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Mr. Danny Kaye
CBS 7800 Beverly Boulevard
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Dear Danny Kaye,

In the two years I have been a volunteer for UNICEF, I have shown your movies, "Assignment Children" and "A New Fashioned Hallowe'en", to more than 10,000 children and adults.

When you stepped out of your plane at the Newark Airport yesterday, I felt as if you were a close personal friend. I really half-expected to hear some familiar dialogue because I have shown your films so many times, I've memorized your lines! I have my own sound projector and screen so I can drive from one end of New Jersey to the other telling the UNICEF story to churches, temples, women's clubs, schools and fraternal organizations. Even the men like to hear the story!

You have been a bright and shining example for me ever since you appeared on the program of the General Federation of Women's Clubs at the Academy of Music in Philadelphia. It was before I was the New Jersey State President, so I think it must have been 1955. You had an important part of a program dealing with Juvenile Delinquency. I remember vividly your story of your early life in Brooklyn (in the place which spawned Murder Inc., you said) and I have quoted from one end of New Jersey to the other, the wonderful tribute you paid to your parents for their understanding of your ambitions in the world of stage and music.

Your time yesterday was much too short - - but any time with you would be too short. I called the New York office today to be sure that you had completed your trip safely. No one there had heard but they said that no news was good news, of course. For everything you are doing for UNICEF we thank you but I wanted to add a special word of gratitude for your sympathetic clairvoyance in your choice of a companion for your news picture. In planning the day, I had given a special invitation to the Madison School in Newark which serves largely underprivileged children. You have brought a great light into the lives of all of the children there that day - - and we are grateful.

We love your television show, too. Please don't ever give it up. We look forward eagerly to every Wednesday evening!

Gratefully yours,
C. Howard Sanborn
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State Representative for UNICEF

