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Dear John :

Thank you very much for your letter of January 17, regarding the award of the Sidney Luker Memorial Medal. I have deeply appreciated it because it was made by what must be my sternest critics - my professional colleagues.

I particularly appreciate your letter because obviously your name must have been very high in the short list.

Our careers have proceeded closely in parallel even though this means that they have never really touched. John Roseth said on the evening of the award that the Luker Committee had given weight to the fact that over the last two years I had produced two major city plans - the City of Adelaide Plan and the 1974 Review and Revision of the 1971 City of Sydney Strategic Plan.

It just shows how much out of touch we are, I didn't realise you had been away. I do hope that you and your family are well and that we will see one another soon. Indeed, Eva is giving me a party on the evening of Saturday, March 15, at our house at 28 Olphert Avenue, Vaucluse. The party will commence at 8 pm but Eva says you need not eat before you come. We would be delighted if you and Jill would join us on that occasion. Perhaps Jill might be able to phone Eva on 337 1868.

Yours sincerely


George Clarke

John: I attach a copy
of the remarks I made
on accepting the
Medal on Feb 21
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