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Dear Yoko,

I am extremely sorry for this belated letter - was extremely happy to receive your kind letter. This delay in replying is not due to any indifference.

Lakshmi and I are eagerly looking forward to work for ASEA and pray that God will give me enough strength and ability to make the summer and the residency programmes a success.

I am very happy to know about the interests shown in U.S.A. to have my programme. I am very pleased about the way in which the programme has been scheduled. However, I would like to voice my opinion regarding the master class. Since we will be having lecture demonstration I feel that a master's class is not necessary. To be very frank I will not be very comfortable taking a master's class. I do hope that I will not be inconveniencing you.

I am happy to inform you that Lakshmi will be doing the L.D. Thereby she will be relieving me of all the strain enabling me to store up all the energy for the dance concerts.

May I congratulate you for having accepted to work for ASEA and I am sure that ASEA's administration will be very effective under your efficiency.

With love,

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