April 25, 2001

Mr. Brian P. Lamb Chairman and chief executive officer C-SPAN 400 North Capitol Street, N. W. Washington, D. C. 20001

Dear Mr. Lamb:

Hearty thanks for your letter of April 17, 2001.

I left a phone message for Connie Brod and look forward to hearing from her.

As one who began as a radio writer in 1947, then declined stoically into more remunerative work as a station owner, I am amazed by the art with which you translate your television succinctness-with-a-twinkle-in-the-eye into written form.

I am sending a copy of your splendid letter, to pass on your greetings to him.

Sinceerely,