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My Dear Dr. Date:

Your kind letter of 1st April, which revived happy memories of long ago. My wife and I are happy to receive news of the well-being of your children, and of your own impressive literary activities. In the years of your retirement, *you* ~~to~~ have ~~been~~ published book after book of monumental scholarship in the true spirit of sadhana. It is of course the miracle of Grace, as you say: what else?

My son is still in Australia with his family. He was here for a couple of days, on the way to Italy. My daughter is with her husband at Vizagapatam; she has three children. Although she got her Ph.D. in ~~1962~~ 1961, she ~~has~~ *has* preferred not to take a job but maintain the hearth instead. She however writes both in Tamil and English.

Since 1971, I stay at Madras, though I have to visit Delhi on the average once ~~a~~ a month. My Vice-Presidentship of the Sahitya Akademi will come to an end in December. I hope to be free from these preoccupations afterwards.

I shall be happy to receive your book on Saint Tukaram, which we will both read with profit.

With kindest ragrds from us ~~both~~ both,

Yours sincerely

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To Prof V.H.Date