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Hon. Martin Miller
Ft. Scott, Kansas

My Dear Miller:

I think men generally find it difficult to express on paper to a full degree the sympathy that they have for their friends, who have met with one of the greatest afflictions in life.

We can philosophize in regard to others, but it is mighty hard to make any sort of philosophical view take away the edge of the keen sorrow that we feel when death strikes one of our loved ones.

I did not have the opportunity to know Mrs. Miller well, but I know you and I know Woodrow and I have heard many good things in regard to Mrs. Miller. Perhaps, instead of sorrowing too much, you should feel a sense of joy and satisfaction that you had so long and so happy a life with her.

Sincerely, your friend