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Khun Prasidh Silpabanleng
Phakavali Institute of Dance and Music
135 Boripat Road
Bangkok, Thailand

Dear Khun Prasidh and Khun Laddha:

The concert Friday night was the most successful one we have ever had. Never have we had our hall so jammed full. Never have we had such whole hearted response from the audience.

I am deeply mortified when I realize that the income you received from it amounted to the equivalent of only nine or ten of your tourists at your usual admission fee. We have carefully calculated our receipts and have given you exactly half of them. The other half went for gasoline, printing, promotion, publicity, and other expenses. We hope that you feel, as we know you do feel, that this is something done for the education and improvement of the Thai people and the Thai students, to encourage and to foster a deeper appreciation of their culture. This I am sure the program accomplished.

On our part, we feel highly honored to have been the medium by which your program could reach such numbers of Thai students. We are here in order to help Thai university students in any way that we can. By making it possible for them to have seen this program we feel that we have made a contribution. But nothing in comparison to yours. Your people sacrificed their time, their strength, and went to no little inconvenience in order that Thai dance and music could be shared with others. We hope that you will extend to each and every person that participated and helped with the program our deepest gratitude and appreciation.

We pray that you may have a brilliant and successful tour through the United States with your troupe.

Sincerely,

Ray Cloyd Downs