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WESLEY

DEAR DR. SNYDER

GREETINGS IN JESUS' WONDERFUL NAME. MY NAME IS DEREK LIEBOWBERG AND I AM AN M.A. STUDENT AT NAZARENE THEOLOGICAL COLLEGE, MANCHESTER, U.K. I LIVE IN SOUTH AFRICA BUT AM PURSUING POST-GRADUATE WORK HERE IN ENGLAND UNDER THE NEW, WESLEYAN M.A. COURSE AT N.T.C. I RETURNED HOME TO FIND (HOME, SOUTH AFRICA, THAT IS) A LETTER FROM THE W.T.S. DATED 1 JUNE 1990, ALONG WITH A COPY OF THE '88 JOURNAL. I THANK YOU HEARTILY FOR THIS. I FIRST APPLIED IN 1988 FOR STUDENT MEMBERSHIP BUT HEARD NOTHING, DESPITE SENDING FURTHER ENQUIRIES. I APPLIED AGAIN IN 1990, BUT UPON NO REPLY, CONSIDERED IT POSSIBLY INCONVENIENT FOR THE W.T.S. GIVEN THE VAST DISTANCES INVOLVED, AND WAS THEREFORE SOMEWHAT (PLEASANTLY) SURPRISED TO RETURN HOME OVER EASTER AND FIND YOUR LETTER

JOHN WESLEY'S STATUE AND WESLEY'S CHAPEL, CITY ROAD, LONDON EC1.

The statue was erected in 1891 to mark the centenary of John Wesley's death. It is the work of Adams-Acton, a well-known Methodist sculptor who is particularly remembered for his roundel of the two Wesley brothers in Westminster Abbey (1876). The Chapel, which was opened in 1778, was designed by George Dance the younger. John Wesley, who seems to have removed some of the embellishments on Dance's design, described the Chapel as "... perfectly neat, but not fine; and contains far more people than the Foundery". The Foundery was the Chapel's predecessor as a base for Wesley's work, acquired originally about the beginning of 1740. Wesley's tomb is behind the Chapel, which is regarded as the Mother Church of World Methodism.

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APPROVING MY MEMBERSHIP FOR 1990.

I ALSO APPLIED FOR BACK ISSUES OF THE JOURNAL AT THE TIME OF MY FIRST APPLICATION. I DESPERATELY REQUIRE THESE BACK ISSUES TO HELP ME IN MY RESEARCH FOR THE M.A. COULD YOU PLEASE INFORM ME AS TO MY FINANCIAL OBLIGATION TO THE W.T.S. FOR SUCH SERVICES RENDERED. I AM ALSO A STUDENT MEMBER OF THE WESLEY FELLOWSHIP HERE IN ENGLAND CHAIRED BY OUR PRINCIPLE, REV. H. MCGONIGLE. MY CURRENT ADDRESS IS:

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THANK YOU. I LOOK FORWARD TO HEARING FROM YOU.

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P.S. Please send my fondest regards to Dan Berg if you see him.



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