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Mr. Clarence Matsumura  
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San Gabriel, Ca. 91775

Dear Mr. Matsumura:

It was a pleasure speaking with you this afternoon regarding the Wiesenthal Center's upcoming dinner honoring the American soldiers who liberated the concentration camps, and the resisters who saved the remnants of European Jewry.

We are honored and pleased to confirm your participation as one of a distinguished group of survivors and liberators whose stories most uniquely capture that historic occasion. The evening promises to be an emotional and meaningful one, and we are honored to count you among those who will share their personal experiences in a special ceremony on this night of nostalgia and memories.

The dinner is scheduled for Sunday, November 10, 1985, in the Los Angeles Ballroom of the Century Plaza Hotel. We expect some 1500 leaders from across the country from the arts and business communities to be present for this special evening, and Elizabeth Taylor will be on hand to present the awards. A cocktail reception will begin at 6:00 p.m., and dinner will follow at 7:00 p.m.

I would very much appreciate if you could furnish me with your biography and a black and white photograph for printing and public relations purposes.

We will be in touch with you as the date draws closer. Again, we look forward to having you join us.

Cordially,  
  
Lydia C. Triantopoulos  
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