

July 24, 1973

Mayor Jane M. Tolmach
City of Oxnard, Calif.

Esteemed Friend:

Receive my greetings and my strong embrace to show our appreciation and affection that I feel for you.

I'm sorry I have not been able to visit your beautiful city; that is run attentively and that knows how to follow the path of progress and harmony.

I appreciate the invitation you sent me to visit you, unfortunately factors regarding my job in the Presidency force me to put off my visit with much distress and sadness.

I want to repeat my invitation for you to visit and stay here in our home, this invitation does not imply the necessity of visiting with the committee but before if possible and to have the honor to receive you and your family. My family would feel honored that you and your family stay with us.

The group that is visiting is a distinguished Ocotlenses groups and they bring warm greetings for you and your citizens. Among them are my sisters, Graciela, Luz Maria, Bertha and her husband Jesus Castellanos.

I regret not being able to be with you, enjoying your hospitality and friendliness.