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Signor Guido Ceronetti, 12th July, 1950.  
Via Bligny 4,  
Turin,  
Italy.

My dear Friend,

Re: Excursion.

I have delayed my reply on this matter, as I wished to consult one or two others when considering our very full Agenda. Although we have a great deal of work to do, we should like to have one organised outing, and we have fixed for this to take place on the afternoon of Saturday, 29th instant. We will make the trip to the Hill of Superga, and I should be glad if you could arrange for a motor coach to be at the Hotel Sitea at 14.30 hours on Saturday afternoon, 29th July, to convey our party to the funicular railway, to wait for us there and bring us back to the hotel. We must be back at the hotel by 17.00. I think it better to have the coach than to take the trains as with the coach we shall all be together, and one reason for arranging this outing is to give the opportunity to our Council Members and Italian friends to meet together. We therefore hope those Italian friends who are able will join us. Will you let me know the cost for one motor coach from the hotel to the foot of the funicular, to wait there whilst we go up the funicular and have tea, and come back again in time, as I say, to be back at the hotel at 17.00. Please make the booking for me and get it in writing, so that I know everything is in order. Also ask the Pullman Car people to state the price in writing. I should like to know what this will be and how many people a motor coach will accommodate.

I think you said we could take tea at the top of the Hill of Superga. Would it be necessary to select one of the cafés there and tell them we are coming, so that they can provide for a coach of people? I shall have to leave you to select the café you think most suitable. We should only need very light tea - nothing more than something to drink and biscuits or cakes.

I hope this will be a favourable suggestion and that the place will not be too crowded. I understand that the trip

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will be an enjoyable one. Please let me have the definite booking from the coach company for the exact times, as mentioned. I do not want you to book anything else. We cannot manage the suggested evening trip.

Very much looking forward to seeing you again,

Yours sincerely,

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