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Dear Laura:

How wonderful to have one of your photographs for the cover of the Spring 1978 SOUTHWEST Review! It has been so very long since the last one. We are honored and warmly delighted.

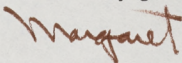
Sina Brush-Morales wrote that this particular photograph was suggested to you by Margaret Schoonover. Good for Margaret! And how fine that you followed her suggestion. The work of the Lopez family is, I think, one of the natural, forthright artistic expressions of which New Mexico should be proud. I remember my trips to Cordova, back in the days before the war when getting there was much more difficult than it is now, as one of the best parts of my Santa Fe years.

It was, as Charlotte said in her letter, a very high point of last fall to see you and have an opportunity to talk with you. I was sorry to hear that Mitchell Wilder has been very ill since then. I don't know any of the details, but I do understand that he was recovering when the person who mentioned it to me heard about it.

I hope you will be in this area again before long, or that I will have a chance to come to Santa Fe and see you then. I want to see Margaret Schoonover and Faith Wait and one or two other friends as well. And just the place--it is almost as dear as a person to me. I miss it.

Thank you again, very very much, for sending us the picture of George Lopez. It will make a splendid cover.

With every good wish,



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