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BEULAH HODGE

November 21, 1968

Dear Miss Gelpin:

Perhaps you'd like to look
at the enclosures first! Then
what I have to say may make
some sense.

Ready?

I have talked with Frank
Wardlaw, have seen your
beautiful The Enduring Navaho,
and would like very much to
do a Men & Sabers with you.
It's an unpretentious half-hour
conversation show which is
pure pleasure for me to do
for I learn so much from the
"guests." There is no financial

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recompense — just an opportunity
to talk about something you're
interested in, to share it with
quite a number of others.

Now, Mr. Wardlaw said
you were coming to Ft. Worth
in December & perhaps a
visit here could be managed.
He also said he'd be talking
with you.

My fingers are crossed. I
do hope you'll be both
willing and geographically
able to do the show.

Cordially yours,
(Mrs.) Berulah Hodge

Bozota -

Come see us.

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November 14, 1968

Dear Mrs. Hobart,

So good to hear from you again. Many thanks for all the nice things you said in your November 6th. letter!

And thank you too for suggesting Laura Gilpin. If she ever travels this way, I would be very much interested in a conversation with her and will write her about the possibility. Unfortunately we can't pay to bring someone in — our guests are either here at the University or "traveling through" and willing to share an hour of their time. I am calling the

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University Press to see if
they're expecting a visit.

Again, thank you for your
thoughtfulness and kindness in
writing,

Sincerely,
(Mrs.) Beulah Hodge

Nov., 6, '68.

Mrs. Beulah Hodge.
Unv. of Texas.
Austin.

Dear Mrs. Hodge:

We continue to enjoy your excellent interviews on "Men and Ideas", (have lunch with you every Monday!).

Undoubtedly you have a long list for future programs. However, I would like to suggest, for your consideration:

Laura Gilpin, a very rare person, who I believe would be an interviewer's delight; she is articulate, friendly, warm and humorous, the kind of person who unfailingly makes us proud to be a member of the human race.

She is an internationally recognized photographer. Your University Press will publish before this Christmas, her latest book of superb photographs and related text, about the Navajos.

Her experiences, including her first visit to the Navajo country many years ago, when she and her friend got lost, down to recent adventures there, when she was completing this book, are fascinating. Also, some of the problems and efforts involving her earlier book, *The Rio Grande, River of Destiny*, Duell Sloan & Pearce, which took her several years

- 1- Marjory + Bud
- 2- Nancy + Lee
- 3- Helen + [unclear]

in order to cover the river from its source to you beautiful Big Bend country, are exceedingly interesting.

Her father, I believe, was a Texan, and you will find any contact with her rewarding.

Another of her books is, "The Temples of Yucatan", and her pictures have been hung locally, nationally and in the first International Photographic Exhibition held in San Francisco.

Her address is: Miss Laura Gilpin.
P.O.Box 1173
Santa Fe,
New Mexico - 87501
(phone: 505 982 0032)

Your conversation last Monday, during "our" luncheon with Dr. John Silber, was another of your deeply stimulating presentations. Many, many thanks for your splendid, interesting, and vitally important TV interviews.

Cordially,

Mrs. James C. Hobart.
712 Quincy NE.
Albuquerque,
New Mexico-87110

MEN AND IDEAS

Hostess, Beulah Hodge

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MEN AND IDEAS

MEN AND IDEAS is a series of conversations with interesting people who are outstanding in their profession or special field of endeavor. The programs are informal and personal, revealing the character and personality of the particular man and his ideas. The guest may be an architect, astronomer, philosopher, or art critic.

Hostess for the series is Beulah Hodge, who has an unerring talent for putting her guests at ease, and for drawing them out on their subject. Her leading questions and choice of guests make the series stimulating and provocative, always leaving the viewer with something to think about.

Mrs. Hodge's ease and poise come from years of experience before the camera. She has a Master's Degree in Theater from Cornell University and a background in dramatics which reflect in the audience appeal of the programs.



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Hostess, Beulah Hodge

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