

July 1, 1981

Judge Harry Edelstein
Court House
New City, N.Y. 10956

Dear Judge Edelstein:

At the trial, all the permissible evidence was presented the the jury made its decision accordingly. Paula was described simply as a female, age 16, occupation student. She was referred to by proper name, but often as the victim or the deceased, so impersonal as to imply that she should have been labeled people's evidence number so and so. It is time for Paula to be represented, and evidence presented in her behalf. To measure the enormity of this crime we must realize the loss -- and it is enormous.

Paula's blood type may have been 6 out of 1000, but her type of person was infinitely more rare. Many generations will have to pass to bring us another like Paula.

As to her character, she represented decency. She wanted to make this troubled world a better place. She had a multitude of talents and a choice of several careers. Paula had a fierce ambition and was a fighter against injustice. She was just realizing her strength and talent but was not overwhelmed by it. She was modest and generous and a friend to the friendless. Everybody was happy for her and she responded with love. Paula loved life and she lived it fully, packing in every bit she could. She was just starting to realize the joy of fulfillment in her work.

Paula's physical beauty by ethereal and reminiscent of ancient art. She carried herself with grace and serenity. She was proud of her womanhood and walked straight and tall. Pauls should have lived to be a mother. She should have lived to be a grandmother. We have lost her and her splendid progeny.

Sincerely,

Basil Bohovesky