



DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY

December 14, 1978

LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION:

I am an Associate Professor of Cultural Anthropology, and the author of several books and articles on areas including Plains Indian ethnology, supernaturalism, social control in cross cultural contexts, parapsychology, and archeology.

I have known Mrs. Renier for approximately two years. She has proven to be a very talented psi subject performing beyond chance expectations, as established by controls, in numerous experiments of the double- and triple-blind nature. Noreen is an intelligent, well balanced, and cooperative research subject. In addition, she possesses an accurate grasp of the basis of modern parapsychological investigation, and is conversant with the general literature on the subject.

Mrs. Renier has my highest recommendation as a psychic research subject, and as an entertaining and informative lecturer on the subject of psychic phenomena.

If further information is required, please contact me at the address listed on the above letter-head.

David E. Jones, Ph.D.

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DEPARTMENT OF BEHAVIORAL MEDICINE & PSYCHIATRY
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November 12, 1979

Robert H. Crow, Director
Division of Continuing Education
University of Virginia
106 Midmont Lane
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Dear Dr. Crow:

Ms. Noreen Renier has asked me to write you in connection with the course that she is currently teaching on ESP through your department.

I have observed Ms. Renier in several situations where she has demonstrated her psychic talents and I was very impressed with these demonstrations. She has been willing to have her abilities scientifically evaluated in a laboratory setting which is rare for most psychics.

I have lectured in her class and informally attended two or three of her other class meetings. I was very favorably impressed with her abilities as a teacher and her students are probably the most enthusiastic I have ever encountered in a classroom. I have been engaged in college teaching myself for a considerable number of years and I would have to enviously say that no class of mine has ever generated the type of enthusiastic response that Ms. Renier elicits from her students.

I would, therefore, hope that she would be given the opportunity to continue to offer this course in the future as it definitely represents a unique offering that would not be able to be matched by anyone else that I know of.

Very sincerely yours,

Robert L. Van de Castle, Ph.D.
Professor

BLUE RIDGE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

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November 2, 1979

Ms. Noreen Renier
Route 2, Box 113
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Dear Ms. Renier:

I cannot adequately express my appreciation for the outstanding presentation you gave in my parapsychology class at Blue Ridge in August. The students agreed that I had "saved the best for last", confirming my choice of you as our final guest speaker in the course. It is not always easy to hold the modern student's attention in a three-hour class meeting, sophisticated and wordly-wise as he is! But your unique blend of captivating lecture and fearless demonstration did the trick. Your public speaking savvy and irrepressible enthusiasm are very considerable assets in your teaching, group work, and public appearances. And exhibiting psychic mediumship on-the-spot before an audience is the most difficult test of paranormal ability, as other sensitives who have addressed my students have been all too well aware. But your short readings for nearly every class member were evidential, and helpful, to a remarkable degree--and evoked in the students the same enthusiasm for your work, which you feel for it. The successful extrasensory testing you have completed at Duke, your frontier achievements in psychic archeology, and your popular psi courses at the University of Virginia do not, of course, hurt your cause!

Little wonder that the students are looking forward tremendously to your encore on the 27th in Introduction to Parapsychology. I know it will be another special evening, and I greatly anticipate, and appreciate, your coming. Thank you again for your generosity in visiting my classes twice in such a short period--and for the unequalled zest and impressive demonstration which has characterized your several public presentations which I have been privileged to witness.

Respectfully,



David A. McKnight
Assistant Professor of Humanities

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NORTHERN VIRGINIA COMMUNITY COLLEGE



July 14, 1980

Ms. Noreen Renier
Route 2, Box 113
Barbersville, VA 22923

Dear Noreen:

Thank you so much for your presentations in our Consciousness Frontiers classes, both in our winter quarter, and as one of the lecturers at our all-day seminar.

As a result of these appearances, a number of students were interested in your teaching a one-day workshop, which I attended in the home of one of my students.

A number of people have spoken to me about you, mentioning your effectiveness as a speaker, your sincerity, and the fun they had in your classes. Your psychometric readings provided evidence to many of you psychic ability.

Every good wish,

Jean Eek

Jean Eek
Coordinator of
Consciousness Frontiers

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September 22, 1981

Ms. Noreen Renier
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Dear Ms. Renier:

On behalf of the Virginia State Crime Clinic and the Academy, we wish to thank you for your most enlightening, informative, and professional presentation on the topic "Psychic - An Investigative Tool," on September 18, 1981, held in Charlottesville, Virginia.

Your communicative skills were most evident when your presentation was over and people were willing to stay through their lunch period to have you continue in your demonstrations. Most noteworthy was your ability to provide an even flow through the whole program with the other presenters and especially your comments as to beware of the fakes and sham deals that can easily persuade someone unfamiliar in this area to believing something that isn't true. You again reemphasized the need for communication laboratories to be set up between people who possess gifts as you demonstrated and the law enforcement profession, in order to ask the right questions to obtain the best results. Your demonstrations and predictions were most accurate and although there still will be skeptics, you're able to have a lot of people leave with an open mind.

Once again, on behalf of the Crime Clinic and the Academy, we wish to thank you personally for your outstanding presentation and concern with the problems we are facing today. We appreciate your assistance and are looking forward to developing our communication skills.

Sincerely,



Peter Slusar
Director

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