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Miss Laura Gilpin,
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Miss Gilpin:

You may possibly recall that in 1961, Tom and Actea Duncan were kind enough to bring my wife and me around to see you and to look at your new Yucatan photographs.

On our return home, we got a copy of "Temples in Yucatan", read a little more on the subject (Stephens is out in a reprint now) and as a result are starting for Yucatan for a three weeks stay in February.

I thought you might be interested in the results of the impact of your personality, your books and your pictures.

We saw Tom and Actea in Apple Valley last spring, but to our regret, didn't have time to go to Santa Fe again. I hope we can do better next year.

Have I missed the announcement of your new book? We both look forward to seeing it.

Yours

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