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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 1, 1981

Dear Sergeant Brown:

I wanted to personally thank you for your very professional service while on duty during President Reagan's stay in Santa Barbara.

Your attitude and devotion to your responsibilities while on duty at our staff offices was a credit to the Corps and the United States Government.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Michael K. Deaver", written in a cursive style.

MICHAEL K. DEAVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Sergeant Gerald W. Brown  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

October 1, 1981

Dear Corporal Ernest:

I wanted to personally thank you for your very professional service while on duty during President Reagan's stay in Santa Barbara.

Your attitude and devotion to your responsibilities while on duty at our staff offices was a credit to the Corps and the United States Government.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

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MICHAEL K. DEAVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Corporal Michael E. Ernest  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

October 1, 1981

Dear Corporal Patrick:

I wanted to personally thank you for your very professional service while on duty during President Reagan's stay in Santa Barbara.

Your attitude and devotion to your responsibilities while on duty at our staff offices was a credit to the Corps and the United States Government.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

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MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Corporal Marvin R. Patrick  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

October 1, 1981

Dear Sergeant Jarrell:

I wanted to personally thank you for your very professional service while on duty during President Reagan's stay in Santa Barbara.

Your attitude and devotion to your responsibilities while on duty at our staff offices was a credit to the Corps and the United States Government.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

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MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Sergeant David E. Jarrell  
Marine Helicopter Squadron One  
Marine Corps Air Facility  
Quantico, Virginia

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 1, 1981

Dear Corporal Bowling:

I wanted to personally thank you for your very professional service while on duty during President Reagan's stay in Santa Barbara.

Your attitude and devotion to your responsibilities while on duty at our staff offices was a credit to the Corps and the United States Government.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

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MICHAEL K. DEAVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Corporal Terry L. Bowling  
Marine Helicopter Squadron One  
Marine Corps Air Facility  
Quantico, Virginia



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 1, 1981

Dear Corporal Hyde:

I wanted to personally thank you for your very professional service while on duty during President Reagan's stay in Santa Barbara.

Your attitude and devotion to your responsibilities while on duty at our staff offices was a credit to the Corps and the United States Government.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

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MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Corporal Robert S. Hyde  
Marine Helicopter Squadron One  
Marine Corps Air Facility  
Quantico, Virginia

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 1, 1981

Dear Lance Corporal Masters:

I wanted to personally thank you for your very professional service while on duty during President Reagan's stay in Santa Barbara.

Your attitude and devotion to your responsibilities while on duty at our staff offices was a credit to the Corps and the United States Government.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

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MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Lance Corporal Timothy J. Masters  
Marine Helicopter Squadron One  
Marine Corps Air Facility  
Quantico, Virginia

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 1, 1981

Dear Corporal Wagoner:

I wanted to personally thank you for your very professional service while on duty during President Reagan's stay in Santa Barbara.

Your attitude and devotion to your responsibilities while on duty at our staff offices was a credit to the Corps and the United States Government.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

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MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Corporal Neil T. Wagoner  
Naval Support Facility  
Box 1000  
Thurmont, Maryland 21788

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

October 1, 1981

Dear Lance Corporal Feters:

I wanted to personally thank you for your very professional service while on duty during President Reagan's stay in Santa Barbara.

Your attitude and devotion to your responsibilities while on duty at our staff offices was a credit to the Corps and the United States Government.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,



MICHAEL K. DEAVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Lance Corporal Steven W. Feters  
Naval Support Facility  
Box 1000  
Thurmont, Maryland 21788

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 1, 1981

Dear Lance Corporal Milazzo:

I wanted to personally thank you for your very professional service while on duty during President Reagan's stay in Santa Barbara.

Your attitude and devotion to your responsibilities while on duty at our staff offices was a credit to the Corps and the United States Government.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,



MICHAEL K. DEAVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Lance Corporal Jason T. Milazzo  
Naval Support Facility  
Box 1000  
Thurmont, Maryland 21788

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

October 1, 1981

Dear Lance Corporal Dudenhoffer:

I wanted to personally thank you for your very professional service while on duty during President Reagan's stay in Santa Barbara.

Your attitude and devotion to your responsibilities while on duty at our staff offices was a credit to the Corps and the United States Government.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

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MICHAEL K. DEAVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Lance Corporal Kelvin F. Dudenhoffer  
Naval Support Facility  
Box 1000  
Thurmont, Maryland 21788

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 1, 1981

Dear Sergeant Sedlar:

I wanted to personally thank you for your very professional service while on duty during President Reagan's stay in Santa Barbara.

Your attitude and devotion to your responsibilities while on duty at our staff offices was a credit to the Corps and the United States Government.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

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MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Sergeant Kenneth J. Sedlar  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 1, 1981

Dear Mike:

Thanks for letting me know what is happening with you. I'm very pleased that you have a new job. It sounds as though it will be very interesting and challenging.

I appreciate your writing me of your intentions.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEAVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Mike Woelffer  
State of Illinois  
Office of the Governor  
Springfield, IL 62706





STATE OF ILLINOIS  
**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR**  
SPRINGFIELD 62706

JAMES R. THOMPSON  
GOVERNOR

September 28, 1981

The Honorable Michael K. Deaver  
Deputy Chief of Staff and  
Assistant to the President  
The White House  
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Mike:

I apologize for not getting back to you sooner after we talked about doing White House advance work. Steve Studdert and I just never got a chance to sit down and discuss it.

Since last talking to you the opportunity for a new job in Illinois opened up which I accepted. I start my new job October 5th with the Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs. The job involves promoting Illinois through advertising the State as a good place for industry to locate new plants, as well as, promoting Illinois as a tourist spot. This job will put me back into the business community where my background is and should open up a lot of future possibilities.

I want to express my sincere thanks to you for even considering me to work at the White House for the Reagan Administration. Please let me know if I can ever help you in any possible way. Good luck to you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Mike".

Mike Woelffer  
Assistant to the Governor  
Scheduling, Appointments  
and Advance

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 1, 1981

Dear Ted:

Thank you for your letter updating me on Alice Burnette. I certainly appreciate your courtesy and kindness to her. She was most impressed.

Thanks for all the help you've been to this Administration.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEAVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

The Honorable Terrel H. Bell  
Secretary of Education  
400 Maryland Avenue, S.W.  
Room 4181  
Washington, DC 20202



THE SECRETARY  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20202

SEP 28 1981

*Thanks for  
his courtesy*

The Honorable Michael K. Deaver  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff  
The White House  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mike,

I appreciated very much your telephone call of a few days ago. I subsequently met with Alice Burnette. We offered her the position as director of the initiative on black colleges. Since we have some deadlines to meet by November 1 we need to fill this post immediately, and I urged Alice to be available within two weeks.

After some deliberations Alice sent me a letter requesting that I no longer consider her as a candidate for that position. She has strong commitments to Howard University and to the work that she is now doing. However, she offered to work with us on a consultant basis, and I have written to her to indicate that we will be involving her in our endeavors to the extent that her time will permit.

Thanks again, Mike, for referring Mrs. Burnette to me. I must say that she is one of the most impressive candidates that I have interviewed. Hopefully, we will be able to persuade her to join us at some future date when she might be in a better position to consider terminating her affiliation with Howard University.

We appreciate all that you do for education and I personally appreciate your understanding and support.

Best regards,

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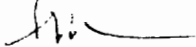
T. H. Bell

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

October 1, 1981

TO: PETER MCCOY

FROM: SHIRLEY MOORE 

Mr. Goodman, Chairman of the Friends of Western Art called and wanted to borrow the President's Olaf Wieghorst painting for the Tuscon Museum of Art from October 9, through November 29.

Mr. Goodman: (o) 602-624-1389  
602-623-0502  
(h) 602-299-6369

Give it your best shot, Peter.

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

October 1, 1981

Dear Ambassador Johnson:

Thank you very much for sending along the material on the government of Jamaica. I found it most interesting and appreciate your thoughtfulness.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Ambassador Keith Johnson  
Embassy of Jamaica  
1850 K Street, N.W.  
Suite 355  
Washington, D.C. 20006

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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

October 1, 1981

Dear Mr. Rowland:

I thank you - and my children thank you -  
for the Great American Jelly Bean Machine.  
It is already a source of great entertain-  
ment and a marvelous conversation piece.

Thank you for your thoughtfulness.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Herman Rowland  
President  
Herman Goelitz, Inc.  
947 Sixty-first Street  
Oakland, CA 94608

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

October 1, 1981

Dear Mr. Gerstley:

Thank you for your letter regarding your interesting collection. I am enclosing the autographed stamp and sincerely appreciate your interest in having it.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Michael J. Gerstley  
5819 Rohn Way  
San Jose, CA 95123

**STEPHEN BARLAS**

4611 N. 7TH ROAD  
ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA 22203  
(703) 528-0859

October 4, 1981

Michael Deaver  
Assistant to the President  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Deaver:

I'm doing a five-part series on  
lobbying in Washington for the  
Independent News Alliance, a  
national newspaper syndicate.

Enclosed are samples of the kinds  
of stories I've done for INA as well  
as a listing (somewhat outdated) of  
syndicate clients.

I'd like to come by and talk with  
you for the series and will give  
you a call to set up a convenient  
time.

Sincerely,

*Stephen Barlas*  
Stephen Barlas

*Called  
10-13-81*

*10-14-81  
I really  
don't have  
time.*



THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

October 5, 1981

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Hagen:

I am delighted you will be visiting Washington, D.C., and that Carolyn and I will have the pleasure of your company for lunch in the White House Staff Mess on Wednesday, October 28th.

Carolyn has arranged a VIP tour of the White House for you on the same day. Please arrange to be at the East Appointments Gate by no later than 8:45 A.M., go directly to the guard and ask for Sonia Bell. Carolyn will meet you after your tour, and I will join you for lunch.

Hope you have a good trip.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. and Mrs. D. Neil Hagen  
4515 Woodmont Court  
Fair Oaks, California 95628

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

October 5, 1981

Dear Fred:

Please excuse me for being so late in writing to thank you for the beautiful duck decoy. It is a wonderful specimen of craftsmanship; you may have found another highly successful career.

We made a quick visit to Ottawa in July for the Summit Meeting, and Santa Barbara in August, where I caught up with Carolyn and the children who had spent July with Marylou in Sacramento. Before returning to Washington we spent a delightful two weeks exploring New England.

Thank you again for the very special decoy ... it rules the roost in the living room.

Best regards,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Fred Auger  
6057 Collingwood Street  
Vancouver 13, British Columbia



To: Fred Ruyon (you have address)

Dear Fred -

Please excuse me for being  
~~so~~ late in writing to thank  
you for the beautiful duck  
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and it is ~~further treasured~~  
~~because I know~~ you may  
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Thank you again for the  
very special decoy... it  
rules the roost in the living  
room.

Best regards,  
MD.

TO: Dave Gergen

**FROM:** Charles Z. Wick  
Director



October 6, 1981

Dave:

This idea was discussed at Camp David this past weekend. The enclosed is a reminder to Mike Deaver and I wanted you to have a copy.

CZW

T.D.

10-14-81

Called 724-9185  
Robinson

International Communication Agency United States of America



**International  
Communication  
Agency**

United States of America  
Washington, D.C. 20547

Office of the Director

October 5, 1981

Dear Mike:

Pursuant to our conversation at Camp David this weekend I hope you will consider the great impact the President can make on the French TV viewing public by participating in a televised conversation with President Mitterrand on Sunday, October 18, during the Yorktown celebration.

The International Communication Agency has the technical means to produce such a program, edited to thirty minutes, with President Reagan's comments translated by subtitles so that his own voice can be heard in France. President Mitterrand's entire participation would be in French. We would edit out the pauses during which the translations were made between the two Presidents for a smoother finished product.

Best arrangement would be to film the two Presidents the afternoon of Sunday, October 18. We would edit and subtitle into the night, and beam the edited version by satellite to France for prime time viewing the evening of Monday, October 19.

The American television networks could use the material the night of Monday, October 19, or if Monday night football conflicts, could use it Tuesday evening. Of course, if the American networks did not want to make prime time available for the entire program, they could simply use excerpts in their regular evening newscasts Monday.

We would release the text of the remarks Monday for use in Tuesday's newspapers.

The Yorktown festivities present us with an ideal opportunity to emphasize the strength of our relationship with France which indeed goes back to the birth of these United States. At the same time

The Honorable  
Michael Deaver  
Deputy Chief of Staff and  
Assistant to the President  
The White House

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President Mitterrand will no doubt be inspired by the occasion to salute the ideals behind the American revolution which have made our country great. In short, a splendid situation for two attractive and articulate statesmen.

As we discussed at Camp David, this could also be a low-risk trial for subsequent telecast to the people of foreign nations by the world's greatest communicator.

We are fully prepared to proceed with this project on your approval.

Sincerely



Charles Z. Wick  
Director

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

October 5, 1981

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed please find a copy of my order for a pair of sport shoes which were to have been shipped to my Washington, D.C. address.

As of this date, I have not received the shoes, but you have processed the charge slip and it has appeared on my Master Charge statement.

Please be so kind as to advise me of the status of this order.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Enclosure

Bass Wayside Shoe  
U.S. Route 1  
Brunswick, Maine



MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

*Sam*  
*Carolyn*

October 5, 1981

I RECEIVED A CALL TODAY FROM DON POOLE (HE SAID  
YOU WERE A MAID OF HONOR IN HIS WEDDING, CAROLYN..)  
AND HE INVITED YOU AND MIKE TO USE HIS SUMMER HOUSE,  
WHICH IS HEATED ALL YEAR, IN REHOBATH, DELAWARE.

(H) 302/227-8491

or

(h) 914/967-3924

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

October 5, 1981

Dear Buck:

Thanks for sending along the letter from your friend, John Thatcher, Jr. I appreciate your thoughtfulness, and have shared its contents with some of the White House staff members.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Buckley M. Byers  
Republican National Finance Committee  
310 First Street S.E.  
Washington, D.C. 20003

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

October 5, 1981

Dear Mr. Balfour:

Thank you for your letter of June 26th regarding conditions affecting our Armed Forces in Europe. I agree with you that we owe it to our servicemen and women to give them the best environment possible to perform their vital duties.

While it is true we had morale and discipline problems in the past, the situation in Europe today is much better and, in fact, is constantly improving. This is true in large measure to the various actions we have initiated since January. Specifically, and with the cooperation of the Congress, we have taken steps to improve the pay and quality of life of our servicemen and women. Further, we have undertaken to seek Congressional approval for the much-needed upgrading of our facilities in Europe.

These personnel actions, taken together with our efforts to ensure our people are provided the best equipment available, are beginning to show results. The morale is much higher and new enlistments and retentions are up significantly over a year ago. As these much-needed programs take full effect we expect to see a continuing and dramatic reduction in the problems which existed in our Armed Forces in years past.

Again, thank you for taking the time to write; your concern for the welfare of our troops overseas is appreciated.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. David Balfour  
Fornalutx  
Mallorca  
Spain

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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

October 5, 1981

Dear Marge:

Thank you so much for the box of Hollywood Park sport items. The children are now the rage of the block with their windbreakers emblazoned with "Hollywood Park".

I have shared your generous gift with others in the office, and we are all very grateful.

Thank you for your thoughtfulness, and Carolyn and I look forward to seeing you soon.

Warm regards,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER

Mrs. Webb Everett  
Beverly Wilshire Hotel  
9500 Wilshire Boulevard  
Beverly Hills, California 90212

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 5, 1981

Dear Mr. Gamboni:

Thank you for the kind remarks about Gladys and Al Gilman. Of all my mother's relatives, my warmest memories are of Gladys. She was a very kind and special lady.

With regard to your concerns over the California Rural Legal Assistance program, I can assure you that we share those concerns. However, since the CRLA is not a Federal program, neither the President nor the Congress have the power to terminate its activities. The CRLA has received Federal grants through the Legal Services Corporation. As you may know, the funding for the Legal Services Corporation was significantly reduced in the budget passed by Congress earlier this year. Therefore, while the CRLA will still be eligible for funds distributed by the Legal Services Corporation, the total pool of available funds will be considerably reduced. You may be interested to know that the President intends to further reduce the funding of the Legal Services Corporation with the ultimate goal of abolishing this Federal program altogether.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Walter J. Gamboni  
Route 1, Box 242  
Delano, CA 93215

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 5, 1981

Dear Mr. Brock:

Thank you for your recent letter. I appreciate the time you have taken to write.

As you may know, President Reagan has called upon the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the Majority Leader of the Senate to join him in appointing a bi-partisan commission to study and develop viable solutions to the immediate and long-range financial problems facing the Social Security system.

Your proposal concerning Social Security puts new light on the problem and is sure to form a valuable contribution to the Administration's efforts to return Social Security to a sound financial basis. You can be sure that your comments will receive serious attention from the appropriate members of the Administration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Horace W. Brock  
President  
Strategic Decisions, Inc.  
905 Sherman Avenue  
Menlo Park, CA 94025

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 5, 1981

Dear Friends:

Thank you for your recent message. I appreciate the time you have taken to tell me of your support for President Reagan's call for further budget cuts. I am sure that the President will be as pleased as I was to hear of your kind words and that he would want me to extend to you his heartfelt thanks.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

The Robert J. Bolen, Jr. Family  
10 Gwynne Court  
Closter, NJ 07624

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 5, 1981

Dear Mr. Shipley:

Thank you for your recent letter. I appreciate the time you have taken to write and enclose a recent editorial from Business Week.

President Reagan places a high value on his relationship with Congress. Certainly one of the most important standards by which to judge the leadership of any president is his ability to work with the Legislative Branch. It is encouraging to know that you share this concern. You can be sure that your comments, and those contained in the article you enclosed, will receive careful attention from the appropriate members of this Administration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Carl L. Shipley  
Shipley, Smoak and Akerman  
1108 National Press Building  
Washington, D.C. 20045



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 5, 1981

Dear Mr. Kelly:

Thank you for your recent letter. I appreciate the time you have taken to send in your views. You can be sure that your comments and proposals will receive careful consideration from the appropriate members of the Administration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Claire Kelley  
6605 Sutton Drive  
North Olmsted, OH 44070



THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE  
WASHINGTON, THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

*EM / you agree?  
Mike*

5 OCT 1981

Mr. Michael K. Deaver  
Assistant to the President and  
Deputy Chief of Staff  
The White House  
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Mike:

I think it would be very appropriate if the President could personally thank the Townes Commission, or at least as many as would make the trip to Washington. It would not take more than 10 or 15 minutes, and he could present them with cufflinks, etc., and his personal thanks for a job well done.

There were differences of opinion among the Commission on some of the items, but from all points of view, including the idea of securing more unified support of the Commission for the position as announced, I think it would be very nice if this could be put on his schedule. I would think at least two weeks notice would be necessary since the members are pretty well scattered around the country. Dr. Townes himself, of course, is from the San Francisco area.

If you need any more information, please be sure to let me know. I told Dr. Townes some time ago in Los Angeles that I would try to arrange this.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature, likely "Jim", is written in cursive below the word "Sincerely,".

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

October 5, 1981

Dear Miss Wolfson:

Thank you for your letter inviting me to speak at Princeton. I appreciate the invitation extended to me by The American Whig-Clisophic Society but I'm afraid I simply can't schedule any additional time away from the White House. I would like to suggest that you contact Miss Judy Pond, White House Speaker's Bureau, to try to arrange for a substitute.

Again, thank you for your kind invitation.

Sincerely,

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 5, 1981

Dear Mrs. King:

Thank you for your recent letters. I appreciate your interest in writing and want you to know that your comments will be given careful attention from the appropriate members of this Administration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

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Deputy Chief of Staff

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 6, 1981

Dear Mr. Higby:

Thank you for your recent letter and enclosure. This Administration has placed a high priority on our economic difficulties, both domestic and global. Your letter to Representative Lewis raised many important and provocative issues. You can be sure that your comments and proposals will be given serious review by the appropriate members of this Administration.

I have taken the liberty of enclosing the text of President Reagan's address to the 1981 Annual Meeting of the Board of Governors of the World Bank and International Monetary Fund. I hope you will enjoy reading the complete transcript of the President's remarks before these groups.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

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