

Tampico Tamps., december 23, 1997

Dear Dr. Heller:

I wish you and your dear family a merry Christmass and a happy new year, from my mother also. I have received your letter and I understand your problems, principally that of your wife; I think her problem of her feet is being very large; i remember she broken her kneels aprosimatly a year ago; I wish she become well soon, and beg for it. I understand what complicated is life for mans that have to do of "housekeeping" added to their one work.

In the begening of this year I had two or three months better of my health, but my reumatisma has give me problems in the last months, and heart also. I remember I send you some articles of a serie named "Comentaries", but I don't remember if this went in a first package or in a second with more articles, one in english because I thought it was important to know the question; this last package -in this- went also four books of poems of my 50 aniversary of wrriting; when I sepeack with you be telephone you tell me taht you had not received this; we went to mail oficine; this was sended by air mail, to reclamation, but I think this had being lost. Package is not there. When this days of more work in mail have gone, I am going to send you again the article in english about problem of Israel, -if you think it is oportunaly to publish it- and the bokks again. The poem book that is an antology was published for a Cultural Organization here in México in ocassion of my 50 aniversary. I send and I will send it again to you, Mr. Moser, and Drs. Heller and Wurfbaum.

It is bad that you have not who translate to english the articles, but I am going to send you some in english; I think you can understand me mistakes.

My mother is now 92 old, with the problems of her age; she is blind and this is very hard for me to accept. Whe sends you and your family her greetings; she is very well of her mental faculties, and I thank God for this.

About you ask me of the Trento priests and their catholic groups, there is many people with them, ones that in sepcially groups with an organization, and others that asist to their churches being called for the latin liturgy, and this is one of the ways, the first stop to have them into the formally groups. Many people goes to mass in cities as Acapulco, where turism is great, and many turist asist to mass in the church that was of Mgr. Carmona q.e.p.d. Seminary of Hermosillo is growing; it is a great work this young priests have did they alone, lbo-king for good teachers into old priest, old age, that ha-ve give colaboration, and also laicos. The people that are in the groups of Trent ar well formed, and of them are becoming the seminarians, six new this year. They are 17 priests.

I finish becaus I want this go to mail. This last month I have being with cardiac problems and difi-culties also with help at home, so I write now for Pas-cua, but you know we have you and your dear family in our heart in Christmass.

Greeting for friends also, yours in Jesus
Christ,

Alvira Riestra