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Rabbi Norman Lamm
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Dear Norman,

I heard this morning of your election as President of Yeshiva University. I want to take this opportunity to wish you Mazel Tov and much achievement and success.

There are only a few positions in Jewish life which carry with them the opportunity to make a historic contribution. This is one of them. I know that you have a real sense of the scope of Yeshiva and the time we are living in and I pray, with *knos lecho*, you will make a real contribution.

It is no secret that I feel Orthodoxy's trend in recent years has tended to restrict its influence and contribution to Klal Yisrael. However, this letter is not meant to push my agenda. Rather it is to offer you best wishes and whatever help I can give and to express the hope that with your leadership, Yeshiva and Orthodoxy will set a model and be a bulwark of strength to all Jews.

fr's May the merit of your kindness and help to Willy Frank and his family be one of the many good deeds which stand by you and bring blessing and fruitfulness to your work.

Sincerely,

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