
building. Appreciate your concern and  
your style of teaching. Until I see you -  
God bless  
Chimney Hay  
Thomas Hart Benton  
you & family

Love -  
Rubyne  
=

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Dear Dr. Sonnenkros:

Thank you for coming to Park Vista and sharing your past experiences with us. Everyone found your talk most interesting but I'm sure some of those experiences wasn't too pleasant. Many made the comment they could have listened to you longer - and I didn't notice anyone had fallen asleep and that is most unusual.

Sincerely  
Maaka Koop  
Corresponding Secy  
Residents' Assoc.  
Park Vista Retirement  
Community



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