

Dear Sir :

Your aide, Mr. Carlos Torres, and I had a conversation during your recent visit to the Guadalupe Cultural Arts Center in San Antonio, Texas. Mr. Torres encouraged me to communicate my comments to you in support of your views regarding Spanish language television programming.

I feel deeply honored to be able to extend these few humble words and my expression of support for your quest for change. I pray to God that you be granted the opportunity to implement the much needed changes you described. ~~The Change~~ <sup>in the</sup> ~~spanish~~ programming you indicated were needed agree with my views on what is necessary to improve our image here in the United States.

The Spanish television programs of today project a very negative image of your country and of Spanish speaking people around the world. If we are to educate our children and our children's children properly about our <sup>beautiful mexican</sup> customs and culture, we must work to bring about a change. A change that will benefit all people.

Our performers, as well as yours, are the floral landscape of our country whose perfume reflects the beauty of our people. We must cultivate the opportunities for our artists to project to the world an image deserving of a race of <sup>the</sup> proud people that we are.

I am but one ant who has begun to place my pebble on the tracks which today railroad our destiny. If the artists of my country and yours unite together, the fruits of the combined effort shall be the harvest of the future. Our artists need to receive proper treatment.

At present I am working on a book which I hope to have published by October 12, 1992. The last chapter will address the needed changes in the Spanish television system. It will point out the avenues by which these changes may be achieved. I will be happy to collaborate with you in whatever humble assistance I may be able to render. I am the grandson of Maria L. de Hernandez who received an audience with your father when he was president of Mexico.

Again permit me to reiterate that I feel very honored to have the opportunity to extend my support and ~~prayers~~ to you on your noble effort.