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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I am a Licensed Psychological Associate with a private practice in Burnsville, North Carolina. I work out of a local community health center in the beautiful Blue Ridge Mountains. I have been living in the North Carolina mountains for the last eleven years, but I grew up in Brooklyn, New York and until I went to graduate school at North Carolina State University in Raleigh, I worked in New York City. Therefore, I think I have some understanding of both the rural and urban cultures and have made the choice to live in a less populated and more healthful environment in exchange for making less money and being more socially isolated. And not much could get me to leave my beautiful farm until Bhagwan came into my life. That Bhagwan could find me in my quiet, remote 'hollar is significant in and of itself, but that he could grab me so strongly that I was willing to go and live in India for three and a half months is even more significant. Bhagwan is by far one of the most exceptionally gifted persons in the world today and he has influenced countless numbers of people to become more positive, healthy and constructive human beings. His ability to bring out the best in all of us is truly a gift worth keeping.

Sincerely,

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