[Insert company or personal letterhead, or type your name and address]

January 27, 1997

[Mr/Ms] [First Name] X. [Last Name] [Position] [Company] [Department] [Division] [Address 1]

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[Salutation]

Thank you for your assistance with [project or task the reader helped with]. I appreciate the effort you put into [brief description of what the reader did] -- it certainly helped everything go as well as it did.

Since your assistance was so valuable, I have enclosed a [name of gift] to express my gratitude for your work with [your company name]. If we can ever be of assistance to you, please call me at [your phone number].

Thank you once more. I look forward to seeing you again.

Sincerely,

[Your Name] [Your Position]

[Notations for Enclosures, cc:, etc.]