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My dear Friend and Colleague:

Your magnificent fourth edition of the Diccionario de Filosofia has just arrived. I don't know how to thank you for your kindness and thoughtfulness in sending me this magnificent work. I have used all of your previous editions with great frequency. As a matter of fact the most recent one is always at my elbow even when it concerns my North American colleagues. I notice that there are ever so many new entries and considerable expansion otherwise. The chronological table with the names of the most important philosophers is also a help as well as the topical grouping of philosophical subjects. We have nothing like this in the English language, especially since Baldwin's Dictionary, although excellent for its day, is now not only out of print but also not of course up to date. It is amazing to me how you have been able to do the tremendous amount of work that was required all on your own. I certainly do hope that it will be possible to arrange for a competent English translation of it. Schneider spoke to me about it in Honolulu and of course the Association does have a committee headed by Betty Flower that is trying to look into the possibility. It will take a large group of people to do what you did single handed in the original text.

With every good wish and with renewed thanks for this magnificent volume, I remain,

Very cordially yours,

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