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Dear Bert & Hugu:

Thank you so much for your New Year's card. We're still in time to wish you & Zipporah, - also with our whole hearts.

Shavuot is past, but I'm still going to ask for a Pina - because I ain't sin! Within a couple of days of my return to my office I wrote to [redacted] in NY asking him to send the book directly to you.

I didn't hear from him, so I naturally assumed it was done. But of course, Jewish book-sellers are a breed apart! I called him today, just after receiving your card, & he told me the book was unavailable here. I therefore suggest you write to anyone in Israel (hopefully the situation will have improved by the time you get this letter) ask for the following soft-covered book:

Shavuot Gift - 126 p. x 2
 1968 edition, 1970/01
 Color 3.50/1.00.

I hope you will judge me by my intentions rather than by results! And best wishes from Mandy (a very brotherly Mandy) to -
 and all 40/100 -

Love
 [Signature]