Dear Mr. & Mrs. Istel,   
  
I discovered your museum 4 years ago in the off-season while driving from California to Texas and was dumbfounded by the beautiful monuments and engraved histories. I only spent an hour wandering around the site but my memories and curiosity have stayed with me ever since.   
  
I am currently a student at the California Institute of the Arts in Valencia, CA and I'm doing a research project about historical landmarks and how histories are told in modern times. I would love the opportunity to speak or meet with you and learn more about the museum and your process of selecting and depicting history.   
  
I can be reached by email or phone, and would look forward to hearing from you.   
  
Kind Regards,   
Amanda Galli

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