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I gratefully acknowledge the receipt of the Brochure of The Roerich Pact and The Banner Of Peace and convey my warmest thanks to it's Committee.

It is no simulation of virtue when I confess, that ever since my senses could record the ethereal tremor of culture, I have lived under a firm conviction that humanity could reasonably aspire to ascend the heights of salvation through cultural pursuits. This belief has led me to dedicate my life at the altars of all that is cultural - and all that is Godly - and all that is peaceful and serene. Through art - through music - through literature - and through religion, which are some of the flaming emblems of culture, I have sought to find out the key which may open the door that shut out the endless vista of eternal humane peace and tranquillity. Still I seek and may my seekings never end.

The Brochure of The Roerich Pact and The Banner Of Peace, which has been so kindly forwarded to me, only reaffirms my faith in the onward march of humanity through cultural achievements! The creator of this Pact, I have not yet met. Though, I have received through my seekings his personal blessings - touches of his own brushes in a painting - and messages from his pen. His teachings I have tried to assimilate and propagate and I can only confess that I am now one of his followers and bearer of his Banner. With my circumscribed knowledge, I desire not to endeavour to unfathom the precious meanings of his Pact; nor do I wish to try to unfurl the symbolical meanings of his Banner. The messages of his Pact and the wave of his Banner have travelled far and wide; and today, those who still believe in culture and peace, may forsake everything else and take up his Banner to proclaim eternal peace for mankind. The Brochure should arouse in every human heart the love for God through cultural outlook and its object should prevent humanity from heading to wards a precipitous fall into the dark abyss of degeneration!

Sd/- Robin Roy

Gurudev,

The Committe of The Roerich Pact and The Banner Of Peace,
New York, sent me a Brochure with the request to acknowledge it. I
have sent the above which I am forwarding to you for your kind perusal.

With my profound regards, yours respectfully,

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