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Dear Bill:

This is just a note to congratulate you on receiving the financial gift from the Class of 2000 Notes Service in recognition of your teaching abilities. Today's medical students are the physicians, teachers and academicians of tomorrow's medicine, and it is important to teach these students the art as well as the science and practice of medicine.

You are a true asset to the Division of Cardiology, the department and the institution, and I am delighted that the Class of 2000 has honored you. Keep up the good work!

Best regards.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Don", is written over a horizontal line.

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