Dear [Author's Name],

Thank you for your recent inquiry regarding your manuscript, [Manuscript Title]. I appreciate your patience as we review submissions.

At this time, I regret to inform you that we will not be moving forward with representation for your project. While your writing demonstrates talent and potential, it does not align with the current direction of our list.

We encourage you to continue honing your craft and pursuing opportunities in the literary world. Thank you for considering our agency, and we wish you the best of luck with your future endeavors.

Sincerely,

[Agent's Name]

[Agency Name]