October 24, 1973

Dear George and Eddie:

I did receive your check for \$50.00 from Tavloo. Sorry if I didn't acknowledge it, but I guess I was waiting for more... And wasn't I right? I got hundredfold!

This is what I call "giving" without being solicited. Yes, your various royal pledges are all fulfilled today, given willingly and with a smile and you cannot imagine how good it makes me feel inside. Thank you dear friends.

Thank you also for your kind words for what I did for the Project. I am glad that I was in a way instrumental in our having today that magnificent edifice which has become a Landmark. However, at the risk of using a cliche, I have to say that where would I be if it weren't for wonderful people like you and some others who helped me generously when helping was needed. For that too, please accept my heartfelt thanks.

Our warmest regards from Alice and myself to you and your families.

Sincerely,

Haik Kavookjian

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Bashian Bros. New York, N.Y.

Encl. Rcpt. #5610 for \$5000.00