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July 17, 1973

Mr. Danny Kaye
c/o Mr. Herbert Bonis
Dena Pictures, Inc.
9171 Wilshire Blvd. Suite 420
Beverly Hills, California

Dear Danny:

I hope you will excuse the tardiness of this letter. It comes late not because I have not been thinking about you and about writing to you but because it seems impossible to be able to express in any sort of adequate way our appreciation for all you did here for the Orchestra, for the Women's Association and for the whole community. To say "thank you" for all you gave to all of us here seems so totally inadequate and yet I can't really think of any better way to say it. (There doesn't even seem to be a good Yiddish expression for "thank you.")

Your show here gave so many more people than usual a chance to help support the Orchestra; it introduced many new people to the Orchestra and seemed to reaffirm the faith in the Orchestra of the old friends. Your appearance with the Minnesota Orchestra seemed to create a whole new interest in the Orchestra and to create a climate in the community which made the people and the governmental agencies involved receptive to the new Concert Hall plan. The Symphony Ticket Office reports that renewals and new subscriptions for season tickets are considerably ahead of last year, and the only significant different factor this year was your appearance here!

As you may have heard from Marilyn, your appearance here netted the Orchestra a record setting \$114,000. As you can well imagine, all of us in the Women's Association, the Orchestral Association and the members of the Orchestra are extremely excited about this result and, again, we simply say a most heartfelt "thank you" to you.

I am still receiving daily notes and telephone

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calls talking in the most glowing terms about your performance here, and all I can do is to agree wholeheartedly with all of them. As far as Stan and I, personally, are concerned, it was a great pleasure for us to have a chance to spend as much time as we did with you, and we hope that our paths might cross sometime again in the future.

Again, thank you for your wonderful generosity and your marvelous talents that made your appearance with the Minnesota Orchestra an unforgettable experience for us all.

With warmest regards,



Mrs. Stanley M. Goldberg
President
Women's Association of the Minnesota Orchestra

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