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(Noonan)
May 21, 1986
Draft

PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY
ARLINGTON CEMETERY
ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA
MONDAY, MAY 26, 1986

Thank you, ladies and gentlemen.

Today is the day we put aside to remember fallen heroes, and to pray that no heroes will ever have to die for us again. It is a day of thanks for the valor of others, a day to remember the splendor of America and those of her children who rest in this cemetery and others.

It is a day to be with the family, and remember. I was thinking this morning that across the country children and their parents will be going to the town parade, and the young ones will sit on the sidewalks and wave their flags as the band goes by. And later maybe they'll have a cookout or a day at the beach. And that's good, because today is a day to be with the family, and remember.

This place of many memories is a good place to start. So many wonderful men and women rest here, men and women who led colorful, vivid and passionate lives. There are the greats of the military -- Bull Halsey and the Admirals Leahy, father and son -- Admiral Perry, and Black Jack Pershing and the GI's General, Omar Bradley... Great men all, great military men. And there are others.

Here in Arlington rests a sharecropper's son who became a hero to a lonely people. Joe Louis came from nowhere but he knew how to fight, and he galvanized a nation when, after Pearl

Harbor, he put on the uniform of his country and said, "Don't ask if God's on our side -- what's important is we're on God's side."

Audie Murphy is here, Audie Murphy of the wild wild courage -- for what else could it be when a man stands atop a tank utterly exposed, stops an enemy advance, saves lives and rallies his men, all of it singlehandedly.

Michael Smith is here, and Dick Scobee, both of the space shuttle Challenger. Their courage wasn't wild but thoughtful, the mature and measured courage of career professionals who took prudent risks for great reward -- in their case, to advance the sum total of knowledge in the world. They are only the latest to rest here; they join other great explorers, like Grissom and Chaffee and White...

And Oliver Wendell Holmes is here, a great jurist, a great fighter for the right. A poet searching for an image of true majesty wouldn't rest until he came up with this: "Holmes dissenting in a sordid age." He served in the Civil War, and he might have been thinking of the crosses and stars of Arlington when he wrote, "At the grave of a hero we end, not with sorrow at the inevitable loss, but with the contagion of his courage; and with a kind of desperate joy we go back to the fight."

All of these lives were different, but these men shared this in common: they loved America very much, there was nothing they wouldn't do for her, and they loved with the sureness of the young.

It is hard not to think of the young in a place like this, for it is the young who do the fighting and the dying when a

peace fails and a war begins. Not far from here is the statue of the three servicemen -- the three fighting boys of Vietnam. It too has majesty, and more. Perhaps you've seen it, three rough boys walking together, looking ahead with a steady gaze. There's something wounded about them, a kind of resigned toughness, but there is an unexpected tenderness too: at first you don't notice, but the three are touching each other, supporting each other, helping each other keep on.

I'm sure that veterans of Vietnam will gather today, some of them by the wall, and they'll still be helping each other keep on. They were quite a group, the boys of Vietnam, boys who fought a terrible and vicious war without enough support from home, boys who were dodging bullets while we were debating their every move. It was often our poor who fought in that war; it was the unpampered boys of the working class who picked up those rifles and went on the march. They learned not to rely on us, they learned to rely on each other. And they were special in another way: they chose to be faithful, they chose to reject the fashionable skepticism of their time, they chose to believe and answer the call of duty. They had the wild wild courage of youth; they seized certainty from the heart of an ambivalent age; they stood for something.

And we owe them something, those boys. We owe them a promise to always remember -- always remember -- that peace is a fragile thing that needs constant vigilance, constant attention. We owe them a promise to look at the world with a steady gaze and, perhaps, a resigned toughness, knowing that we have

adversaries in the world and challenges, and the only way to meet them and maintain the peace is by staying strong.

That, of course, is the lesson of this century, a lesson learned in the Sudetenland, in Poland, in Hungary, in Czechoslovakia, in Cambodia. If we really care about peace we must stay strong. If we really care about peace we must, through our strength, demonstrate our unwillingness to accept an ending of the peace. We must be strong enough to create peace where it does not exist and strong enough to protect it where it does.

That is the lesson of this century and, I think, of this day. And that is all I wanted to say. The rest of my contribution today is to leave this great place to its peace, a peace it has earned.

Thank you, all of you. God bless you, and have a day full of memories.

(Noonan)
May 20, 1986
Draft

PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: MEMORIAL DAY EVENT AT ARLINGTON CEMETERY
ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA
MONDAY, MAY 26, 1986

Today is a day to remember fallen heroes, and to thank the heroes who protect our liberties and ~~our~~ ^{to day.} peace. And we see in this sea of white crosses and grave markers the physical representation of those who gave their utmost and then passed from the stage.

~~"I am the grass, I cover all" said the poet. Those who rest here do so in the easy comradeship of peaceful souls.~~

So Arlington, this hallowed place where heroes rest, is many things -- a reminder and an encouragement, a lesson and an epiphany.

But it is also something else. I thought this as we were driving by ~~some time~~ recently. I thought that it is touching that so many men and women of the service still ^{ask} choose to be buried here, ^{and at other national cemeteries.} I think ~~it says something that they choose to be buried here.~~

^{A few weeks ago} the other day, quietly ^{and} privately ^{on a spring day with the} ~~in a spring~~ air weighted with the rain that was about to come the body of Mike Smith was laid to rest here. ^{A few days after that, Dick Scobee was buried here.}

~~I think he, and the others who have come to the national cemeteries, that they as a final resting place, have not come here thinking of themselves as heroes. He was not declaring by resting here "I am a hero." They are declaring: "I wish to be among heroes, I wish to say with my final presence that I am an American, honor bound, and I wish to lie with those who stood for her liberties and her honor. I am common stuff but I wish to rest among heroes."~~ ^{I think instead he was}

And when they come here they join such a group, so many colorful, varied, men and women.

Look out at the rolling hills of grass on a soft day with butterflies and a soft wind going past so softly you can barely hear it, and look out, and just imagine: there are the great men of the military here. *P. I* And then there are the great Americans period.

Joe Louis is here, the Bronx bomber. *Langston Hughes wrote*
~~nothing like him a true fighter who is undaunted by used to be~~
~~blank blank said to blank blank what make you so strong// blank~~
~~blank said I come from where Joe Louis born. A great man. He~~
~~helped desegregate the service, or a part of it. The softball~~
~~team. And in doing so changed the history of sport and some~~
~~facts of life: the young man sitting on the sidelines was a~~
~~fellow named Willy Mays.~~

Audie Murphy is here, my old friend *of* whose wild wild courage -- *for* what else is it when you stand atop a tank and stop a German advance single handedly and save the lives of your men but wild as wild can be. The splendor of that moment of his youth weighed heavy on him; ~~maybe he saw no more greatness ahead~~
~~of him~~ Brilliant early success *brings* its pressures but he took 'em with a smile and a shrug and burrowed into life and did his best...

Michael Smith is here too, and Dick Scobee. They had everything ahead of them, and a courage not wild but thoughtful, *the mature and* measured, ~~the mature~~ courage of *professional men* ~~navy/army man~~ who took prudent risks for great reward -- in this case to advance the sum total of knowledge in the world. They paid with their lives. *They joined other astronauts with names like Grissom, Chaffee and Smith.*

A rough and gallant
~~young man from~~
~~Detroit~~
~~who became~~
~~a hero to~~
~~a lovely~~
~~people;~~
~~he gave~~
~~heart to~~
~~children.~~
~~Langston~~
~~Hughes~~
~~wrote~~
~~a poem~~
~~about him~~
~~"Corn bread~~
~~said to~~
~~coffee,~~
~~'what~~
~~make~~
~~you so~~
~~strong,~~
~~coffee sa~~
~~I come~~
~~from~~
~~where~~
~~Joe~~
~~Louis~~
~~born."~~

He fought
~~in the~~
~~ring, and~~
~~then with the~~
~~elegant simplicity~~
~~of a man who knew how~~
~~to make words work for~~
~~him he put on~~
~~uniform~~

Bull
Halsey,
and
Douglas
MacArthur
Sr., the
Admirals
Leahy,
father
and son
Admiral
Perry,
Black Jack
Pershing,
and the
61 General,
 Omar
Bradley.
Great
men whose
names
can be
heard when
the
bugle
blows...

~~Iva Hoover is~~
 Ernie Pyle is here, the friend of the GI who walked with him
 through heavy mud and endless rain and the cold of a midnight
 national pastime. And Dr. Wendell Holmes -- great
 watch and reported home about the boy from Canton Ohio, the kid
 from Arizona who missed home and missed his girl but that's
 "Holmes dissenting in a sordid age." He himself was no mean
 okay we'll drop kick these nazi so and so's and be home for
 writer and could have written lines for these head stones:
 christmas.

~~roger young~~

~~someone from vietnam~~

~~unexpected people~~

the action and passion of one's
 time, at peril of being judged
 not to have lived."

And Robert Todd Lincoln is

Colorful and free full of resources and daring and wild-boy
 humor and fly-boy daring. Amazing Americans, great Americans.
 You can see much of our history here, trace its sweep
 period. I think sometimes of the boys of war. It's always the

young who fight and die, it's always the young. And the old
 And you can find far too many graves here
 soldiers. We always think those who lie here died in service of
 making the passing of too many young men. These others
 their country here in some battle in their youth. But so many
 were old, but it is the young who are the first and
 who lie here left this earth quietly with no gunfire, just the
 saddest casualties of war.

buzz of a machine in a quiet hospital room... Not the most
 And what do we say to them, to the young?
 dramatic characters, not celebrated as heroes, good fellows who
 For all of them, all of the bright young men who
 made their contribution. But you know they served America in the
 died on our wars, were victims of a peace process
 Army, Navy, Marines, Air Force, and Coast Guard, they put on the
 that failed. And so we must look at these graves and
 uniform of their country, and stood proudly when that flag went
 and make a promise: no more war, war never
 by. And today we salute them, the quiet ones who did the watch,
 again. We must always strive for peace, strive for
 peeled the potatoes, marched in step, fed an army, led it, were
 peace.
 part of it.

These places belong to butterflies; these places have earned
 their peace, these places are where stillness reigns, and they
 have earned the stillness. After the clamour and tumult of a

a robust
 and
 energetic
 boy from a
 sad family
 a boy who
 fought for
 his country
 went into
 business and
 knew
 prosperity
 living a
 life of
 average
 after his
 father's
 life of
 drama.

But he was
 also an oc
 symbol of
 continuity
 the only
 man

in our
 history to
 have held
 the hand of
 three dying
 Presidents --
 McKinley
 and Lincoln

life well lived, a life that had meaning, after that the stillness is a welcome thing.

If you see one on the street give 'em a smile and maybe a small salute. That's your future there, and a potential savior call 'em, write 'em, be good to them.

In a hard world that makes terrible demands, a world of moral questions and intellectual challenges and that seems sometimes to confuse right and wrong they seized certainty from the heart of an ambivalent age.

And thank God for that; and them.

And so today let's remember them all, and be heartened by their memories.

And God bless them and you.

Not far from here there is a statue of three fighting boys, the three boys of Vietnam. It is a tender and touching rendering for it shows them looking out, looking ahead, with the steady gaze of youth. But there is something dazed and battered in them too, ~~as an~~ incipient bitterness around the mouth, a resigned toughness, and a tenderness too: ~~the three~~ at first you don't notice, but the three are touching each other, supporting each other, helping each other ~~to~~ keep going. We owe them something, those boys. We owe them

a promise to strive to maintain the frail peace, to try and break the world with a challenge, and let's not let them down. Strong boys.

Today is a day to remember fallen heroes and to thank the heroes who protect our liberties and our peace. And we see in this sea of white crosses and grave markers the physical ~~real~~ ^{embodiment or} representation of those who gave their utmost and then passed from the stage.

do so "I am the grass, I cover all" said the poet. ^{Those who} ~~and they~~ rest here in the easy comraderie of ^{peaceful} ~~resting~~ souls.

~~So~~ arlington, this hallowed place where heroes rest, is many things ~~to us~~ -- a reminder and an encouragement, a lesson and an epiphany.

^{it is also something} but ~~you know~~ what else.

that → I thought this as we were driving by some time recently. I thought ^{men and women of the service still choose} it is touching that so many ~~heroes chose~~ to be buried here together.

~~And it's interesting~~

It ^{says something that} ~~what it says when~~ they choose to be buried here.

It the other day, quietly, privately in a spring air weighted with the rain that was about to come,

→ the body of ^{Mike Smith} ~~Shuttle Person~~ was laid to rest here.

~~And why do they do this~~

It ^{He was} ~~they are~~ not declaring by resting here "I am a hero."

← ^{they are} declaring: "I wish to be among heroes, I wish to say with my final presence that I am an American, and I wish to lie with those who ^{stood for} ~~proudly protected~~ her liberties, ^{honor borne,} ~~and~~ her honor."

→ I am common stuff but I wish to rest among heroes."

And when they come here they join such a group, →
~~it must be~~

← so many colorful ^{varied} men and women,

Look out at the rolling hills of grass on a soft day with butterflies and a soft wind going past ^{so} softly ~~so~~ you can barely hear it,

and look out,

and just imagine: *there are the great men of the military here:*

Joe Louis is here, the Bronx bomber. Langston Hughes wrote ^{then} And ~~there~~ are the great Americans period! blank blank said to blank blank what make you so strong// blank blank said I come from where Joe Louis born. A great man. He helped desegregate the service, or a part of it. The softball team. And in doing so changed the history of sport and some facts of life: the young man sitting on the sidelines was a fellow named Willy Mayes.

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~~Shuttle crewman~~ ^{Michael Smith} is here ^{too, and Dick Scobee. They had} everything ahead ~~for him too~~ ^{of them,} and a courage not wild but thoughtful, measured, the mature courage of a ~~year veterans of~~ navy/army man who took prudent risks for great reward in this case to advance ^{the sum total of} knowledge, ~~and he did~~ ^{They} paid with ~~his~~ ^{them} lives... ^{in the world.}

Ernie Pyle is here, the friend of the GI who walked with him through heavy mud and endless rain and the cold of a midnight watch and reported home about the boy from Canton Ohio, the kid from ____ Arizona who missed home and missed his girl but that's okay ~~he'll take care of these nazi so and so's~~ we'll drop kick these nazi so and so's and be home for christmas...

roger young...

someone from vietnam....

unexpected people

Colorful and free full of resources and daring and wild-boy humor and fly-boy daring. *Amazing Americans, great*

Americans period.

~~I think sometimes of the boys of war. It's always~~
~~And the old soldiers. We always think they died in service~~ *those who lie here*
of their country here in some battle in their youth.

~~but so many here served their lives and left this earth~~ *who lie*
~~quietly, no gunfire, just the buzz of a machine in a quiet hospital~~ *with*
room... ~~And we think of them today.~~ Not the most dramatic

characters, ~~not heroes, good fellows who~~ *celebrated as*

~~lived lives~~

made their contribution. ~~and~~

~~little color in their departure~~

~~but you know,~~ they served America in the army, navy, marines
~~whatever~~ *airforce* ~~coast guard,~~ *and*

they put on the uniform of their country,

and stood proudly when that flag went by. →

the young who fight and die, it's always the young.

F and today we salute them,

the quiet ones who did the watch,
peeled the potatoes,
marched in step,
fed an army, led it, were part of it.

~~so much of our century here~~
~~and~~

P these places belong to ~~the~~ butterflies; these places have
~~earned their peace.~~
these places are where stillness reigns, and they have earned ^{the} stillness.
F after the clamour and tumult of a life well lived, a life
that ^{had} ~~held~~ meaning, ~~after that the stillness is a welcome thing.~~
~~that was assertions and not apologies~~

~~so we salute them~~

~~and the boys and girls now and that's good~~

~~the boys and girls who serve their country today~~

P if you see one on the street give 'em a smile ~~and~~
maybe a small salute.

that's your future there, and a potential savior,
call 'em,
write 'em,
be good to them,

in a hard world that makes terrible demands, *a world of*
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intellectual challenges

and that seems sometimes to confuse right and wrong

→ they've seized certainty from the heart of an ambivalent age.

and thank God for that; and them.

And so today let's remember them all, and be heartened by their memories. ~~Wonderful people but the nature of man is pretty unchanging and we have as many wonderful people as we did them so let's raise a glass of lemonade to them.~~

And God bless them and you.

May 19, 1986

Dear Mr. Sutphin:

This is in follow-up to my earlier letter to you regarding your invitation for the President to deliver an address at the Memorial Day services at Arlington Cemetery on May 26, 1986 at approximately 10:05 a.m.

Again, we appreciate your extending this opportunity to the President and are pleased to write that the President and Mrs. Reagan accept your invitation. This has been entered on their calendars for Monday, May 26, 1986. Mr. James Hooley, Special Assistant to the President and Director of Presidential Advance, will be in touch with you regarding coordinating the details for this appearance by the President and First Lady.

The President's acceptance of this invitation should not be announced to anyone until official notification is given by the White House Press Office, and any public announcement of this event must be coordinated with that office.

You should be aware that certain physical facility requirements exist for any Presidential appearance. The costs associated with these requirements are generally the responsibility of the host and are summarized on the attached list.

If you wish to alter the current plans for this event in any way, such as changing any part of the format, the location, the participants or the attire, please convey the proposed change to the Office of Presidential Appointments and Scheduling.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR.
Director, Presidential
Appointments and Scheduling

Mr. Robert F. Sutphin
The G. A. R. Memorial Day
Corporation
2017 Gaylord Drive
Suitland, MD 20746-1499

FJR:JAJ:SLM

bcc: Tom Dawson, Al Kingon, William Henkel, Pat Buchanan, Larry Speakes,
Rick Riley, Speechwriters, Jean Jackson, Helen Donaldson with incoming for
May 26, 1986 file

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

5/13/86

MEMORANDUM

TO: RICHARD RILEY (Coordinate with James Hooley)
FROM: FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR. *FR*
SUBJECT: APPROVED PRESIDENTIAL ACTIVITY

MEETING: Participate in Memorial Day Ceremonies

DATE: May 26, 1986

TIME: Approximately 9:30 am

DURATION: 1 hour 30 minutes

LOCATION: Arlington National Cemetery

REMARKS REQUIRED: Yes

MEDIA COVERAGE: Coordinate with Press Office

FIRST LADY
PARTICIPATION: Yes

NOTE: PROJECT OFFICER, SEE ATTACHED CHECKLIST

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

SCHEDULE OF THE PRESIDENT

FOR

MONDAY, MAY 26, 1986

EVENT: MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES AT ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY

THE PRESIDENT'S PARTICIPATION

Wreath-Laying

Remarks

WEATHER

Partly Cloudy

Mid-Upper 70's

DRESS

Men's Dark Business Suit

Ladies' Afternoon Dress

ADVANCE

LAKE, JAMES
BRENNAN, JOSEPH

██████████
WHALEN, RON
CREA, LCDR VIVIEN
HILDEBRAND, JOANNE

LEAD
PRESS
USSS
WHCA
MILITARY AIDE
TRIP COORDINATOR

CONTACT

Presidential Advance Office: 202/456-7565
JAMES L. HOOLEY
JOANNE HILDEBRAND

05/23/86 10:00 a.m.

GUEST AND STAFF INSTRUCTIONS

9:25 a.m. Proceed to South Lawn and board motorcade.

MOTORCADE ASSIGNMENTS

Lead

Spare

P. Roussel
J. Kuhn

Limo

THE PRESIDENT
Mrs. Reagan

Follow-up

Control

W. Henkel
Dr. B. Smith
Military Aide

Support

R. Riley
J. Hooley
Ofcl. Photographer
Medic

WHCA

Press Van I

Press Van II

Ambulance

Tail

THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan proceed to motorcade for boarding.

9:35 a.m. THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan depart The White House en route Arlington National Cemetery.

Drive Time: 10 mins.

9:45 a.m. THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan arrive Arlington Cemetery, North Side Amphitheatre.

NOTE: A 21-Gun salute will greet THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan upon arrival at the gates of the Cemetery.

Met by:

Major General John L. Ballantyne, U.S.
Army

Mrs. John Ballantyne (Ann)

Mr. Robert F. Sutphin, President, The
Grand Army of the Republic Memorial Day
Corporation

OFFICIAL PHOTOGRAPHER ONLY

GUEST AND STAFF INSTRUCTIONS

Staff will be escorted to viewing area at
the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan, accompanied by General and Mrs. Ballantyne and Mr. Sutphin, proceed along color cordon to Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

See TAB A for diagram.

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THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan, accompanied by General and Mrs. Ballantyne and Mr. Sutphin, arrive Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE

THE PRESIDENT, accompanied by General Ballantyne, proceeds to gray line.

Refer to TAB A for diagram.

NOTE: Mrs. Reagan, Mrs. Ballantyne and Mr. Sutphin will remain on toe marks directly behind THE PRESIDENT throughout wreath-laying ceremony.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE

National Anthem

NOTE: At the conclusion of the National Anthem, the Wreath Bearer will present the wreath to THE PRESIDENT.

THE PRESIDENT, accompanied by the Wreath Bearer, proceeds to the Tomb, places the wreath and returns to gray line.

Refer to TAB A for diagram.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE

Four Muffled Ruffles and Taps

Thirty Seconds of Silence

9:55 a.m. THE PRESIDENT, joined by Mrs. Reagan, Mrs. Ballantyne and Mr. Sutphin, and accompanied by General Ballantyne, departs the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier en route Memorial Display Room.

Refer to TABS A & B for diagrams.

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GUEST AND STAFF INSTRUCTIONS

Staff will be escorted through Memorial display Room directly to reserved seats in Amphitheatre.

THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan, accompanied by General and Mrs. Ballantyne and Mr. Sutphin, arrive Memorial Display Room.

OFFICIAL PHOTOGRAPHER ONLY

NOTE: General Ballantyne will proceed directly onto stage in Amphitheatre. Mrs. Ballantyne will be escorted to reserved seat in boxes.

10:00 a.m. THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan, accompanied by Mr. Sutphin, depart Memorial Display Room en route Amphitheatre off-stage announcement area.

Refer to TAB B for diagram.

05/23/86 10:00 a.m.

THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan, accompanied by Mr. Sutphin, arrive Amphitheatre off-stage announcement area.

Ruffles and Flourishes
Announcement (off-stage)
"Hail to the Chief"

10:05 a.m. THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan, accompanied by Mr. Sutphin, proceed onto dais and are seated.

See TAB C for seating diagram.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE

Call to Order

Presentation of Colors

Pledge of Allegiance

National Anthem

Invocation

Posting of Colors

Welcoming remarks by General Ballantyne.

Mr. Sutphin introduces THE PRESIDENT.

10:20 a.m. THE PRESIDENT makes remarks.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE

10:30 a.m. THE PRESIDENT concludes remarks and, joined by Mrs. Reagan and accompanied by General Ballantyne, departs Amphitheatre en route Memorial Display Room.

Refer to TAB B for diagram.

GUEST AND STAFF INSTRUCTIONS

Staff will be escorted through Memorial Display Room directly to motorcade for boarding.

MOTORCADE ASSIGNMENTS

Same as on arrival.

THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan, accompanied by General Ballantyne, arrive Memorial Display Room.

OFFICIAL PHOTOGRAPHER ONLY

10:35 a.m. THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan, accompanied by General Ballantyne, depart Memorial Display Room and proceed along honor cordon to motorcade for boarding.

OFFICIAL PHOTOGRAPHER ONLY

10:40 a.m. THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan depart Arlington National Cemetery en route The White House.

Drive Time: 10 mins.

10:50 a.m. THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Reagan arrive The White House and proceed inside.

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