

1504 Parrish Avenue,
Owensboro, Kentucky
June 19th, 1938.

Mr. Forrest C. Allen,
University of Kansas,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Mr. Allen:

For almost one month the writer has been wondering why the great "Phog" Allen should send an autographed copy of "Better Basketball" to a humble student of the game. My father returned recently from an extended road trip and told me the complete story. While he was with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hamilton, basketball turned up in the conversation and Dad said I had played some and had been helped immeasurably by a book written by "some man out in Kansas". You can imagine his surprise, and mine too, when he found out Mrs. Hamilton was your daughter.

Yes Sir, it will be exactly ten years this coming Christmas since receiving My Basketball Bible, and if you ever have cause for signed testimonials let me state I have never read any book on sports which deals more thoroughly with the subject than yours.

I sincerely thank you for your gift and remain,

Most sincerely yours,

James C. Campbell Jr.