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Dear Ms. Dunayevskaya,

Thank you very much for sending me a copy of your book, Philosophy and Revolution, and of your recent article on Marx and Engels. Both have reached me only now, and I am glad to have them.

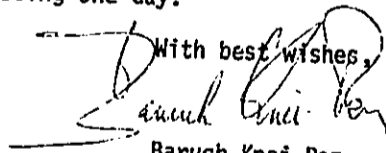
Of course, I am well acquainted with your work and contribution to Marxist studies in general and Marxist philosophy in particular. In my book on Trotsky, I made reference to a previous work of yours, Marxism and Freedom, and over the years I have often come across and read with much profit other of your writings. The chapter on Trotsky in your Philosophy and Revolution is an excellent account of the limits of "Trotskyism" and many of its criticisms of Trotsky as theoretician are echoed, in one way or another, in my own book.

I wonder what you are working on now? I myself am now engaged on a study of the intellectual roots and development of Russian Marxism, seen in the context of 19th century Russian social and political thought.

It would be a great pleasure for me if it were possible to meet you sometime. I shall be in the United States for ten days or so during the second half of October -- in part to participate in a Trotsky-Stalin centenary conference being held at the Oklahoma City University. Do you by any chance plan to attend this conference?

Thank you again for sending me the book and the article and I do hope we shall have an opportunity of meeting one day.

With best wishes,


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