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To Whom It May Concern:

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Re: Darlene A. Persson

It is my pleasure to write a letter of reference for Darlene Persson. I have known Darlene since July 2000, when she first consulted with me for academic advising and program planning. I have come to know Darlene to be a highly intelligent, interesting and successful individual, possessing some extraordinary talents that truly set her apart from the average citizen. It is my good fortune to be acquainted with her.

As a psychologist with an educational background that is solidly in the mainstream of academia, with 30 years of professional work that is grounded in scientific methodology, it took me quite a while to comprehend her abilities.

Darlene can readily access information from past, present and future events, wholly unconnected with herself, seemingly defying logic. I have witnessed this on many occasions, and most recently, she assisted me by finding a pair of glasses that were lost in the course of doing errands several weeks ago with an accuracy that was amazing to me, but quite ordinary for her. With a minimal amount of information, she was able to locate not only the precise physical location of the glasses, but identified the events that led up to their recovery, and the people involved (all of whom were strangers). She directed me to go to a certain retail store, and to inquire at a certain counter. When I followed up the next day, they were there exactly as described. The clerk who had found them verified everything that Darlene had described.

This is one of many circumstances of my personal knowledge in which Darlene has demonstrated her gifted insight. She clearly possesses a remarkable ability that can and should be used to help other human beings. This is also her sincere interest and desire. When crimes are committed, children or other people are abducted, the perpetrators may be able to cover their tracks from law enforcers, but they cannot hide from Darlene's ability to visually access the scene of the crime and the location of objects or missing persons. Incalculable losses could be averted by utilizing her stunning talents.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if there is any need. I would like to close by saying that if at any time anyone or any possession dear to me were to be lost or missing, the first person I would contact for help would be Darlene Persson.

Sincerely,

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