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Dated Oct. 3, 1964.

Dear Devika Raniji,

I am thankful to you for your cyclostyled documents concerning the 90th Birth Anniversary of late Prof. Nicholas Roerich. I hope you have sent copies of these documents to all the local papers directly. The one copy you sent me is being used by me personally. If I had more copies, I might have forwarded them and followed up their simultaneous publication thereof in local Press. I hope Dr. Svetoslav Roerich himself will be here on that day for All India Broadcast. If so, why not we have an evening ~~for~~ dinner.

You are aware we are having our International Convention and Seminar on Media of Understanding in the first week of December. May I request you and Dr. Roerich to accept the Organising Committee's invitation to be available to us for participation in these events. We are expecting a good gathering from all over India and outside.

With best regards,

Yours sincerely,

*Radha Raman*

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DATED December 2, 1967.

My dear Devika Raniji,

You will excuse me for this delay which is caused in replying to your nice letter dated 13th ultimo. I had gone on long tours and it is only now that I am able to attend to it. I must express my apology and regret for not having written to you all these days. In fact, I remember you on many occasions and recall to my mind that splendid opportunity which you offered to me while in Delhi to sit and chat together and enjoy our meals together. I have no adequate words to express my deep gratitude and regards for this. It left a memory which is ever green.

You and your husband both are ever so kind to me that I remember you so often and desire to be with you on as many occasions and for as many good things as possible. I am glad that you hope to be in Delhi again and this time you will have another bigger exhibition of the paintings of Dr. Roerich whose fame is surpassed all frontiers. You can depend on my assistance and co-operation in this if it is ever required. Kindly do let me know when you both are in Delhi for this purpose. It would, indeed, be a pleasure and honour to spend sometime with you and exchange notes etc.

Perhaps the choice of Sri Nijlingappa as the unanimous candidate for the next Congress Presidency will find your and Dr. Roerich's approval. It was just announced in the newspapers.

Our January Special is in hand and if I can encroach upon your precious time, I would certainly request you and Dr. Roerich to write something separately for that issue and also send me your latest photographs, if possible.

With warmest regards and greetings for you both,  
I remain,  
Yours sincerely,

*Radha Raman*

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Dated June 9, 1977

Dear sister Devika Raniji,

I thankfully acknowledge receipt of your nice letter dated 1st June 1977 forwarding therewith three items for incorporation in our Special Foundation Number of 'Penfriend International' scheduled to be out on 1st August, 1977. I am very grateful to you and Dr. Roerich for his special contribution. I shall, of course, return the photographs after they have been converted into blocks.

I have little doubt that the article and photographs both will attract the widest attention of our readers. Kindly convey my affectionate regards to Dr. Roerich and accept them yourself.

Yours sincerely,

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Dated June 18, 1977.

My dear sister Devika Raniji,

I have yet another letter dated 6th instant to acknowledge. I have already written to you that the article and the photograph were received earlier and were also acknowledged through another letter.

You are right when you say that there are issues to be settled with the new set-up and this will keep you extremely busy for about two months. I am sure with your amiable disposition and fair deal the new-set-up will be equally sympathetic to you and Dr. Roerich and his great works. Kindly let me know if I can be of any help to you in this regard. You are aware that the Janta party leaders are not well disposed with the old colleagues. In fact, in some cases they have been vindictive but that does not matter. Life is full of experiences and one survives who takes all situations calmly and quietly. I am doing the same. As an optimist we should always think that future is bright and come what may India will progress.

It is a redeeming feature that Morarjibhai is at the helm of affairs. He is a tried and experienced Congressman. Though he differs on earlier occasions, yet he is basically a follower of Gandhiji and his teachings. There is a great need for us all to follow Gandhiji in its true spirit and we hope that Morarjibhai will stand this test. I greatly value your advice to keep courage and bear all times whether they are good or bad. In fact, I have always felt that political life is not as good as social and educational life is. I am, therefore, devoting more of my time to these spheres and I am sure time will come again when there will be need of sincere and honest persons in political life and we

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can re-enter. As long as we see the light of God within us and work with devotion and dedication, glory is ours. With your grace and blessings, I have always found in you and Dr. Roerich the inspiration which makes a man do better without any selfish end.

Kindly let me know when you and Dr. Roerich come to Delhi. Now I will not be so busy as I was and also will not be surrounded by circumstances which had often failed us to meet in the past. Kindly convey my regards to Dr. Roerich and accept them yourself,

Yours sincerely,

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