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To whom it may concern

I grew up in a middle class family and did not receive any religious education. Growing up I could less and less realize any relation to the established religious, so I abandoned church. Looking more and more intense for the meaning in life I one day came across the book "I am the Way" by Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh. This book suddenly woke up something inside of me, something new, what I somehow had always felt deep inside of me but never fully realized. After that I participated in several Inner Growth programmes of German Rajneesh Meditation Centers, what made me finally experience what I had read in the book. Then I went for a visit to Rajneeshpuram, where I saw Bhagwan for the first time.

I realized that there is a living Enlightened Master like Buddha or Jesus. Through his silence Bhagwan gives me a unique opportunity to reach and feel him. Through him I attained to a consciousness that says unconditionally Yes to life and lets life become a celebration. Through the love I have experienced by Bhagwan I reached a way of being that opened totally new dimensions for me, as well to myself as to my fellow-men.

I am daily happy to have found Bhagwan. Bhagwan for me is the greatest religious teacher there is on earth today. I am proud of being a sannyasin.

Yours Faithfully

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