

August 2, 1984

Mr. Hagop Uryan
Chairman, Parish Council
Holy Cross Armenian Church
580 West 187th Street
New York, NY 10033

Dear Mr. Uryan:

Thank you for your letter of July 23, inviting us to preside over the ceremonies in the church and the banquet on the occasion of Archbishop Tiran Nersoyan's 80th birthday on October 7, 1984.

Much as we would like to be present and personally wish Serpazan many more returns, a previous engagement makes it impossible for us to do so.

May the Lord bless and guide you all in your endeavors.

Prayerfully,

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian
Primate