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August 10, 1984

Der Mr. Hollingsworth:

Thank you for your letter of July 25.

I have enclosed a copy of Jim Baker's July 20 statement regarding the Presidential debates. To date, no decisions have been made regarding the number and location of any debates. Mr. Baker appreciates having the benefit of your views on this issue and will share your concerns with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

Thank you once again for taking the time to write.

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III

Mr. B. Hollingsworth
8762 Arrowhead Drive
Tallahassee, FL. 32312

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August 10, 1984

Dear Mr. Worcester:

Thank you for your letter of August 3.

Mr. Baker appreciates your taking the time to share your views. As you know, Anne Burford withdrew her nomination to the National Advisory Committee on Oceans and Atmosphere. As Ed Meese is currently undergoing a Special Prosecutor's investigation, the President has stated his firm support for Ed Meese and his personal request that no comment be made until the report is complete. In fairness to any and all politicians who may become subjects of controversy with the media, one must balance the charges reported by the press with the final report of any investigating committee.

Mr. Baker thanks you for bringing your views to his attention.

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III

Ben D. Worcester, Esq.
Conn, Worcester, Conn & Senior
Anderson Building
28 Route 6A
Sandwich, MA. 02563

September 10, 1984

Dear Bevis:

A belated note of thanks for your recent letter.

H.R. 559, the "Insiders Trading Sanctions Act," was signed on August 10, 1984. I have enclosed a signing pen which was used by President Reagan on this occasion.

I hope that all is well with you and that our paths will cross in the not-too-distant future. Hurriedly, but with best regards.

Sincerely,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

The Honorable Bevis Longstreth
875 Third Avenue
23rd Floor
New York, N.Y. 10022

November 26, 1984

Dear Bevis:

While visiting Mom in Houston over the Thanksgiving holidays, I came across the enclosed scrapbook in her attic.

It's your father's scrapbook from Lawrenceville. I really had fun looking through this and thought that you'd like to have it back -- 73 years later!

Hope that you had a happy Thanksgiving and that all is well with you and yours.

With best wishes,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

The Honorable Bevis Longstreth
Debevoise & Plimpton
875 Third Avenue
New York, N.Y. 10022

November 7, 1984

Dear Bill:

Thank you for your letter of October 23.

I appreciate your sending me a copy of your article about interest rates, inflation and balancing the federal budget. We have much to accomplish in the next four years, but I am confident that the President, especially with yesterday's mandate from the people, will continue his programs of economic expansion and recovery.

Thank you once again for taking the time to write.

Sincerely,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

The Honorable William E. Dannemeyer
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

August 31, 1984

Dear Mr. Eberle:

Thank you for your letter of August 28.

Mr. Baker appreciates your sending him an advance copy of The Public Agenda Foundation's report entitled "Voter Options on Nuclear Arms Policy." He will be sure to share this material with the President and the appropriate members of the White House staff.

Mr. Baker thanks you for taking the time to write and sends his best wishes.

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III

Mr. W.D. Eberle
53 Mt. Vernon Street
Boston, MA. 02108

January 19, 1985

Dear Red:

Bill Goodling called me in a state of panic last night. Through a misunderstanding in his office, he somehow never paid for the four Gala tickets that he assumed had been ordered and paid for by his Administrative Assistant. Bill has invited Bert and Diana Firestone (of Johnson & Johnson fame) to join him this evening and is obviously mortified that he might have to cancel. The Firestones postponed a trip to Ireland for the President's Gala tonight.

Without full knowledge of the priorities that you have, is there any chance that you, or someone on your staff, could help Bill? I have asked Kathy Camalier to get back to Bill Goodling by 12 noon today. Would you have someone call her at 456-6797 with some indication of the chances? Once again, I hope that you will weigh this request in terms of your priorities. I would, however, like someone to call Kathy with a response.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

MEMORANDUM TO: JOHN HERRINGTON

FROM: JAMES A. BAKER, III

SUBJECT: William J. Kilberg

Bill and Bobbie Kilberg have contacted me regarding Bill's interest in an appointment as Ambassador to Australia. I understand, from Bill, that he has the support of George Shultz and Bud McFarlane.

Without knowing what other candidates are being considered for this appointment, I would support Bill Kilberg's interests. I have attached a copy of a letter which Bill recently sent me and hope that you will take a minute to look over his credentials.

Thank you.

December 10, 1984

Dear Betty and Bob:

Thank you for sending me the See's candy. This delicious treat has become a favorite of my family's. You were so kind to remember us during the Christmas season.

Susan and the children join me in sending our best wishes for a happy holiday season. We, too, hope to see you in 1985!

With best wishes,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Adams
Box 468
Valley Center, CA. 92092

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October 19, 1984

Dear Officer 

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As requested during our September 23-24 trip to New York City, I am enclosing a signed picture from the President. I hope that you will enjoy this memento and know that the President is appreciative of your support.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III


FOIA(b) (6)
FOIA(b) (7)(c)

November 7, 1984

MEMORANDUM TO: BOB MACKICHAN
FROM: KATHY CAMALIER
SUBJECT: Kyaw Win

As a follow-up to our telephone conversation this morning, I am forwarding to your attention an outdated copy of Kyaw Win's resume. I have also attached a copy of a June 18, 1984, letter which Win wrote to Jim Baker. This letter will give you a better idea of Win's recent activities at the Department of Commerce.

Mr. Baker would appreciate it if you would contact Win in the next week or so for an interview. His office telephone number is 377-5334. As discussed, Mr. Baker would like you to talk to Win about positions at Commerce that you feel are commensurate with his credentials.

Thanks for taking care of this. I will be out of town until November 19, but if you need additional information I am sure that Win can provide it for your directly.

December 13, 1984

MEMORANDUM TO: BUD MCFARLANE

FROM: JAMES A. BAKER, III

SUBJECT: Karna Small's Convention Expenses

In response to your December 6 memo requesting that Karna Small be reimbursed for her expenses related to the 1984 Republican National Convention, I am afraid that I must decline this request.

On July 23, I advised Mike McManus that Karna could travel to the Convention, provided that she pay her own way. With the exception of five staff persons whose travel is always considered official (i.e. those performing "official government duties"), no White House or other government funds were used to pay for convention-related activities or expenses of White House staff members.

To compound this matter, the Counsel's Office advises me that the Reagan-Bush '84 primary campaign funds are the only funds from which Karna could have been reimbursed. My staff reports that in checking with the campaign, we are advised that these funds have long since been spent.

I understand your desire to assist Karna, but am afraid that nothing can be done at this late date.

November 5, 1984

Dear Mr. Richman:

Thank you for your recent letter.

Mr. Baker appreciates your sending your views regarding the President's reelection campaign. As requested, I am sending you a signed photograph from the President. I am also returning your \$5.00 as we are not permitted to collect money for mailing purposes.

Thank you once again for your support and for taking the time to write.

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III

Mr. Byron Richman
Apartment 3510
1208 Horizon Trail
Arlington, TX. 76011

September 28, 1984

Dear Messrs. Beltran, Theobald, and Villanueva:

Thank you for your recent letter.

I appreciate your letting me know of your respect and admiration for Ernest Garcia, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Defense. I will be sure to share your praise of Mr. Garcia and know that he is appreciative of your support.

Thank you once again for taking the time to write.

Sincerely,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

Mr. Celestino M. Beltran
Mr. Peter M. Theobald
Mr. Gregory D. Villanueva
Comprehensive Technologies
International
10521 West Drive
Fairfax City, VA. 22030

August 10, 1984

Dear Mr. Long:

Thank you for your letter of August 4.

President Reagan is a member of the Church of Christ (Disciples of Christ). Mrs. Reagan is Presbyterian. The President and Mrs. Reagan attend Presbyterian church services.

Mr. Baker thanks you for your interest and sends his best wishes.

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III

Mr. Charles O. Long
P.O. Box 2625
New Orleans, LA. 70176

September 17, 1984

Dear Mr. Long:

Thank you for your recent letter.

The President and Mrs. Reagan are not members of a specific church or parish at this time. Due to the heavy security requirements, the President and Mrs. Reagan have found that their presence disrupts the church service and interferes with those members of the congregation who have gathered to pray. For this reason, it has not been possible for the Reagans to attend church services on a regular basis or at a specific church.

Thank you once again for your interest in this information.

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III

Mr. Charles O. Long
P.O. Box 2625
New Orleans, LA. 70176

August 10, 1984

MEMORANDUM TO: CONTROL CENTER
FROM: KATHERINE CAMALIER
SUBJECT: Access to Jim Baker's Office

I will be out of town next week. In my absence, Kay Trynovsky, a White House passholder from the Correspondence Office, will be opening and securing Jim Baker's office. I would appreciate it if you would add her name to your access list for the week of August 13, 1984.

Thank you.

December 28, 1984

Dear Mr. Worthington:

Thank you for your recent letter.

Mr. Baker appreciates your generous offer of assistance with the upcoming Inaugural activities. He has asked me to forward your letter to the Committee for the 50th American Presidential Inaugural for their information and attention. Please be assured that a follow-up response will be forthcoming.

Mr. Baker thanks you once again for taking the time to write.

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III

Mr. Conwell S. Worthington
Creative Productions, Unltd.
Suite 102
12425 Lewis Street
Garden Grove, CA. 92640

December 5, 1984

Dear Mr. Heine:

Thank you for your November 15th letter which Tom Lankford has forwarded to my attention.

I appreciate your taking the time to pass along your thoughts and recommendations regarding the deficit. Your 33 years of service in the federal government have certainly given you a clear understanding of the economic problems that we are faced with today. I have asked the appropriate officials at the Treasury Department to review your plan to cut government spending and to reduce the federal budget. Please be assured that a more detailed response will be forthcoming.

Thank you once again for taking the time to write.

Sincerely,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

Mr. Cornelius W. Heine
20513 Highland Hall Drive
Gaithersburg, MD. 20760

December 7, 1984

Dear Mr. Nixon:

Thank you for your recent letter and please forgive my delay in responding. As you may have guessed, Mr. Baker has been busy with the budget briefings and his "catch-up" work following the general election campaign.

Mr. Baker has asked me to send you the enclosed signed photographs from the President. He was pleased to take care of this for you.

Mr. Baker sends his best wishes for a happy holiday season!

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III

The Honorable Corwin M. Nixon
Minority Leader of the House of
Representatives of the State of Ohio
Columbus, OH. 43215

August 10, 1984

Dear Mr. Groff:

Thank you for your telegram of August 9.

Mr. Baker appreciates knowing of your support for the fine athletes who have competed in the Los Angeles Olympics. In order for the President to declare a "National Applause Day," this proclamation must first pass through both Houses of Congress. If you are serious about your recommendation, you should contact your Senator and Congressman to see if they would be willing to introduce such legislation.

Mr. Baker thanks you for bringing your thoughts to his attention and sends his best wishes.

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III

Mr. Dana M. Groff
P.O. Box 271800
Tampa, FL. 33688

September 28, 1984

Dear Mr. Moyer:

Thank you for your recent letter.

Mr. Baker appreciates your warm words of encouragement and support. He has asked me to send you the enclosed signed photographs from the President for yourself, your wife and your three grandchildren.

Mr. Baker thanks you once again for your kind letter and sends his best wishes.

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III

Mr. Daniel W. Moyer, Jr.
Vice President
Basco Associates, Ltd.
914 Columbia Avenue
Lancaster, PA. 17803

August 31, 1984

Dear Dave:

Thank you for your letter of August 24.

I appreciate your sending me an advance copy of your book, Neither Madmen Nor Messiahs. Your inscription is very kind. I will look forward to reading your discussion of our vital national defense priorities as soon as my schedule settles down a bit.

Thank you once again for sending me your new book. Hurriedly, but with best regards.

Sincerely,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

The Honorable Dave Durenberger
U.S. Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

November 7, 1984

Dear David:

Thank you for your letter of November 5.

I appreciate your sending me copies of your articles in The Futurist and Texas Business. I read these articles with interest and will be sure to share your comments with my colleagues.

I have taken the liberty of forwarding your letter to John Herrington, Assistant to the President for Presidential Personnel, so that your material will be added to your personnel file. Please be assured that your credentials will be given serious consideration in the Personnel Office's final review of candidates for the Economic Policy Advisory Board.

Thank you once again for taking the time to write.

Sincerely,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

Mr. David B. Bostian, Jr.
President
Bostian Research Associates, Inc.
360 Madison Avenue
New York, N.Y. 10017

October 26, 1984

Dear Dave:

Thank you for your letter of October 19.

I appreciate your recommendation and endorsement of Dr. John Harry King, Jr. for receipt of the Presidential Medal of Freedom. I have given a copy of your letter to Mike Deaver, who chairs the selection review committee for this award. I have asked Mike to give every consideration to Dr. King's credentials in his final review of qualified individuals.

Thank you once again for taking the time to write. It was good to hear from you.

With best wishes,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

Mr. David P. Close
1000 Connecticut Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20036

November 7, 1984

Dear Mr. DeJesus:

Thank you for sending me a copy of the November 5 issue of JET Magazine.

I was pleased to read of your support for the President. We are all proud to have Doctor Gloria Toote as a representative of this Administration. She is truly a fine woman who has earned the respect and admiration of many individuals throughout the Reagan Administration.

Thank you once again for taking the time to write. Hurriedly, but with best regards.

Sincerely,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

Mr. David M. DeJesus
Account Representative
Johnson Publishing Co., Inc.
1270 Avenue of the Americas
New York, N.Y. 10020

September 17, 1984

Dear Mr. Levy:

Thank you for your recent letter and please forgive my delay in responding. It has taken me sometime to run your request through the appropriate White House channels.

President Reagan's personal secretary, Kathleen Osborne, has suggested that you send your book, Ronald Reagan Talks to America, to her attention after the November 6 election. She will do her best to see that the President inscribes your book and that it is returned to you at the earliest convenient opportunity.

I thank you for your patience and hope that you will understand that this request is not one that is routinely granted.

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III

Mr. David Levy
Wilshire Productions, Inc.
214½ S. Spalding Drive
Beverly Hills, CA. 90212

August 30, 1984

MEMORANDUM TO: MARGARET TUTWILER
FROM: KATHY CAMALIER
SUBJECT: Cong. David Martin/Fort Drum Event

I returned a phone call to Congressman David Martin on behalf of Mr. Baker yesterday.

Congressman Martin has been actively involved in trying to get the Department of the Army to agree to move some of their Light Divisions to Fort Drum. The Congressman made it clear that (1) he is not trying to lobby Mr. Baker on this issue and (2) he is not asking Mr. Baker to expedite a decision or to influence this decision in any way. Mr. Baker concurred with the above by saying that he would not become involved in expediting this matter.

Congressman Martin was, however, suggesting a Presidential event, should the decision be made (through the normal channels) to move these Light Divisions to Fort Drum. Mr. Martin pointed out that New England has always been criticized for its lack of "military strength." He felt that the President, as "Commander in Chief," deserves full credit for this decision and that he could emphasize the "fair spreading of our defense dollars" in his announcement. Mr. Martin also suggested that this announcement include a mention of the U.S.S. Iowa which will soon be tied up at Staten Island.

Mr. Baker asked that we get this recommendation "into the system" for consideration at an appropriate date. Mr. Martin felt that a decision was "imminent," i.e. in the next 1-4 weeks.

Once a decision is made, I told Congressman Martin that someone would be in touch with him to "close the loop."

September 17, 1984

Dear Dave:

I have been meaning to write you since our return from Dallas, but my schedule has been hectic and time has slipped by.

I want you to know how much Susan and I regret that we were unable to be with you at your table at the President's and Vice President's luncheon in Dallas. The Convention period was, as I know you understand, a very busy time for me and my staff.

Again, Dave, my personal thanks for your generous support of the President and this Administration. Susan joins me in sending our best wishes and we hope that our paths will cross again in the near future.

Sincerely,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

Mr. David C. Scott
Allis Chalmers
1205 South 70th Street
Milwaukee, WI. 53201

DRAFT RESPONSE TO INDIVIDUALS SENDING
INFORMATION THEY FEEL IS PERTINENT TO PRES. DEBATES

Dear _____:

Thank you for your recent letter to James A. Baker, III.

At Mr. Baker's request, I have forwarded your correspondence to the appropriate members of the White House staff for their information and attention. Please be assured that your comments will be given every consideration.

Mr. Baker thanks you for taking the time to write and sends his best wishes.

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III

Name & Address

cc: Richard Darman and original incoming

October 26, 1984

Dear Mr. Fairbanks:

Mr. Baker asked me to send you the enclosed signed photograph from the President. While he would like to have responded personally, he hopes that you understand the demands of his schedule as we near November 6.

Mr. Baker sends his best wishes.

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III

The Honorable Richard Fairbanks
Ambassador at Large
Department of State
Washington, D.C. 20520

December 12, 1984

Dear Mr. Rosenbaum:

Mr. Baker has asked me to send you the enclosed signed photograph from the President. He was pleased to do this for you.

Mr. Baker sends his best wishes to you and yours for a happy holiday season.

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III

Mr. Richard M. Rosenbaum
Member for New York
Republican National Committee
Lincoln First Tower
Rochester, N.Y. 14603

October 25, 1984

Dear Doc:

The arrival of your photograph was a mixed blessing! On the one hand, it brought back happy memories of our days with "considerably less responsibilities." On the other hand, I hate to think of how old those "memories" are!

Thanks for taking the time to pass this photograph along. It was good to hear from you.

Hurriedly, but with best regards.

Sincerely,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

Mr. J. W. A. Buyers
C. Brewer and Company, Ltd.
P.O. Box 1826
Honolulu, HI. 96805

December 28, 1984

Dear Mr. Russell:

Thank you for your recent letter and please forgive my delay in responding.

I appreciate your letting me know of your interest in playing at one of the Inaugural Balls. I have forwarded your letter to the Committee for the 50th American Presidential Inauguration with a request that they give every consideration to your interests. I am sure that a follow-up response will be forthcoming if you have not yet heard from the committee.

It was good to hear from you. I send my best wishes to you and yours for a happy holiday season.

Sincerely,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

Mr. Don Russell
Don Russell Orchestras
Convention Entertainment Service
The Boston Park Plaza Hotel
50 Park Plaza
Boston, MA. 02117

December 28, 1984

Dear Judge Barnes:

Thank you for your recent letter and please forgive our delay in responding.

Mr. Baker appreciates your recommendation that Governor-Elect John Ashcroft sing the National Anthem during the Inaugural ceremonies. He has asked me to forward your letter to the Committee for the 50th American Presidential Inaugural for their information and attention. Please be assured that a follow-up response will be forthcoming.

Thank you once again for taking the time to write. Mr. Baker sends his best wishes for a happy holiday season.

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III

The Honorable Donald Barnes
1200 W. Broadway
Sedalia, MO. 65301

September 11, 1984

Dear Mr. Dotson:

Thank you for your letter of September 10.

I appreciate your sending me a copy of the material which you have prepared regarding the structure, concerns and case productivity of the National Labor Relations Board. I will be sure to share this information with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

Thank you once again for taking the time to write.

Sincerely,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

The Honorable Donald L. Dotson
Chairman
National Labor Relations Board
Washington, D.C. 20570

Dear Messrs. Andreas and Montgomery:

Thank you for your letter of December 5.

I appreciate your sending me an advance copy of the final report of the President's Task Force on International Private Enterprise. I read your report with interest. The hard work and thoughtful consideration that went into this publication is obvious. I know that the President is grateful for your dedication and support.

Thank you once again for taking the time to write. Please extend my holiday wishes to your staff.

Sincerely,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

The Honorable Dwayne O. Andreas
The Honorable Parker G. Montgomery
The President's Task Force on
International Private Enterprise
Suite 610
2600 Virginia Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20037

September 28, 1984

Dear Ed:

Thank you for sending me a bound volume of the 1983
POLICY REVIEW.

I appreciate your thinking of me and will look
forward to reading through this journal as soon as
my schedule allows.

Hurriedly, but with best regards.

Sincerely,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

Mr. Edwin J. Feulner, Jr.
Publisher
Policy Review
214 Massachusetts Ave., N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20002

September 17, 1984

Dear Mr. Lally:

Thank you for your letter of August 20.

Mr. Baker appreciates your advising him of your collection of "Ronald Reagan Memorabilia." The White House may not purchase your memorabilia, nor may we engage in auctioning your memorabilia for fundraising purposes. I am returning your February 1981 Gimbels ad so that you might either forward it to the Republican National Committee, as you indicate that you might, or return it to your collection.

Should you wish to donate this memorabilia to a Ronald Reagan library, then I would suggest that you contact Fred Fielding, Counsel to the President, regarding the appropriate procedures.

Mr. Baker thanks you for your interest in bringing this to his attention and sends his best wishes.

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III

Mr. Edwin M. Lally
Apartment 11A
505 West End Avenue
New York, N.Y. 10024

September 10, 1984

Dear Mr. Prihoda:

Thank you for your recent letter to James A. Baker, III.

Mr. Baker has asked me to send you the enclosed inscribed photograph from the President. I am returning your photograph of President Reagan and the three former Presidents. It is White House policy to sign this photograph only after the signatures of Presidents Carter, Ford and Nixon have been received.

Should you wish to mail your photograph to the offices of the three former Presidents, their addresses are:

The Honorable Jimmy Carter
P.O. Box 350
Plains, GA. 31780

The Honorable Gerald R. Ford
Box 927
Rancho Mirage, CA. 92270

The Honorable Richard M. Nixon
26 Federal Plaza
Federal Building
New York, N.Y. 10278

Once you have obtained these signatures, please feel free to return your photograph to my attention and I will be happy to ask the President's personal secretary to have your picture signed.

Thank you once again for taking the time to write. Mr. Baker appreciates your interest and your support.

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III

Mr. Elwood F. Prihoda
8428 Brookridge Road
Downers Grove, IL. 60516

November 7, 1984

Dear Mr. Swenson:

Thank you for your letter of October 29.

I appreciate your sending me a copy fo Malcolm McConnell's book, INTO THE MOUTH OF THE CAT. I will look forward to reading this as soon as my schedule settles down a bit.

Thank you once again for taking the time to send this fine book to my attention.

Sincerely,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

Mr. Eric P. Swenson
Vice Chairman
Executive Editor
W.W. Norton & Company
500 Fifth Avenue
New York, N.Y. 10110

September 28, 1984

Dear Mr. Baroody:

Thank you for your recent letter.

Mr. Baker appreciates your letting him know of your active support for the President and his Administration. I have enclosed some photographs of the President, as well as a brochure about the White House, for you to pass along to the doctors and nurses who contributed to your health care during your recent hospitalization. I am sorry that I cannot send you the cufflinks and tie clasps, but we receive so many requests for these mementos that we have had to set a policy of declining them.

Mr. Baker thanks you for your support and sends his best wishes.

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III

Mr. Ernest Baroody
355 North Eastern Avenue
Fall River, MA. 02723

January 15, 1985

MEMORANDUM TO: FRED FIELDING
FROM: KATHERINE CAMALIER
SUBJECT: Ernie Caldwell

Terry Lee, one of Jim Baker's White House drivers, has asked Mr. Baker to contact the White House Military Office on behalf of Ernie Caldwell, Jim Baker's other driver. Terry would like Mr. Baker to surprise Sgt. Caldwell with a "Meritory Service Medal."

Mr. Baker asked me to check with you to see if I could contact Ed Hickey's office for guidance and possible action, if appropriate.

Would you, or a member of your staff, please get back to me at your earliest convenience? FYI, Ernie Caldwell is not aware of this request.

Thank you.

January 25, 1985

Dear Jack:

I wanted to take this opportunity, as I prepare to leave the White House, to let you know of the fine service that Ernie Caldwell, a Sergeant First Class E-7 and one of my two White House drivers, has given me.

SFC Caldwell has been my driver for over two years. He has performed his responsibilities with exceptional competency and efficiency. He has responded quickly and appropriately to the demands of my schedule and to my own needs. As you know, my job has required long hours, frequent last minute schedule changes and quick action. SFC Caldwell has shown both a professional and a personal quality in his day-to-day responsibilities.

I hope that any future assignment for which SFC Caldwell is considered will be one that is commensurate with his proven abilities.

Sincerely,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

January 15, 1985

MEMORANDUM TO: FRED FIELDING
FROM: KATHERINE CAMALIER
SUBJECT: Ernie Ramos

Jim Baker has been asked to write a letter of "recommendation for promotion" on behalf of Ernie Ramos who works in the White House Staff Mess.

Ernie is currently a CPO who would like to be promoted to a Senior Chief. Jim Baker's recommendation, should he be able to do this, would be very general and would detail only the services that Ernie Ramos has performed which Jim Baker is personally aware of. In other words, we would be sure to make it clear that he is simply "putting in a good word" and not asking that this promotion be effected.

Would you, or a member of your staff, please provide guidance at your earliest convenience?

Thank you.

October 23, 1984

Dear Dr. Yao:

Thank you for your recent letter.

Mr. Baker has asked me to send you the enclosed photographs from the President for your two daughters. I know that the President enjoyed Irene's letter.

Mr. Baker sends his best wishes to you and your family.

Sincerely,

Katherine Camalier
Staff Assistant to
James A. Baker, III

Esther Lee Yao, Ph.D.
Associate Professor
University of Houston
at Clear Lake City
2700 Bay Area Boulevard
Houston, TX. 77058

September 28, 1984

Dear Frank:

Thank you for your letter of September 20.

I appreciate your sending me a copy of Dave Finney's article in The El Paso Economic Review. I read his views regarding "the border problem" with interest and will be sure to share Dave Finney's article with my colleagues.

It was good to hear from you. Hurriedly, but with best regards.

Sincerely,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

Frank B. Davis, Esq.
Andrews & Kurth
Texas Commerce Tower
Houston, TX. 77002

October 22, 1984

Dear Forrest:

Thank you for your recent letters to Kathy Camalier and me. We were happy to hear from you.

I had forgotten that you would be going on to junior high school this year. Are you enjoying your first year at Lincoln Junior High? I am sure that you have more work to keep you busy!

Recently, I have been travelling with the President for three or four days out of every week. As you have probably seen on the news or in the newspaper, President Reagan has been campaigning throughout the country. In the last week alone, President Reagan has been to Alabama, Georgia, South Carolina, Illinois, New York, Missouri, California, Oregon, Washington, and Ohio.

I appreciate your inviting me to come visit Lincoln Junior High. I don't think that I will have a chance to come in these next few weeks though.

It was good to hear from you and I hope that you will keep in touch.

Sincerely,

James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and
Assistant to the President

Mr. Forrest Poindexter
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Janaury 19, 1985

Presidential Inaugural Committee
Will Call Desk
D.C. Convention Center
Washington, D.C.

To Whom It May Concern:

Please note that I have authorized Terry Lee to pick up my tickets for the upcoming Inaugural activities. I was told this afternoon that these tickets are ready at the Will Call desk.

If you need to confirm this request, please call Kathy Camalier at 456-6797.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Frank Hale