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CHAPLAIN ABRAHAM GOLDBERG
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770 Eastern Parkway

BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, USA

FEBRUARY 7, 1944

DEAR CHAPLAIN GOLDBERG:

WE TRUST THAT BY THIS TIME YOU HAVE ALREADY RECEIVED THE MATERIAL WHICH YOU REQUESTED. THE COST IS THE FOLLOWING: FOR THE SET OF RAV SHULCHAN ARUCH--\$7.50. FOR THE FIVE SIDURIM @ \$1.25---\$6.25. FOR THE OTHER HASSIDIC AND EDUCATIONAL MATERIAL SENT---\$4.15---TOTAL \$17.90. MR. FEIGLIN, BOX 28, SHEPPARTON, VICTORIA, AUSTRALIA RECEIVES ALL OUR PUBLICATIONS REGULARLY. HENCE, MAY WE SUGGEST THAT YOU CONTACT HIM IF YOU WANT TO SEE ALL THE PUBLICATIONS OF MERKOS L'INYONEI CHINUCH REGULARLY.

IT IS YOUR SACRED PRIVILEGE AND TASK TO SERVE AS SPIRITUAL GUIDE AND MINISTER TO THE JEWISH SERVICEMEN UNDER YOUR INFLUENCE, BOTH IN RESPECT TO GIVING THEM THE MORAL SUPPORT THEY NEED IN ORDER TO BE STRONG AND BRAVE AND CONFIDENT OF VICTORY, AS WELL AS TO ENCOURAGE THEM IN THEIR FAITH AND OBSERVANCE OF OUR PRECEPTS TO THE UTMOST POSSIBLE. WE FEEL SURE THAT YOU ARE SUCCEEDING WELL, WITH G-D'S HELP.

OUR SACRED AND DIVINE TORAH RECOGNIZED THOUSANDS OF YEARS AGO THAT FAITH IN G-D IS A PREREQUISITE TO COURAGE AND CONFIDENCE IN VICTORY. "AND IT SHALL BE WHEN YOU DRAW NIGH UNTO BATTLE, THAT THE PRIEST SHALL APPROACH AND SPEAK UNTO THE PEOPLE AND SHALL SAY UNTO THEM, ' HEAR O ISRAEL, YE DRAW NIGH THIS DAY UNTO BATTLE AGAINST YOUR ENEMIES: LET NOT YOUR HEART BE FAINT, FEAR NOT NOR BE ALARMED, NEITHER BE YOU FRIGHTENED OF THEM: FOR IT IS G-d YOUR G-D WHO GOES WITH YOU TO FIGHT FOR YOU AGAINST YOUR ENEMIES, TO SAVE YOU: (DEUT: 20:2-4). AND (IBID 23:10-11): WHEN THOU GOEST FORTH IN CAMP AGAINST THINE ENEMIES, THEN THOU SHALT KEEP THEE FROM EVERY EVIL THING, FOR G-D THY G-D WALKETH IN THE MIDST OF THY CAMP; THEREFORE SHALL THY CAMP BE HOLY".

THE HEART OF EVERY JEW IS ALWAYS AWAKE AND HOW MUCH MORE SO IN SUCH TIMES OF STRESS. IT IS YOUR PRIVILEGE TO BE THE ONE TO IMPRESS UPON THE JEWISH SERVICEMAN OUR GREAT SPIRITUAL HERITAGE AND RELIGIOUS OBLIGATIONS AND WE TRUST THAT HE WILL GET THE FULL BENEFITS OF THIS OPPORTUNITY, SO THAT HE MAY ENJOY THEM LATER IN PEACE AND HAPPINESS.

WITH ALL GOOD WISHES FOR YOUR SUCCESS AND COMPLETE VICTORY OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND MAY WE MERIT G-D'S GRACIOUS MERCY AND THE COMPLETE REDEMPTION OF OUR PEOPLE ISRAEL

VERY SINCERELY YOURS,

RABBI M. SCHNEERSON
CHAIRMAN, EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

7.50
6.25
4.15
\$17.90