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April 1, 1981

Dear Mr. Svensson:

My wife and I want to thank you for the inscribed copy of Sweden which you brought for us on the occasion of the National Prayer Breakfast. We are delighted to be remembered with this handsome pictorial volume and very much appreciate your thoughtful gesture of friendship.

We send you our every good wish.

Sincerely,

RONALD REAGAN A

X  
Mr. Alf Svensson  
Head of the Christian Democratic  
Party of Sweden  
Stockholm

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Gift of a Book

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TO SVENSSON, ALF

FROM PRES

DOCDATE 01 APR 81

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*Harold J. West*

FOR ALLEN J LENZ

STAFF DIRECTOR

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**MEMORANDUM  
OF CALL**

TO: Charles

YOU WERE CALLED BY—  YOU WERE VISITED BY—

Bill  
OF (Organization)

PLEASE CALL → PHONE NO. CODE/EXT. \_\_\_\_\_

WILL CALL AGAIN  IS WAITING TO SEE YOU

RETURNED YOUR CALL  WISHES AN APPOINTMENT

MESSAGE

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Svensson

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# SWEDEN

Walter Imber / Wolf Tietze

The  
President of the United States  
and Mrs Reagan

event.

With much appreciation  
for the opportunity to meet  
you in the Cabinet Room  
at the National Prayer Breakfast  
February 5 1981

W. Svensson  
/ Alf Svensson /  
Head of the Christian  
Democratic Party of Sweden

Rg  
**Januaryy**

March 27, 1981

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Dear Mr. Howlett:

Mrs. Reagan has asked me to thank you for your kindness in writing and sending the complimentary subscription to Sports Illustrated. Your thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated.

With best wishes,

Sincerely

Sheryl Eberly  
Deputy Director of Correspondence  
Office of the First Lady

X  
Mr. Philip G. Howlett  
Publisher  
X Sports Illustrated  
Time & Life Building  
New York, N.Y. 10020

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# Sports Illustrated

TIME & LIFE BUILDING  
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10020  
(212) 841-4655

PHILIP G. HOWLETT  
PUBLISHER

February 18, 1981

Dear Mrs. Reagan:

Some of the most interesting news in the world each week is in the world of sports. Starting immediately, we will be sending SPORTS ILLUSTRATED to you every week with our compliments. We believe you will find it timely, thought-provoking and entertaining.

For over 25 years SPORTS ILLUSTRATED has chronicled the pervasive influence of sport on American life. Appropriately, this week's issue, in conjunction with Time Incorporated's "American Renewal" series, points to the need for a fresh start in the nation. Specifically, we're calling for a re-examination of the values placed on winning and a renaissance of the pure spirit of competition.

May we wish you success in the important new initiations being undertaken by this Administration.

Respectfully,



Mrs. Ronald Reagan  
The White House  
Washington, D.C.  
20500



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To the Listeners of  
X Radio Station KY 102

I want to thank you for the generous donations of furniture which you contributed through Station KY 102 toward the redecoration of the White House. It was kind of you to become involved in our restoration project and I am most grateful for the friendship that prompted your gift.

With my warm best wishes to everyone who participated in this community project,

Sincerely,

NANCY REAGA

Sent to: X  
Mr. Tom Hopkins X  
Mr. John Thomas Schmidt  
Station KY 102  
3030 Summit  
Kansas City, Missouri 64108

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Tom Hopkins

JOHN THOMAS SCHMIDT

KY 102 (Station)

3030 Summit

KANSAS CITY, Mo. 64108

This is the FURNITURE payed  
for by ~~listeners~~ listeners of  
KY 102.

It was in the amount of  
\$151.66 from listeners and  
\$150.<sup>00</sup> in PRIVATE CORPORATE DONATION.

Tom & John asked for the money  
to show support FOR the worthy  
cause of re-decorating THE WHITE  
HOUSE with PRIVATE DONATIONS.

816-932-9102

RADIO STATION #

WHITE HOUSE MAIL  
RECEPTION AND SECURITY  
OFFICE

*J. H. Robert*

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J. A. MILLER

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March 27, 1981

Dear Mr. Williams:

You were good to think of me and I want you to know how pleased I am by your kindness. Thank you for remembering me with the five pound box of Sunkist fruit gems.

Nancy joins me in sending you our best wishes.

Sincerely,

RONALD REAGAN

A

Mr. I. E. Williams  
State Farmers Market  
216 Administration Building  
Forest Park, Georgia 30050

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Gift - "Sunkist" fruit gems



January 23, 1981.

President Ronald Reagan  
The White House  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. President:

Much has been written about your appetite for jelly beans and there is certainly nothing wrong with that except it leads me to believe that you are not aware of our candy made with pure Sunkist fruit pectin, using only natural citrus flavors.

Just in case the above is true, I am sending you a box of this candy and hope that you and Nancy enjoy it.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "I.E. Williams". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

I.E. Williams  
District Manager

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March 27, 1981

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Dear Mr. Vollkommer:

You were good to think of me and I want you to know how pleased I am by your kindness. Thank you for remembering me with the 1978 er Thungersheimer Scharlachberg white wine in its attractive flask shaped bottle.

Nancy joins me in sending you our best wishes.

Sincerely,

RONALD REAGAN <sup>A</sup>

Mr. A. Arnold <sup>+</sup>Vollkommer  
Arndtstrasse 44/pat.  
8700 Wurzberg  
Federal Republic of Germany

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Gift - white wine 8104 1

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March 27, 1981

Dear Miss Spiridellis:

You were good to think of me and I want you to know how pleased I am by your kindness. Thank you for remembering me with the jar of jelly beans from FAVORS GALORE.

Nancy joins me in sending you our best wishes.

Sincerely,

RONALD REAGAN

Miss Ona Spiridellis  
84 Lookout Road  
Mountain Lakes, New Jersey 07046

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Gift - jelly Beans from "Favors Galore"

net weight  
*4 oz.*  
featured at  
**DICK'S BAKERY**  
Rt. 46 DOVER NJ

The  
**FAVORITE Favor**  
of  
President Ronald Reagan  
suitable for all  
occasions  
by  
*Favors Galore*



# Favors Galore

Complete Party Planning

84 Lookout Road  
Mountain Lakes, N. J. 07046  
201-263-0838

Route 46  
Dover, N. J. 07801  
201-366-3171

Received in bad condition at

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the  
Room*  
*Jar Jelly Beans  
broken  
when  
rec'd*

February 12, 1981

The President  
The White House  
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. President:

It is with great respect and admiration that I forward this jar of jelly beans to you.

I am a mother of three young children who started her own company three years ago entitled, FAVORS GALORE. It was my intent to let it grow, from my home, rather than an office.

I have issued my own label with the wording "dynamite energy booster"; and as you can see, have stated that it is your favorite.

The package is sent to you for your own enjoyment and hoping that you will respond in a favourable way to my own private endeavor in helping the economy.

Very respectfully yours,

*Ona Spiridellis*

Ona Spiridellis

P.S. Please address all correspondence to the Mountain Lakes address.

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March 27, 1981

Dear Mr. Kitterell:

You were good to think of us and we want you to know how pleased we are by your kindness. Thank you for remembering us with the lovely strawberries.

Nancy joins me in sending you our best wishes.

Sincerely,

RONALD REAGAN

A

Mr. J. W. <sup>X</sup>Kitterell  
Walden-Sparkman, Inc.  
Post Office Box 98  
Dover, Florida 33527

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Gift - Strawberries

Mr. Pierce , Usher's Office called with the following info:

A flat of Florida strawberries from  
Walden-Sparkman, Inc.  
Post Office Box 98  
Dover, FL 33527

Card signed by J. W. Kitterell

Rec'd through White House Food Suppliers  
Will be destroyed.

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March 27, 1981

Dear Miss Mazzochia:

You were good to think of me and I want you to know how pleased I am by your kindness. Thank you for remembering me with the natural jelly beans made with fruit pectin.

Nancy joins me in sending you our best wishes.

Sincerely,

RONALD REAGAN A

Miss Florence <sup>X</sup>Mazzochia  
Book Nook  
149A Squire Road  
Revere, Massachusetts 02151

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~~Gift - jelly beans~~

They are natural  
jelly beans made  
with fruit Pectin.

They are better for  
you.

Florence Mazzanti  
Book Nook  
Rivers, Mass.

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March 27, 1981

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Dear Students:

You were good to think of me and I want you to know how pleased I am by your kindness. Thank you for remembering me with the jelly beans in such a decorative container.

Nancy joins me in sending you our best wishes.

Sincerely,

RONALD REAGAN A

Students of Dickinson College  
c/o Mr. Bradley S. Schwartz  
Box 1413  
Carlisle, Pennsylvania 17013

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Gift - jelly beans

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Brad Scott Schwartz

President Ronald Reagan

Good Luck in your  
endeavors to make America  
Strong again! We all pray  
for "A New Beginning!"

Students of Dickinson  
College

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March 27, 1981

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Dear Mr. Cockburn:

You were good to think of us and we want you to know how pleased we are by your kindness. Thank you for remembering us with the lovely oranges and nuts from the Mixon Fruit Farms.

Nancy joins me in sending you our best wishes.

Sincerely,

RONALD REAGAN

A

Mr. Grover Cockburn  
Plaza W  
1215 50th Avenue  
Bradenton, Florida 33507

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Gift - oranges & nuts from the Mixon Fruit Farms





GREETINGS FROM

Grover Cockburn  
1215 50th Ave. Plaza W.  
Bradenton, FL 33507



2/24/81  
1/2 Bushel  
Oranges  
1/2 Bushel nuts

DS Rm.  
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MIXON FRUIT FARMS, INC.  
BOX A  
BRADENTON, FLORIDA 33506

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March 27, 1981

Dear Mr. Hockman:

Thank you for the specially designed wood-chopping ax that you sent with your kind letter. It was thoughtful of you to remember me in this way, and I want you to know that I deeply appreciate the confidence you expressed in our free enterprise system.

With my best wishes,

Sincerely,

RONALD REAGAN A

Mr. Mark E. Hockman  
The Great Divider Company  
Post Office Box 3030  
Lenni, Pennsylvania 19052

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Gift - Wood - chopping ax

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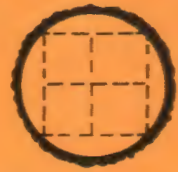


## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

MR. WOODBURNER: SAFE OPERATION OF YOUR **GREAT DIVIDER** AND COMMON SENSE WILL GIVE YEARS OF SATISFACTION. PLEASE FOLLOW PROCEDURES LISTED BELOW.

- USE CHOPPING BLOCK, WHENEVER POSSIBLE, TO AVOID DAMAGE TO AXE. A FIRM SUPPORT INCREASES THE EFFICIENCY OF THE TOOL.
- WEAR EYE PROTECTION AND **NEVER** STRIKE ANYTHING OTHER THAN WOOD. STRIKE LOG EVENLY WITH FULL BLADE.
- ~~DO NOT~~ ~~TANK~~ ~~TO SIDES OF LOGS~~ ~~BEFORE~~ ~~SPLIT.~~ ~~SPLIT WOOD~~ ~~SOMETIMES~~ ~~FLIES~~ ~~10~~ ~~FT.~~ ~~OR~~ ~~MORE.~~
- WHEN SPLITTING LARGE DIAMETER LOGS, START AROUND EDGES AND CHOP OFF SECTIONS—SPLITTING AROUND EDGES CRACKS WOOD AROUND NATURAL GROWTH RINGS.

LARGE DIAMETER LOG SPLITTING DIAGRAM



UNDOUBTEDLY THERE IS SOME WOOD THAT IS UNSPLITABLE USING THIS OR ANY OTHER HAND TOOL, WITHOUT CONSIDERABLE EFFORT.

- IF, AFTER CONSIDERABLE USE, THE SPRING FAILS TO KEEP HEAD AND LEVERS IN ALIGNMENT, REMOVE THE PIN AND UNWIND THE SPRING SLIGHTLY TO PRE-LOAD. RETURN THE SPRING AND LEVERS TO ORIGINAL POSITIONS.
- OIL LEVERS PERIODICALLY.

WE DON'T BUILD THE CHEAPEST WOOD SPLITTING TOOL, WE BUILD THE BEST. DROP US A LINE; OUR CUSTOMERS ARE OUR FAVORITE PEOPLE AND WE LOVE TO HEAR FROM THEM.

**WARRANTY:** THE GREAT DIVIDER IS WAR-  
RANTED FROM DEFECTS OF MATERIALS AND  
WORKMANSHIP FOR A FULL 12 MONTHS. THIS  
GUARANTEE IS VOID IN CASES OF MIS-  
USE NOT APPLICABLE TO BREAKAGE OF THE  
WOODEN HANDLE. WE WILL REPAIR OR PRO-  
VIDE REPLACEMENT PARTS AT OUR OPTION.

GREAT DIVIDER COMPANY BOX 3030 DEPT. W LENNI, PA. 19052



THE GREAT DIVIDER COMPANY  
P.O. BOX 3030, LENNI, PA. 19052  
215-459-4917

215-3631633

March 4, 1981

Ronald W. Reagan,  
President of United States  
White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

When I heard that you sometimes split wood on your ranch .. I thought you might have an easier time and save some "energy" by using this axe.

Our free enterprise system affords the opportunity for someone like me to invent a useful tool, start a small company which creates jobs for others, proving again the Great American Dream really works!

With every good wish for you continued good health.

Very truly yours,

*Mark E. Hockman*

MARK E. HOCKMAN

MEH:rn

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March 27, 1981

Dear Dr. Nakamura:

Thank you for remembering us in such a thoughtful way. We wanted you to know how much we appreciate your kindness and that we look forward to enjoying your beautiful watercolor scroll.

Nancy joins me in sending you our best wishes.

Sincerely,

A

RONALD REAGAN

The Reverend Paul Shin X Nakamura  
President  
Congregational Concord Church  
50-17 Akatsutsumi 2 Chome  
Setagaya-Ku  
Tokyo, 156  
Japan

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RONALD REAGAN

Gift watercolor scroll

Your builders outstrip  
your destroyers, and  
those who laid you waste  
go forth from you.

Isaiah 49/17

Paul Shin Nakamura  
President of The  
Union Congregational  
Concord Church  
50-17 Akazutsumi 2 chome  
Setagaya Tokyo Japan

January 30, 1981

President and Mrs. Reagan  
White House  
Washington D.C.

Dear President and Mrs. Reagan:

It is a great pleasure for me to  
express my gratitude from Japan on your  
hard work for the free world.

Enclosed with this letter I am  
sending you a gift which I have drawn for  
you. A phrase from Bible is written on my  
drawing in Japanese. Here is a translation.

Your builders outstrip your destroyers,  
and those who laid you waste go forth  
from you. --Isaih 49/17

I hope you enjoy it and I pray for  
eternal friendship of the US and Japanese  
people.

Sincerely Yours;

*P.S. Nakamura*  
Paul Shin Nakamura

*Rev. Paul Shin. Nakamura*

TH.D. LITT. D.  
PRESIDENT OF  
UNION CONGREGATIONAL CONCORD CHURCH  
50-17, AKATSUTSUMI 2CHOME, SETAGAYA-KU  
TOKYO.156, JAPAN  
CABLE UNION CHURCH  
PHONE(03)328-4165,0565



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March 27, 1981

Dear Miss Rogers:

You were good to think of me and I want you to know how pleased I am by your kindness. Thank you for remembering me with the assorted flavors of jelly beans.

Nancy joins me in sending you our best wishes.

Sincerely,

**RONALD REAGAN**



Miss Hazel <sup>x</sup>Rogers  
Route 2, Box 284 E2  
Williston, Florida 32696

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Gift - jelly beans 8104 1





Dear President Reagan,



This may seem strange to you receiving these jelly beans, but I thought you might enjoy them.



I bought them in a restaurant I was in, they aren't the ordinary jelly bean, they are different flavors.



Watermelon, peanut butter, mint, cherry, coconut, chocolate banana, apple.



I don't know

whether you have had  
these before, but when  
I saw them, I thought  
of you, and you might  
enjoy them.

Sincerely  
Hazel Rogers  
Rt. 2 - Box 284E2  
Williston  
Florida  
32696

1 Small bag

J B

Plant 803

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March 27, 1981

Dear Miss Fogelberg:

You were good to think of me and I want you to know how pleased I am by your kindness. Thank you for remembering me with jelly beans.

Nancy joins me in sending you our best wishes.

Sincerely,

RONALD REAGAN A

Miss Tami <sup>X</sup>Fogelberg  
1168 Van Buren Avenue  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55104

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Gift - jelly beans

Dear President Reagan,

I just heard that you  
liked jelly beans, so I thought  
I'd give you some because my  
School is selling them. I hope  
you enjoy them.

P.S.

(I'm in the third grade.)

bye

your friend

Tami Fogelberg

COLORADO SPRINGS COLORADO

*Curran, Inc.*

BRIGHT N. BREEZY NOTES



1 lb J B -



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March 27, 1981

Dear Mr. Black:

You were good to think of me and I want you to know how pleased I am by your kindness. Thank you for remembering me with the "Big Tex" Jelly Bean bag.

Nancy joins me in sending you our best wishes.

Sincerely,

RONALD REAGAN

A

Mr. Charles K. Black  
Vice President  
Judson Candies  
831 South Flores Street  
San Antonio, Texas 78204

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gift - "Big Tex" Jelly bean bag

**JUDSON CANDIES**

SWEET PERFECTION

831 South Flores Street  
San Antonio, Texas 78204  
(Area Code 512) 227-5201

JANUARY 28, 1981

HON. RONALD REAGAN  
PRESIDENT, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
WHITE HOUSE  
5000 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20001

DEAR MR. PRESIDENT:

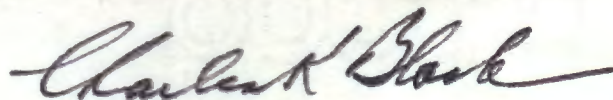
LONG LIVE THE JELLY BEAN!

EVEN IN FAR OFF TEXAS WE HAVE OUR AFICIONADOS OF THE  
DELICIOUS PANNED JELLIES, COMMONLY CALLED JELLY BEANS.

HOWEVER, WE WOULD NOT BE PROPER AND TRADITIONAL TEXANS,  
IF WE DID NOT DO THINGS BIGGER. WE CALL IT THE "BIG TEX JELLY BEAN".

WE HOPE YOU AND YOURS WILL ENJOY THE TEXAS JELLY BEAN.

MOST RESPECTFULLY,



CHARLES K. BLACK  
VICE-PRESIDENT

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March 27, 1981

Dear Mr. Orloff:

You were good to think of me and I want you to know how pleased I am by your kindness. Thank you for remembering me with the most unusual and attractive Jelly Bean Cake.

Nancy joins me in sending you our best wishes.

Sincerely,

RONALD REAGAN <sup>A</sup>

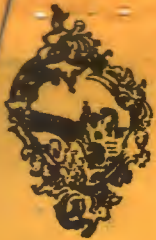
Mr. Lester <sup>X</sup>Orloff  
Peoples Baptist Church  
Old Brownsville Road  
Corpus Christi, Texas 78405

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Gift jelly bean cake  
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*God bless you,  
we just shall live by  
faith. Romans 1, 17*

Mr. LESTER ORLOFF  
PEOPLES BAPTIST CHURCH  
CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS  
Old Brownville Rd. 78405



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M. The President PHONE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS The White House

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<p><i>Jelly Bean Shaped Cake</i>  <i>Card: God Bless you.</i>  <i>The just shall live by faith.</i>  <i>Romans 1, 17</i>  <i>Mr. LESTER ORLOFF</i>  <i>Peoples Baptist Church, Corpus Christi</i>  <i>Texas</i></p>									
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<p><i>Jelly Bean Shaped Cake</i>  <i>Card: I was born + raised in Eureka, Ill.,</i>  <i>and have now resided in Tulsa for the past</i>  <i>35 yrs. We love you and are praying</i>  <i>for you everyday</i>  <i>DANIEL H. WALTER</i>  <i>627 N. BOULDER</i>  <i>TULSA, OKLAHOMA 74106</i>  <i>MASTER # 51041012 416048 ex. 2-82</i></p>									
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There will be a 1 1/2% Finance Charge which is equal to an annual charge of 18% on all accounts not paid by the 10th of the month follow.

RECEIVED BY *Send pictures of cakes*

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March 27, 1981

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Dear Mr. and Mrs. Kenyon:

You were good to think of me and I want you to know how pleased I am by your kindness. Thank you for remembering me with the glass pig full of Texas sized red, white and blue jelly beans on the occasion of my birthday.

Nancy joins me in sending you our best wishes.

Sincerely,

RONALD REAGAN

A


Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kenyon, Jr.  
4080 Hanover  
Dallas, Texas 75225

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Gift jelly beans in glass pig for  
President's birthday  
81041

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**GREETING CARD ENCLOSED**

GIFT: 110 JELLY BEAN PIG/RED, WHITE, BLU

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PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN  
WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON, DC 20500

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PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN  
WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON DC 20500

DEAR PRESIDENT REAGAN,

CONGRATULATIONS AND THE HAPPIEST BIRTHDAY EVER.....

NOVEMBER 4, WAS OUR HAPPIEST DAY.....AFTER 16 YEARS OUR DREAMS  
AND PRAYERS WERE ANSWERED. GOD HAS BLESSED AMERICA BY GIVING US YOUR  
LEADERSHIP AND NOW AMERICA IS TRULY "AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL".

WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR UNENDING DEDICATION AND PRAY THAT GOD WILL  
CONTINUE TO BLESS YOU AND NANCY ALWAYS.

WE LOVE YOU,

P.S.....

TEXAS SIZE JELLY-BEANS ARE IN ROUTE

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March 27, 1981

Dear Mr. Meinke:

Many thanks for your thoughtful letter and for the framed lithographic print which you and Don Hamilton sent to me. I enjoyed hearing from you and am pleased to receive the first print of your original work.

I appreciate knowing that the proceeds from the sale of the prints will be used to help restore my childhood home. It is heartening to be remembered in this meaningful way, and I am grateful for your generous gesture of friendship.

With my every good wish,

Sincerely,

RONALD REAGAN A

Mr. Fred R. <sup>x</sup>Meinke  
1009 West Third Street  
Dixon, Illinois 61021

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Gift - lithographic print of Pres. Reagan

FRED R. MEINKE  
1009 WEST THIRD STREET  
DIXON, ILLINOIS 61021

Dear Mr. President

First let me introduce myself.  
my wife Minnette and I moved our family to  
Elfon from Earlville Ill., 51 years ago to work the  
next 40 years doing drafting and general art work  
for a utilities co. During those years I also worked  
in my spare time as a full time cartoonist  
being accepted by several national publications  
and being an avid fisherman and hunter I  
was proud to have had my cartoon work  
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at 76 our three children Fred, Connie Sellers,  
and Maureen Considine have long left home  
and now as I have retired I'm hoping I have  
some time left to spend on my long awaited  
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I'm proud that two of my kids swim under  
your watchful eye at good old Lowell park.  
my favorite subjects for painting is scenery  
and wild life so I felt rather presumptuous  
when I was asked to paint the president of the  
United States, but I wanted you to know that  
part of the returns from these prints are to go  
to maintain and restore your boyhood home at  
816 Hennepin av. and so far they have met  
a very positive acceptance. we are very proud  
and hopeful that your portrait will symbolize a  
bond <sup>between</sup> you and Elfon Ill.

Thanks 100% for the great job you are attempting  
to do. we hope you can bring it off.

Very Sincerely - Fred R. Meinke.

Dear President Reagan,

the white cowboy hats were declared the official hat for Dixon prior to your inauguration. You can't imagine the pride all of us Dixonites felt when you waved your white hat at the marching Dixon Dukes during the inaugural parade.

When I commissioned a local artist, Fred Minker, to paint your portrait to hang in my Dixon establishment, the White House Family Restaurant, together we decided the white cowboy hat and a big smile would be appropriate. Your portrait will hang in an honored spot in my "White House" for all to enjoy.

The print we have sent you is the first of 3000 that will be on sale in Dixon. Part of the money from the sale of each will be donated by the artist and myself

to the restoration of your old  
home at 816 Hennepin ave.

Mr. Meinke and I hope you'll  
enjoy this portrait. When you  
come back to Dixon again, you're  
invited to have dinner with us  
and see the original at the restaurant.

Sincerely  
Don Hamilton

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To: 61002

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March 27, 1981

Dear Mr. Hamilton:

Thank you for your kind letter and for the framed lithographic print which you and Mr. Fred Meinke sent to me. It is always a pleasure to hear from folks "back home," and I am delighted to have print No. 1 of Mr. Meinke's original work.

I was interested to learn that the original portrait hangs in your restaurant, and that the proceeds from the sale of the limited edition prints will be donated toward the restoration of my boyhood home. I want you to know that I deeply appreciate this gesture of friendship.

With my warm best wishes,

Sincerely,

RONALD REAGAN A

Mr. Don Hamilton  
White House Restaurant  
Route 5  
Dixon, Illinois 61021

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May 28, 1981

Dear Paul:

Although this is in response to your March 30 letter, I just wanted you to know that I have not forgotten your correspondence, on behalf of Edgar Ridings, enclosing a cherry wood chain for the President.

Please be assured that the President deeply appreciated Mr. Ridings' thoughtfulness in sending him this beautiful gift. I have forwarded this letter to the White House Gift Unit so that a proper acknowledgement can be sent to Mr. Ridings on the President's behalf.

Again, thank you for your interest in writing.

With cordial regard, I am

Sincerely,

Max L. Friedersdorf  
Assistant to the President

The Honorable Paul Findley  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

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March 30, 1981

Mr. Max Freidersdorf  
Special Assistant to the President  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

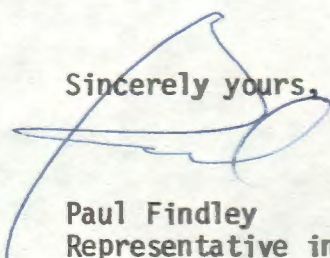
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Dear Max:

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My constituent Edgar Ridings has carved the enclosed cherry wood chain consisting of 51 links for President Reagan. I enclose a copy of his letter to convey the sincere appreciation and support of this 87 year old man. I hope that Mr. Ridings can receive a letter from the President acknowledging receipt of this chain and the spirit in which it was tendered.

Thanks so much.

Sincerely yours,

  
Paul Findley  
Representative in Congress

White Hall, Illinois  
March 19, 1981

Mr. Ronald Reagan, President of the United States  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

My name is Edgar Ridings, and I live at 302 Greer St. in White Hall, Illinois, located in Greene County. I was born March 12, 1894. I am one of five brothers and eight sisters. I have spent my life in the vicinity of White Hall, where I worked for Gregory Laboratory for eleven and one-half years. The rest of my life has been spent in the carpenter trade.

After I retired I wanted something to occupy my time, so I hunt Indian arrow heads and axes, and when the weather prevents this, I make chains out of wood. It takes over two weeks to make one of them. I have made 119 of these chains.

I would like for you to have the last one I have made. It is made of wild cherry, and has 51 links in it. Fifty links for these Great United States, and one for Canada. I think that if ever there was a time when North America needs to be linked together it is now, and I think you are the man that can accomplish this.

Sincerely Yours,

Edgar Ridings

*Edgar Ridings*