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Doris Hsiao Feng Chang, wife of Paul B. Pederson c/o Immanuel Lutheran Church ATTN: Mary Kay 16515 Luther Way Eden Prairie, Minnesota 55346

Dear Ms. Chang:

Ionly just learned of the death of your husband, Paul B. Pedersen. On behalf of the University of Minnesota, I want to extend my condolences to you and your family.

We are fortunate that Professor Pedersen chose to make the University of Minnesota his academic home. Your husband's expertise in his field of psychology and his gifts as a teacher inspired his students and colleagues and greatly enriched our community. I hope it is a cause of pride for you that through his dedication to the University, Professor Pedersen contributed significantly to the University fulfilling its vital educational and public service mission.

Professor Pedersen's spirit will live on in the lives of those he touched. I know there can be little consolation for such a loss, but I wish you comfort in your memories and strength in the companionship of those you love.

Sincerely,

Eric W.Kaler President

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