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My dear Rajajee,

As you will see from this letter, I am here and am on my way to the States.

I have been reading your statements and articles regularly. My congratulations! You have changed the psychology, and you alone could have done this. Jaiprakash Narain too has shown a great courage. It appears that Panditji wants to resolve the problem. Lal Bahadurji too wishes to do so. Not Morarji.

In the beginning, opposition to Sheikh was bitter. But now India seems to be getting reconciled to the fact that we have to resolve the problem. If you can see this task through, you should have done an immense good to the country which would ever be remembered by the posterity.

I know how you worked for the partition of the country. I too, in my own way, helped you at that time. And if I write this now, it is only for the purpose of telling how I appreciate what you have been doing. In our country where people are so intolerant, it requires a great courage to sponsor an unpopular cause. And my admiration goes to those who are prepared to talk unpopular things. You have done this.

If you write at all, please write to me at the following address:

C/o. The American East India Corporation
25, Broadway, New York 4, N.Y.

My respectful greetings to you.

Yours sincerely,

sd. Ghanshyamdas

Shri C. Rajagopalachari
Madras

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