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Rev. Stanislaus Malinowski
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Kingston, New York
Dear Father Malinowski,

I listened to your inspiring radio program with great interest today. I should like to take this opportunity to congratulate you on your courageous stand.

It is a distinct pleasure to hear SOMEONE stand up for the rights of the people who have been ruined by this war, and particularly the Polish people, who have been once more sold out by a foreign coalition.

What civilized individual can keep from shedding a bitter tear when he realizes that those men who are now proclaiming a better world have deliberately trodden their own comrade-in-arms into the dust of the old world? Poland, in what should have been her hour of triumph, has been dealt the same fate as that which her enemies will soon experience.

We all know that Stalin ran the show at Yalta,-- at least when the fate of the Polish people was under consideration. But is not this entirely compatible with the philosophy of communist, Godless Russia? Stalin is not trying to fool anybody, he does not stand for "no territorial aggrandisement"; he is plainly advancing communist imperialism at the expense of betrayed Poland. But the irony of the matter is that the representatives of the Western democracies so completely gave in on this point. Those thirty Polish war heroes who died in Italy were not suicides,-- they were murdered, much as Poland is now being murdered.

Well, I imagine you know the whole sickening story. I just want to wish you good luck in your broadcasts. The civilized peoples will never forget Poland.

Very sincerely yours,

Stanley Potocki