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August 23, 1967

Dr. Charles S. McCoy  
Professor of Religion in  
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Pacific School of Religion  
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Dear Dr. McCoy:

I have just gotten an opportunity to read your recent article in the Christian Scholar. "Christian Faith and Communication: Theological Reflections" is a perceptive article that says much to those of us attempting to preach Jesus Christ by means of radio and television. I especially appreciated the timeliness of the article for some of the very discussions we have been having about our messages on both radio and television.

It was my pleasure a few weeks ago to visit with Dr. Stafford North to whom I gave your personal greetings. He was very happy to hear from you indirectly and to know of your new duties.

Thank you again for a very pleasant visit, for your suggested readings, and the reprint of your article.

Sincerely yours,

John Allen Chalk  
Radio Speaker

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June 28, 1967

The Reverend John Allen Chalk  
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Abilene, Texas 79604

Dear Mr. Chalk:

It was good to make your acquaintance on the plane the other evening. Thank you for conveying my regards to Stafford North.

Among the Roman Catholic theological works I am reading this summer are the following:

Ignatius Hunt, Understanding the Bible  
Charles Davis, Theology for Today  
Neal M. Flanagan, Salvation History: An Introduction to  
Biblical Theology  
Anthony T. Podavano, The Estranged God: Modern Man's  
Search for Belief

Recent books you might be interested in looking into are Edward L. Long, Jr., A Survey of Christian Ethics (this is the title I could not remember accurately); Paul Ramsey, Deeds and Rules in Christian Ethics; and Ian T. Ramsey, Editor, Christian Ethics and Contemporary Philosophy. You might also find considerable food for thought in Thomas Luckmann, The Invisible Religion: The Transformation of Symbols in Industrial Society.

Let me know when you will next be in the Bay Area. I would be delighted to have you visit Pacific School of Religion. Enclosed are a couple of items which may interest you. My warm regards.

Faithfully yours,

Charles S. McCoy  
Professor of  
Religion in Higher Education

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