



RIDEAU HALL

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Dear Mr. Halmi,

Birthdays are an occasion to reflect upon life's many joys, all of which form who we are today. It is a chance to celebrate the accomplishments we have made through hard work and determination, the wisdom we have gained through experience and, most importantly, the unique people we have met along the way of this incredible journey.

Over the years, you have experienced the world's many cycles and revolutions of change; your own personal history is forever woven into the tapestry of Canadian heritage.

It is therefore my pleasure to join your family and friends in wishing you a very happy one hundredth birthday, as well as many more years of happiness.

Yours sincerely,

Governor General of Canada

Mr. Joseph Halmi