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Dear Mr. Reynolds,

I trust this letter finds you well and full of the Spirit of the Paschal season. It is a pleasure to be working with you along with Archbishop Kelly in finding an equitable solution to my situation. I sincerely hope that our next meeting on May 8, 1995, at 10:00 AM will be the final one.

When we last met on April 25, 1995, there were several issues and options that we discussed. Since that meeting, I have thought about those options and agree with you on the option of a one time payment based on projected costs and occurrences. However, I am quite concerned that the amount of time you indicated is too conservative at best. I believe you projected the cost of treatment to be over an eighteen month period of time.

In my effort to be as fair as I can be, I talked with my psychiatrist, Dr. Carol Hammerbeck, my counselor, Kathy Baucom, and OLOP counselor, Jane Myers. Each of these three professionals agreed that treatment and recovery is a slow process and the time involved will vary from person to person. They did, however, indicate a generalized time period of between five and ten years. In my opinion, that seems like an eternity, and one that I hope and pray will not be the case for me.

Therefore, I would like to propose the following plan of action. Rather than trying to project figures out for five to ten years, I believe 36 months would be a fair and equitable solution. I am willing to sign any documents needed in order to finalize and seal this agreement. A one time settlement, in my opinion, is a better option in that it further strengthens my desire to put the financial affairs to rest and allows me to move forward in the healing process. I do not wish to go through the healing process with the thought of finances and paperwork hanging in the balance as I am fairly certain you do too.

Peace, love, and healing are what Christ taught and stood for as he went about His Father's business. It is through the same peace, love, and healing that I wish for all of us during this time of sharing, understanding, and courage.

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