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Dear José

I hope your re-entry into teaching is not too much of a shock. Did you manage to finish the encyclopedia and the book? I continue to be amazed at your rate of productivity. I have been working hard on a book, and hope to have it done by the new year. Connie and I had a wonderful summer in Aspen. One of the people we met was Charles Frankel of the Columbia Philosophy Department. I'm sure you know him. He has just founded the National Humanities Center in North Carolina, and was most forceful about my applying. So, I am applying. If I get it I would apply for some leave either next year or the following. In any case, I wonder if you would be so kind as to send him a letter of recommendation on my behalf. I think you might send it to him at Columbia. I will probably be visiting BMC in the latter part of October. Hope I can have a little time together.

Do give my best to Priscilla.  
With all good wishes and thanks  
Affectionately  
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