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Mrs. Albert Dubbe 4830 34th Avenue South Minneapolis, MN. 55417

Dear Mrs. Dubbe:

Thank you so much for letting us know about the passing away of your husband and our dear friend and colleague, Albert Dubbe.

We had for years forwarded to his physicians the evidence of his slightly elevated blood pressure and pulmonary condition that you were aware of an increasing evidence over the years of cardiac enlargement and prominence of his left heart. Thus, though the onset of his condition was sudden and unexpected it had been a gradual deterioration over some years.

We always looked forward annually to seeing Mr. Dubbe so pleasant and enthusiastic in his visits with us. He was devoted to the CVD Study and the part that he could play in it.

You must know that we are extremely grateful for his faithfulness to this research over the 34 years that he participated in it. It was a remarkable contribution on his part to the understanding of chronic diseases.

We wish you and your family strength in coping with your loss, and we are the better for having known Mr. Dubbe over all these years.

Sincerely,

Henry Blackburn, M.D. Professor and Director

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