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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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June 15, 1985

Heard dear -

Old friendships do endure - Do you remember how you came to Morningside and played for Topi when he was recuperating after his surgery? We never forgot it.

It was lovely to hear from you.

Topi's death was a shock to all of us. True - he had fought off asthma attacks for too many years. It finally led to a heart attack early last year. He seemed to recover well. Eventually he was able to attend a birthday party for his grandson David in late October. It was a fun evening being together again and
He enjoyed himself very much.
5 days later, he died during the night.
Wishing him to be very much. His son Philip just graduated with top honors - and is getting married this month. John's daughter Maggie is a nurse and has been married for 2 years to a lovely young man. Mary is very brave and continues to teach both at Chapin and at the Blue Hill Summer School.
Congratulations on your Daniel's marriage! Where does he live and what does he do? When is Dan? How is Em? If you come East next Fall I hope that you will have time to join with all our love to you and to Em.
Frieda
June 15, 1985

Henri dear –
Old friendships do endure – Do you remember how you came to Monrovia and played for Sopi when he was recuperating after his surgery? We never forgot it –
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Sopi’s death was a shock to all of us – True – he had fought off asthma attacks for too many years – It finally led to a heart attack early last year – He seemed to recover rather well – Eventually he was able to attend a birthday party for [[leary?]] and for my grandson David in late October – It was a fun evening, being together again and
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summer school in Blue Hill –
Congratulations on your David’s
marriage! Where does he live and
what does he do? Where is Danny?
How is Emy?
If you come East next fall I hope
that you will have time to visit
both us – With all our love to you
and to Emy.

Gisele