



Forno di Zoldo 25th 84

Mr

I write you from these beautiful places which every artist should see, at least for once, in order the most powerful of the ideal beauty could reveal in his soul.

From here above I think with spite to towns and to its monuments.

Man's art is ridiculous compared with that of God. Nature never appeared me so attractive. I work with much pleasure and I think to remain here till the 15th of October. Here I would remain all my life.

I hope my water-colours will

please you. I love extremely, more
than all, landscape.

When you offered me the means of
trying to form a name beyond
the sea. I did not mind the
interest; I sacrificed much; and at
my return I give you works in
which I tried to transfuse all my
feeling of artist, all the enthusias-
m which I feel for nature.

I am young, Sir, and I have
the will of improving always more.
I appreciate your advice for you
inspired me great respect, and

I hope to find in you, in suite,
all what is necessary for an artist
for his conscientious works, first
moral and after material reward.

If you have anything to sell
me I should be very glad to
have a letter of yours. You can
write me in English, because I
have my sister with me.

Be so kind, Sir, as to present
my best respect to Mrs. Smith,
for my sister too, and you, Sir,
have my best compliments.

Respectfully yours

Pros. Di Bellano

Forno a Roddo always Villa Stella delle Alpi

MAINELLA. RECD. SEPT 26/84,

ANSWERED SEPT. 29/84,



HERE WOULD STAY ALWAYS, }
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INCISORE IN GEMME

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