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REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

December 16, 1988

Office of the Deputy Commander

Doctor Matthew S. Meselson  
Professor of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology  
Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology  
Harvard University  
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Cambridge, Massachusetts 02138

Dear Doctor Meselson:

Please accept my apology for failing to get you the information you requested regarding a source for the history of medicine before you departed on December 15.

As I told you, the prime individual resides at the Uniformed Services University of Health Sciences (USUHS) and is Dr. Robert J. T. Joy. He is an extraordinarily erudite and knowledgeable medical historian, and I believe he would be receptive to your request for help. His address is:

Doctor Robert J. T. Joy  
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I enjoyed immensely the opportunity to meet with you and the members of the BAST Panel, and I believe I speak for the Command when I say we look forward to continued interaction with you. I wish you and your family a blessed and happy holiday season and a New Year pointed towards peace.

Best personal regards.

Sincerely,

Harry G. Dangerfield  
Colonel, Medical Corps  
Deputy Commander