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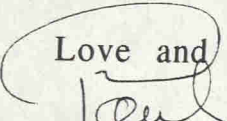
Dear Patty,

It's of special interest to me that you and I feel it's time to move on in new directions and that we'll both be changing our roles at The Actors Studio. Passing the baton--a time-honored tradition. And you're right, it is a good moment. The horizon's bright.

I want you to know personally how grateful I am to you for helping to get the Studio to the solid place that it is at today. You must share my feelings of pride over what has been accomplished in the past twelve years. You came at a momentous time in the Studio's history -- just when Lee left us -- and stayed on to become an intimate and respected part of our family and you have been a zealous partner in every good thing that has happened in this period. I am delighted that you've agreed to remain on the Board, so we can have the continued benefit of your experience, knowledge and dedication. I speak for the entire Board of Directors and all of your friends at the Studio when I say that we owe you enormous gratitude.

Patty, you know Joanne shares my affection and esteem for you. We look forward to seeing you again soon and continue to be here for you whenever you need us. You have my blessings, support and best wishes in all of your future undertakings. As we discussed, the writing bug's a hard one to slap away, so go to it.

Love and happiness,

  
Paul Newman  
President  
The Actors Studio

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cc: Board of Directors