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Dear Christie:

I've been trying to write to all the folks who made our meeting in Raleigh such a success, and I still have a long way to go.

I could not count the number of folks who commented to me about how much they appreciated your presentation on Lodwick. I received the comments in Raleigh and I've had folks call here since then to compliment your presentation.

I don't know if Pam talked to you about getting a copy of your material for publication in the quarterly. I know I did hear you comment to someone that it was too marked up etc to be giving out. If you think your papers were marked up you ought to see the ones I've been working on. Many look like the rainbow faded on them.

If Pam did not make arrangements to get copies from you, would you please send me a copy. I promise you that we will clean it up so folks will never know you marked it up. After getting it in the computer I'll print it out and send back to you for your approval before sending on to Pam. I'm not sure how we will handle the "illustrations" but they are very important so send copies of them also. In fact if you want to just send the whole thing I'll make a copy and return your original. ✓

I expect you are thinking about now—"that fat slob has the same information I have, why doesn't he just use what he has and put it together in the same common sense fashion in which I have." I may have all the information you had, probably don't, but I would never have the ability or the time to put it together as you did and to make the analysis and draw the conclusions you did.

Thanks again for an outstanding presentation. I'm sorry we got screwed up with the scheduling, but I think that it was great being in a separate session as it was.

Give my regards to Paul. I have the impression that he is about as taken with all this family history as my wife, Mary, is. She tolerates me.