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Dr. J. Lester Harnish  
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Dear Dr. Harnish:

As quickly as time is moving, it will soon be time for us to start packing and heading for Philadelphia. My closing months here in Japan will be busy for the Tokyo Union Theological Seminary and the Graduate School of Aoyama University want me to teach up until the very week we leave. In both places I will be teaching a ten weeks course in Biblical Aramaic.

I would appreciate receiving as soon as possible the new edition of the Seminary Catalogue, by air parcel so that it arrives without too much delay. If the Catalogue does not indicate what courses I will be offering this coming academic year, please let me know if I am correct in assuming (based upon your letter of November 4, 1968) that it will be Hebrew, Old Testament Theology, Old Testament Interpretation, and Studies in Psalms.

Dr. J. Lee Westrate's visit in December was most helpful. The warm greetings which he conveyed on behalf of the Trustees and Faculty were most encouraging. Our discussions were most helpful.

I trust Eastern is not facing the acute crisis that our Seminary here at Kanto Gakuin is now facing: several Christian students aided by radical students have barricaded the Seminary, closing it down completely. Two weeks of "talks" have produced no results, and I suspect the problem will remain when the new academic year opens up next month. You may even find the buildings barricaded when you visit Japan next year!

Our very best wishes to all of the Seminary family,

Sincerely,

Thomas F. McDaniel

PS. Note the slight change in our address--the house here is the same but the number is different.