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Nat King Cole

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October 10, 1962

Mr. James Meredith
University of Mississippi
Oxford, Mississippi

Dear Mr. Meredith:

I wanted you to know that I - along with thousands of other Americans - am proud of your pioneering spirit together with your fortitude, perseverance and strong faith, all of which qualities combine to create the true American image of Man as our greatest Forefather - God - intended him to be.

Your dignified bearing makes tall men of all of those who follow in your footsteps; therefore, I want you to know how grateful I am to even have been brushed by your shadow.

With sincere best wishes, I am

Very truly yours,

Nat King Cole

Nat 'King' Cole

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January 23, 1963

Mr. Nat 'King' Cole
449 South Beverly Drive
Beverly Hills, California

Dear Mr. Cole:

Thank you for your letter of October 10, 1962, extending your support and good wishes. Please forgive the delay in my responding as the volume of mail has been quite heavy.

The kind thoughts expressed by you and many others will always be remembered.

Sincerely yours,

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