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September 21, 1965

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goodpasture  
2918 Hillsboro Road  
Apartment C-3  
Nashville, Tennessee

Dear Janice and Bill:

I am happy to learn that you are now settled in your new home and that both of you are very busy in your respective activities. I am certainly happy that Janice was able to get a job as soon as she did and hope that everything is going to be conducive in the next twelve months for Bill's intense study and preparation for his life as a preacher of God's word.

It was a real pleasure to be associated with you at one of the most important times in your life and especially to have been asked to perform your marriage ceremony. I appreciate your honoring me in that way and hope that I was able to even more fully open your minds to the spiritual realities created by marriage.

I know that the years ahead are going to provide fantastic opportunities for all of us. I do hope that we will have all spiritually matured so that through self sacrifice and refusal to consider material and external matters will be able to plunge through every door that God opens. I pray that the years ahead will provide us many opportunities of mutual labor in the kingdom. We will see the church of Jesus Christ advance as men of your caliber and families of your devotion are willing to fully dedicate themselves to the unselfish task of making Christ real in modern life.

I do hope that something can come of Broad Street's proposed mission program and that you can be a part of it. We will let the next few months determine to what extent this may become a possibility. I am placing you on our bulletin mailing list today. Let us know how things progress in your work and study.

Fraternally yours,

John Allen Chalk

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