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Deur Mr Michaelilis,

It was good of you to write. Otherwise it might have been long before I heard the sad news of your husband's death. Please accept my deepest sympathy on your great loss.

It is one consolation that he was able to see his book published - and so well received - before his death; and it is a great satisfaction to me, personally, that I was able to play a part, if a small one, in getting it published. One now sees constant references to it in the scholarly press: clearly, it meets a need. I am glad to know that it will soon be published in a modern Greek version.

He was a man of the greatest charm and distinction. I look back upon our meetings with great pleasure.

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R.P. Winnington-Ingram