

DEAR MR. SEYMOUR ROSEN,  
A FRIEND OF YOURS - DELORES  
GRIFFIN, WHO SOUGHT YOUR HELP  
WHILE SHE WAS WORKING ON THE  
ESTATE OF (POSSUM TROT) FOLK  
ART FORM, IS VERY INTERESTED  
IN MY HAND BUILT WORK OF ART  
AND MONUMENT - BISHOP CASTLE  
LOCATED IN SOUTHERN COLORADO JUST  
48 MILES S.W. OF PUEBLO, COLO.  
ON COLO. 165.

DELORES TELLS ME, THAT YOU  
MAY BE ABLE TO HELP WITH SOME  
OF OUR PROBLEMS, EXPLAINED IN  
AN ATTACHED LETTER DESCRIBING OUR  
CASTLE PROJECT.

I AM JIM BISHOP AND MY WIFE  
PHOEBE AND I HAVE BEEN ENJOYING  
YOUR BOOK - (IN CELEBRATION OF  
OURSELVES) LOANED TO US BY  
DELORES. WE CONSIDER OUR  
COMPLETELY HAND BUILT ONE MAN  
PROJECT - (PERHAPS THE MOST  
AMBITIOUS NO MONEY ONE MAN  
MONUMENT AND ART FORM IN  
THE COUNTRY TODAY) ALSO A  
FORM OF FOLK ART.

WHAT I JIM BISHOP WANT OUGHT OF  
ALL THIS TIME AND WORK IS SIMPLY  
RECOGNITION, A MODEST LIVELIHOOD,  
A BENEFITING MONUMENT OPEN FREE  
TO EVERYONE ESPECIALLY THE POOR  
TO RAISE MONEY FOR OUR BISHOP FOUN-  
DATION FOR SOUTHERN COLO INFANTS NEED-  
ING AID FOR HEART SURGERY. AND TO SEE  
HOW GREAT A MONUMENT I CAN BUILD IN MY  
LIFE TIME.

WHAT WE CAN USE IN THE WAY OF HELP ARE AS FOLLOWS —

PUBLICITY, HOW TO OBTAIN LAND-MARK STATUS?, HOW TO HANDLE THE IRS EXEMPT STATUS TURN DOWN? (WE CANNOT AFFORD LEGAL HELP) HOW TO ACHIEVE A RECOGNIZED MUSEUM IN THE CASTLE AS IT BECOMES HABITABLE? AND HOW TO PRESERVE IT FOR POSTERITY?

WE INCLUDE SOME OF OUR COPIES OF OUR PAPER WORK SENT TO THE IRS AND THEIR DENIAL LETTER.

SINCERELY Jim Bishop

(Castle Builder)

IT IS NOT RIGHT THAT GOVERNMENT AT ANY LEVEL KILL INCENTIVE TO WORK, CREATE & BUILD GREAT MONUMENTS WITH THE HELP OF GOD!

I DO NOT CARE TO BECOME THIS COUNTRY'S FIRST HARD WORKING TAX COLLECTOR BY CREATING ANOTHER COMMERCIAL TOURIST TRAP!

Jim Bishop