

1933 December 9 Katherine to Suleiman from Bethlehem – send money for children and school

Dear Suleiman Farhat, may God protect him,

I hope when you receive this you will be in good health and spirits. I want to tell you, my dear Suleiman, that you sent me to your folks to have a good time and be happy. What you did was an honorable act, but you did not send enough money for the children. For the money I brought is now depleted. I need to spend on the children and it seems that your father never seems to have any money. Please send us money urgently so we can live and spend on the children's school, etc. From here everybody, young and old, send you their warm greetings. Your father and mother and folks send you their greetings and bless you and wish you success and long life. And they also want you to send money urgently. Please give my greetings to all the folks who pass by you.
Peace.

P.S. When you receive my letter it will be Christmas. I want to greet you on this occasion on the birthday of the Lord Jesus Christ, our Savior, hoping that you will spend many years in good health and prosperity.

Katherine Farhat

(letter was dictated to someone who is not named)
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