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NIGHT LETTER

DR. ABBA HILLEL SILVER

THE TEMPLE

CLEVELAND, OHIO

ON BEHALF OF THE ISRAEL BOND ORGANIZATION I WISH TO EXPRESS OUR CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES ON THE OCCASION OF YOUR FORTIETH ANNIVERSARY AS SPIRITUAL LEADER OF THE TEMPLE. NOT ONLY CLEVELAND JEWRY BUT JEWS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD HAVE BEEN GREATLY ENRICHED BY YOUR OUTSTANDING LEADERSHIP IN THE RABBINATE. IN AND OUT OF THE PULPIT, YOUR VISION, STATESMANSHIP AND INTERPRETATION OF JEWISH TRADITION AND DESTINY HAVE BEEN A PILLAR OF INSPIRATION IN GUIDING JEWS EVERYWHERE TOWARDS THE GOAL OF SURVIVAL AND SPIRITUAL AND CULTURAL FULFILLMENT. MAY YOU CONTINUE FOR MANY YEARS TO LEAD AMERICAN JEWRY WITH SAME VIGOR AND SIGNAL SUCCESS. CORDIAL REGARDS.

JOSEPH SCHWARTZ

[Signature]

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RABBIS

JAN 25 1963
LEO S. BAMBERGER
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

January 23, 1963

My dear Dr. Schwartz:

You came, you spoke, you conquered!

The community ~~was~~ is ringing with praise of you and of the words you spoke the other evening at the Testimonial Dinner.

I need not tell you how deeply grateful I am to you for having stepped into the breach and for having spoken so warmly of me and my work. The occasion was, as you may well imagine, a memorable one for me, and you contributed greatly to it.

With warmest regards and all good wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

Abba Hillel Silver

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

AHS:bfm

Dr. Joseph J. Schwartz
215 Fourth Avenue
New York 3, New York

February 6, 1963

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
E. 105th & Silver Park
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

Upon my return from Brazil I was very pleased to find the beautiful volume "In the Time of Harvest" dedicated to your Seventieth Birthday. Even a casual glance at the contents convinces one that

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Not only will this make a very special kind of addition to my library, but I eagerly look forward to spending many rewarding hours reading the scholarly essays on so many phases of Jewish life and thought. Thank you very much for your thoughtfulness in sending it to me and for the inscription which I deeply appreciate.

Kindest personal regards,

Cordially,

Joseph J. Schwartz

JJS/gfc

cc: MFS

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MRS A H SILVER
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PLEASE ACCEPT MY SINCERE CONDOLENCES ON THE DEATH OF YOUR BELOVED AND ILLUSTRIOUS HUSBAND. HIS LIFELONG DEVOTION TO ISRAEL AND TO THE JEWISH PEOPLE ESTABLISHED HIM AS A TOWERING FIGURE IN JEWISH LIFE. THROUGHOUT HIS DISTINGUISHED CAREER, FROM THE EARLY DAYS OF THE ZIONIST MOVEMENT, HE WAS ALWAYS RESPONSIVE TO THE CALL TO SERVICE IN BEHALF OF HIS FELLOW JEWS. HE PLAYED A DECISIVE AND HISTORIC ROLE IN THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE STATE OF ISRAEL AND IN EVERY PHASE OF ITS DEVELOPMENT TO WHICH HE GAVE UNSPARINGLY OF HIS ENERGIES AND HIS DEVOTION. THE AMERICAN JEWISH COMMUNITY AND THE CAUSE OF ZIONISM WILL SORELY MISS HIS FORCEFUL AND INSPIRING LEADERSHIP.

ABRAHAM FEINBERG

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MRS A H SILVER
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CLEVELAND OHIO

DEEPLY GRIEVED TO LEARN OF SUDDEN PASSING OF YOUR BELOVED HUSBAND FROM WHOM I NEVER
FAILED TO RECEIVE STRENGTH, INSPIRATION, WISE COUNSEL AND WARM FRIENDSHIP.
NO ONE WILL REPLACE HIM IN THE HEARTS OF AMERICAN JEWRY OR IN THE HISTORY OF THE JEWISH
PEOPLE. HIS PASSING LEAVES A DEEP VOID IN THE WORLD AND IN THE LIVES OF THOSE
PRIVILEGED TO WORK WITH HIM. PLEASE ACCEPT MY HEARFELT SYMPATHY AND CONDOLENCES.

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JOSEPH J. SCHWARTZ

