

July 28, 1995

Dear Jeff and Jette:

Greetings to you all. I hope your spirits are holding and that Mathias is resting as comfortably as possible.

I want you both to know that I have respected your wishes not to discuss or publicize Mathias' illness. However, I am now fielding calls from staff within the college who have heard the news through outside sources (possible connections with St. Mary's ... I do not know).

At some point, if you have not already considered it, perhaps you may wish to contact someone the Dean's Office. Concern for you and your family has been voiced as well as inquiries as to what can be done to help you through this time.

I have tried to tactfully request that the callers not pursue discussion about this, as it is a private and personal matter, and to await word from you.

Again, if I can do anything to assist you, know I would be happy to help.

Take care of yourselves.

Fondly,