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Dear Meher Baba,

It is a pleasure to know You through the book "Avatar."
And now that I've found you, I do not wish to let you go.
Yet, I know not if you are still on the Earth Plane, or
what will ensue from my writing to you.

I know this, though, that I love you and wish to know
how I can serve thee better. I do try to bring myself
each day into a conscious awareness of God and You;
and Yogananda and his gurus; and Christ Jesus and His
Mother and His disciples; Gotama Buddha along with some
of the saints who I "met" through Keepers of the Flame
Church (like St. Germain, El Morya, Kuthumi).

No doubt You are part of the reason that poems have been
written through me; that drawings have been drawn through
me; and that I've been prompted to learn, by heart, quite
a few classic poems (for instance "The Vision of Sir
Launfal" by James Russell Lowell); and have been inspired
to spend time each day practicing them, including both "my"
and other author's works.



As you know, I'm quite interested in helping children and would like a way to do this, be it what is God's will for me. (To present the children's poems to children.)

Since reading the above mentioned book, "Avatar," I am quite sure that I'm being tested--again and again by You and other spiritual leaders, this is what I want--to be free--to do Your work, as You need me.

I wrote 2 letters to Yogananda School, and am quite sure that it is not part of my path in life. I mean, in order to be Self-realized (so I can help others and myself), I'll have to find a way other than to go to California to his school.

Please help me and thank you.

Yours in Truth,

Mrs. Beryl (Samantha) Hanahen
109 No. Main Street
Cortland, N.Y. 13045



(1971)

Please send me Information on Meher Baba.

His smile fascinates me.

Thank you,

David J. Dee
144 Stacy Court
Glenview, Ill. 60025

(sticker on top of the page):

Meher Baba lives again
Candles in the Rain
Men can live as brothers



August 7, 1973

Dear People of the Meher,

I want to talk with an enlightened person,
one who experiences the oneness of existence.
Please, could you tell me where I might find
such a person.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Fred Honig
Route 2 Box 245
Laytonville, CA 95454



(1970)

i met some people long ago who were among
you--they always smiled. i find myself in
constant memory of them lately, because i begin
to understand something of their great cap-
acity to love, which makes happiness all
around. i mean to truly understand it, to
feel it sometimes.

i don't know who i am writing to, or what
this address means, yet i kept it; if you
can guide me, tell me more of Baba and of
his followers. i'm waiting anxiously,

Wren

3648a Montana
St. Louis, Mo. 63116



28.9.1971

Dear Sir,

May you send me the following things with
full details about MEHER BABA.

The things are: PICTURES, PAMPHLETS, GUIDES
and DISCOURSES.

Yours Faithfully,

John L. Mulazo Kenga
c/o New Shaamuty Hotel
P.O. Box 31 Tel 15
Lamu
KENYA, EAST AFRICA



November 13, 1978

Dear Friend,

Do you know of any writings by Baba on the controversial subject of rejuvenation through drinking daily portions of one's own urine?

I have read a very positive book on the subject, Shivambu Kalpa by A.L. Pauls, D.O.; and I have heard of others and seen evicence that urine drinking was practiced by yoga practitioners in ancient times.

On being close to some people in the San Francisco area who do practice urinary therapy, I have tried and found that I enjoy ingesting the middle portion of my first urine flow in the morning; this regular practice over six months time has seemed to stabilize my physical energy, relax me and clear up my skin.

Despite my positive experience of this "auto-urine therapy" I have strong doubts about its value in the long run. These doubts include my having heard that Meher Baba finally passed away when his body died of uric acid poisoning. If this uric acid build-up was indeed true of Baba's body, was Meher Baba a urine drinker and did this have a detrimental effect in his later days?



If you, my dear friend, can see through to the essence
of my question, I will appreciate any information you
can feed to me.

Love,

Carl F. Sokol
558 Guerrero Street
San Francisco, CA 94110



(no date)

Dear People,

For some it is very easy to ask for help. I have a lovely sister who sends me these picture cards of Meher Baba. Below the picture it says, "Don't Worry Be Happy," and below it gives your address. Well for a long time now she keeps sending me these cards when I am in jail or prison, as I have been reared to believe most things have a price. Some things we cannot afford in dollars and cents so we, I, steal them. Well I now believe if one must steal it, I don't want it. What I am saying is I have no money to pay for anything now as I am in jail maybe going back to prison but I feel that somehow there must be a message here for me. So I am responding. Can you help me attain happiness?

Thank you.

Jack McGain
P.O. Box 5547
San Jose, CA 95125



(no date)

To whom it may concern:

I got your address, and heard you can locate books.
Well if you can I have a few. If you can't I can go
without.

Here are the names of the books:

- (1942) Many Happy Returns, Groucho Marx
- (1959) Groucho and Me, Groucho Marx
- (1961) Harpo Speaks! Harpo Marx & Rowland Barber
(Rowland Brown)

and a biography of Buster Keaton.

If this is a mistake on my part please disregard.

If by some chance there is hope of finding these books
send information to:

Robert Kissel
220 Willow Road
Streamwood, Ill. 60103



(1971)

i would like some cosmic information upon meher
baba and how to get in touch with his messengers.

love,

thomas oflynn

2120 east 4th street
long beach, cal 90814



(no date)

RICK

THE WARMTH THE SMILE THE PACE THE PEOPLE THE SOULS
ARE THE HIGH LEVEL INSTRUMENTS OF BABA HERE IN PUERTO RICO.
THE PEOPLE LIVE DAY TO DAY WITH NO THOUGHT OF TOMORROW AND
INTEGRATED WITH BABA CONSCIOUSNESS THAT EACH AND EVERYTHING
IS A SOUL WOULD RAISE THE CONSCIOUSNESS OF THEM TO THE
HEIGHTS OF THE ANCIENT MYSTICAL CONTINENT OF ATLANTIS...WHICH
THIS BODY OF LAND IS REMAINS OF. I HAVE BEEN SAYING 1000
TIMES DAILY MEHER BABA...AND THIS MEDITATION HAS HEIGHTENED
MY CONCENTRATION. I NEED 3 SETS OF DISCOURSES FOR PEOPLE HERE
AND ONE COPY OF THE WAYFARERS...

PLEASE RUSH AIR MAIL EXPRESS. WILL ENCLOSE ENOUGH MONEY
TO COVER THIS SHIPMENT AND FUTURE ONES. PLEASE SEND TO MY
COMPANY ADDRESS: FRED STANKUS
PCORR C/O AERONAUTICAL RADIO INC
SAN JUAN INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT 4TH FLOOR
SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO 00913

Blessings. Jai Baba,

Fred



(1971)

Please free me.

Bob Dodds
Box 336
Greencastle, Indiana
46135



(no date)

Der Meher Baba,

I love you.

Please send me another Don't Worry Be Happy
cards, maybe even 3. I wore the last one out.

Luana Van Marm
524 West Eugenie
Chicago, Ill. 60614

typed &
written



(no date)

Hi Meher,

What's been happening. I am your pen-pal. My name is Julie. How do you love living in Calif. I hate it because it's crazy.

Will I go to Rosemead High School, it's pretty far-out but it's on the dumb side.

We have a dress code for 5 months, and Dan Gabriel has one for the whole year, etc.

So what do you do for fun? Oh, I am in my first year of high school.

I am only 15 and (it's) no fun being 15. I want to be 21. So I can go in the bar and get drunk.

So send me a picture of you and write back.

Bye,

Julie
(no address)

(on back of picture of herself she sent):

Meher--she told me to smile and I said no, so I said fuck you and acted sad. This is me. Julie



(no date)

Meher Baba Information
Box 1101
Berkeley, California 94701

Dear Gentle Men,

Please send me more information on Meher Baba.

I have heard about him from other people but I
would like to experience him myself.

Thank you so much.

Sincerely,

Christine E. Joy
DuBois Hall Rm. 202C
SUNY New Paltz
New Paltz, New York 12561



(no date)

I was reading my old "Rolling Stones" yesterday and I came across an article on Baba by Pete Townshend that I had forgotten about. Having just turned 13 and getting kind of desperate about something to believe in, I decided to write this note.

See, the reason I'm writing this is 'cuz I wanted to find more about Baba but having looked him up in the encyclopedia and asking friends, I thought I might try to end my frustrations by writing to you. I know you're probably real busy, but if you could, could you write me back and tell me something about Baba or how I could go about finding something myself? I'd really appreciate it a whole lot.

Love,

Pierette Hondagneu
1955 Rosemary Lane
Redwood City, CA 94061

P.S. Thanks



(1971)

Dear Sir:

Would you please send me any information that you have pertaining to Meher Baba, the great Avatar.

It would be greatly appreciated if you send me this news about the great and holy man whose name has come to me through the mists of the vast infinity.

The sooner that I receive such precious material the easier it will be for me to follow Meher Baba's wise tenet: "Don't Worry --- Be HAPPY."

Your prompt reply, generous understanding, and sincere efforts will certainly not go unrewarded, if not on this earth on the next stop in our mystical wanderings.

A suppliant,

S. Badzik
KAI BABA!
V.P.I. & S.U.
O'Shaughnessy, Box 117
Blacksburg, VA 24061



(no date)

Who are you, that smiles so free to me?

Sincerely,

Child
(no address)



(no date)

Hi,

My buddy turned me on to Meher Baba. I'm (please forgive me) in the Air Force. I'm also going insane, which is a great comfort under the circumstances. This is my second tour to Southeast Asia (Thailand).

He's (Meher Baba) so funny looking, he's got to be heavy. This isn't a put down, because I'm funny looking too. I'm just not that heavy yet. Really, I think I could dig reading some of his literature.

I'm especially interested in what he has to say about people who are too trusting in their fellow man, and are constantly being used and put down for what they (others) consider a weakness. Isn't there someone I can talk to without having my guard up.

He (Meher) looks like a trusing sort, so lay it on me, will you.

Thanks.

Peace,

Bob Davis
AFTN Box 8
APO San Francisco, CA 96237



(1971)

Dear Meher Baba,

My heart is broken--please send me some information.

Don Robertson
1621 University
Columbia, MO. 65201



(no date)

I seek more written words of Meher Baba. I wish to
gain his strength and in return give my service.

Betty Brenner
500 W. Franklin
Minneapolis, Minn.



(no date)

Dear Rick and other Baba-ites,

I'm just starting.

I think I need to learn more about Meher Baba and I'll
love you forever especially if you could help me out.

Well here we go!

I hope to hear from you.

Keith Mastenbrook
3138 Overhulse Road N.W.
Apt. P-145
Olympia, WA 98502

(no date)

Dear Friend;

Please send me some information on Meher Baba, he looks so peaceful. Everytime I look at his face I feel better. I am really down and think knowing more about him would really help me. Even if it doesn't I have to tell you what a fantastic face he has.

Thank you very much.

Your friend,

Carrie Kozeny
3536A Pestalozzi Avenue
St. Louis, Mo. 63118



(1969)

Congratulations to you Meher Baba if you've really found
the secret. I'll pour my drop into your ocean. But
how can I not worry? How can I be happy?

Kim Hewitt
524 Calloway Drive
Raleigh, North Carolina



(no date)

Dear Sirs:

Would you please send me some "Meher Baba" information.
I found his smiling face on a card that someone had
thrown away on the street...I'm glad they did, he made
the rest of my day fantastic.

Thanx,

Kathie Lawo
1415 Breezeridge
St. Louis, MO. 63131



(1976)

Dear Sirs,

My friends and I would like some information on Meher
Baba. What is he all about? We understand that he
was good at helping people.

Sincerely,

Laura Osbon
14379 Barbara
Livonia, Michigan 48154



(1973)

To whom it may concern,

At present I am a college student and am searching, in vain it seems, for something to hold on to. I feel every person must have a belief, something to grasp; and at this time there is nothing to reflect on when I find it hard to cope with a cruel and heartless environment.

I feel as though my life and the lives of those around me are total wastes. I am told we are tested in this world for the next to see if we deserve it. If so, then is the next world worth the pains and hardships I must endure now?

I haven't found one philosophy that makes me feel that I am someone; and should be alive. Am I just one of the multitude of blind sheep--never to know the reason for existing or who I am?

As (I'm) a curious, thinking being I look for Truth. I have heard of your center and am hoping you can assist me.

I have no peace of mind. My life means nothing to me. I open my heart and mind to you.



I find myself entertaining thoughts of self destruction.
Should I have the will to live without the reason for
living?

I am desperate--help me.

Kate Marie Chowske
Merrick Hall, Box 21
College Misericordia
Dallas, PA 18612



July 8, 1971

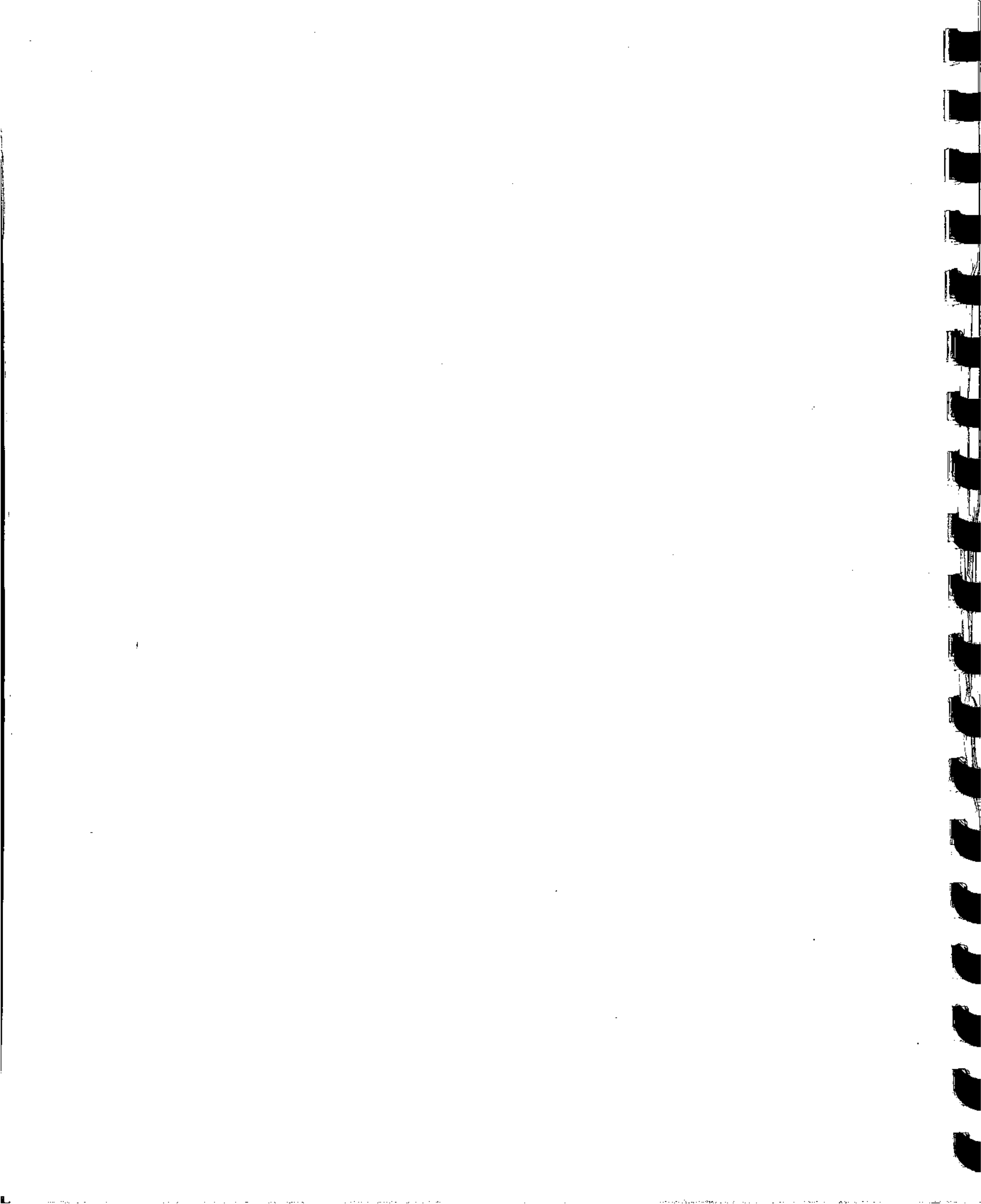
Dear Baba Lovers,

Six months ago I met Baba in a drug nervous breakdown.
My life is different. Baba is its center.

I have been reading Vol. II and III Discourses and now
would like a literature list with prices, etc. (Have
you nice pictures for a Ouija table?)

Please know that I love you; how beautiful it finally is
to get things together in Baba's love! How fragrant to
begin to sense the beginning of the beginning! Dawn.

Tom (Armstrong)
Bretheran House
643 G Street S.E.
Washington, D.C. 20003



(no date)

Dear Mr. Baba,

I ran across a small card with your smiling face and name on it the other day while I was hiking through the woods.

One who needs to be reminded to smile once in awhile, I was impressed by the "Don't Worry, Be Happy" quote beneath your smiling face.

I am wondering if you have any information you might be able to send me which reveals how you can stay so happy. Or is it a secret?

Sincerely yours,

James T. Brock
Box 246
Amherst College
Amherst, MA 01002



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Hello,

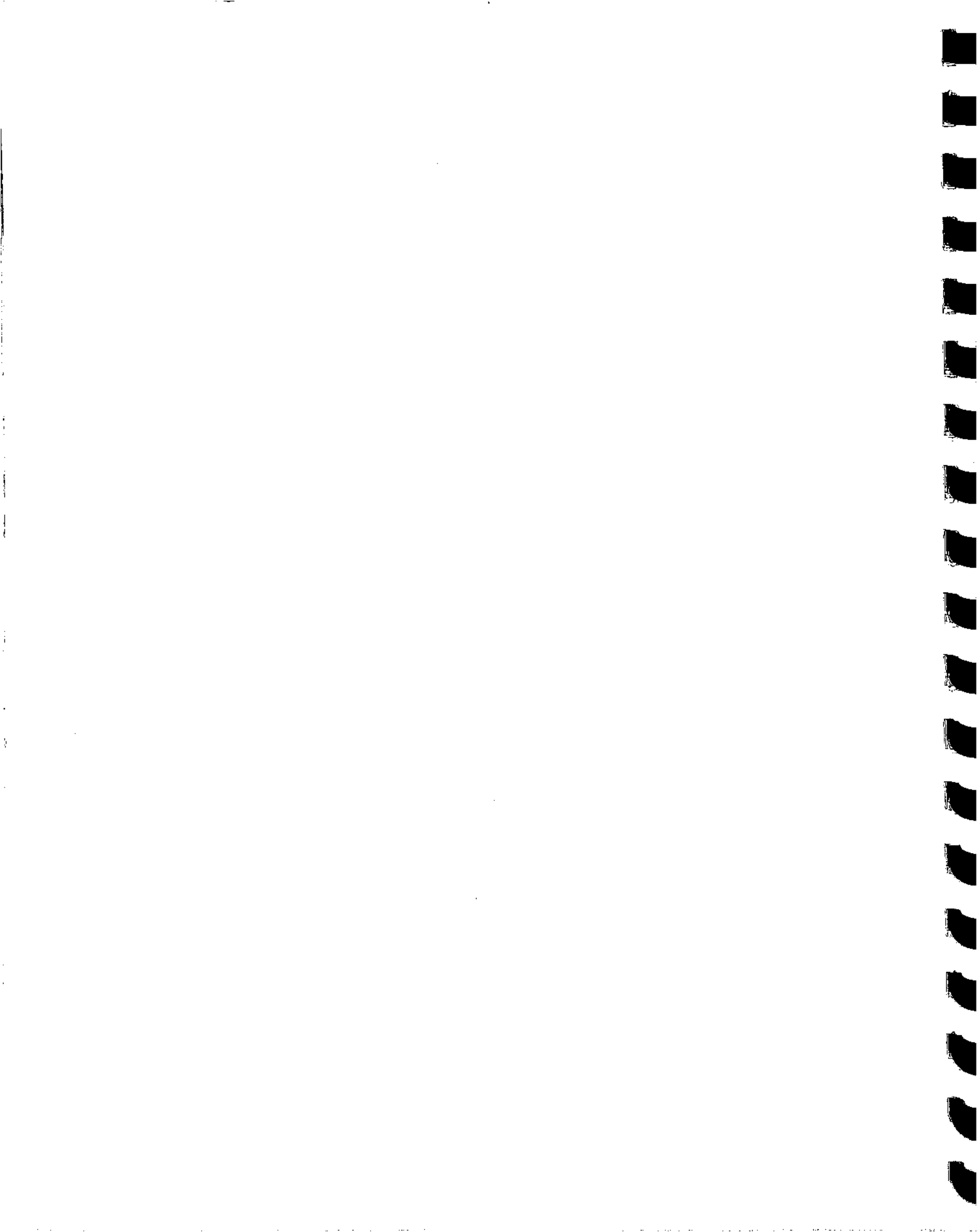
I hope this finds you all well and happy.

Please send me some Meher Baba Information. I've been carrying Meher Baba around with me for over a year since some people gave me the picture to help me hitch-hike home in safety. Now I would like some information about the movement.

Also since you're in California would you help me out if you can. I've been trying to get the address of the Primal Therapy Institute and Dr. Arthur Janov. I believe they're in Beverly Hills or L.A. If you could get the address I would really appreciate it.

Love and Peace,

Lynda & Naomi
3023 62nd Avenue N.
St. Petersburg, Fl. 33713



(1980)

To whoever is still there,

Just after Baba dropped his body my son was conceived. He was born profoundly brain injured. He was blind and without speech but not substantially intellectually injured. Just cut off from the world by the most severe of physical disabilities. He could not even move an appendage caught in a painful muscle cramp without help. I did not know Baba alive but I may have known him in my son, if not surely one of his compatriots. Certainly there is penalty in the impatience of leaving one's body. I have found that I spent my son's life teaching and reminding him to go to the things that startle and scare him. I can no longer reach him and I have absolute confidence that he did. He is gone to the light--perhaps Baba also is--on June 5, 1980. Aside from this we are respected persons who gave up most of our lives, careers, etc. to support our son on this earth. It's now and we love you.

W.S. Dee Ekstrom-Heck
1303 Washington Common
S. Somerville, N.J. 08876



January 9, 1979

Dear Meher Baba and friends,

For a couple of years I have had this funky spaghetti face photo of Meher Baba on the door length mirror in my bedroom. And it says, "Don't Worry, Be Happy." It really cracks me up. I have studied a lot of disciplines and do not wish to become an extreme advocate of any. However, this guy seems to me to be quite simple and I would like to receive a little info. about his ideas about truth, love, purity, etc. Please send me whatever you've got that's free and if you have a little booklet or so by him that you think might be a nice idea for me, drop a little note or brochure and price, etc.

Thanksalot,

Kathy Kelly and cat



(no date)

Dear Mr. Chapman,

Thank you from the bottom of my heart. I waited with patience and did not doubt that you would come to my rescue. I knew in time my letter will reach you and you would be kind enough to sent me a reply and even marked off the few books on the pamphlets.

I do need more research, as I found it very difficult to read the books of India, as most of them are filled with Indian words that disappointed me. The late Sinvanandaji was an excellent writer, but he just won't change as I begged him to omit the Indian words to help the western world.

As to SRF, Yoganandaji is my Guru, although I purchase books elsewhere because you can never learn enough.

My sole purpose to seek Meher Babaji is to ask for his help to recover my family home which my brother's widow had been so heinous and treacherous to swindled me. I do not care for myself, as my two sons are kind enough to support we parents.

The widow Edith, my late brother Ben left her \$200,000 and she



without children, yet she refused to return my family home when I purchase it many years ago with my own money. I also worked in a farm at (age) 16 of 23 acres of land which I suffered beyond described for three years to purchase the land. My brother forced me to sign the deeds to him because he was two years older and should be the trustee. He promised to divide the properties with me when Mother dies and our sisters married, but in turn he and his wife were blind with greed so treacherous and heinous to swindle me. I won't take them to court inspite a white person a school principal urged me to do so as his Father was my witness accompanying another witness.

I left home without a job, but a wife, today I own a home of \$100,000 by honest earning. Father was the greatest person on the island, I just cannot see why my brother cannot be as honest, noble and a humanitarian as Father was. He robbed \$120,000 from me, but he didn't spend a penny and died at the gutter. There is another person, who became a millionaire. He hired an editor who worked for him many years including operating the press but without pay. Today he is suffering, he fell from a polo horse and became crippled. That is the law of Cause and Effect, you reap what you sow. My brother is suffering now, that is his own making, God will not condone such evil person, his



widow will suffer when the time comes.

I did not know it takes 10 cents stamps to reach you.
Enclosed is \$1.00 in currency, if you have or could spare
the Cosmos about Babaji, I would be interested. If you
read the (Autobiography of a Yogi by Paramahansa Yogananda,
7th edition), I presume they are similar.

Again thank you very very kindly for helping me.

Yours sincerely,

H. J. Chang

Inspite Edith had been so heinous with me, I do not wish her
bad luck, I always ask God to give her all the wealth she needs,
since she is so blind with greed. I am not fighting for my
own property for my sake, but to have the family property
back so that I could collect the rent to support my sister
who is in poor health and could hardly support herself.

If you do know anyone can help me, please inform me. He will
be rewarded.

If any of you wish to speak at the radio KTRG, please write to
them, it will cost you nothing as a guest speaker. We do not



have a yoga or any good churches here, hence I meditate alone. Unfortunately I could not solve my own problems now as I used to. I do not know why, perhaps my karma is so deep now that I need more meditating.

Our President and Center manager is incompetent, radio time is very expensive, yet they won't take advantage of it. Yoganandaji would listen to me because I was the most honored person among 1000 in the congregation. Out of 1000 in the congregation I was embraced four times and had dinner with special groups of dignitaries as well as multimillionaires. I did appreciate the hospitality, but was not fully happy because I was penniless after spending my last penny to study at our headquarters (\$1000) to bring the teaching back here to solve our delinquency problems, it is getting worse now, just like the mainland colleges, etc.

I was the only one asked to sit beside our Master with Governor Goodwin Knight on the opposite on the platform. I really loved him my Master and vice versa.

I did teach yoga here at a Ltd. Commander's home, but only one year, because his wife believes in mediums and spiritism, hence I resigned.



I built me a huge home, but took sick and had to retire, now my retirement all go to the doctor. I have a huge organ and everything required by a church but without devotees. There are many yogis from our church, I scrutinized them but don't care to organize them. I told the center manager many times, be sure to sent me the names of all the new members and let me indoctrinate them to be humble, bear insults and to be harmony, but he won't hence I cannot have people who are in harmony to be in my group. I hope your Order would come and organize a center here.

The vedanta group of five have been here for years, but they are second rate, can't see vision, spiritual eye, intuition or heed people.

I see the books come from Sutter Street, I travel in San Francisco five years, I know where Sutter Street is, it is next to Post Street.

H. J. Chang
3422 Kilauea Avenue
Honolulu, Hawaii 96816



(no date)

Why shouldn't I worry? I'm a law student, and this whole process is definitely nerve-wracking. My whole life depends upon my performance during the next three years, and then I'm out in the cut-throat world of big business. How can I find truth and beauty in TORTS?????

signed,

W.J.F. Roll

332 Cascadilla Hall

Cornell U., Ithaca, New York

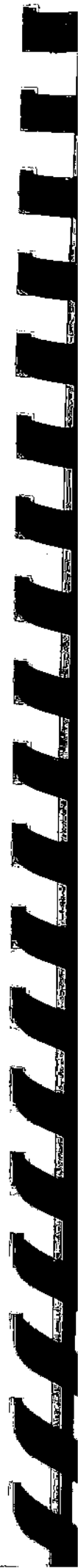
1. The first part of the paper is devoted to a general
discussion of the problem. It is shown that the
problem is of great importance and that it has
not been completely solved. The author then
presents a new method for solving the problem.
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detailed study of the problem. It is shown that
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detailed study of the problem. It is shown that
the problem is of great importance and that it
has not been completely solved. The author then
presents a new method for solving the problem.

November 23, 1970

Dear Friends,

For years I've carried the small card of Baba always there to reassure me but only today did part of his message reach my mind. Please send me as many of those little-big cards as can be spared so I can give them to my friends. Enclosed is a small donation. If more is needed please tell me.

Shepard Samuels
353 Walnut Street
New Orleans, LA 30118



TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

29 Aug. 71

Dear Friends,

Enclosed you will find my remittance for the following books and pamphlets: "Listen Humanity" by D.E. Stevens (paperback), "Three Talks" by Francis Brabazon, "Meher Baba on Love," "The Word at Worlds End" by Francis Brabazon, "The Life Circulars of Avatar Meher Baba," plus the two pamphlets "Meher Baba on War" and "The Religion of Life."

I would also appreciate very much any other pamphlets, circulars, book lists, or information that you might be able to send. At present, we have copies of "The Everything and The Nothing" and "Discourses" by Meher Baba. They have been a source of understanding and spiritual insight for several of us here.

I shall be looking forward to hearing from you in the near future.

Peace be with you,

Phillip S. Ballinger
Inmate No. 216451
P.O. Box 32
Huntsville, Texas 77340

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July 1, 1973

Dear Baba People,

As you can see by my return address I am an imprisoned person. During my incarceration I have been attempting to find the right spiritual path in relation to myself. Because of this I would like to know if you could send me any information in regards to Baba. Any consideration would be greatly appreciated. Also, if it is possible, could you send me a picture of Baba?

Thanking you I will await your reply.

OM SHANTI

Rev. William Hildoer
No. P-0792
State Correctional Institution
Huntingdon, Pennsylvania 16652



(no date)

Brothers,

I am a maid here at the Sausalito Hotel and while cleaning one of the rooms I discovered a wallet size card portraying Meher Baba and some of his thoughts.

I was moved and wish to study his wisdom further. Send any information to this address please.

Miss Janus Orr
7314 DeHaro Street
San Francisco, CA 94107

Thank you,

Janus Orr



(no date)

Dear Mr. Baba,

While attending the Atlanta Pop Festival this past July, a friend told me of your information bureau. He had a small card, with your portrait and address-- I would like to have one of these cards if possible and I would like to know what certain field of information you deal with, or do you inform people on everything. Mainly I want to know more than I already know about your business--and if possible have some pamphlets or pictures of yourself and your business sent to me--I'm very interested along with some of my friends in what you do.

Thank you,

Bill Schaum
Box 1258
TSU
Troy, Alabama 36081



(1972)

Aloha,

Jai Baba. Due to my utmost interest and love for Meher Baba I would be more than happy to own a personal picture of Baba, preferably the young picture of him when he is 28 years old (and) says:

"I am the ancient one
residing in every heart
so love others even at
discomfort to yourself."

Wrote to the center on Oahu, Honolulu but they didn't have the preferred photograph. Would appreciate your service very much and much thanks * and love to you all.

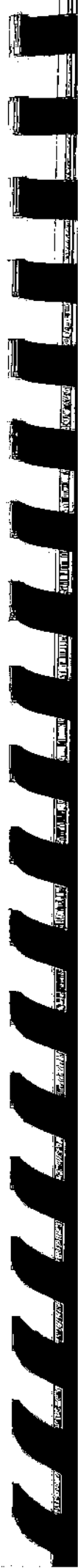
I am you,

Ramone
Box 474
Honaunao, Hawaii 96726

P.S. At the present moment I have no donation to give but in the near future I can give one. I send my heart and love,

Ramone

Peace



December 16, 1971

To whom it may concern;

I am in the process of living a few Baba books and i am now interested in obtaining the following Baba books: God Speaks, Life at its Best, The Everything and the Nothing, and Discourses. If you have any of these books please send me a price list for each book plus shipping charges. Thank you and Good Night and may all the days of your life be in the light of the Lord.

Love,

John Hidalgo
3750 N. Woodrow Street
Arlington, VA 22207

January 1, 1901

My dear Mr. [Name]

I am very glad to hear from you and
thank you for the information you have
given me. I am sure it will be of
great help to me. I am sure you
will be able to find the information
I need. I am sure you will be able
to find the information I need. I am
sure you will be able to find the
information I need.

Yours truly,
[Name]

(1972)

I would like to share a little story with you. One day a friend and i were driving down the road in the heart of the city, behind a big bus that was blowing its smoke on us; my friend said, "don't you think one of those don't worry be happy cards would look delightful riding along smiling on the back of a big bus or taxi."

Well, so now we are planning to get Mr. Baba's picture on the back of a bus or some taxis, printed up for the space that they offer for advertisement. So there he may come to be, sitting happily behind a bus or taxi, waving to all his friends whom pass him by, becoming the talk of the town, as he allures any of his choice into his smile. The so many heavy heads with all their problems, will not be able to resist a chuckle upon seeing him, bringing a little lightness to their day, and maybe much more.

Someone may come to the center one day, and when asked how did you first hear of the master, they may tell a story about being behind a bus, that was blowing smoke on them, and looking up, and seeing a funny old man, telling them not to worry, and to be happy.

I feel that i must offer some type of apology for not



writing you a personal letter, but i do have some
other work that i must complete soon, i am a slow
typer and a bad one, but mostly because sloth has
me firmly in its clutches.

dancing in his sun-
shine tonight,

a friend
(St. Louis)



