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Dear Dr. Norman Lamm:

Although I congratulated you orally at the last college graduation, I want to repeat formally my best personal wishes to you for a successful tenure in the Yeshiva University presidency.

At the last Senior Dinner in June, in response to the presentation to me of the Senior Professor Award, I described the turbulent early years of Yeshiva College, the growth of Yeshiva University, the administration—faculty conflicts, the administration—student clashes, the ethical, moral and religious problems generated by the explosive expansion policies. I then expressed the hope that we now embark on a prolonged period of consolidation, fence—mending, internal strength building, and an ever increasing emphasis on intensified traditionally religious values. I was overjoyed to read your interview in the Jewish Week expressing similar sentiments.

I pray that the Lord give you strength of mind and steadfastness of purpose to adhere and carry out your expressed intentions.

Sincerely,

Dr. & Mrs. Eli M. Levine

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