

## COLORADO SPRINGS FINE ARTS CENTER

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Miss Laura Gilpin  
409 Camino del Monte Sol  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Milo M. Naeve, Director

Dear Miss Gilpin:

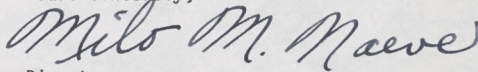
Your gifts to the Fine Arts Center were, I realize, intended more from the point of view of sharing with the people of Colorado Springs than with tax deductions, but I wish to point out that you are entitled to such advantages.

In respect to this matter, the United States Department of the Treasury guidelines for submission of tax returns suggest that photographs of gifts be included with the report. I am, therefore, forwarding photographs of the two Van Briggle vases and of the two paintings with this note.

I am serious about our purchasing about nine or eleven prints from you, your favorites. If you are to do so, I would be appreciative of your statement about why the photographs are your favorites.

Mrs. McIntyre of our staff is preparing an article on the history of the Fine Arts Center for the January appearance of the first issue of our new quarterly. If you have appropriate prints ready, it would be interesting to include them.

Yours sincerely,



Director

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