

To : DENNIS BAUER
From : Alberto Pascal
Date : October 17, 1994

Dear Dennis,

I have dragged my feet this time more than I usually do, and so would like to meet your comprehension and patience. The succession of events have taken the time out of me, and the possibility of being able to serve those to whom I am so indebted makes me happy, but sometimes forget that the time –since I found sobriety- has become tiny and worth living. I'm sorry for having called you so late last night. Please, excuse me and say hi to Maggie for me. There are a lot of things to let you know, Denny, so please let me go ahead and tell you about:

Thanks a lot for the material you sent me by express regarding the movement to Censure, as well as the letters from Mr. Jake Ham. I called Mr. Ham up last Monday. This was a good chance to talk to him about the situation we've had concerning the copyrights and the lawsuit. My fellows from the GSB also gave me instructions so as to invite Mr. Ham to come over to Mexico and attend the Service Forum for late November. He very consciously let me know that, since he was himself a GSB trustee, he'd need the formally invited so he could discuss this during the meeting that the Board is going to held late this month. I thus told Saul Castorena and Dr. Guzman, and this latter sent him the invitation enclosed. Mr. Ham also told me to find out on an article issued in a Plenitud magazine (Central Mexicana's magazine) in 1993, and which was highly inflammatory. I promised to give him our viewpoints on this article, which I am trying to find, since we never read Central's literature or publications.

On the material issued be the GSB on September the 23rd, 1994 on the History of Mexican Copyright Licenses, intent to sway the conscience opinions from our cause, a self-explanatory letter was sent last week. The GSO General Manager told me your copy was on the mail, however, I am sending attached a copy. As you kindly can see, this letter has not been written with a legal intention, but ot inform our older brothers in the U.S.A., as well as what were our grounds to split, our present predicaments, and our reaching-out for help.

Denny, To just tell you that we all thank you for your comprehension, you wisdom and love to us, shared so generously with your letters, would always be short. My fellow delegates, GSO, GSB, and Magazine members, MCDs and GSRs, as well as group members, all of us have received a *moral boost* which we so badly needed. After the police seized our publication, we all went outraged, alone, misunderstood. However with your sponsorship

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and friendly letters, we are more united, thoroughly revamped and more future-optimistic; as well as AA-principled-abiding. That is why my fellows and myself want to personally hear you and Bob and if it's possible Mr. Ham, as well as to have your opinions through a question-and-answer session with our service delegates (well, I guess there will be two session, in fact. One on Friday and the other on Sunday).

We are going to have a meeting tomorrow, which agenda will be the agenda for the Service Forum. There we'll discuss about the details concerning the hotel you and Maggie, and Gail will stay in, the work agenda, the auditorium, etc. etc.

As soon as possible, I'll get in touch with you so to let you know about the meeting in Cuernavaca.

Yours in love and service

P.S. I'll give you a ring sometime today.