March 10, 1955

Mr. Charles Edison Honorary President Thomas Alva Edison Foundation, Inc. Suite 805 8 West 40th Street New York 18, New York

Dear Mr. Edison:

I have your letter of February 1 and thank you for it.

You will be interested in knowing that the United States Information Agency has asked for 150 copies of "Mother and Child" which we are sending them. They have also asked for a promise to give additional ones if there is demand for them. Our Foundation has agreed to furnish 1,000 more on the chance that a demand will increase, which was one of the reasons the Board backed the production.

I have been asking several people as to whether they would be interested in paying for some books to be distributed by the government in this way, if they felt the book filled a need. Would this interest you at all?

With kindest regards,

Sincerely,

John V. N. Dorr

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P. S. handwritten by Mr. Dorr "I am sending you under separate cover a copy of the book in memory of my starting work under your father."

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