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433 Rushmore Lane
Madison, Wisconsin
October 1, 1962

Mr. James Meredith
University of Mississippi
Oxford, Mississippi

Dear Mr. Meredith,

If it is true that all men are created equal, and if we are guided by law rather than the whims of man, and if our nation is truly a democracy then what you are doing is honorable and just. If, however, this nation no longer believes in the dignity of man and in Christian principles then your actions are wasted. In spite of the lunacy of a few there is still sufficient evidence that the former conditions prevail and that your efforts are of great benefit.

It is small comfort, I know, but my family and I wish to express our concern for your welfare, our support for your actions, and our embarrassment and disgust at the actions of a few idiots in Mississippi.

Very truly yours,

Alan C. Filley
Alan C. Filley and family

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