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To Whom it May Concern,

Six years have passed since I got to know Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh, but I will never forget how greatly I was struck when I read His book " Tantra: The Supreme Understanding. ".

Each word was so fresh and touched to the depths of my existence. Since then I have been very attracted to this feeling and have read many of His books. All of them have suited the steps of my inner growth.

I was very shocked when I heard that Bhagwan had gone into silence. Till then, I had thought that I would always be able to reach Bhagwan through His books. His silence meant that there would be no more communication through words. I wanted to feel Bhagwan directly so I took sannyas on February 6th, 1982 at Shantiyuga Rajneesh Meditation Center.

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When I met Bhagwan inJuly of this year, and felt the fragrance of His silence, I realized how powerless and crude words can become. Bhagwan does not communicate to us directly through words, but says everything through His silence. In fact He doesn't just communicate He shares His whole existence with as.

He is a living temple showing us the very fruit of existence, love, meditation, truth and god.

Sincerely

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