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Mr. Michael Tabor Paragon Road London E. 9 ENGLAND

Dear Michael: 1:3

Mrs. Lamm and I are grateful to you for your post card and your letter containing a number of Torah thoughts from Lubavitch.

I re-read them with great interest. I say: "re-read," because I get them directly from "headquarters."

Unfortunately, I could not go to the 1500 v celebration last night because I was lecturing elsewhere in the city. I know that to a devotee of your conviction this is a very lame excuse indeed, but I hope you will recognize that there has to be someone who, though sympathetic, is outside the camp, in order that all of you who are inside the camp can shine by contrast.

Do let me know how you are getting along, איות ופא איות ו

My entire family joins me in wishing you a very pleasant and Happy Chanukah-and we look forward to seeing you again in the not too distant future.

Cordially,

RABBI NORMAN LAMM

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