

Mr. Capote:

Knowing no other way
to contact you, without impossible
red tape I have given this note
to ~~him~~, to give to you. I hope
that you will overlook (excuse?) this
unorthodox approach.

My name is Robert "Bobby"
Dissell, and I was a child star,
Academy Award winner - for two films -
drug addict, criminal (various), painter,
poet, photographer, convict (various), mystic,
and closely connected with much that
the "avant garde" has done in the
past 17 years. This is not even a
complete brief list - I have a story;

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that story could be a very interesting,
moving, quite surreal biography -
if it is done with care and
skill and without attempting to
shock, ridicule, accuse or en-
lighten, but simply, delicately to
reveal.

I would like to speak to
you concerning this, whether or
not you are, yourself, interested
in such a project. A number
at which I might reach you
would be appreciated.

P.S. soon please

Cordially
yours,
Robert Dissell