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Description

This collection contains material pertaining to the life, career, and activities of Henri Temianka, violin virtuoso, conductor, music teacher, and author. Materials include correspondence, concert programs and flyers, music scores, photographs, and books.

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October 7, 1963

Dr. Victor Goodhill
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Beverly Hills, California

Dear Victor,

I watched your TV interview with Max Helfman and heard some of the most inspired phrases that ever emanated from a TV screen. It seems to me that there could be no more fitting memorial to Max than to transcribe this tape, with some slight editing, and print these thoughts that came from his passionate, poetic mind so that they may endure and be cherished by his many friends and admirers, and be known among a new generation of students at the University of Judaism.

May I propose that a special fund be created for this purpose, which would be adequately endowed with a twenty dollar donation from every one of his friends. My check is herewith enclosed.

You, Victor, did a superb job of interviewing Max and made some memorable remarks yourself, particularly when you said that one of the functions of art is to sanctify life.

Yours very cordially,

Henri Temianka

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