To the Editor:

This letter is concerned with Bruce Horacek’s review of Parting Visions by Melvin Morse and Paul Perry (1994), published in the Spring 1998 issue of the Journal. I have read Morse’s book, and found it very interesting and adding to our knowledge of near-death experiences (NDEs) and related phenomena. Therefore I was very disappointed by Horacek’s review of this book. I think that Morse simply has not deserved such harsh criticism. Everybody who works in this field tries not only to present raw data, but to express his or her conclusions and impressions as well. Not every sentence can be proven “scientifically.” A critical review is proper, but a harsh dismissal is not justified. Morse should go on with his work!
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