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Dear Ms. Gilpin:

We are currently cataloging the photographs which were given to our Museum in memory of Margery Mann. Upon reviewing our material, I find that we have no current biographical information on you other than what is printed in our Women of Photography catalog. Would you be so kind as to send us an updated resume which indicates where you were born, where you studied, your exhibition and publishing activities, and any other pertinent information. This will be important data to add to our files.

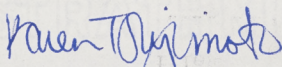
In addition, I hope you'll be able to answer these few more questions:

- 1) Was the gelatin silver print we received of Taos Ovens printed by you? If not, could you please provide the name and location of the printer.
- 2) Do you recall the date of the print (as opposed to the date of the negative which we have recorded as 1923)?

I was in Fort Worth at the time of the opening of your retrospective at the Amon Carter Museum. Congratulations on a very fine exhibition. The Amon Carter is especially fortunate to have received your extensive collection.

Thank you very much for your time with these questions. I shall look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Karen Tsujimoto
Assistant Curator

P.S. Can you also please provide a current market value for the gelatin silver print of Taos Ovens?

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