

# GEORGE EASTMAN HOUSE

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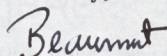
Dear Eliot:

I am very much impressed by the confidence and trust which you place upon Eastman House. In leaving your collection to the George Eastman House in your will you may be assured that every care will be taken to preserve your work and to make it available to those to whom it will have meaning.

We are now planning to open "The Four Seasons" about July 20. We very much hope that it will be possible for you to attend the opening which will probably take place in the evening. It is our custom to ask those whose work we exhibit to give a short talk. For this we are prepared to pay an honorarium of \$100 and traveling expenses. Would it be possible for you to be with us?

With all best wishes,

Sincerely,



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