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VEAL PARMIGIANA

I

For the last 2½ years 155 groups on 6 continents have been boycotting the veal parmigiana of the Burger King Corporation. Why? Because Burger King is the only corporation serving a baby animal which was separated from his mother and goaded onto a conveyor belt with shocking rods. During the separation the mothers break down the fences to get to their babies. NOW ONLY THE ITALIAN AMERICAN POPULATION CITIES OF BOSTON AND PROVIDENCE ARE STILL SERVING THE VEAL. In light of the animal rights and vegetarian practices of great Italians St Francis of Assisi, Leonardo da Vinci, Cicero, Ovid, and Plutarch, we ask that you inform your Roman and Italian audiences of our boycott. Over 90% of the Burger King outlets in the country have now withdrawn veal, after being picketed in over 25 cities. The corporation has also added a salad bar. The woman who has picketed the most faithfully and longest has been Heather Schofield of Boston, who has been in front of the Boylston street store every Saturday for 2½ years. Her number is 617 973 3431 at work during the week. Her home address is 33 Lancaster Brookline Ma 02146. (617 734 4068). THANK YOU

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RE: HIS HOLINESS POPE JOHN PAUL II

II

A coalition of American Catholics which includes people from all walks of life is launching a prayer campaign that His Holiness Pope John Paul II become vegetarian. It is estimated that the Catholic Church, in serving animal flesh in convents, rectories, schools, hospitals, nursing homes, etc. is responsible for the deaths of SIX TO SEVEN BILLION ANIMALS A YEAR. Catholic hospitals are also involved, many of them, in painful and unethical research on animals while avoiding more up to date nonviolent methods. The coalition is asking that the Pope take a leading role as the successor to the Good Shepherd in the campaign to prevent animal suffering.

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III

The brother of the Prime Minister of Italy has lived for many months in the past at a Hindu ashram in Southern India. This ashram promotes respect for all living beings, and the expansion and deepening of love for all forms of life.