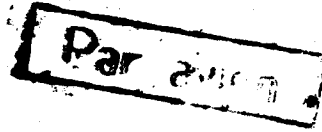


ՀԱՅԱՍՏԱՆԻ ԵՐԻՏԱՍԱՐԳՎԱԿԱՆ ԿԱԶՄԱԿԵՐՊՈՒԹՅՈՒՆՆԵՐԻ ԿՈՄԻՏԵ

КОМИТЕТ МОЛОДЕЖНЫХ ОРГАНИЗАЦИЙ АРМЕНИИ

COMMITTEE OF YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS OF ARMENIA

Երևան-9 Մոսկովյան փ. 31. Ереван-9 Московская № 31. Yerevan-9 Moskovian st 31



Diocese of the Arm. Church
of Am 630 Second Avenue
New York, N.Y. 10016
USA

A.C.Y.O.A. Seniors

His Eminence
Bishop Khajag Barsamian
Primate
Diocese of The Armenian Church
630 Second Avenue
New York, New York 10016

April 28, 1991

Your Eminence,

Our plans for 1991 ACYOA General Assembly and Sports Weekend are progressing nicely. Many committees have been formed and we are working hard towards the success of this event. We are also looking forward to hosting our friends from around the country and Canada.

In the past, you have sponsored the Delegate Luncheon, which is held on Friday of the General Assembly, this year being August 30, 1991.

If you should wish to sponsor this luncheon once again enclosed is a menu for your perusal. Please circle your selection and return it at your earliest convenience in the enclosed envelope.

Respectfully yours,



Christine K. Shooshan
Co-Chairperson

cc: Anthony Barsamian
Syrain Palvetzian

St. George Armenian Church 22 White Street Hartford, Ct. 06114

Faithful to the faith of our fathers.

February 1, 1991

Dear ACYOA Member:

At the invitation of His Beatitude Archbishop Torkom Manoogian, the ACYOA has organized a unique work/study program this summer in Jerusalem. Ten selected participants will intern at the Armenian Patriarchate, offering their skills and talent to various departments (described on the following pages). The interns will be provided with room and board by the Patriarchate.

In addition to working in the Patriarchate, interns may take courses in topics such as: The History of the Jerusalem Patriarchate, History of Armenian Presence in the Holy Land, Armenian Language, and Sacraments of our Church. Interns will also visit local religious and historic sites in Israel.

Interns may select to participate in a four or eight week program. The program will begin in late June and end in late July or August depending upon the program chosen. Exact dates will be determined shortly.

Candidates for the Jerusalem Summer Work/Study Internship will be selected by His Grace Bishop Khajag Barsamian, Primate, Diocese of the Armenian Church of America and the



ԱՌԱՋՆՈՐԴՈՒԹԻՒՆ ՀԱՅՈՑ

DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA, 630 SECOND AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016-4885 212 686-0710

ՇՐՋԱԲԵՐԱԿԱՆ ԹԻՒ 722

Վիճակիս Հոգևոր Հովիներուն,

Ինչպէս 89-րդ Տարեկան Թեմական Պատգամաւորական Ժողովին ուղղուած մեր ուղերձին մէջ շեշտեցինք՝ պատրաստած ենք Առաջնորդարանի ներքին ընդհանուր գործունէութեան կազմակերպական ծրագիր մը, որուն գործադրութիւնը սկսած է սկիզբ առնել: Այս ծրագրին մաս կը կազմէ նաեւ մեր թեմին համար կենսական բնոյթ ներկայացնող «Երիտասարդական նոր բաժանմունք»ի մը հաստատումը (Youth Ministry):

Այս առթիւ կը փափաքինք մեր շնորհակալութիւնը յայտնել բոլոր այն հովիներուն՝ որոնք քաջալերեցին իրենց համայնքի երիտասարդները մաս կազմելու Հայց. Եկեղեցւոյ Երիտասարդաց Կազմակերպութեան Երիտասարդներու Ղեկավարութեան Ժողովին, որ տեղի ունեցաւ Յունիս 8-ին Ուոթըրթաուն Մասսաչուսէցի մէջ:

Երիտասարդաց Կազմակերպութեան առժամեայ Վարիչ Բարտողար Անթընի Պարսամեան մեզի տեղեկացուց որ ժողովը անցած է յաջող: Բննելով յիշեալ ժողովի տեղեկագիրը՝ կը նկատենք որ յարուցուած հարցերը եղած են հետաքրքրական եւ նպատակայարմար: Այս մասին մեր հոգեւորականներուն եւս թելադրութիւնները ունենալու համար՝ անոնց հետ խորհրդակցելու առիթը պիտի ունենանք մօտաւոր ապագային:

Երիտասարդաց Նոր Բաժանմունքի հաստատումը կենսական կը նկատենք մեր առաքելութեան մէջ յաջողելու համար: Գիտենք որ դէմ յանդիման պիտի գանք որոշ դժուարութիւններու, բայց մենք վստահ ենք որ այդ դժուարութիւնները պիտի հարթուին եւ այս նոր բաժանմունքը իր բարեբար նպաստը պիտի բերէ մեր գաղութին:

Մեր թեմի բոլոր հոգեւորականներու մասնակցութիւնը այս ծրագրի յաջողութեան համար պիտի ունենայ իր օգտակարութիւնը: Ընդհակալութիւն կը յայտնենք բոլորին օժանդակութեան համար:

Այս առթիւ կը փափաքինք տեղեկացնել նաեւ որ Հայաստանեայց Եկեղեցւոյ Երիտասարդաց Կազմակերպութեան տարեկան համագումարին, որ տեղի պիտի ունենայ Օգոստոս 29-էն Սեպտեմբեր 1, 1991, Հարթֆըրտ Բընէթթէթի մէջ, առաջին անգամ ըլլալով հայրենի երիտասարդութեան երկու ներկայացուցիչներ պիտի բերեն իրենց մասնակցութիւնը: Այս երիտասարդները անդամ են Հայաստանի Այրարատեան թեմի նորակազմ Երիտասարդաց Միութեան, եւ Ամենայն Հայոց Սրբազնագոյն Կաթողիկոսի արտօնութեամբ եւ օրհնութեամբ պիտի ներկայացնեն հայրենի երիտասարդութիւնը:

Մեր մաղթանքն է որ Տէրը յաջողութեամբ պսակէ մեր թեմի բարօրութեան ու բարգաւաճումին ի նպաստ նախաձեռնուած բոլոր ծրագիրները:

Սիրոյ ողջունի

Խաժակ Եպս. Պարսամեան
Առաջնորդ

Յուլիս 2, 1991
Նիւ Եորք, Ն.Ե.

ACYOA Central Council. To request consideration, please complete and accept the following conditions:

1. Complete the enclosed application and accompanying forms. Return them to Tony Barsamian, ACYOA Acting Executive Secretary, 630 Second Avenue, New York, New York 10016.

Deadline: _____ **Acceptance Notification:**
_____.

2. Provide U.S. passport and four (4) 1 1/16 x 1 1/2 photographs for Israeli visa application.

Deadline for receipt of passports and photos: _____.

3. Attend an orientation meeting at the Diocesan Center, Saturday, _____, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Participants are responsible for travel expenses to New York. Breakfast and lunch will be provided.

4. Participants are responsible for roundtrip airfare between New York City and Jerusalem (approx. \$1,000) ⁸⁰⁰ - This fee may be waived or reduced should the ACYOA receive a donation to cover all or part of the costs.

We hope that with this new internship program we will continue to fulfill the interests of our members. Together with the Armenian Studies Program, our members will grow in knowledge and understanding of these great hierarchal sees.

We look forward to receiving your application.

Sincerely,

Laurie Onanian

ACYOA Jerusalem Internship Coordinator
Central Council

File

88 Logan Lane
Wyckoff, New Jersey 07481
January 16, 1991

Syraun Palvetsian
Executive Director
Diocese of the Armenian Church of America
630 Second Avenue
New York, New York 10016

Dear Syraun,

Enclosed are the minutes from the Friday night session only of the November 9-10, 1990, ACYOA Central Council meeting. Saturday's portion of the minutes will be distributed at the next Central Council meeting on January 25, 1991, in Boca Raton, Florida. They are not being sent out together as I was not sure the Saturday portion would be prepared and received by all before people leave for Florida. In addition, since the minutes are so lengthy, I felt it worthwhile to send the completed Friday night session minutes out before the meeting so as to save time in reviewing them on January 25.

You will note that I have bolded certain items in these minutes which pertain to matters on which actions must be taken. I felt the need to emphasize these items so that they are not "lost" amongst the rest of the information recorded.

I have been informed that it is likely you will be present at the January 25 and 26 meeting of the ACYOA Central Council to receive the second portion of minutes. In the instance that you are not in attendance at the meeting please be assured that I will forward the remaining minutes to you soon after.

Sincerely,



Lynda Chagachbanian
Recording Secretary
ACYOA Central Council

88 Logan Lane
Wyckoff, New Jersey 07481
January 16, 1991

His Eminence Archbishop Khajag Barsamian
Primate of the Diocese of the
Armenian Church of America
630 Second Avenue
New York, New York 10016

Your Eminence:

Enclosed are the minutes from the Friday night session only of the November 9-10, 1990, ACYOA Central Council meeting. Saturday's portion of the minutes will be distributed at the next Central Council meeting on January 25, 1991, in Boca Raton, Florida. They are not being sent out together as I was not sure the Saturday portion would be prepared and received by all before people leave for Florida. In addition, since the minutes are so lengthy, I felt it worthwhile to send the completed Friday night session minutes out before the meeting so as to save time in reviewing them on January 25.

You will note that I have bolded certain items in these minutes which pertain to matters on which actions must be taken. I felt the need to emphasize these items so that they are not "lost" amongst the rest of the information recorded.

I look forward to meeting with you once again on January 25.

Respectfully yours,



Lynda Chagachanian
Recording Secretary
ACYOA Central Council



Armenian Library and Museum of America, Inc.

Ամերիկայի Հայկական Գրադարան և Թանգարան

65 Main Street, Watertown, Massachusetts 02172

Telephone: (617) 926-ALMA
(2562)

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Chairman
ARTHUR T. GREGORIAN

President
JOYCE GREGORIAN HAMPSHIRE

Vice President
HAIG DER MANUELIAN

Secretary
FREDERICK F. MARGOSIAN

Treasurer
DONALD K. KOUNDAKJIAN

Assistant Treasurer
VARTAN HARTUNIAN

PAUL Z. BEDOUKIAN
ROBERT H. BEDOUKIAN
KERAN M. CHOBANIAN
ARMEN DEMERJIAN
HAIG K. DERANIAN
H. MARTIN DERANIAN
EDWARD ESKANDARIAN
BYRON V. HARTUNIAN
ROUZAS KHOYLIAN
LUCY DER MANUELIAN
ARTHUR A. MARANIAN, SR.
BARBARA J. MERGUERIAN
THOMAS MORANIAN
CAROLYN G. MUGAR
ANN D. NAHIGIAN
ANN L. NAHIGIAN
JACOB PILIBOSIAN

Consultant
KRIKOR MAKSODJIAN

Advisors
J. MICHAEL HAGOPIAN
MARK A. KALUSTIAN
NOUBAR NALBANDIAN

Honorary
MIHRAN AVAKIAN
NAZARETH AVAKIAN
MESROP G. BOYAJIAN

ACYOA Central Council
Diocese of the Armenian Church
630 Second Avenue
New York, NY 10016

24 Feb 1991

Dear sirs,

Several months ago I was contacted by the ACYOA, asking if I would arrange to have ALMA available for a tour by the ACYOA during the ACYOA Armenian Cultural Weekend. This was somewhat inconvenient, since ALMA is closed on Saturdays, but I willingly complied with the request. I made it obligatory for the museum staff to work, in anticipation of the tour. After waiting several hours, I found through inquiries that the weekend had been cancelled several days beforehand without bothering to inform me. ALMA's staff work six days a week, and I found it extremely embarrassing to apologize for taking away their only day off. I've waited a week before sending this, to see if anyone would contact me. They didn't. I hope that if a similar situation should arise in the future, the organizers will have the common courtesy to contact ALMA or others.

Sincerely,

Gary Lind-Sinanian

Association of Armenian Church Choirs of America

ԱՄԵՐԻԿԱՅԻ ՀԱՅՑ. ԵԿԵՂԵՑՈՅԻ ՌՅ ԴՊՐԱՑ ՄԻՈՒԹԻՒՆ



March 7, 1991

Mr. Anthony Barsamian
Acting Executive Secretary
Armenian Church Youth Organization of America
630 Second Avenue
New York, NY 10016

Dear Tony,

It was great speaking with you yesterday and I'm very pleased that you are in favor of the idea set forth by the Choir Central Council.

As I mentioned, it is our wish to work closely with the ACYOA Central Council in coordinating programs mutually beneficial to both groups. Since our Primate, Bishop Khajag Barsamian has given his approval, it now remains for us to get together and chart the course.

Robert Shamgochian will serve as liaison from the Choir Central Council and he will probably be in touch with you regarding the forthcoming meeting of the ACYOA Central Council to be held on April 19 and 20 at the Diocese.

Looking forward to a bright future for our youth,
I remain

Sincerely yours,

Mary
Mary Selvinazian
Chair, Central Council
AACCA

cc:
Robert Shamgochian

DIOCESE OF ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA

Bishop Khajag Barsamian, Primate



HOTELS-RESORTS

Worcester Marriott

10 Lincoln Square
Worcester, Massachusetts 01608*
(508) 791-1600

March 28, 1991

Ms. Laurie A. Onanian
650 Huntington Avenue #24 J
Boston, MA 02215

Dear Laurie,

I can understand your concern over the recent cancellation of the Armenian Church Program. In response to our phone conversation earlier today, I had enclosed backup material relative to the cancellation fees incurred.

You will notice by the enclosed that Mr. Najarian's signature is directly below our standard cancellation clause. It is this cancellation clause that protects us from substantial lost revenues due to late cancellations. Also enclosed is a copy of the phone memo that advised me of the cancellation. As you can see, I did not initially directly speak with Mr. Najarian regarding the cancellation.

During our conversation, you were correct in mentioning that I had affected the cancellation. That was done in an attempt to resell the rooms we had been holding. We were incapable of doing so, hence the cancellation fee was applied.

I did call Mr. Najarian to advise him of the cancellation fee of (\$4,320 X 80% =) \$3,456 based on the schedule. He mentioned he would speak to you and advise me of the conversation. He did not do so.

Let me assure you that I am following policy and procedure in this matter. It is unfortunate that you have personally been caught up in these circumstances. Please call should you have further questions.

Best Regards,

Don Bosworth
Director of Sales

DB/jcb
enclosure

ACYOA NEW ENGLAND REGION

145 Brattle Street
Cambridge, MA 02138
(617) 354-0632

April 17, 1991

Dear Clergy and New England Region:

The New England Region of ACYOA is beginning to blossom. Through the efforts of all regional ACYOA members we are beginning to rebuild and create a future for this organization. Certain chapters are starting to come alive and now is the time for us to thrust forward into a new "esprit de corps" for our church and our youth.

The last regional event and meeting held on April 6, 1991 at the Holy Trinity Church in Cambridge was a huge success. Many new ideas and concepts were discussed and hopefully with the assistance of the central council we will be able to implement many of these. However, we still need more participation at the meetings and events, especially from our clergy. At this last meeting we were all disturbed to see just one member of our clergy present. Please, I urge everyone of our clergy members to be present at these events, the youth need you desperately.

The next regional meeting will be held on June 15, 1991 at the Church of Our Savior in Worcester. I strongly urge everyone to be present participate. Details on the meeting will soon follow. Also the annual Diocesan Convention and Archbishop's Invitational Tournament will be held from Friday May 10 to Sunday May 12, 1991 by the St. Thomas ACYOA in Tenefly, New Jersey. This will include plenty of sports and activities and once again I hope that we will all participate and be an example of how energetic we are in New England.

Again, I ask you to keep all committee members informed of all meetings and activities within our region and to make sure that we are included in all of your mailing lists.

The ACYOA needs to look forward in order to prosper. Each one of us has a sacred duty to God and the Armenian Church to create this "esprit de corps." For Christ says, "Go into the world and proclaim the good news to all creation." Now, we all must step forward.

With Prayers



Deacon Gary Alexander
Chairperson

VICECHAIRPERSON
Arthur Simonian
70 Pape Road
New Britain, CT 06053
(203) 224-0100

CHAIRPERSON
Gary D. Alexander
42 Pitcher Avenue
Medford, MA 02155
(617) 483-3140

VICECHAIRPERSON
Jill Arslanian
33 Carver Road
Watertown, MA 02172
(617) 924-6288

March 7, 1991

Srpazan Hayr:

Here are two reports that I have compiled. Please read and come up with questions. I would like to discuss the ASP Tour to Armenia with you before you depart for Hayasdan.

Also, I will explain the other memo in detail when I meet with you.

Sincerely,

Antranig

*Srpazan,
Please check with Hovhann Srpazan
for a date that both ACYO Councils
can meet in June.
Our next Central Council Meeting
is April 20th.*

ACYOA NEW ENGLAND REGION

145 Brattle Street
Cambridge, MA 02138
(617) 354-0632

July 10, 1991

Dear New England Region:

As we move into the heart of summertime I hope that everyone is enjoying the warm and beautiful New England weather. The summer is a time of relaxation and also a good time for us to plan for the up-coming year. Hopefully we are all using this precious time accordingly.

Much has been happening around the region. On June 8th in Watertown, MA a meeting took place for diocesan young adult leaders sponsored by the Primate, Bishop Khajag Barsamian and the Central Council. This was an excellent meeting that brought forth many new ideas about the future of our youth. Also, it established greater communication between our leaders.

The next event was held a week later on June 15 when the Worcester ACYOA sponsored a regional meeting and softball game, which was enjoyed by all. The day began with a very refreshing and informative meeting about the present and future of the ACYOA. Also, a major discussion centered around a possible fall regional activity. After the meeting everyone had a delicious lunch, and a wonderful time playing a very competitive softball game. The region was also pleased to have in our midst the chairman of the New England Regional Council, Mr. Zarvin Kasparian. His guidance and wisdom were greatly appreciated.

The next regional meeting will take place at the St. James Church in Watertown, MA on August 3rd 1991. This will be a very important meeting before the National Assembly and I hope that all will attend. Details will soon follow.

Finally, Sports weekend is approaching and the Hartford ACYOA led by Christine Shooshan is hard at work preparing a block buster weekend of activities. I hope that our New England chapters will be strongly represented.

The Primate is implementing many new and exciting concepts for our diocesan youth. He recognizes a need and acts quickly. Therefore, as the flock, we must support his ideas and actions so that we may work together toward a common goal. The time is upon us when we must unite and work selflessly for the glory of God and for the growth of our people. When we come together in Love, Unity and Brotherhood, we become the ONE body of CHRIST. I hope to see you on August 3, 1991.

VICECHAIRPERSON
Arthur Simonian
70 Pape Road
New Britain, CT 06053
(203) 224-0100

CHAIRPERSON
Gary D. Alexander
42 Pitcher Avenue
Medford, MA 02155
(617) 483-3140

Prayerfully,
Deacon
Gary Alexander

VICECHAIRPERSON
Jill Arslanian
33 Carver Road
Watertown, MA 02172
(617) 924-6288

July 19, 1991

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mardigian
18920 East Ten Mile Road
Warren, Michigan 48089

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Mardigian:

I extend my heart-felt gratitude to you both for your gift of \$50,000 to benefit the work of the ACYOA. It is not only an extremely generous gift, it is a gift that comes from your hearts and is filled with all the hope and good wishes you have so often and so lovingly expressed for our youth.

The young people of the Armenian Church in America not only need our support and inspiration, but abundantly deserve it. They are the vigor, the joy, and the challenge of all of us who profess to be their parents and community elders. And they are the future as well. Not in the sense that they are simply going to be the men and women of tomorrow's parishes, but that what they learn to value and serve today, they will value and serve always. It is our dream that it will be their faith they value and their beloved church they serve, not for our good but for theirs. Your prayers and gracious support will go far in helping us make this possible.

God bless you both, dear Mr. and Mrs. Mardigian, and may He continue to endow you with the faith, grace and love that have been your special gifts to us all.

With prayers,

Bishop Khajag Barsamian
Primate

EDWARD MARDIGIAN
13920 EAST TEN MILE ROAD
WARREN, MICHIGAN 48089
(313) 778-4120

July 11, 1991

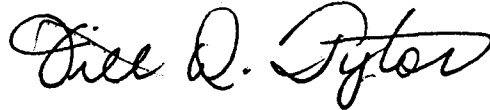
Mr. Antranig Barsamian, Executive Director
A.C.Y.O.A.
Diocese of the Armenian Church
630 Second Avenue
New York, New York 10016-4885

Dear Mr. Barsamian:

As discussed on the phone the other day, enclosed is a check for \$50,000.00, which represents the fulfillment of the Mardigian's pledge to the Endowment Fund for the benefit of the A.C.Y.O.A. I trust you will take care of directing this check to the proper people.

Best wishes for the continued success of your programs and projects.


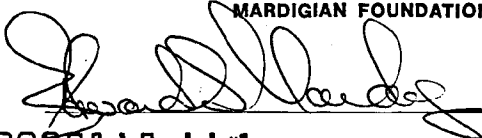
Very truly yours,



Jill D. Tylor
Secretary to Mr. Mardigian

/jdt
Enclosure - ck.

P.S. Please acknowledge receipt of these funds directly to Mr. and Mrs. Mardigian at this address.

MARDIGIAN FOUNDATION		3543
		9-32 720
PAY TO THE ORDER OF <u>Diocese of the Armenian Church of America-Endowment Fund</u>		July 11, 1991
		\$ <u>50,000.00</u>
Fifty thousand and no/100-----		DOLLARS
	National Bank of Detroit Van Dyke-Twelve Mile Office - 44 Warren, Michigan 48093	MARDIGIAN FOUNDATION
FOR <u>A.C.Y.O.A.</u>		
⑈003543⑈ ⑈072000326⑈		00096170044⑈

July 19, 1991

Mr. and Mrs. Edward and Helen Mardigian
13920 East Ten Mile Road
Warren, Michigan 48089

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Mardigian:

I extend my heart-felt gratitude to you both for your gift of \$50,000 to benefit the work of the ACYOA. It is not only an extremely generous gift, it is a gift that comes from your hearts and is filled with all the hope and good wishes you have so often and so lovingly expressed for our youth.

The young people of the Armenian Church in America not only need our support and inspiration, but abundantly deserve it. They are the vigor, the joy, and the challenge of all of us who profess to be their parents and community elders. And they are the future as well. Not in the sense that they are simply going to be the men and women of tomorrow's parishes, but that what they learn to value and serve today, they will value and serve always. It is our dream that it will be their faith they value and their beloved church they serve, not for our good but for theirs. Your prayers and gracious support will go far in helping us make this possible.

God bless you both, dear Mr. and Mrs. Mardigian, and may He continue to endow you with the faith, grace and love that have been your special gifts to us all.

With prayers,

Bishop Khajag Barsamian
Primate



ARMENIAN CHURCH YOUTH ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA

Diocese of the Armenian Church of America

Bishop Khajag Barsamian, Primate

Central Council

630 Second Avenue

New York, New York 10016

(212) 686-0710

August 13, 1991

Dear Assembly Delegate:

On June 8th, ACYOA chairpersons and chapter representatives met in Watertown, MA to discuss the new Department of Youth Ministry which will be implemented throughout our Diocese during the course of the next several years.

As a continuation of that discussion, the Primate has requested that one of the Assembly sessions be devoted solely to discussing the implementation of the Department. Therefore, on Friday, August 30, 1991, at 9:00 a.m., the Fourth Assembly session will be devoted to discussing this very important issue.

Attached you will find a proposed outline of the departmental structure and a summary of the issues discussed at the June 8th meeting. Please review these materials in preparation for the discussion on August 30th.

Sincerely,

Anthony Barsamian
Interim ACYOA Executive Secretary

/1
Attachments

ՄԻՐՈՅ ՆԱՏԻՒՆՆԵՐԻ ԵԿԵՂԵՑԻ

ARMENIAN CHURCH OF THE HOLY MARTYRS

Very Rev. Fr. Vazken Karayan
Pastor

209-15 HORACE HARDING EXPWY.
BAYSIDE, N.Y. 11364
Tel. (718) 225-0235

August 28, 1991

Dear Delegate:

On behalf of the Holy Martyrs ACYOA it is our pleasure to invite you to choose New York as the site of the 1992 ACYOA General Assembly and Sports Weekend.

After the intention to bid was unanimously approved by our Parish Council the committee members began working diligently and their efforts proved to be very successful. The Long Island Marriott, the largest and most modern hotel and conference center on Long Island, is conveniently located to Manhattan, the beaches, and the malls. Hofstra University and Nassau Community College, both within sight of the hotel, will be combined to provide the sporting facilities. Before the fierce competition starts and after its over the best part of sports weekend in New York is New York.

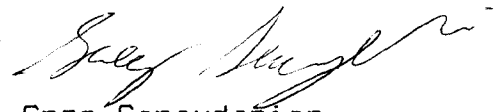
Committee members are working on a number of countless activities ... a cruise around Manhattan ... a night on the town ... a private party at one of New York City's night clubs ... the possibilities are endless and the memories will last forever.

The Bayside chapter promises you nothing but the best of New York the place for you in '92.

Sincerely,



Denise Meshejian
Chairman
Bayside ACYOA



Greg Saraydarian
Chairman
1992 Bid Committee



ARMENIAN CHURCH YOUTH ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA

Diocese of the Armenian Church of America

Bishop Khajag Barsamian, Primate

Central Council

630 Second Avenue

New York, New York 10016

(212) 686-0710

June 3, 1991

Dear ACYOA Leader:

As we draw near to our meeting at St. James Armenian Church in Watertown, Massachusetts, I thought it would be beneficial to send you some last minute information, a general agenda and a "things to think about" list.

First, all ACYOA members remaining in town over night will be staying at the Sheraton Tara Newton. There is shuttle service from Logan Airport to the hotel. Please be specific when referring to the hotel. Sheraton Tara in Newton over the Massachusetts Turnpike (There are other Sheraton's and other Tara's).

Secondly, there will be a cook out after the meeting, you are invited for dinner and a swim.

Finally, the upcoming meeting will evaluate the Armenian Church Youth Organization of our Diocese, and the many programs it has offered throughout the years. Your impute will greatly impact our young adult programs, and how they are implemented. When looking over the "things to think about list", examine each item in terms of quality of programs on one hand and the structure of implementation on the other.

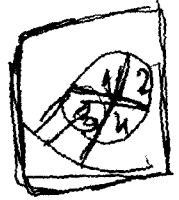
Please give timely consideration to these issues in preparation for our meeting. See you at St. James Armenian Church at 10:00 a.m. Saturday morning.

Sincerely,

Tony
Anthony Barsamian

Chairman - Greg Arpadjian

Secretary - Yerezhin Mary Arpadjian



~~Fr. Yerezhin~~ ACYOA Chapter of st. Georges
Hartford Parish Host Chapter

Fr. Leptem Kelegian

To you all clergy + delegates
guests

out going ACYOA Cent Comm member Bay

Lida manukyan

Sara Andonina

~~As -~~
~~[Signature]~~

~~As -~~
~~[Signature]~~

(Antranig)

[Signature]

R. Harris



ACYOA
NEW ENGLAND REGION

145 Brattle Street
Cambridge, MA 02138
(617) 354-0632

March 16, 1991

Dear Clergy & New England Region:

A new era is upon us! The new Regional Committee is hard at work strengthening our existing groups as well as rebuilding our non-existing groups. However, we need more participation at our regional events from everyone including our clergy. When a sister chapter undertakes an event they do it for the enjoyment of all chapters. Please support each chapters events so that the region may grow and prosper.

The next regional meeting will be held on Saturday April 6, 1991 in conjunction with the regional volley ball tournament at the Holy Trinity Armenian Apostolic Church in Cambridge, Ma. I strongly urge everyone to participate in both the tournament and the meeting. Also the annual Diocesan Convention and Archbishop's Invitational Tournament will be held from Friday May 10 to Sunday May 12, 1991 by the St. Thomas ACYOA in Tenefly, New Jersey. This will include plenty of sports and social activities. I urge everyone to attend this wonderful event and show our sister region's just how strong we are in New England.

Finally, the committee must know about all activities in the region so that one, if not all of us can attend your specific activity or meeting. Please include us in your mailing list and if there is something that needs immediate attention please call upon us; we are here to assist and guide all chapters in the region at any time.

On behalf of the committee I would like to thank all of you for your cooperation but again I urge each one of you to participate and give of yourself for the benefit of our Holy Church and the Armenian Youth in America. We will be in touch.

Sincerely,



Gary D. Alexander
Chairperson

VICECHAIRPERSON
Arthur Simonian
70 Pape Road
New Britain, CT 06053
(203) 224-0100

CHAIRPERSON
Gary D. Alexander
42 Pitcher Avenue
Medford, MA 02155
(617) 483-3140

VICECHAIRPERSON
Jill Arslanian
33 Carver Road
Watertown, MA 02172
(617) 924-6288

File

ACYOA NEW ENGLAND REGION

145 Brattle Street
Cambridge, MA 02138
(617) 354-0632

May 21, 1991

Dear New England Region:

As we head into the twenty first century, the Armenian Church Youth Organization of America must adapt to the change of times and grow stronger. A new spirit of revival is beginning to emerge within our youth and with that we all have an obligation as leaders in our communities to strengthen and uphold our great church organization.

For the past year our new Primate, Bishop Khajag Barsamian has been working closely with the Executive Secretary, Tony Barsamian and with the Central Council. The Primate is committed to the youth, and he feels that we must chart a new course for the greater glorification of our church. He is making every effort to nourish our youth; therefore as the youth we must respond to his call and come together to strengthen the youth for the future of our people.

The Bishop is asking that we join with him on Saturday June 8th at 10:00AM at the St. James Armenian Church in Watertown, Massachusetts to discuss new directions for our Youth Organization. As was stated in his letter, your pastors and parish council chairman have already been advised to sponsor your travel expenses for the meeting. Through this meeting I hope that we will all bond closer together.

I urge everyone to be present to assist the Primate and the Central Council in the task that lies ahead. We all must do our part, for the present and future of not only the ACYOA, but the entire Armenian Church is at hand.

With Prayers,

Deacon Gary Alexander
Chairman

*Արքայապետի հայրը,
Նորից համարձակե՛ք օրհնակը:
Չէ՛ք արդե՛հ հե՛տ կո շուտի՛նք:
Դարձա՛յք ձեր կ.*

VICECHAIRPERSON
Arthur Simonian
70 Pape Road
New Britain, CT 06053
(203) 224-0100

CHAIRPERSON
Gary D. Alexander
42 Pitcher Avenue
Medford, MA 02155
(617) 483-3140

VICECHAIRPERSON
Jill Arslanian
33 Carver Road
Watertown, MA 02172
(617) 924-6288

BOSTON
REDEVELOPMENT
AUTHORITY

Raymond L. Flynn
Mayor

Stephen Coyle
Director

One City Hall Square
Boston, MA 02201
(617) 722-4300

March 28, 1991

Customer Service Inquiries
802 Delaware Ave.
P.O. Box 15008
Wilmington, DE 19850-5008

To Customer Service:

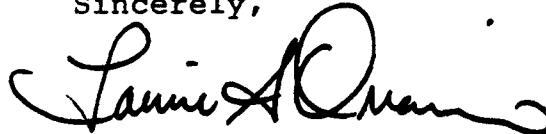
This letter is to confirm a telephone call made to your office today concerning a billing dispute. My account number is: 4226 956 683 855. The item that I am disputing is reference number 2312 - for the amount of \$3600.00.

I did not authorize this charge to my account. My account number was given to hold rooms at the Marriott for a church conference. The conference was cancelled and the rooms were also cancelled two days prior to the scheduled event. I have attached a copy of the twenty cancellation confirmation numbers for the twenty rooms that had been reserved.

Therefore, I would like you to delete this unauthorized charge from my statement. I have never verbally or in writing authorized payment of the above mentioned amount.

Thank you in advance for your assistance in settling this dispute.

Sincerely,



Laurie Onanian



Թ Ե Մ Ա Կ Ա Ն Խ Ո Ր Հ ՈՒ Ր Դ
ԱՐԱՐԱՑԵԱՆ ՀԱՅՐԱՊԵՏԱԿԱՆ ԹԵՄԻ

Արևած-15 Ա. Սարգիս Սկեղեցի
Առաջնորդարան: Հեռ. 587388,
587505

ՀՏԲ. 112... «19...» օգոստոս... 1991 թ.

Ամերիկայի Հայոց Արևելյան Թեմի Առաջնորդ
Գերշ. Տ. ԽԱԺԱԿ ԵՊԻՍԿՈՊՈՍ ՊԱՐՍԱՄՅԱՆ
Նյու Յորք

Գերազնորհ Արքազան Հայր

Գարեգին Արքազանը, որ Հայ Եկեղեցու Երիտասարդաց Միության անդամների հետ գտնվում է Մեւանում, ծանոթանալով Ձեր ֆախսի բովանդակությանը, հեռախոսով պատվիրեց հաղորդել հետեւյալը. մեկ-երկու օրից հայտնի կդառնա ՀԵԵՄ-ի երկու անդամների Նյու Յորք ժամանելու ճշգրիտ օրը (ոչ ուշ՝ քան 25 օգոստոսը), ինչի մասին Ձեզ լրացուցիչ կտեղեկացվի:

Ձեր կրթական ծրագրերի առնչությամբ.

Արքազանն իր ուրախությամբ հայտնեց եւ վստահեցրեց, որ Ձեր ծրագրերի իրագործման համար Ձեր նշած ժամանակահատվածում կկազմակերպվեն կրոնից ուսուցիչների պատրաստության դասընթացներ:

Միտով սպասում ենք Ձեր այցին:

Որդիական խոնարհությամբ մատչիմ համբոյր Ձեր սուրբ աջույն՝

Տ. Կարապետ ավագ Բաբանա Գրլըճյան
Զարտուղար Առաջնորդարանի



ԱՌԱՋՆՈՐԴՈՒԹԻՒՆ ՀԱՅՈՑ

DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA, 630 SECOND AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016-4885 212 686-0710

Թի 554
Օգոստոս 13, 1991

Գերազնորի
Տ. Գարեգին Եպս. Ներսիսեան
Առաջնորդական Փոխանորդ
Այրարատեան Թեմի
Երեսան.

Միրելի Սրբազան,

Նկատի ունենալով որ Ամերիկայի Հայց. Եկեղեցւոյ Երիտասարդաց Կազմակերպութեան համագումարի թուականը շատ մօտ է, կը խնդրենք որ առաջին առիթով տեղեկացնէք թէ ձեր կողմէ նշանակուած հայրենի երկու երիտասարդ ներկայացուցիչները ե՞րբ պիտի ժամանեն Նիւ Եորք, որպէս զի գիրենք դիմաւորելու համար անհրաժեշտ կարգադրութիւնները ըլլան:

Եթէ Տէրը կամենայ Սրբալոյս Միռոնի օրհնութեան առթիւ ուխտաւորներու խումբով մը Մայր Հայրենիք պիտի այցելենք (Սեպտեմբեր 26-էն Հոկտեմբեր 4): Այս առիթով մտածեցինք որ թերեւս կրնանք Արարատեան Թեմին մէջ, ձեր հովանաւորութեամբ, կրօնքի ուսուցիչներու պատրաստութեան համար մէկ շաբթուան խտացեալ յայտագիր մը կազմակերպել: Յայտագիրը կը պատրաստուի մեր կողմէ՝ գլխաւորաբար նկատի առնելով դպրոցական տարիք ունեցող մանուկներու եւ պատանիներու կրօնական գիտելիքներու կարիքները եւ անոնց համապատասխան տրուելիք հոգեւոր դաստիարակութիւնը:

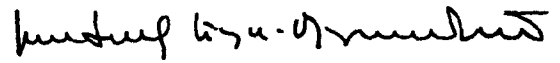
Այս ծրագրի գործադրութեան համար մենք կրնանք այստեղէն հինգ փորձառու մասնագէտներ կամ դասախօսներ բերել՝ մեզի հետ: Յայտագրին մասնակցողներուն տրամադրուելու համար՝ կրնանք նաեւ պատրաստել կրօնական նիւթերու մասին կարգ մը բացատրական գրութիւններ եւ ծանօթութիւններ:

Եթէ համաձայն էք այս ծրագրին, բարի եղէք անմիջապէս տեղեկացնել մեզի: Իսկ եթէ թուականը յարմար չէք նկատեր, հաճեցէք նոր թուական մը ճշդել եւ այդ մասին եւս հաղորդել մեզի: Պիտի ուզէինք տեղեկանալ այսպիսի յայտագիրներու մասին, ինչպէս նաեւ թեմիդ կողմէ կազմակերպչական աշխատանքներուն ընթացք տալու ձեր տրամադրութիւնը: Կը կարծէ՞ք որ այսպիսի յայտագիրներ կրնան օգտակար եւ գործնական ըլլալ: Կը սպասենք ձեր պատասխանին:

Լսեցինք որ Վեհափառ Հայրապետը անհանգստության պատճառաւ Մոսկուա մեկնած եւ
բժշկական քննութեան ենթարկուած է: Կ'աղօթենք Նորին Սրբութեան շուտափոյթ ապաքինման
համար:

Մեր մաղթանքն է որ Տէրը առաջնորդ հանդիսանայ եկեղեցանոէր ու ազգանոէր ձեր
բոլոր նախաձեռնութիւններուն եւ Իր շնորհները անպակաս ընէ ձեր վրայէն:

Աղօթակից



Խաժակ Եպս. Պարսամեան
Առաջնորդ



ARMENIAN CHURCH YOUTH ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA

Diocese of the Armenian Church of America

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian, Primate

Central Council

630 Second Avenue

New York, New York 10016

212 686-0710

September 27, 1990

The Rev. Fr. Aved Terzian
Pastor
Armenian Church of Our Saviour
87 Salisbury St.
Worcester, Massachusetts 01609

Dear Father Aved:

In behalf of the ACYOA Central Council, I would like to request that the ACYOA Chapter of the Armenian Church of Our Saviour co-sponsor the 1991 ACYOA Cultural Weekend with the Central Council, to be held on February 15th through the 18th, President's Birthday Weekend.

On the occasion of the Centennial of the Armenian Church in America, the ACYOA Central Council wishes to co-sponsor this national event in the first established Armenian Church community in America.

We are eager to begin planning a weekend filled with Armenian culture and education, and we ask for your approval to co-host this annual event in Worcester.

Respectfully yours,

Anthony J. Barsamian, Jr.
Acting Executive Secretary



ԱՌԱՋՆՈՐԴՈՒԹՅՆ ՀԱՅՈՑ

DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA, 630 SECOND AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016-4885 212 686-0710

April 10, 1991

Dear New York/New Jersey ACYOA Member:

We are pleased to invite you to our ACYOA Martyrs' Day National Program on Friday, April 26, 1991 at the Guild Hall of the Diocese in New York City. The evening's program will feature the opening at 7:00 p.m. of an exhibit entitled, "Reflections of Armenia: Paintings, Pastels and Collages" by the celebrated artist from Armenia, Valery Boyakchian.

At 8:00 p.m., a short lecture entitled, "Land Culture, Freedom: The Ongoing Struggle in Karabagh" will be presented by Valentin Oskotsky, Co-Chairman of the Committee of Russian Intellectuals for Nagorno-Karabagh. A reception will follow the lecture at 9:00 p.m.

For further information, please contact Suzie Ashjian at (914) 963-0889.

We hope you will join us for this evening of Armenian art, culture and education.

Sincerely,

Anthony Barsamian
Acting Executive Secretary
ACYOA

ՀԱՅԱՍՏԱՆԻ ԵՐԻՏԱՍԱՐԴԱԿԱՆ ԿԱԶՄԱԿԵՐՊՈՒԹՅՈՒՆՆԵՐԻ ԿՈՄԻՏԵ

КОМИТЕТ МОЛОДЕЖНЫХ
ОРГАНИЗАЦИЙ АРМЕНИИ

GOMMITTEE OF YOUTH
ORGANIZATIONS OF ARMENIA

ԵՐԵՎԱՆ ՄՈՍԿՈՎՍԿԱՆ 31
ЕРЕВАН МОСКОВСКАЯ 31
YEREVAN MOSKOVIAN 31
ТЕЛЕФОН: 52-34-21

ДЛЯ ТЕЛЕГРАММ:
ЕРЕВАН, АРММОЛ:
TELEGR: YEREVAN, ARMMOL

RECEIVED JAN 11 1951

19 r.

ՍԻՐԵԼԻ ՀԱՅՐԵՆԱԿԻՏՆԵՐ

Շատ ենք փստոսում, որ մեր միջև եղած լավ և խոր ավանդույթների ունեցող կապերը վերջին տարիներին փոքր-ինչ խզվել են: Դա պայմանավորված է մեր հանրապետությունում սերլի ունեցող հայտնի իրադարձություններով: Ներկայումս մեր հասարակական-հարավական կյանքը կայունանում է, Հայաստանի երիտասարդական կազմակերպությունների կոմիտեն վերածնունդ է ապրում, և լայն հնարավորություններ են ստեղծվում Մայր Հայաստանի հետ ձեր երկրի հայ երիտասարդների կապերի ամրապնդման համար: Այդ գործում, մեր կարծիքով, անգնահատելի դեր կարող է կատարել ՀԵԿԿ-ի և ձեր կազմակերպության փոխհարաբերությունների վերականգնումը: Այդ փոխհարաբերությունները կարող են լինել բազմաոտեսակ և բազմակողմանի, բանի որ ՀԵԿԿ-ն, որի կազմում կան տարբեր երիտասարդական կազմակերպություններ, այժմ անկախ է:

Ձեր ուշադրությանն ենք ներկայացնում մեր կազմակերպությունների միջև հնարավոր կապերի մի բանի տարբերակներ. պատգամավորական խմբերի փոխանակում (այս խմբերը կարող են ունենալ որոշակի նպատակային ուղղվածություն, այսինքն՝ ընդգրկել երիտասարդ նկարիչներ, բժիշկներ, ճարտարապետներ, սպորտամեններ, ուսանողներ և այլն, կամ՝ կազմված լինել տարբեր ոլորտների ներկայացուցիչներից), նորաստեղծ, երիտասարդ ընտանիքների հյուրընկալում, բազմաոտեսակ մշակութային կապեր՝ ցուցա-

ՀԱՅԱՍՏԱՆԻ ԵՐԻՏԱՍԱՐԴԱԿԱՆ ԿԱԶՄԱԿԵՐՊՈՒԹՅՈՒՆՆԵՐԻ ԿՈՄԻՏԵ

КОМИТЕТ МОЛОДЕЖНЫХ
ОРГАНИЗАЦИЙ АРМЕНИИ

GOMMITTEE OF YOUTH
ORGANIZATIONS OF ARMENIA

ԵՐԵՎԱՆ ՄՈՍԿՈՎՍԿԱՆ 31
ЕРЕВАН МОСКОВСКАЯ 31
YEREVAN MOSKOVIAN 31
ТЕЛЕФОН: 53-34-21

ДЛЯ ТЕЛЕГРАММ:
ЕРЕВАН, АРММОЛ:
TELEGR: YEREVAN, ARMMOL

№ _____ 19 ____ г.

Փոխանակումը կատարվելու է հետևյալ հիմունքով՝ ճանապարհածախսից բացի, մնացած բոլոր ծախսերը կատարվում են ընդունող կազմակերպության կողմից: ՀԵԿԿ-ն հնարավորություն ունի սնտեսական գործունեություն զարգացնել ամենատարբեր ուղղություններով՝ ընդհուպ մինչև համատեղ ձեռնարկություն ստեղծելը:

Հուսով եմք, որ մեր առաջարկած տարբերակները ձեզ կհետաքրքրեն:

Իր հերթին, ՀԵԿԿ-ն պատրաստ է դիտարկել ձեր բոլոր հնարավոր առաջարկությունները: Որպես առաջին բայլ, մենք պատրաստ ենք արդեն 1991 թ. սկզբին ընդունել ձեր կազմակերպության ղեկավարներից բաղկացած 3-4 հոգանոց պատգամավորական մի խումբ կամ ուղարկել նույնախաի մի խումբ՝ մեր համագործակցության մանրամասները բննարկելու համար:

Բարի մարդանմանություն

ՀԵԿԿ-ի նախագահ՝

ԱՐՏԱՃԵՍ ԹԱՆԹՈՒԾՅԱՆ

Committee of Youth Organizations of Armenia, Erevan, Armenia

Dear Compatriots,

We deeply regret that the ties between us, based on good and profound traditions, in recent years have been severed to a certain degree. This was due to the well known events which have taken place in our republic. At the present our social and political life is becoming stabilized, the Committee of Youth Organizations of Armenia is undergoing a renaissance, and vast possibilities are being created for the strengthening of ties between the Armenian youth of your country and Mother Armenia. In our opinion, the reestablishment of ties between the Committee and your organization can play an invaluable role in this matter. These reciprocal relations can be of many types and many ways, since the Committee, which is formed of many different youth organizations, is now independent.

We present to your attention several types of possible ties between our organizations: exchange of delegations of representatives (these groups can have specific orientations, such as being composed of young painters, doctors, architects, athletes, students, and so forth, or can be composed of representatives of various fields), the hosting of newly formed young families, the organization of many types of cultural ties through exhibitions, displays of merchandise, theatrical pieces by visiting performers, concerts, sports events, and other events, and economic ties. Exchanges are to be carried out on the following basis: aside from travel expenses, all remaining expenses will be borne by the receiving organization. The Center has the possibility to develop economic activity in the most diverse ways, even to immediately establish joint ventures.

We hope that our various proposals are of interest to you.

In turn, the Center is ready to consider all your feasible suggestions. As a first step, we are already prepared at the beginning of 1991 to accept a delegation of three or four representatives from your group or to send a similar group in order to examine the details of our cooperation.

Best wishes,

Artashes Tantushyan
President, CYOA

translation aa

DATE: 11 January 91



Armenian Library and Museum of America, Inc.

Ամերիկայի Հայկական Գրադարան և Թանգարան

65 Main Street, Watertown, Massachusetts 02172

Telephone: (617) 926-ALMA
(2562)

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Chairman
ARTHUR T. GREGORIAN

President
JOYCE GREGORIAN HAMPSHIRE

Vice President
HAIG DER MANUELIAN

Secretary
FREDERICK F. MARGOSIAN

Treasurer
DONALD K. KOUNDAKJIAN

Assistant Treasurer
VARTAN HARTUNIAN

PAUL Z. BEDOUKIAN
ROBERT H. BEDOUKIAN
KERAN M. CHOBANIAN
ARMEN DEMERJIAN
HAIG K. DERANIAN
H. MARTIN DERANIAN
EDWARD ESKANDARIAN
BYRON V. HARTUNIAN
ROUZAS KHOYLIAN
LUCY DER MANUELIAN
ARTHUR A. MARANIAN, SR.
BARBARA J. MERGUERIAN
THOMAS MORANIAN
CAROLYN G. MUGAR
ANN D. NAHIGIAN
ANN L. NAHIGIAN
JACOB PILIBOSIAN

Consultant
KRIKOR MAKSOUDIAN

Advisors
J. MICHAEL HAGOPIAN
MARK A. KALUSTIAN
NOUBAR NALBANDIAN

Honorary
MIHRAN AVAKIAN
NAZARETH AVAKIAN
MESROP G. BOYAJIAN

ACYOA Central Council
Diocese of the Armenian Church
630 Second Avenue
New York, NY 10016

24 Feb 1991

Dear sirs,

Several months ago I was contacted by the ACYOA, asking if I would arrange to have ALMA available for a tour by the ACYOA during the ACYOA Armenian Cultural Weekend. This was somewhat inconvenient, since ALMA is closed on Saturdays, but I willingly complied with the request. I made it obligatory for the museum staff to work, in anticipation of the tour. After waiting several hours, I found through inquiries that the weekend had been cancelled several days beforehand without bothering to inform me. ALMA's staff work six days a week, and I found it extremely embarrassing to apologize for taking away their only day off. I've waited a week before sending this, to see if anyone would contact me. They didn't. I hope that if a similar situation should arise in the future, the organizers will have the common courtesy to contact ALMA or others.

Sincerely,


Gary Lind-Sinanian