

My dear Sir professor!

Thanks for your letter. I am very happy to hear from you; but I am very unlucky that ~~its~~ difficult for me to converse with you. I supposed, you'll have a great joke to read my gibberish. Look, I understand your letter and most of articles in Englisch newspapers without dictionary. But it is difficult for me to reply. Begging your pardon for this letter and the future.

Presenting you the promised picture. The foreground of this picture is very dark. The time to take a photograph of colour was to unfavourable. On the other side, this is a reproduction. The original is ~~only~~ adapted to used by "Laterna magica". Hoping, we shall have an opportunity to repeat a scene in later time.

My comprehension it's not possible for you, to visite us. Another proposal: (A proverb in German says: "If the prophet don't comes to the mountain, the mountain comes to the prophet") We (my woman and I) should be to take leave of absence for one day, during your stay at Hamburg. So, we shall have the possibility to see us again (2nd or 3rd of november). But I must have your consent and your address from your hotel at Hamburg. It is a proposal and I am not bad, if you refused it; because I surmise, at Hamburg you will be very occupied.

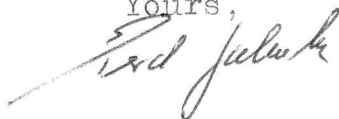
Next days I'll write and inform Mrss. Boldt, Westermann and Lichtenstein about the contents of your letter.

May I have finished my letter ?

Thanks for your friendship (I have left you in Venezia - but I have never forgotten you); Thinking of you;

In the meantime, sincerely,

Yours,



My woman presenting you heartily greetings.

Ps. Exuse my tipewriting, but it's better for you to read