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Dear Lasse,

It is a beautiful thought and a beautiful gift that we much appreciate and for which we thank you. The man who is a wee bit younger than I who made those lamps for you has a fine eye, a skilled hand and excellent taste. And it is fine that he can continue being productive of the beautiful when most have retired. My wife was particularly pleased. She ^xexclaimed when she first ^asaw it how beautiful it is. And you picked the one kind of lamp for which in our house there is a fine place for it, for her to use! ...As you may recall, I am limited in what the doctors permit me to do. I am not to lift more than 15 pounds. We were fortunate that the woman who delivers our mail, aware of this, does more than she is required to. She actually brings most packages into our home. Yesterday, along with your package, was one of Florida citrus from a friend. So, she carried both packages into the house and placed them on the kitchen range for us. I started to open your well-made package and when I saw the shade, just a peek of it, under the Copenhagen newspaper, I put the shade back under the paper and called to my wife, telling her she had a gift. She exclaimed with pleasure when she removed the shade, and again, more so, when she removed that beautiful base. Then, when she started to assemble it, she called to me. I first saw how graceful the line of the base and how fine it looked. Then she showed me that two of the three ~~xxx~~ pieces at the top of the had had come apart from the ring that holds it in place on the lamp. I think that when it was made it was spot welded electrically and should be easy to repair. I'll search for one who does that kind of delicate spot welding ~~we~~ and we'll have a beautiful lamp that will always remind ~~xxxxx~~ us of you and your thoughtfulness and generosity. ... I have never seen a lamp with that extra piece that keeps the light from going upward ^{from} for it. ^{Seems} Sound like a fine idea. For where we will place it in particular, before a large mirror. So, we do thank you very much and we are lucky that the damage was so slight. ...I think perhaps the best place to get a copy of the original FOIA Act would be ^{from} either the Assassination Archives and Research Center, 910 F St., NW #510, Washington, DC 20004 or from the clerk of either the Senate or the House of Representatives at the US Capitol in Washington. You have been in touch with Lesar, a fine man to whom we are all indebted. ...The people at The Last Hurrah are fine people. I believe they will have Case Open, AND NEVER AGAIN! due later this year! You will note that Posner is careful not to provide source notes from his nasty comments on me. I wrote and asked him for them because where he does not lie he distorts, and he never responded. He is also wrong in his comment on that Canal Street address. He did not do his own work on that. I was there and took pictures. ...You ask how is it possible for one to do as Posner did. That is like asking how any other kind of whoring is possible. I am sorry that only about a fourth of what I wrote will be published. His is the most dishonest book I've read and the uncritical media made its and his success. It welcomes any book that covers up for it in its failures, for its never telling the people the truth. Many thanks and our best,

Dear Harold

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Thank you for your letter from february 22th. I am very honored that Hood College are interested in my translation of your books, and they are welcome to receive my future translations if they want too.

I read your remarks re a selection from the "Whitewash series and Post Mortem" has been published. I have just received the latest catalog from "The Last Hurrah Book Shop" in which this books are included, as well as one of your books "Oswald in New Orleans." and I intend to order them from this bookstore. Your remarks on the 1974 amending to the FOIA-act make me wonder, whether it is possible to obtain a copy of the original FOIA-act from the "Government Printing Office" or some other publisher. I have visited the american embassy here in Copenhagen to see if they have this material, but without any luck. I would appreciate if you can help me with some addresses in that connection, if it is possible.

To follow up on this same subject, have I just ordered a copy of the "President John F. Kennedy Assassination Records Collection Act" from Jim Lesar's AARC, as well as a copy of "Case Closed File", a collection of articles and comment on the book of Gerald Posner. I have received this book from the "Book of the Month" from U.S.A. and after reading the first chapters, I fully understand your determination to write another book. The more I read of this book, the more my anger grow. How it is possible to turn all the evidence in the assassination upside down, without any explanation or proff for this "new" evidence from the "writer." It makes me wonder whether this book are the work of CIA or another government agency. Anyway I look very much forward to read "Case Open", and I hope that you will set the record straight.

You mentioned in your letter that you was interested in my lamps. Therefore I forward herewith a small sample for you and your wife from my collection. The lamps are handmade by a man here in my town, who have made all my lamps through the years. He is now 79 years of age, but still going strong. I hope you like my small gift.

Best wishes

Lasse

