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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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Dear Friends -

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We have held out hope right along ever since we knew she was facing a killer in December, but now there seems to be no further basis. Her sister and brother-in-law are here helping me and there is nothing anyone else can do. Virginia and I will now be in need sent to assure them you two for your attention and concern in these terrible times.

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