

To whom it may concern,

I first met Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh with my family— father, a school teacher, mother, a music teacher, and brother, a student of London University. Since then, being in his presence, we have become so close as a family, with a love and understanding that never seemed possible before.

His being among us, seeing him everyday is a constant reminder of how we can live together, and work together, his silence, a reminder of the peace that is possible.

During the last years, while visiting here, I have learned many new skills, in the lines of baking, cooking, carpentry and general construction, all taught in such a clear and caring way, inspired by his presence and his vision — a vision that was also felt by the first settlers of this country, who drew up the American Constitution.

In this way the commune works with a smooth efficiency, the likes of which I have not seen anywhere else.

It is only in the presence of this man  
that this becomes possible.

He is a constant reminder of our  
true potential and ~~of~~ what we are really  
capable of. Without him here, this city would  
be like any other city, with its crime  
cut throat competitiveness, discontent, and  
general inefficiency caused by human  
disharmony.

Yours Sincerely

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