ARIZONA Phoenix HIGHWAYS Arizona

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Dear Laura Gilpin:

Thanks for your letter and for sending us the enclosed color shot. We are returning it because the subject matter is removed from our present field. We may do a magazine on New Mexico sometime in the future and when and if we do this photograph would serve very well.

I have long been acquainted with and have admired your pictures very much. I know that the name of Laura Gilpin would add to the importance and attractiveness of our pages. We do want you to become a member of our happy family and would welcome your contributions, either in color or black and white. We have for sometime been interested in seeing color on the Zuni Pueblo. Because it is just over the state line we feel it is very close to our travel field.

When I was in New York in the fall I had an interesting afternoon with Walter Freese of Hastings House. He showed me some of the proofs on your new book. He is very proud of it as well he might be.

Sincerely, Carlson