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Dear Mrs. Wilder,

"The Little House Traveler" was the most amazing thing I’ve ever read. It’s very inspiring to me. One thing that I loved was your powerful sayings. The most memorable one was “Procrastination is the thief of time.” That one was amazing. Since I’ve read your book, I don’t procrastinate as much anymore, because I want to live my life, not waste it.

Your book showed me that people today are so overindulged by our conveniences. When we run out of butter, we can drive to the store and get more. You had to churn your own butter. You could drive your horses to go get butter, but it was still a long drive from your home. That changed my viewpoint. People today are very spoiled. If we lived like you did, the whole world would be better off because everybody would have more discipline and be more frugal.

Something I related to was when Rose felt emotionally lost. I’ve also felt that way. When there are different paths and you don’t know which way to go, it gets hard. Your book was so thought-provoking, that it was hard to put it down. On one occasion, I was reading the book, and my mom started talking to me. I didn’t hear her because I was so engrossed in your life story.

Your book truly is an inspiring story. Thank you for writing it and sharing your life with millions of people. I hope that everybody who has read the book takes it to heart and makes it part of their lives. Thank you for all that you’ve done for literature and for me, your loyal reader.

Sincerely,

Delaney S. Edwards