

Miami Valley Folk Dancers
2658 Gentle Wind Pt.
Centerville, OH 45458

October 16, 2001

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Steed:

On behalf of the members of the Miami Valley Folk Dancers, I would like to express our appreciation for your very generous donation to our organization in memory of Ken and Jewell Steed. As you may know Ken and Jewell were long time members of our dance organization and contributed greatly of their time and talents over the years. Many of our members still fondly recall their association and friendship with both Ken and Jewell.

How to best use a generous donation such as yours requires careful thought and consideration. After assessing our most pressing needs, it was decided to use your gift toward the purchase of a variable speed CD player. This CD player now enables our dance instructors to regulate the speed of the music in order to accommodate different ability levels of our dancers. It has been a wonderful addition and upgrade to our equipment and has made teaching and learning new dances ever so much easier. We are so grateful that your gift has made this new piece of equipment possible for us.

As we in the Miami Valley Folk Dancers approach our 50th anniversary in the year 2002-2003, we remain a viable and growing folk dance organization in the southwestern Ohio area. Past members such as Ken and Jewell will be remembered not only during our yearlong celebration, but each time we use our new CD player. Thank you so much for remembering us with your gift.

Sincerely,

Dolores K. Brooks
Secretary
Miami Valley Folk Dancers