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Rabbi Norman Lamm  
27 West 86th St.  
New York, N.Y.

Dear Rabbi Lamm:

I enclose a clipping from the Feb. 7, 1964 issue of the South African Jewish Times.

I am interested in knowing whether the statement in which you are quoted as saying, "There are some Reform Congregations in America where half the members are non-Jewish", is an accurate quotation.

Irrespective of the statements attributed to you, do you happen to know the name of a Reform Congregation in the United States where half the members are non-Jewish?

I still recall, with pleasure, your remarks a year and a half ago, when you, together with Rabbis Kahn and Eisenstein, addressed the college students winter recess assemblage in our building. I hope that your South African tour was up to your expectations.

With greetings from house to house,

Sincerely,



Rabbi Samuel Cook  
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