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To Whom It May Concern,

I left University ten years ago, finding the curriculum stale + boring. Something was missing - something I spent the next five years searching for. When I was finally introduced to some of Bhagwan's books in 1977 I realised what it was - I had never felt before that anyone really knew what they were doing with their lives - there was no cohesion, no feeling of unity, no sense of adventure. As a sociology student, I studied many sub-cultures within society, but I always sensed that for whatever cultural or economic reasons a group of people were bound together, their unity was severely limited in terms of going anywhere together, and in doing something constructive together.

I have now been a disciple of (a Rajneesh) of Bhagwan's for 5 years. During the last year on my visits to Rajneeshpuram I have felt, and still feel, incredibly lucky + grateful to be alive at this time. There is the opportunity to witness something of tremendous importance to humanity unfolding, + to feel the abundance of joy + happiness that this man has helped people discover in themselves. These sanyasins are really going somewhere! For me, this man is a genius - he has the ability to help people find, for themselves, a sense of beauty, wealth + opportunity in life + in living with each other. Where in the world, in these times of distrust + aggression, could 15,000 people live together for one whole week without a single act of violence or desecration. This was the miracle of the recent Second Annual World Celebration. Bhagwan is a reminder for me, every minute, of how to live life to its fullest.

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I have helped, while here on the Ranch, in the Buddhaghosha Temple, which is responsible for the distribution of Bhagwan's words - in books, on audiotape and videotape. Seeing how people work there is again another miracle. I have often worked in offices + factories, where people gaze at clocks all day, waiting for work to end, + for the weekend. There people actually enjoy to work! Imagine if all humanity were like this. What an amazing planet we would have! I have seen people here working 12 hours a day, seven days a week, and loving it! It doesn't bore them - as well as the basic work such as packing the books, typing the invoices, quality-control, inventory + organizing, there is the interaction with each other. When people feel good toward each other, when happiness + caring are able to flourish, something else happens: the work is done quickly, precisely and without the tensions, headaches + ulcers one sees all the time elsewhere.

Bhagwan is an example for all of us!

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