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Dear Della:

Hope all goes well. I'll wait
for my copy of the Year End letter
to discover what you have been doing all year...

This letter is to make a kind of
announcement and to ask your aid in a little project. The Johnson
Publishing Company will be moving into a brand-new building in November
and the Arts Selection Committee is shopping for representative work
from Black artists. We are sending out a letter inviting artists to send
along slides of their work and, of course, you will receive one of the
letters.

Meanwhile, perhaps you could suggest
some artists who should receive letters. We have asked Margaret to send
us the National Conference of Artists' mailing list (Just in case she
can't locate hers, do you have one you could send?), but we are certain
that there are other excellent artists not on that list whom you might
know.

I'm tempted to gossip and prattle,
but I'll spare you for now. Know you're getting into the new school year
and that time is of the essence. Hope you can spare a little.

Regards to the family and to Naomi.

Love,

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