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Dear Gary,

One of the highlights of my summer was the Discrete Mathematics short course. I enjoyed it immensely.

My fall teaching schedule was changed in August. I am now teaching Discrete Mathematics, a course for our computer science majors, as well as our regular proofs course and trigonometry. The text that was picked for the Discrete Mathematics course is Discrete Mathematics with Computer Science Applications by Skvarcius and Robinson. I do not like it - at least not yet.

Besides wanting to tell you how much I enjoyed the short course, I have several requests. Bill Emerson, the new Secretary of the Rocky Mountain Section of the MAA, and I are working on the first Section newsletter for this fall. Would you be willing to write up something about the short course? How many attended and where they were from. (I found it interesting that many were not from the Rocky Mountain Section.) I would like to convey that the short course was successful and enjoyable.

Do you have any information about next summer's short course that you would like to see included? Have the dates been set?

Do you have any comments that you would like to include as Governor of the Section? Any news items?

Bill and I are slowly getting organized on running the Section. It certainly is not easy since we are both incredibly busy.

We are trying to get the newsletter out by the end of October so if we could have your articles in a couple of weeks it would be great.

Thank you!

Sincerely,

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Bill,  
Is this ok? If so,  
I'll send it  
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