December 23, 1980

Mr. Edward H. Gregory 36 Elmwood Place Short Hills, New Jersey 07078

Dear Mr. Gregory:

We write to thank you for donating to our Diocese two precious family heirlooms: the medallion and Pontifical Encyclical (kontak) granted to your grandfater of blessed memory, Mr. Haig Simsafian, by His Holiness Vazken I, Catholicos of All Armenians. These noble and deeply symbolic relics will be entrusted to the care of the Diocesan Treasury, and become thereby part of the heritage of our church and community.

In this season of the blessed Nativity of Our Lord, we pray that God grant you and your loved ones His blessings of peace, health and joy.

Prayerfully,

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian Primate