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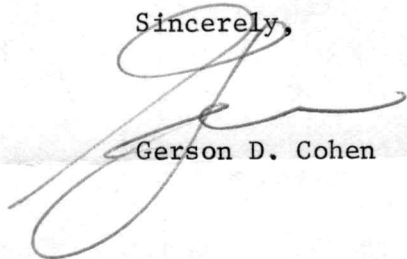
Dear David,

I can't tell you how grateful we are for your help at last week's conference on the rabbi as darshan. The two days were enormously exciting. At the very least, the conference reaffirmed our confidence that our curriculum is on the right track. More important, it enlarged our vision as to what we must do to create another generation of great Conservative rabbis and a vital and committed Conservative laity across the country.

We will be spending a good deal of time digesting your recommendations as to implementation and substance. You will be hearing the results of our deliberations in the coming months.

On a more personal note, your continuing support and concern for what we are trying to do at the Seminary is a genuine source of strength to me. I have recognized again what an unusual group of rabbinic colleagues we have. We have every reason to feel a great deal of pride at what we have accomplished. For enabling me to realize this anew, I am grateful beyond words.

Sincerely,



Gerson D. Cohen

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