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FROM
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Mr. Robert C. Macauley
President
AmeriCares Foundation
161 Cherry Street
New Canaan, Connecticut 06840



THE PRESIDENT

May 10 92

Dear Bob,

Thanks for yours of
May 8th. Other private sector
groups should go for more
action in helping the CIS
states. I do hope our paths
will cross on the 21st All Best
by

CC: (in & out)
Brent Scowcroft
(FYI)
Sam Skinner
(FYI)
Rose Zamaria ✓
(1 cc)

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May 8, 1992

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Peter S. Lynch

The Honorable George H.W. Bush
The White House
c/o Ms. Patty Presock
The Residence
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

Lou Bantle of U.S. Tobacco advised me that we might have a few moments together on May 21st at the reception at the U.S. Tobacco hangar when you are en route to Kennebunkport. In hopes of chatting very briefly with Bar at that time, I wrote her today, a copy of which letter is enclosed herewith.

Mr. President, I realize that you are experiencing great difficulties with the Congress concerning your declared program for U.S. assistance to the Republics of the F.S.U. I noticed that even Rich Armitage encountered considerable hostility during his testimony on Wednesday, and that Jim Baker seems to be daily running into a buzzsaw as he seeks to advance the bill. I share your beliefs and convictions, and those of Jim, that seeking to stabilize the Republics of the F.S.U. should be given a very high priority; if we miss this chance, ay come to regret it for a very long time.

Phil:

The attached fax came in late Friday night and original via Fed Express today.

As far as we know, Mrs. Bush did not get her letter. Please take a look at and decide what needs to be sent over to Mrs. Bush's correspondence office.

Rose

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The Honorable George H.W. Bush
May 8, 1992
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\$51,830,670; primarily medicines, pharmaceutical supplies and food. This effort commenced on the day after the tragic earthquake in Armenia, and you will recall that on the fifth airlift to Armenia, Jeb and George P. went along as couriers.

AmeriCares first commenced operations back in 1982, after I met with you to determine whether it would be possible to obtain landing permits in Poland for humanitarian airlifts of medicines. Following your approval, airlifts of donated medicines commenced; the \$50,000 worth of medicines originally contemplated has now passed the \$500,000,000 mark, with shipments having been made to 73 countries. All of this, in accordance with my original agreement with you, without aid from the U.S. Government which is exactly what you and I wanted.

As indicated in my letter to Barbara, we have been sending outstanding physicians all over the world, generally accompanying these airlifts, following the examples of Médecins Sans Frontières and Médecins du Monde. I think that all of these operations have reflected great credit on our country.

My point, Mr. President, is simply this: if AmeriCares can deliver more than \$50,000,000 worth of medicines and pharmaceutical supplies to the F.S.U., could not other humanitarian organizations be convinced to follow suit? If the \$50,000,000 that we have shipped to the F.S.U. were multiplied by a factor 10, I would think that hundreds of thousands of people could be assisted, and a tremendous amount of good will would be engendered for our country.

Or, stated another way: if AmeriCares can do it, why can't others if they were similarly inclined or motivated?

Mr. President, I know that these are extraordinarily difficult times for you, but I wanted you to know that Leila and I continue to keep you and Bar in our daily prayers.

I look forward to seeing you on May 21st.

With kindest personal regards,

Sincerely yours,

RCM:rw1
Enclosure

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Mrs. George H. W. Bush
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Dear Barbara,

I find it hard to believe that it was more than seven years ago that I was privileged to accompany you and George on that trip to Africa; first stop was Khartoum, when the first of the AmeriCares airlifts arrived early one brilliant Friday morning. As you may recall, instead of continuing on the African trip, it was necessary for me to return to Connecticut as you departed for Mali.

Lou Bantle indicated to me that we might have a few moments to chat when you and the President stop by the U.S. Tobacco hangar for a reception on May 21st, and I thought that this might provide a couple of minutes during which time I could bring you up to date on our AmeriCares' program, *Doctors To All Peoples*.

A lot of progress has been made by DTAP (*Doctors To All Peoples*), although AmeriCares' rapid expansion has somewhat decelerated DTAP'S growth. AmeriCares figures show why: when I met with George in March of 1982 to request his counsel with regard to starting AmeriCares, our goal was to ship \$50,000 worth of medicines and pharmaceutical supplies to Poland -- sort of on a one-shot deal. But given the responses from corporations and foundations from all over America, we realized that the potential for a completely private organization, such as AmeriCares, was virtually unlimited -- and as of about three weeks ago, instead of the original \$50,000 contemplated then, we passed the \$500,000,000 mark, and are now expecting to surpass the \$1,000,000,000 mark by 1995.

All of this has been done by the private sector, with no requests for U.S. Government aid. I guess one could call this "capitalism at its best".

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Mrs. George H. W. Bush
May 8, 1992
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The DTAP program is modeled after the French organizations, Médecins Sans Frontières (Doctors Without Borders), and Médecins du Monde (Doctors of the World), with which groups we have met frequently. I guess I do not believe that the French should have a monopoly on humanitarian assistance to faraway countries under difficult conditions, mainly wars and famines.

DTAP has developed affiliations, or "partnerships", as we call them, with many of the leading hospitals in this country, which hospitals have supplied many of the doctors and nurses who accompany many of our airlifts to Third World countries. Among those hospitals which are affiliated with DTAP are the Mayo Clinic, Sloan Kettering Memorial hospital, Yale University Hospital, Brown University Medical School and the Greenwich Hospital. Attached is a short recap indicating some of the physicians and nurses who have played major roles in our ever-expanding operations.

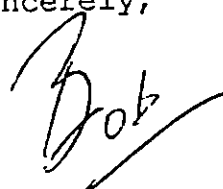
Peter Lynch, a fellow-member of the Board of Directors of W. R. Grace & Company, indicated to me at the last meeting, about three weeks ago, that he would be joining you at a dinner at the Waldorf that evening. Peter had just returned from his first trip on one of our airlifts to Moscow, during the course of which trip he saw the "ducks" in one of the parks in that city. Those same ducks that Mrs. Gorbachev admired, when you and she were in Boston, a couple of years ago. Peter was so enthused that he asked if he and his wife and three daughters could accompany another AmeriCares airlift to Moscow, which took place last week. We arranged for him to meet with a number of Russian officials in the economic sphere, and Peter seemed very pleased with the results. Doubtless the Russians were, too.

I am enclosing herewith for your ready reference, copies of the letter from you indicating your willingness to permit us to use your good name as Honorary Chairperson. I appreciate this support on your part, as well as that of Jeb and George P. and Marvin, who accompanied our airlifts to Armenia and Managua.

I hope that when you and the President are here on May 21st, I will be able to give you a more complete picture of DTAP at AmeriCares, which should require no more than two or three minutes.

Leila joins me in sending affectionate greetings to you and the President.

Sincerely,



RCM/jls
Enclosures

Daily

Mr. David H. Kim
President
KAGRO Foundation
Suite 820
3600 Wilshire Boulevard
Los Angeles, California 90010



THE PRESIDENT

5-10-92

Dear David,

I have now carefully read your Statement.
First, thanks for your kind words - Second - yes, we must build partnerships etc

Everyone must have a shot at the American Dream -

I will keep working to that end - I know you will too.

Sincerely

Bill Clinton

STATEMENT BY MR. DAVID H. KIM

May 7, 1992

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

Mr. President, it is an honor for us to have you here today. We thank you for your taking the time to visit Koreatown.

Immigrants come to this great country because it is the land of the free. And the brave. We respect human rights. In fact, our desire for preserving these basic human rights is so strong that we do not spare our resources to protect these rights for people in other parts of the world.

What happened in Los Angeles last week was a total disgrace to Angelenos. To Californians. And to all Americans. The lawlessness and destruction we all witnessed on television was too much for us to bear. America lost its face as the world kept its eyes on us.

Where was the police when we needed them the most? How can so many innocent people be injured and killed in the streets of a city that prides itself on diversity? How can any law enforcement agency justify showing up almost 40 hours after the damage was done? We have heard that the Los Angeles Police Department anticipated a public outcry regardless of the King's verdict. The LAPD even had a \$1 million budget to pay for overtime should its personnel be required to work beyond their normal hours. This goes to show that some planning was done. As we all know, however, this plan did not work. It did not work at all.

We have been victimized by the hoodlums for their lack of civility. We have also been victimized by the police for their lack of duty. We are deeply concerned about the safety and well being of our members after the National Guard leaves. We are concerned that there may be another disaster should the National Guard pull out prematurely. We need to have the extra protection these people offer. We would like to see the National Guard stay until the end of May.

Over 500 Korean-owned liquor and small grocery stores have sustained extensive damages. Our losses total over \$300 million. Mr. President, we know that some \$300 million will be available through SBA loans. We want to know how much of that money is going to be available to Korean Americans. Korean American merchants have suffered almost half of the total damages. What kind of realistic and effective assistance can we expect from the FEMA centers? We have heard a lot of talk about money going into rebuilding one part of town. How can Korean American merchants who have a language barrier best take advantage of governmental assistance?

The media is reporting that since this is the election year, everyone is politicizing the tragedy of last week. You are a great leader. You have vision and wisdom. We want to see you exercising your best judgment and helping people of all colors and from all walks of life. Please don't pay lip service to improving race relations. We ask that you provide economic opportunities for African/Hispanic and Korean Americans to find partnerships and to rebuild the Los Angeles business community.

Los Angeles belongs to all of us. Together we can set aside our differences and forge ahead. With your help, Mr. President, we can do it. Thank you.

The Reverend Edward V. Hill
Pastor
The Mount Zion Missionary Baptist
Church
1300 East 50th Street
Los Angeles, California 90011

CC: (in & out)
Rose Zamaria
(2 copies)

Blind cc:
Sam Skinner
(FYI)

Done
BT 5/11/92



THE PRESIDENT

May 10 '92

Dear Rev. Hill,

The most moving event for me on my recent visit was that wonderful ecumenical service at Mt. Zion. Thank you so very much for putting that service together. I will never forget the spirit in that church

on our National Day of Prayer.

We are back here now thinking how best to follow up. I know you strongly support a Commission. I will talk further about that. You know my concerns that a commission not produce yet another study none reads. My warmest personal thanks - best wishes - Ag Bunk

Toy

Sam Skinner

cc: RZ

Rev EVHILL did a great job
out there .As you may know

he wants a new commission-

(or committee). He is a power leader

for good in the community so

someone needs to follow up with

him. Let's discuss this

*copy sent
to SKS
5/11/92*

BT

THE SOUTH CENTRAL LOS ANGELES ECUMENICAL NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER ASSEMBLY

Thursday May 7, 1992
7:30 a. m.

At THE MOUNT ZION MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
1300 East 50th Street
Los Angeles, California 90011

Presiding - Pastor Edward V. Hill

The Hymn	Guide me, O Thou great Jehovah, Pilgrim thro' this barren land I am weak, but Thou art mighty; Hold me with Thy pow'rful hand; Bread of heaven, Feed me till I want no more, Bread of heaven, Feed me till I want no more.	When I tread the verge of Jordan, Bid my anxious fears subside; Bear me thro' the swelling current: Land me safe on Canaan's side: Songs of praises I will ever give to Thee, Songs of praises I will ever give to Thee. Amen.
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The Scripture	Doctor Paul Crouch President Trinity Broadcasting Network
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Solo	Aladrian Elmore
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Prayers	For the Peoples of The World Cardinal Roger Mahoney For Love and Peace Bishop Robert McMurray For Healing and Restoration Doctor Billy Ingram For All Leadership Doctor Floyd Massey Rev. Mr. Jones	<i>racial toler</i> <i>healing</i> <i>impotence of</i> <i>church</i> <i>blame</i>
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The Presentation of The President of The United States of America

Remarks	The President of The United States . . . The Honorable George Bush
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The Benediction	Doctor Frank Steward
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PLEASE JOIN US NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

AMERICA ON ITS KNEES:

PLEASE JOIN US

PLEASE JOIN US

OUR FATHER IN HEAVEN:

WE PRAY that YOU save us from ourselves.

The world that YOU have made for us, to live in peace,
we have made into an armed camp.
We live in fear of war to come.

We are afraid of "the terror that flies by
night, and the arrow that flies by day,
the pestilence that walks in darkness
and the destruction that wastes at noon-day."

We have turned from YOU to go our selfish way.
We have broken YOUR commandments
and denied YOUR truth. We have left YOUR altar
to serve the false gods of money and pleasure and power.

FORGIVE US AND HELP US

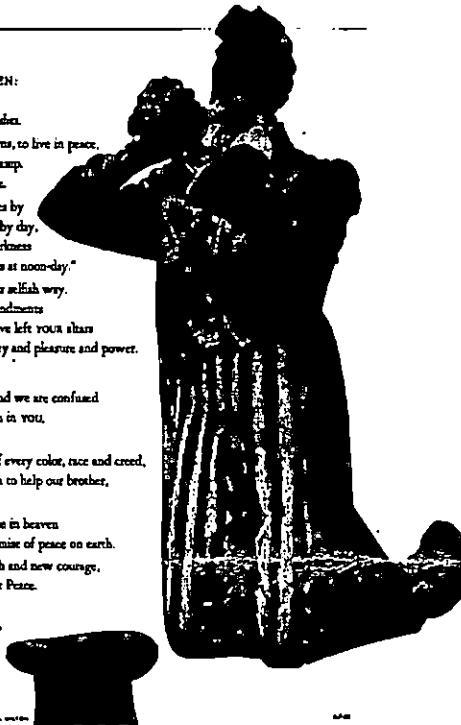
Now, darkness gathers around us and we are confused
in all our councils. Losing faith in YOU,
we lose faith in ourselves.

Inspire us with wisdom, all of us of every color, race and creed,
to use our wealth, our strength to help our brother,
instead of destroying him.

Help us to do YOUR will as it is done in heaven
and to be worthy of YOUR promise of peace on earth.

Fill us with new faith, new strength and new courage,
that we may win the Battle for Peace.

Be swift to save us, *Dear God,*
before the darkness falls . . .



In 1952, by joint action of Congress, a law was passed calling upon each President to set aside an appropriate day as a National Day of Prayer. That same year Conrad Hilton re-expressed, through the above vintage poster, the belief of our founding fathers that prayer is a vital force in our national life.

May 5, 1988, President Reagan signed a bill which passed unanimously through Congress, making the first Thursday of every May, the National Day of Prayer. Join with millions of Americans who will pray together as "One Nation Under God" on this significant commemorative date on our national calendar.

**MEET UNDER THE FLAG AT
CITY HALL 12:05 - 12:55 P.M.
FIRST THURSDAY OF EVERY MAY**

Daily

FROM
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Mr. Yang Il Kim
President
National KAGRO
Suite 155
17316 Edward Road
Cerritos, California 90701



THE PRESIDENT

5-10-92

Dear Yang,

I have read your letter again. I will give my "personal support and encouragement" to efforts to help. We all wish Good Luck, Sir — And thanks — *Cy Burt*



NATIONAL KAGRO

NATIONAL KOREAN-AMERICAN GROCERS ASSOCIATION
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May 7, 1992

Hon. George Bush
The White House
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Sarah Kim

Dear Mr. President:

The National Korean-American Grocers Association (KAGRO) thanks you for your personal interest in working to resolve the challenges that confront our retail members, and the community.

Following in the steps of millions of immigrants before us Koreans have settled in America's urban centers, and have proven to be hardworking supporters of the free enterprise system by small business. In the case of KAGRO that amounts to 18,000 stores nationwide.

The tragedy that has occurred in Los Angeles remains a potential problem for any American city. However, National KAGRO commits its resources to actively work with your administration in seeking peaceful results to social conflict.

The Korean-American grocers in Southern California respectfully request that the federal government provide the guidance in obtaining federal assistance to help rebuild our stores. Korean-American merchants will continue to improve and enhance upon their own efforts to develop new opportunities to bring the diversity of the regions nationalities closer together.

Korean-Americans are disheartened by recent events, but we are determined to continue in pursuing the "American Dream" not only in Los Angeles, but throughout the United States.

Your personal support and encouragement of these efforts will help to prove to many in our community that all elements of ethnic success can be a truly equal experience.

Sincerely,

Yang Il Kim
President

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

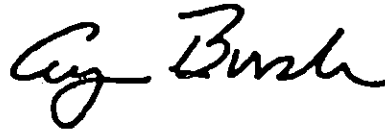
November 8, 1989

Dear Mr. Kim:

Barbara and I were delighted to learn that you are a recipient of a Mid-City Chamber of Commerce Humanitarian Award. You have served and inspired others by your generosity and hard work. I am pleased to commend you for your efforts.

With warm regards,

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "G. H. W. Bush". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of each name being capitalized and prominent.

Mr. Yang Il Kim
Los Angeles, California

daily 5/10
(answer
attached)

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Roger Porter

Please help me with an
answer to this man who attended
on of our meetings.

Please return the
Kerner Copmm. report
with your suggested reply.
Many Thanks.

GB

5-10
GEORGE BUSH

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May 6, 1992

The Honorable George Bush

Dear Mr. President:

Please accept the enclosed copy of the Kerner Commission Report with my great hope and wish that under your leadership the necessary resources, both in the private sector and in the public sector, will be dedicated to this problem. We all look forward to your being the first President to take these matters to heart and start a "Marshall Plan" solution.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "M. Tennenbaum", written in a cursive style.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 12, 1992

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: ROGER B. PORTER *RBP*
SUBJECT: Letter to Michael E. Tennenbaum

As you requested, I have drafted a response from you to Michael Tennenbaum who wrote you about mobilizing the country to deal with our urban challenge. He enclosed a copy of the Kerner Commission Report and encouraged you to start a "Marshall Plan" solution.

As the attached memorandum on the Kerner Commission that I sent you last January indicates, the basic thrust of the Kerner Commission was its recommendation for massive Federal programs to create jobs, improve education, provide low-income housing and promote inner city investment. In short, it posited that if we simply spent enough public money, we could solve the problems of our cities.

The response to Mr. Tennenbaum outlines three things that are crucial to meeting the challenges facing our nation's cities and refers to an enclosed statement and fact sheet that were released today on your proposed six point action plan.

Recommendation: That you sign the attached draft letter to Michael E. Tennenbaum.

Attachments

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 13, 1992

Dear Mr. Tennenbaum:

Thank you for your letter, a copy of the Kerner Commission Report, and your great hope that we will meet the needs of and provide opportunity for those in our Nation's cities.

My visit to Los Angeles was constructive and sobering. I returned to Washington recommitted to meeting the challenges facing our Nation's cities. Three things are crucial: making our cities safe where people can live without fear, creating adequate job opportunities and helping individuals to get the necessary skills for those jobs, and helping build a sense of community where individuals and families are independent and own their homes.

As you point out, this will require a concerted effort by both the public and private sectors. We can do it. Yesterday morning I met with the bipartisan Congressional leadership to discuss how we can work together toward this end.

I am pleased to enclose a statement and fact sheet released yesterday on the initiatives I have proposed for strengthening our urban areas. We appreciate your commitment to helping us meet this challenge. Best wishes.

Sincerely,

It was good seeing you. I am thinking about a new study, though I'm wary of a commission that reports and no action follows

Mr. Michael E. Tennenbaum
Bear, Sterns & Company, Inc.
1800 Century Park East
Los Angeles, California 90067

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

January 24, 1992

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: ROGER B. PORTER *RBP*
SUBJECT: The Kerner Commission

In 1967, race riots took place in 128 U.S. cities. One of the most serious incidents occurred in Detroit July 24-28. At the request of Gov. George Romney, President Johnson sent in federal troops to restore order when Michigan National Guardsmen were unable to do so. By the time the rioting was over, 40 people were dead, 2000 injured, 5000 left homeless and 5000 arrested.

On July 27, before the rioting in Detroit was quelled, President Johnson established a Presidential advisory commission to investigate the causes of the riots -- the National Advisory Commission on Civil Disorders. He chose Illinois Governor Otto Kerner, a Democrat, as Chairman and appointed New York Mayor John Lindsay, a Republican, Vice-Chairman of the 11-member commission.

Johnson gave the Kerner Commission a broad mandate: to determine what had happened, why it happened, and what could be done to prevent such incidents in the future. The mandate was broad: to examine "everything from police training and subversive involvement to such root causes as unstable families, joblessness, lousy education, and dilapidated housing."

According to Joseph Califano, President Johnson chose as panel members individuals that he felt "would understand the plight of black ghetto dwellers and speak out boldly." He also hoped the Commission would note the accomplishments of his Administration in addressing the concerns of blacks and give a boost to his further legislative initiatives. In order to increase the odds of obtaining such a report, President Johnson wanted the Commission to be headed by someone he could count on to be loyal to the Administration. He chose Gov. Kerner as Chairman because, among other things, he knew Kerner was interested in being appointed to a Federal judgeship.

The Kerner Commission issued a 581-page report on March 1, 1968 after a seven-month investigation. The report fulfilled none of President Johnson's hopes. In fact, it was a public relations disaster for the Administration.

THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

May 12, 1992

STATEMENT BY THE PRESIDENT

Today I am discussing with Congress a strategy to bring hope and opportunity to distressed communities. Our action is based on bedrock American values -- personal responsibility, work and family. We must end the cycle of dependency and give all Americans a place at the table of economic opportunity.

Clearly, the time has come to set aside old ideas and try something new. We in government have a responsibility to act now to guarantee a hopeful future for the children of this nation -- a future where people are safe, neighborhoods can flourish, children can learn and jobs can be created.

All Americans share the common goals of equal opportunity, advancement, and upward mobility. But the American Dream is hindered by too many obstacles: unsafe cities, slow economic growth, an out-of-date education system and, dependency-creating government programs.

We must start with policies that refocus programs to serve those who are most needy, and increase the effectiveness of government services through innovation, competition and choice. Our approach is a radical break with the policies of the past. But as Abraham Lincoln once said, "It is time to think and act anew."

My action plan consists of six core components:

(1) "Weed and Seed": Our families cannot thrive and jobs cannot flourish in a climate of lawlessness and fear. Our "Weed and Seed" initiative to combat crime wins back our inner cities by "weeding out" gang leaders, drug dealers and career criminals and "seeding" communities with expanded employment, educational and social services.

(2) HOPE": When people lack jobs, opportunity or ownership of property, they have little or no stake in their communities. Our HOPE (Homeownership and Opportunity for People Everywhere) initiative fosters a sense of community pride by offering inner-city residents a chance for homeownership and management of public housing.

THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

May 12, 1992

President Bush's Initiatives for Strengthening Urban Areas

FACT SHEET

In a bipartisan meeting with Congressional leaders this morning, President Bush reiterated his call for action on initiatives for aiding and strengthening inner cities.

The President believes we must achieve three principal objectives in strengthening our Nation's inner cities. First, we must establish law and order; second, we must create jobs; and, third, we must expand opportunity and help people achieve greater independence.

I. Weed and Seed

In order to establish law and order on the streets of America's cities, the President has requested \$500 million in his FY 1993 budget to fund the "Weed and Seed" program. This program will combine Federal, state, local and private resources to "weed out" criminals and drug dealers from the streets, and will "seed" social programs and assistance necessary to alter the conditions that create a breeding ground for drugs and crime.

In his recent trip to Los Angeles, the President announced a \$19 million award to the City and County of Los Angeles for the "weed and seed" program.

II. Home Ownership for People Everywhere (H.O.P.E.)

The Administration has requested \$1 billion for H.O.P.E. in FY 1993. This money will help 36,000 families become homeowners in 1993 and start another 65,000 families on the road to homeownership.

H.O.P.E. helps families in public housing, in projects that HUD owns, and in housing owned by other Federal, state, and local government agencies. Any of these properties can be eligible for H.O.P.E.

Bush Family: Trading on Their Name?

■ Evidence suggests the President's relatives may be exploiting their relationship. But they hotly deny any impropriety, saying such accusations are spin-offs of the Bill Clinton scandals.

By SARA FRITZ
TIMES STAFF WRITER

WASHINGTON—Born into a Yankee family of wealth and achievement, George Herbert Walker Bush bolted to the oil fields of West Texas as a young man to establish his independence and escape the shadow of a prominent father. Bush, the son of a U.S. senator, followed his father into politics only after he had proved himself in business.

Remarkably, the same pattern has continued in the President's family. Shunning such conventional careers for the well-born as the law and banking, some of Bush's brothers and his sons have sought to make their fortunes in the rough-and-tumble world of entrepreneurs and deal-makers.

His oldest son, 45-year old George W. Bush, now managing general partner of the Texas Rangers, and his youngest, Neil, 37, followed closely in their father's footsteps by starting their own oil companies. Second son John Ellis (Jeb) Bush, 39, set up a real estate business in Miami. And brother Prescott S. Bush Jr., 69, left a secure insurance brokerage to become an international business consultant.

Now, however, as the President prepares to seek reelection in a rugged political climate, questions are being raised about whether this represents an admirable saga of energy and pluck or instead adds up to trading on the family name for business advantage and profit.

Over the last few weeks, Democratic Party leaders have let it be known that they are collecting potentially embarrassing information involving the business dealings of Bush's family members.

Likewise, conservative commentator Kevin Phillips recently criticized the President for looking the other way while his relatives blazed "a trail of vaguely sleazy deals, apparent influence peddling and periodic legal wrist-slappings."

For their part, members of Bush family hotly deny any impropriety. In a rare interview, Jeb Bush charged that the President's critics and the news media are dredging up old allegations against his family in a partisan effort to counterbalance the unflattering stories that have been written and broadcast about the personal life of Arkansas Gov. Bill Clinton.

"This is an effort to hurt George Bush,"

Jeb declared.

While no one has accused the President of any wrongdoing, there is evidence suggesting that Bush family members are exploiting their relationship with the White House, sometimes even using their influence to win favors from the federal government for themselves and their business associates.

As a director of the defunct Silverado Savings & Loan in Denver, Neil Bush was found by federal regulators to have engaged in a conflict of interest by participating in the approval of loans totaling \$132 million from the S&L to his own business partners.

In 1990, when George W.'s little-known firm, Harken Energy, was awarded a lucrative contract from the Persian Gulf nation of Bahrain, the deal was widely seen as an effort on the part of Bahrain's royal family to win favor with the White House.

In 1985, Jeb interceded with officials of the Health and Human Services Department on behalf of Miguel Recarey Jr., the owner of a health-maintenance organization who later fled the country after being charged in what is believed to be the nation's biggest Medicare scandal. Jeb received \$75,000 from Recarey for a business deal that never materialized.

Likewise, Prescott Bush has been accused of taking advantage of his brother's sympathetic approach to China to negotiate business deals in that country.

Of course, this is not the first time a President's relatives have been accused of exploiting their connections and embarrassing the White House. Presidents Franklin D. Roosevelt, Lyndon B. Johnson, Richard M. Nixon and Jimmy Carter all had relatives who were accused of similar conduct.

"I would love to find a President's family that did not trade on the name," said Stephen Hess, a presidential scholar at the Brookings Institution. "The temptations must be tremendous."

Hess said he viewed the efforts of some of Bush's relatives to profit from their relationship to the President as "lucky," but not illegal. "We should expect better from First Families, and particularly from a family that works so hard at being on the up and up, 'holier than thou,' almost sanctimonious about it," he said.

For the most part, Bush family members do not deny that they are sometimes offered business opportunities that would not be available to them if their last name were "Smith." When Prescott was questioned about his success as a business consultant, he noted: "It doesn't hurt that my brother is President of the United States."

In several cases, Bush's relatives have been recruited for business deals by much wealthier persons who were either seeking favor with the Administration or credibility for their ventures. Routinely, Bush's relatives were asked to make only modest financial commitments—if any—in exchange for an opportunity to reap potentially generous financial rewards.

Critics contend that members of Bush's family ought to pass up such business opportunities because they are not being invited to participate either for their business expertise or for the money they can bring to these projects.

"When you are asked to serve on the board of a savings and loan and you have no experience in banking, you sure should be smart enough to know why you've been invited," said Hess, referring to Neil Bush's appointment to the board of Silverado Savings & Loan.

Jeb, the only Bush family member who agreed to be interviewed by The Times for this story, stressed that while he tries to discriminate between legitimate and opportunistic business proposals, he cannot be expected to reject every opportunity that comes his way, even if some of them might be motivated by a desire to exploit the Bush name.

"I can't control what the whole world assumes or thinks about the name Bush," he said. "I live with this day in and day out. I cannot be expected to go into a shell and be something I'm not. . . . I am as careful as I can be, but I have to make a living."

In many cases, business opportunities are offered to Bush relatives by corporate executives who also have contributed heavily to the President's political campaign. As a result, some critics see them as attempts by special interests to circumvent the limits on campaign contributions and influence policy decisions at the White House.

"It's just another way to curry favor with the President—another wallet that can be opened by special interests to cement their relationship with the White House," said Ellen Miller, executive director of the Center for Responsive Politics, a bipartisan think tank devoted to reform of the campaign finance system.

Jeb Bush acknowledged that people do try to curry favor with the Administration by offering business opportunities to Bush family members, but he insisted that such efforts are counterproductive.

"There are people who have a misinformed notion that being associated with the First Family can benefit them," he said. "The opposite is true. If you want to do business with the federal government, you don't deal with someone in the First Family."

White House Counsel C. Boyden Gray, who is said to have discussed business ethics with a number of the President's relatives, noted that when Bush ascended to the presidency in 1989, he sent instructions to Secretary of State James A. Baker III and all American embassies abroad to avoid any contact with Bush family members that would create even the appearance of impropriety.

But Gray declined to disclose what advice he has given family members or whether the President has cautioned his relatives against influence-seekers.

"I really don't want to talk about what I do or don't say to the President or to his family," said Gray. "I just don't think that's appropriate."

Though they may welcome business opportunities that come their way as a result of the family name, Bush's sons are clearly involved in an effort to establish their own identity—to escape the shadow of their father.

"I don't want to be considered George Bush's son. I want to be considered Jeb Bush," Jeb told the Miami Herald in 1986.

Both George W. and Jeb seem to share a desire to follow the same path that their father took by making money as entrepreneurs

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before pursuing political careers. George W., who failed in a bid for Congress in 1978, is said to be preparing to challenge Texas Gov. Ann W. Richards in 1994.

Jeb has said in the past that he wants to make enough money to provide a secure future for his family before he runs for public office. He has talked about running for Congress, but has said he would not challenge the congressman who currently represents his home district, 75-year-old Rep. Dante B. Fascell (D-Fla.), chairman of the House Foreign Affairs Committee.

Although George W. serves as an unpaid adviser to his father's presidential campaign, his primary job is with the Texas Rangers. In 1989, George W. and a group of well-heeled partners purchased controlling interest in the team for a reported \$54 million from Eddie Chiles. George W.'s personal investment was said to be \$500,000.

To facilitate the purchase of the Rangers, then-Baseball Commissioner Peter V. Ueberroth helped organize a group of investors including two rich Texans, Richard Rainwater, a Ft. Worth businessman, and Rusty Rose of Dallas. George W. recruited four Ohio investors, including Dudley S. Taft, president of Taft Broadcasting, and William DeWitt and Mercer Reynolds, partners in Reynolds DeWitt & Co.

In June, 1990, George W. sold 212,140 shares—or 66%—of his stock in Harken Energy Corp. to repay bank loans connected with his investment in the baseball team. At the time, the stock was worth \$848,560. He has been accused of selling the stock on inside information shortly before the price dropped and of failing to notify the Securities and Exchange Commission until eight months later.

Robert W. Jordan, spokesman for George W., denied those allegations and insisted that the stock was sold in response to an unsolicited offer at a time when "the entire mix of information he knew about the company was positive." In addition, he said that while George W. may have failed to file one of two required SEC notices at the time of the sale, the other notice was filed promptly.

George W., who receives a \$42,000-a-year consulting fee from Harken, knows that his position on the board may enhance the reputation of the company, according to Jordan. But he contends that he is no different from any other outside director recruited for that purpose.

"Outside directors of companies tend to be well-known by the public," Jordan said.

Members of two rich families—the Bass family of Texas and the DeWitts of Ohio—have assisted George W. in his endeavors. Bass Enterprises Production Co. is helping to finance the Harken drilling in Bahrain. Robert M. Bass contributed \$100,000 to the Bush presidential campaign in 1988.

George W.'s original exploration company was salvaged in the mid-1980s by DeWitt and Reynolds, who also helped him purchase the Rangers. DeWitt, son of the former owners of the Cincinnati

Reds and a friend of George W., is a regular contributor to the campaigns of George W.'s father.

In 1990, although Harken was virtually unknown in the oil industry, the firm won the oil rights for

Bahrain, a tiny island nation in the Persian Gulf. Harken officials deny widespread speculation that the Bahrain government sought out Harken for political reasons.

Jordan said that George W. was not involved in the negotiations with Bahrain and, in fact, expressed doubts about the deal. He said George W. has no way of knowing whether the Bahrain royal family saw this deal as a way to seek favor with the President. "It is impossible to confirm or deny that because you can't get into their minds," he said.

More than any of the other Bush relatives, Neil, the youngest son, has a history of accepting outright financial favors. But he apparently has never shared his brothers' interest in a political career.

Neil declined to be interviewed for this story.

Like his father and his older brother, Neil established his own oil exploration company, JNB Exploration Inc., in Denver in 1983. His original investment was \$100, his two partners, Bill Walters and Ken Good, put up \$160,000. Before the company fell apart in 1989, Neil received at least \$550,000 in salary.

In addition, Good gave Neil \$100,000 to play the commodities market in 1984. When all the money was lost, Good forgave the loan. Neil said he saw nothing unusual about the deal.

But federal regulators refused to accept Neil's argument that he did nothing wrong in his role as a paid director of Silverado between 1985 and 1988. The Office of Thrift Supervision found that the President's son ignored an obvious conflict of interest when, as director, he approved \$132 million in loans to Good and Walters.

Last year, OTS asked the Treasury Department to investigate the testimony of one high-ranking former thrift regulator, who claimed that he was asked by Administration officials to delay the seizure of Silverado until after the 1988 presidential election. Treasury officials said they handed the information over to the FBI.

As punishment, Neil was prohibited by the OTS from serving as a director of a financial institution in the future, except under certain conditions. The directors of Silverado agreed to pay \$49.5 million to the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. to settle a lawsuit against them stemming from the \$1-billion collapse of the federally insured thrift.

According to James Nesland, his attorney, Neil must pay \$50,000 of the settlement.

But Neil did not have to worry about paying his legal fees in connection with the case, which were said to have run about \$250,000. In Washington, former Rep. Thomas (Lud) Ashley, who currently heads the Assn. of Bank Holding Companies, created a legal defense fund and solicited contributions to assist Neil.

Although Ashley provided his assistance to Neil at a time when his lobbying group was also pushing for bank deregulation, he denied that his generosity was anything but a friendly gesture. "The President and Lud have been good friends for a long, long time," said Sandy Rink, an assistant to Ashley. "It's a friend of the family helping a friend of the family."

Ashley was not the only person who rushed to Neil's assistance. While he was battling the gov-

Bush Family Business Ties

Democratic Party leaders have let it be known that they are collecting potentially embarrassing information involving the business dealings of Bush's family members. Any claims of impropriety have been hotly denied by the family. Here are some of the areas where they may be vulnerable.



George W. Bush
45, of Dallas

For a personal investment of \$500,000 he became managing partner of the Texas Rangers. He is also part owner of Harken Energy Corp., a tiny company chosen to explore for oil in Bahrain.



John Ellis (Jeb) Bush
39, of Miami

A real estate investor and GOP activist, he intervened with the Department of Health and Human Services in 1985 on behalf of an HMO owner who later fled the country after being charged with defrauding the government. He later got \$75,000 from the HMO for a failed business deal.



Neil Bush
37, of Houston

As a director of the defunct Silverado Savings & Loan, he was found to have engaged in a conflict of interest by participating in the approval of loans totaling \$132 million to his own business partners.



Prescott Bush Jr.
69, of Greenwich, Conn.

As an international business consultant, he has been involved in numerous business deals in Asia, including one with a firm that has been linked by Tokyo police to a retired Japanese gangster.

ernment over Silverado, Neil got Fred Vierra, a Denver cable television help from another old friend of the sion official, has made Neil Bush family: Louis Marx, heir to the Marx toy company fortune. 1988. Bill Daniels, another cable With \$2.3 million in government-guaranteed funds provided by two small-business investment corp- \$60,000 a year job with his compa- ny, TransMedia Communications of Houston. Daniels is a leading GOP contrib- uter and a member of Team 100, a first decisions was to spend Bush's campaigns. \$150,000 to buy an oil and gas lease Unlike George W. or Neil, Jeb that he personally owned with a Bush did not go into the oil busi- ness. Instead, he moved to Miami partner, Brent J. Morse. By making such risky invest- shortly after his father was elected ments, Marx's investment corpora- vice president in 1980 and joined a tions quickly went into default and real estate firm established by one are currently being liquidated, cre- of the city's most prominent devel- ating anticipated losses for the opers, Armando Codina. government.

Neil also has received financial help from two leading executives of the cable television industry—another active Washington lobby.

Although Codina was a Bush backer in 1980, Jeb said their business relationship had nothing to do with politics. "I wasn't using him and he wasn't using me," he said.

With a Mexican wife, a Cuban-American business partner and a strong command of the Spanish language that he obtained while working for a Texas bank in Venezuela, Jeb quickly became an accepted member of Miami's Latino community.

That is apparently how Jeb Bush met Miguel Recarey Jr., a Cuban-American who owned the International Medical Centers, a chain of HMOs.

In 1985, while negotiating a real estate deal with IMC, Jeb telephoned top officials at the Depart-

ment of Health and Human Services on behalf of Recarey, who was seeking an exception from a newly imposed rule that prohibits HMOs from having more than 50% of their patients on Medicare and Medicaid. By his own account, Jeb contacted HHS official Kevin Moley, who had worked for the Bush campaign in 1984.

At the time, Jeb said, Recarey was a man with a good reputation in Miami. He said he asked Moley to give IMC "a fair hearing" on its petition for an exemption and insisted that his call was not responsible for the exemption being granted. He noted that HHS also was contacted by a number of high-powered Washington lobbyists on Recarey's behalf to argue his case.

Jeb now regrets making the call because of the attention it has received. "Today, I wouldn't have done what I did, but that does not mean that what I did was wrong," he said.

Jeb acknowledged that he received \$75,000 from Recarey's firm more than a year after he made the call to HHS, but he insisted that it was payment owed to him for many months of work he put in trying to find a corporate headquarters for IMC. He said he arranged several real estate purchase deals for IMC, though none of them

was ever consummated.

In 1987, when Recarey's HMO company failed and he was under indictment on labor racketeering, wiretapping and other charges in what is believed to be the nation's biggest Medicare scandal, he fled the country. Shortly before he disappeared, he managed to get an expedited income tax refund of \$2.2 million from the Internal Revenue Service.

Although Recarey has been widely reported to be living in a posh suburb of Caracas, he has never been extradited by the U.S. government. Dean St. Denis, spokesman for the Justice Department, said U.S. officials are still "actively seeking" Recarey.

"Unfortunately," St. Denis added, "he's not been found yet."

But the Bush relative with the most extensive foreign business contacts is Prescott, who at age 69 is still actively soliciting international clients, primarily in Asia.

Prior to the President's tour of Japan, South Korea and China in 1989, Prescott toured those same countries seeking business. He managed to sign an \$18-million deal with Aoki Corp. to build a golf course in China. Aoki has been identified by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee as a firm that paid \$4 million in bribes to Gen. Manuel A. Noriega.

In 1989, Prescott helped arrange a \$5-million deal in which West Tshusho Co. of Japan bought into Asset Management, International Financing and Settlement Ltd., a New York-based firm which Prescott served as a board member. At the time of the deal, Prescott was retained by Asset Management as a \$250,000-a-year consultant for three years.

But in June, 1991, Japanese Kyodo News Service reported West Tshusho was owned by retired underworld boss Susumu Ishii. In response, Asset Management, by then in the throes of bankruptcy, revealed that it was suing West Tshusho to recover a \$530,000 loan. Company officials said they did not know West Tshusho was linked to "Japanese gangsters."

Robert Fisher, bankruptcy trustee for Asset Management, said Prescott is not listed among the company's creditors. "Whatever he got, he got, but he's not due any more," said Fisher.

Prescott, who could not be reached for comment, has said that he steers clear of the U.S. government in his business dealings in order to avoid any conflict of interest stemming from by his relationship to the President. Yet in 1989, when President Bush decided to waive an embargo that would have prevented the ship-

ment of two communications satellites to China, a principle beneficiary of the decision was Asset Management.

Asset Management officials acknowledged that the President's decision to permit the shipment of two satellites by Hughes Aircraft Co. would be "advantageous" to them. At the time, the firm had a contract to provide communications links connecting more than 2,000 professional and university offices in China.

Both the President and Prescott said they were unaware of any connection between the waiver and Asset Management's project in China.

To a lesser extent, the business activities of another Bush brother, Jonathan, also has raised questions. Last year, a New York securities brokerage firm owned by Jonathan was fined \$30,000 by Massachusetts regulators for failing to register in the state.

Democrats readily admit that they have been collecting information about the business affairs of the Bush family for possible use in the upcoming election.

But Dee Dee Meyers, press secretary for Clinton, whose personal life has been an issue in the Democratic primaries, said Bush's likely challenger has no intention of attacking the President for the actions of his family members.

"We would prefer to debate him on the economy," Meyers said.

GEORGE BUSH

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Don Rhodes

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your daily file.

Thanks

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Presidential Phone Calls



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FOR: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: BRENT SCOWCROFT 

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DATE: May 10th or May 11th

PURPOSE: To receive thanks from Prime Minister Shamir
for Israeli National Day Message

SECURE OR OPEN: Open Line Call

INTERPRETER: None Required

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CONTACT PERSON: Michael Shilo, Israeli DCM, (301) 718-0997
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BUSH TO PRIME MINISTER SHAMIR AT AN APPROPRIATE DATE PRIOR
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DEAR YITZHAK:

IT IS A PARTICULAR PLEASURE FOR ME TO EXTEND MY
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DEMOCRACY, AND HAS MADE CONTRIBUTIONS IN ALMOST EVERY
FIELD OF HUMAN ENDEAVOR. THE UNITED STATES IS PROUD OF
THE FRIENDSHIP AND BONDS THAT HAVE GROWN DURING THIS
PERIOD.

IN THE LAST YEAR, CHANGES IN THE WORLD OF HISTORIC BENEFIT
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LABELLING ZIONISM, THE NATIONAL MOVEMENT OF THE JEWISH PEOPLE, A FORM OF RACISM. TOGETHER WE ALSO HAVE OPENED THE DOORS FOR JEWISH EMIGRATION FROM THE FORMER SOVIET UNION AND ETHIOPIA.

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SINCERELY, GEORGE BUSH.

END TEXT.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 9, 1992 ³² MAY 9 P12:35

FOR: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: BRENT SCOWCROFT 

SUBJECT: Telephone Call from Prime Minister Shamir

DATE: May 10th or May 11th

PURPOSE: To receive thanks from Prime Minister Shamir
for Israeli National Day Message

SECURE OR OPEN: Open Line Call

INTERPRETER: None Required

PHONE NUMBER: Jerusalem - 02-669510

CONTACT PERSON: Michael Shilo, Israeli DCM, (301) 718-0997
(home) and Bruce Riedel, NSC Staff

TIME DIFFERENCE: +7

SUGGESTED TIMES: 6:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m., Sunday, May 10

TOPICS OF
DISCUSSION: See Tab A - Points to be Made

Date of Submission: May 8, 1992

Action:

Attachment

Tab A Points to be Made
Tab B National Day Message

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By MC NARA, Date 6/17/24

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

06-May-1992 08:47 EDT

MEMORANDUM FOR:

HULL@VAXC@MRGATE

FROM:

VMSMail User MONTGOMERY
(MONTGOMERY@WHSR@MRGATE)

SUBJECT:

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INFO RUFHJU/AMCONSUL JERUSALEM 8198

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E.O. 12356: N/A

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SUBJECT: NATIONAL DAY MESSAGE: ISRAEL

1. PLEASE DELIVER THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT
BUSH TO PRIME MINISTER SHAMIR AT AN APPROPRIATE DATE PRIOR
TO MAY 7.

2. BEGIN TEXT: ---

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PER DOS WAIVER, November 6, 2015
By MC NARA, Date 6/17/24

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Rose:

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1) FYI: Yizhak Shamir would like to talk to the President either Sunday afternoon between 12:30-4:30 p.m. or Monday afternoon between 1:00-5:00 p.m. Admiral Howe is supposed have discussed this with the President on AF1. General Scowcroft is working on the talking points. He'll give to POTUS.

Yeltzin -
Adm Howe
9:30(T)

Presidential Phone Calls



DATE: _____ TIME: _____
incoming/outgoing

WITH: _____ JTB

SUBJECT: _____ yest's in call
+ " to Hunt

_____ Ten Feb

FOLLOW UP: _____

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Neil Bush

incoming/outgoing

WITH:

SUBJECT:

~~Private~~

Our lot -

val called on Haise
on our lot

Will send me
some proposals

FOLLOW UP:

Nick Calio
Daily

Senate Committees

- o The Senate Environment & Public Works Committee marked up the Resources Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA), which regulates the disposal of solid wastes.
- o The Senate Finance Committee continued hearings on health care reform. Witnesses included Secretary Sullivan.
- o The Senate Agriculture Committee and Appropriations Subcommittee on Foreign Operations held a joint hearing on proposals for food aid to the former Soviet Union.

Week of May 11

Neither House will be in session Monday, May 11.

House Floor

- o The House will vote on the Shipbuilding Trade Reform Act, on which your senior advisers would recommend a veto. The bill imposes duties on subsidized foreign vessels entering U.S. ports, repeals a Coast Guard recreational boating fee, and violates the budget agreement by requiring CBO rather than OMB scoring.
- o The House will also begin consideration of the conference report on the FY 1993 Budget Resolution.

Senate Floor

- o On Tuesday, the Senate will vote on cloture on the Motor Voter bill. Having failed twice last summer to achieve cloture, the Democrats appear likely to succeed this time, since the Senate voted Thursday, 61-38, to proceed to the bill. The bill would establish a national system of voter registration in connection with driver's license applications. Your senior advisers would recommend a veto.
- o Also on the Senate calendar for next week is Senator Bob Kasten's (R-WI) Product Liability bill.

*We must be sure we are all
out for this - How does it
look? CMB 5-10*

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May 5, 1992

THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN ^{S/10}

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Bob Teeter *BT*
SUBJECT: Cinco De Mayo Speech

Attached is a summary of the activities by the campaign communication staff for today's speech. We received very positive responses from several Hispanic outlets and assume you will receive good coverage.

cc: Sam Skinner



May 5, 1992

MEMORANDUM FOR BOB TEETER

FROM: WILL FELTUS *WF*
TORIE CLARKE
CARLOS GONZALEZ *CG*

SUBJECT: CINCO DE MAYO

Following is a run down on Communications and Press activity related to the President's Cinco de Mayo remarks today:

1. May 4: Major national and Washington based Hispanic media received advisory from White House Media Affairs regarding May 5 event.
2. May 5: Campaign television and radio crews cover event: feed for evening broadcast and drive time.

Campaign delivers video news release via satellite to all Spanish language TV stations (script attached).

Campaign delivers actualities from the President's remarks to more than 150 Spanish radio stations.

All Hispanic media outlets (about 325) receive the President's remarks -- English and Spanish versions.

Telemundo, Univision and Televisa cover speech: coverage expected in the evening and morning news.

Attachment

MEMORANDUM FOR WILL FELTUS AND LESLIE GOODMAN

FROM: ANNE ARMENTROUT

SUBJECT: RADIO ACTUALITIES

DATE: MAY 5, 1992

Media Services marketed radio actualities from President Bush with a voice-over by Carlos Gonzalez today.

They spoke about the Cinco de Mayo celebration and the North American Free Trade Agreement.

The following is a transcript of the actuality:

Carlos Gonzalez: "President Bush commemorating Cinco de Mayo, said that a free trade agreement with Mexico would be of immense benefit to the United States. In a speech delivered before 150 Hispanic business and community leaders at the Mexican Cultural Institute, President Bush said he will fight to tear down economic barriers with Mexico."

President Bush: "Mexico and America share a great deal. President Salinas is a dear friend -- a bold and imaginative leader. The deep and enduring relationship we're forging between our countries is based on cooperation, mutual respect -- and open trade. I will fight to tear down economic barriers with Mexico...I am absolutely committed to signing a sound North American Free Trade Agreement as soon as possible...The time of opportunity is now."

Carlos Gonzalez: "The political and economic relations between the United States and Mexico are the best they have ever been. It is expected that a free trade agreement can be signed this year."

The following states/media markets were targeted with this actuality today:
Spanish Stations

Over 150 Spanish stations accepted the feed.

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SUGGESTED ANNOUNCE TRACK

PRESIDENT BUSH WILL BE IN LOS
ANGELES THURSDAY TO SEE FIRST
HAND THE DEVASTATION CAUSED BY
LAST WEEK'S RIOTS. AND... AS TONY
MITCHELL REPORTS FROM
WASHINGTON...EVEN WHEN JOINING
HISPANIC AMERICANS IN CELEBRATING
THE HOLIDAY OF "CINCO DE MAYO"
...THE CARNAGE OF LOS ANGELES IS
NEVER FAR FROM THE PRESIDENT'S
MIND.

VT BUSH BITE

("VAYA CON DIOS!")

ANNOUNCE TRACK

IN A "CINCO DE MAYO" SPEECH TO
HISPANIC AMERICANS TUESDAY...
PRESIDENT BUSH PAID TRIBUTE TO
HEROIC MEXICAN SOLDIERS WHO
FOUGHT FOR DEMOCRACY.
THE PRESIDENT ALSO RENEWED HIS
CALL
FOR RACIAL HARMONY AFTER LAST
WEEK'S LOS ANGELES RIOTS.

VT BUSH BITE

(VT BUSH BITE: "WE NEED TO RE-
THINK AND RE-AFFIRM THE BONDS
THAT KNIT ALL NATIONALITIES
TOGETHER. FOR EVEN IN THE MIDST
OF DEVASTATION, THERE WERE SIGNS
OF PROMISE, NEIGHBOR HELPING
NEIGHBOR, REGARDLESS OF RACE.")

ANNOUNCE TRACK

THE PRESIDENT WILL TOUR THE
DEVASTATED SOUTH CENTRAL LOS
ANGELES AREA ON THURSDAY...
AND WILL MEET
WITH LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND
COMMUNITY OFFICIALS.

BUSH W/CABINET

MR. BUSH HAS SPENT MUCH
OF THE WEEK WORKING WITH HIS

CABINET ON A RELIEF PACKAGE
TO HELP REBUILD BURNED-OUT
BUSINESSES. HE ALSO WANTS
GET HIS URBAN
REVITALIZATION PLAN...NOW
STALLED IN CONGRESS...MOVING.

VICE-PRESIDENT QUAYLE SAID MR.
BUSH'S IDEAS MUST
BE AT THE CORE OF ANY URBAN
REVITALIZATION EFFORT.

VT QUAYLE BITE

(VT QUAYLE BITE--"THIS IS WHAT WE
NEED TO GET MOVING AGAIN...")

VT FRIDAY NIGHT SPEECH

THIS WEEK...
PRESIDENT BUSH'S RESPONSE
TO THE CRISIS WON PRAISE
FROM DEMOCRATS LIKE
LOS ANGELES MAYOR
TOM BRADLEY AND NEW YORK
GOVERNOR MARIO CUOMO...WHO
SAID THE PRESIDENT IS
QUOTE "DOING EXACTLY THE RIGHT
THING...")

IN WASHINGTON...THIS IS TONY
MITCHELL REPORTING.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 5, 1992

The President

MEMORANDUM FOR ROSE ZAMARIA

FROM: RONALD C. KAUFMAN
DEPUTY ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT
FOR POLITICAL AFFAIRS

SUBJECT: ATTACHED FAX FROM GOVERNOR CARLSON

I have a call in to Governor Carlson regarding the attached. The Governor was out for the day and will call back. I will get back to you after I have spoken to Governor Carlson.



MAY 4 '92

May 3, 1992

To: Ron K.

Please call the Governor in accordance with this attached FAX from him.

Get any suggestions.

Thanks him for this

Send him cc of my remarks, tho they were given after this arrived.

GB

FROM THE PRESIDENT

THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN

5/1/92



STATE OF MINNESOTA

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

SAINT PAUL 55155

612-296-3391

ARNE H. CARLSON
GOVERNORJust in over the
President's
personal fax.

cc: Sam Skinner

May 1, 1992

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5/1/92

The Honorable George H. W. Bush
President of the United States
The White House
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. President:

The fallout from the Rodney King jury decision has caused considerable concern throughout the country and the dissatisfaction and outrage is felt here in Minnesota. While citizens and public officials in our major metropolitan areas have managed the high level of community emotion surrounding the King decision well, I believe your unequivocal leadership is needed to get all Americans back on course.

Mr. President, your statement immediately following the King verdict acknowledges the extreme seriousness of this situation and the importance of federal involvement. I urge you to direct the United States Department of Justice to move aggressively and quickly with its criminal investigation of the police violence in Los Angeles to ensure that the civil rights laws of our nation are fully and evenly enforced.

As Governor of the State of Minnesota I am personally committed to do whatever I can to rid our public safety and law enforcement systems of inexcusable, intolerable, and excessive acts of violence. The actions connected with the Rodney King incident will remain with us for a long time and will reverse gains that have been achieved in race relations over the last two decades. Your Administration, I believe, can stem the damage and begin to restore the public's confidence in our judicial system.



The Honorable George H. W. Bush
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I urge you to do all that you can to calm the nation's fears and to reassure the people of the United States that our law enforcement and judicial systems do work for all of us.

Warmest regards,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Arne H. Carlson". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "A" and "C".

ARNE H. CARLSON
Governor



GOVERNOR ARNE H. CARLSON
LT. GOVERNOR JOANELL M. DYRSTAD

Room 130 State Capitol Building
75 Constitution Avenue
St. Paul, MN 55155

Phone (612) 296 - 3391
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COVER SHEET

TO President George Bush
202 - 456 2397

FR Governor Arne Carlson

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 6, 1992

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: RONALD C. KAUFMAN *(RCW)*
DEPUTY ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT
FOR POLITICAL AFFAIRS

SUBJECT: NORTH CAROLINA, INDIANA AND DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
PRIMARY RESULTS

In yesterday's primaries, you continued to compile additional delegates, having already secured the number required for re-nomination in August. You won 45 of 57 delegates in North Carolina, all 51 of Indiana's delegates and the entire slate of 14 delegates in the District of Columbia. Your total delegate count to date stands at 1232 - 127 more than the 1,105 required for the nomination.

In North Carolina, you defeated Buchanan by a margin of 71 percent to 20 percent. Ten percent voted for the uncommitted ballot.

In the North Carolina Democrat primary, Bill Clinton won with 64 percent of the vote. Uncommitted finished second with 15 percent of the vote followed by Tsongas with 12 percent. Jerry Brown finished in fourth place with 10 percent of the vote.

In Indiana, you won with 80 percent of the vote. Pat Buchanan finished a distant second with only 20 percent of the vote.

In the Indiana Democrat primary, Clinton won with 63 percent of the vote. Jerry Brown posted his largest vote total of the evening with 21 percent, followed by Tsongas at 12 percent.

You easily defeated Pat Buchanan in the District of Columbia primary by a margin of 81 percent to 19 percent. You secured all of the 14 Republican delegates.

In the D.C. Democrat primary, Bill Clinton won with 74 percent of the vote. Jerry Brown finished in fourth place, behind Tsongas and Uncommitted.

NORTH CAROLINA

GENERAL BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Event: Primary
Delegates: 57 Republican, 84 Democrat
Ballot: (R) President Bush, Pat Buchanan
(D) Bill Clinton, Jerry Brown, Paul Tsongas

STATE PRIMARY ACTIVITY

You participated in a Bush-Quayle '92 fundraising dinner in Charlotte on April 27, 1992. The Bush-Quayle campaign did not run any paid media in North Carolina.

Pat Buchanan campaigned extensively throughout the state, with little result. Buchanan ran some targeted radio ads, but no television.

1992 PRIMARY RESULTS

Republican (99% reporting)			Democrat (99% reporting)		
Bush	199,881	71%	Clinton	431,111	64%
Buchanan	55,141	20%	Brown	70,225	10%
Uncomm.	26,780	10%	Tsongas	57,107	12%
			Other	13,181	2%
			Uncomm.	100,289	15%

OTHER STATEWIDE RACES

As expected, Lt. Governor **Jim Gardner (R)** and former Governor **Jim Hunt (D)** easily won their respective party's nomination after only token primary opposition. Gardner and Hunt are expected to wage a spirited general election campaign. Hunt was narrowly defeated by Senator **Jesse Helms** in 1984. Incumbent Governor **Jim Martin (R)** is barred from seeking a third term.

In the Republican U.S. Senate primary, former Democrat **Lauch Faircloth (48%)** soundly defeated former Charlotte Mayor **Sue Myrick (30%)** and former Congressman **Gene Johnston (17%)**, and will face off against incumbent Democrat **Terry Sanford** in the general election. Faircloth was strongly backed by Senator **Jesse Helms**. Faircloth served as state Secretary of Commerce for former Governor **Jim Hunt (D)**. Sanford is considered vulnerable because of his age (75) and his liberal voting record (opposed Desert Storm).

INDIANA

GENERAL BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Event: Primary
Delegates: 51 Republican, 77 Democrat
Ballot: (R) President Bush, Pat Buchanan
(D) Bill Clinton, Jerry Brown, Paul Tsongas

STATE PRIMARY ACTIVITY

Indiana experienced little or no activity in the Presidential primary -- from either Republicans or Democrats. The main race in this primary was the GOP nomination for Governor.

You did not campaign in Indiana, nor did Pat Buchanan.

1992 PRIMARY RESULTS

Republican (98% reporting)			Democrat (98% reporting)		
Bush	371,517	80%	Clinton	295,617	63%
Buchanan	91,934	20%	Brown	98,410	21%
			Tsongas	57,298	12%
			Other	14,577	3%

REPUBLICAN GUBERNATORIAL PRIMARY

98% reporting

Linley Pearson	220,534	49%
Dean Evans	151,567	34%
John Johnson	80,017	18%

Indiana Attorney General Linley Pearson won the GOP nomination for governor with little difficulty, defeating Superintendent of Public Instruction Dean Evans and businessman John Johnson. Pearson will square off against the popular incumbent Democrat Governor Evan Bayh. Bayh will be a difficult challenge for Pearson, but Indiana's strong GOP heritage will help his efforts.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

GENERAL BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Event: Presidential Primary
Delegates: 14 Republican
 17 Democrat
Ballot: (R) President Bush, Pat Buchanan
 (D) Bill Clinton, Paul Tsongas, Jerry Brown,
 Uncommitted

STATE PRIMARY ACTIVITY

As a resident of the District of Columbia, you had a daily presence in the area. Pat Buchanan is a native of D.C. but did not campaign here. The entire 14-member Republican delegate slate supports you.

Perot supporters were posted at the polling locations to collect signatures. Three thousand signatures - approximately 1 percent of the registered voters - are needed by August 18.

Blacks comprise 66 percent of the District's residents. Clinton's win is seen as a show of strength among black voters. In addition, he backed the D.C. statehood initiative which is supported by the Democrat leadership in DC and by a majority of the black population. Clinton was endorsed by D.C. Mayor Sharon Pratt Kelly, U.S. House Delegate Eleanor Holmes Norton, the D.C. City Council and the local AFL-CIO. All 17 Democrat delegates elected are supporters of the Clinton candidacy.

In the election for Republican National Committeeman, Michael Gill was defeated by Harry Singleton. Singleton is the first black Republican to be elected to this position in D.C. He was an Assistant Secretary of Education under President Reagan.

In the election for Republican National Committeewoman, Party Chairman, Ann Heuer defeated Louis DeVecchio. The national committee contests were particularly divisive.

Nine percent of the District's 261,829 registered voters are Republican. Turnout was 25.5 percent - the lowest percentage for a Presidential primary since 1976.

1992 PRIMARY RESULTS

Republican

Bush	81%	4,157
Buchanan	19%	950

Democrat

Clinton	74%	44,602
Tsongas	10%	6,314
Uncommitted	9%	5,161
Brown	7%	4,334

1. POTUS 2. MRS. BUSH 3. file

CARD FITZGERALD BEMISS

DATED: May 3, 1992

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Dear George,

Your address on the L.A. tragedy was first rate. In addition to the considerable substance of it, the address demonstrated the firmness and conviction, a shortage of which you have been so unfairly criticized. It occurs to me that this most serious occasion calls for a second address on proposals for attending to some of the root causes of L.A. and the general domestic discontent -- consisting of proposals you already have before Congress, plus a further substantial redirection of funds from defense to education, job training, and selected domestic remedies. A major move, carefully articulated, would seem to me to be what is urgently needed, and indeed expected, from the President at this moment. The benefit to the country and to your efforts might be great.

Forgive me for adding to the torrent of advice.

Love to Bar,

As ever,

Gerry

FITZGERALD BEMISS

P. O. BOX 1156

RICHMOND, VIRGINIA 23209

5 May 92

Dear George

I'm delighted you are going to address the Naval Academy graduates. It's an important lift for the Academy. Your new appointees, Catherine Colgan & Fred McClure, are first rate and are already in harness.

I plan to drive up for the Ceremonies on the 29th & look forward to seeing you.

Love to Bar

As ever

Gerry

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TS

Roger Porter

Please help me with an
answer to this man who attended
on of our meetings.

Please return the
Kerner Copmm. report
with your suggested reply.
Many Thanks.

GB

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GEORGE BUSH

BEAR STEARNS

MICHAEL E. TENNENBAUM
VICE CHAIRMAN, INVESTMENT BANKING

BEAR, STEARNS & CO. INC.
1800 CENTURY PARK EAST
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90067
(310) 201-7882

May 6, 1992

The Honorable George Bush

Dear Mr. President:

Please accept the enclosed copy of the Kerner Commission Report with my great hope and wish that under your leadership the necessary resources, both in the private sector and in the public sector, will be dedicated to this problem. We all look forward to your being the first President to take these matters to heart and start a "Marshall Plan" solution.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Michael E. Tennenbaum", written in a cursive style with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

WHAT HAPPENED?
WHY DID IT HAPPEN?
WHAT CAN BE DONE?
REPORT OF THE
NATIONAL ADVISORY
COMMISSION
ON CIVIL
DISORDERS

SPECIAL INTRODUCTION BY TOM WICKER OF
The New York Times
WITH 32 PAGES OF SELECTED PHOTOGRAPHS

THE
COMPLETE
TEXT



5-10-92

Dear Lyn -

In ugly anguished
times kind words help -
Thanks for yours, old friend

GB

The Secretary of Labor

Dear Mr. President,

Re: Reports from L.A.

I just wanted you to know
proud I am of you as President -
and as a person. You are truly
representing decent Americans.
Respectfully,
[Signature]

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Blind cc:
Doro LeBlond
Kathy Super

(self-typed)



THE PRESIDENT

May 10th 1992

Dear Paul,

Thanks for your note. In the double "playing of the family card" Doro weighed in today at lunch, singing the Berry praises and urging cooperation with your request-the one outlined in your letter of April 1st.

I will go directly to the czar-the scheduling czar. Normally she is hell on wheels against things that might be fun to do, however.

Good luck in your constructive work with The Neediest Kids;and P.S., thanks for being so very nice to my very special Doro.

Ag Paul

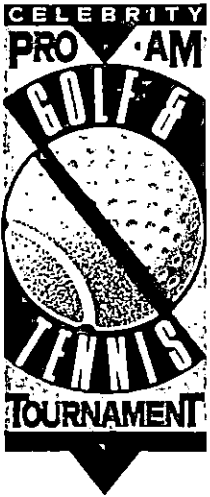
GEORGE BUSH

Kathy Super 5-10

The attached from Paul Berry is self explanatory. Handle with that special feeling ,since he has been so nice to Doro and does help kids a lot.

attach. in and out of Berry
correspondence

Paul Berry's



April 1, 1992

President George H. Bush
THE WHITE HOUSE
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

Admittedly, this letter is written with a small degree of jealousy, but in a much larger sense, the cause is what drives the author; the cause is our Neediest Kids.

The event is the Sixth Annual Paul Berry Neediest Kids Celebrity Pro-Am Golf and Tennis Tournament, to be held at the Lakewood Country Club on June 22, 1992. It is my distinct pleasure to invite you to join us in our cause, by spending a portion of the day playing either tennis or golf, in support of the Neediest Kids, Inc.

As my special guest, your attendance would provide our sponsors and players with a special excitement on this wonderful day of golf, tennis, and just plain fun. All to support our children.

While the campaign trail is hot, trade that for a few hours of relaxation on the court or the fairways. As you may know, Doro (your daughter: I'm playing the family card) is one of our volunteers, and can vouch for the cause and the fun. She is very special to us and helps in many ways.

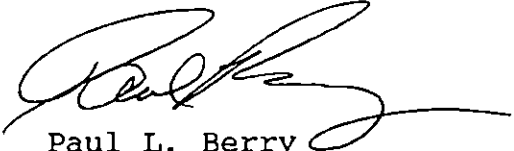
Last year, we raised \$102,000 for Neediest Kids. We want to do even better this year, and your acceptance of this invitation would insure a most successful tournament.

Finally, back to my jealousy. Not too long ago, you did invite Jim Vance out for a morning of fishing. I've had to live with that, and have handled it well I think, but now ask that Channel Seven (this is the fairness card) be given a little of your attention. We'd love to have you.



WJLA-TV 7
3007 TILDEN STREET, NW
WASHINGTON, DC 20008

Sincerely yours,


Paul L. Berry

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GEORGE BUSH

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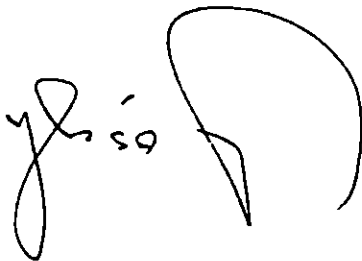
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May 4, 1992

Dear Mr. President and Barbara,

I have just returned from Jupiter Island where our family buried Laurel at Christ Church. Your flowers were very beautiful and wonderfully received by Mother, Adrian, Nathaniel, Samuel and myself. We are still in a state of shock at the swiftness with which Laurel was taken. There was no warning, no medical tip-off and the only thing I can say is that she died peacefully and without pain. I placed your flowers at the entrance to Christ Church and then put them in a prominent place in the living room at Corsair where the family gathered. Thank you for this gesture of friendship.

With special good wishes.



The President and Mrs. Bush
The White House

GEORGE BUSH

cc

in country to
BFB



5-10-92

Dear Joseph -

Thanks for your note.
We are saddened by
your loss. You are a kind
and caring guy! Love
from BPPB and the rest
of our gang too - GJP/

FROM
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

The Honorable Joseph V. Reed
Denbigh Farm
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Greenwich, Connecticut 06831

Daily

Mr. Edmund B. Thornton
Post Office Box One
Ottawa, Illinois 61350



THE PRESIDENT

5-10-92

Dear Ed,

I had not realized
we had those overlapping
connections until I got
your good April 20th letter.
May my hands. Things are
looking up, but it's still

ugly out there.

Worst Best Wishes,

Clay

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Surley Green

Reading file

EDMUND B. THORNTON
BOX ONE
OTTAWA, ILLINOIS 61350

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Hon. George H.W. Bush
President
United State of America
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Ave. NW
Washington DC 20500

April 20, 1992

Dear Mr. President:

I am in receipt of your kind letter acknowledging my retirement as Chairman of the LaSalle County Republican Central Committee here in Illinois. I am deeply appreciative of your kind recognition of my contribution to the Republican Party extending back over a period of some thirty years and most especially during the recent twelve year term as Chairman of the Republican Central Committee here in LaSalle County Illinois.

You and I share a common lineage going back at least two generations. Your father, Prescott Bush, was a classmate of my uncle, James C. Thornton, in the Class of Yale 1907 and a longtime resident of Greenwich Connecticut. My Father was Andover and Yale Class of 1922 and I followed along Andover 1950 Yale 1954. You and I have met on brief occasion mostly at Andover and Yale reunions, although we have also met on numerous occasions in the political arena since your election in 1988. Without extending our commonality of interests and membership, I would mention that we are both members of DKE-PHI and also of a very special CLUB in New Haven. Incidentally, I have also been in touch with Bert Walker in St. Louis and have been helping him out on his campaign.

Mr. President you visited Ottawa, Illinois in October of 1988 at which time we had a brief conversation and you had the opportunity of meeting me and my wife and my then two year old daughter.

By retiring from active Republican politics, I assure you I am not retiring from the Party and its principals or philosophy. I will be a Delegate to the Republican National Nominating Convention in Houston in August of this year. I look forward to casting my vote along with those other Republican Delegates from Illinois unanimously for President George Herbert Walker Bush. With kindest personal regards,

Sincerely,

Edmund B. Thornton
Edmund B. Thornton

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FROM
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Mr. Guy Lewis
Assistant U.S. Attorney
Southern District of Florida
U.S. Department of Justice
Suite 700
155 South Miami Avenue
Miami, Florida 33130



THE PRESIDENT

May 10 '92

Dear Guy,

The pleasure was all
mine though !! Thanks for
yours of April 28th.
I remain very proud of
what you and the others did.
Sincerely, G. Bush

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United States Attorney
Southern District of Florida155 South Miami Avenue, Suite 700
Miami, Florida 33130

April 28, 1992

President George Bush
The White House
Washington DC

Dear Mr. President:

It was a great privilege and honor to meet
and speak with you yesterday at the Miami Beach
Convention Center.

As one of the three trial prosecutors on the
Nirviga case, your kind words of encouragement
gave me a tremendous amount of satisfaction.

I am proud to have served you and my
country over the past several years in preparing
the case and presenting it to a jury. Moreover,

I am glad to see that justice was done.

Good luck this fall. We are all

pulling for you.

Most respectfully
Guy Jones
ANSA

FROM
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Master Joshua Ewing
5349 Lewis Road
Agara Hills, California 91301



THE PRESIDENT

May 10 '92

Dear Joshua,

I am very "sorry
about what happened" too.

Thanks so much
for your letter. Here is a
picture for you. Good luck
Ag Bush

CC: (in & out)
✓ Rose Zamaria
(1 cc)

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Mr. President



To Joshua Ewing

My dog Ranger ~ I send you our best wishes.
Good luck - Cap Bunk

(signed 5-10-92)

Joshua Evans
5349 Lewis Rd
Agua Fria Hills, Ca 91301

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WASHINGTON, D.C.

Mrs. William Tate
1919 Valley Wood Road
McLean, Virginia 22101

(self-typed)



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Rose Zamaria
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May 6

POWELL TATE

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Los Angeles crisis he didn't mention enterprise zones and the first call of the morning came from Jack Kemp giving him hell.

I think it would help if those same folks had heard that you'd called Bartley to remind him of the value of some solution you believe in. Passion. Commitment.

My ideas are worth what you pay for them!
I'm always in there rooting for you.

Shirley

5-6-92

POWELL TATE
a Cassidy Company

700 Thirteenth Street, NW, Suite 1000
Washington, DC 20005

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FROM
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Right Reverend John M. Allin
2015 Douglas Drive
Jackson, Mississippi 39211



THE PRESIDENT

May 10, '92

Dear Jack,

I have just returned from Los Angeles. I read your May 5th letter. I understand very well what the perceptions are. I am working very hard to do what's best for the Country. These are the most difficult, ugly, cynical political times I have ever seen. I do appreciate your thoughts and I hope you'll keep them coming. My warmest Regards always,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be "G. H. W. Bush", written in a cursive style.

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Rose Zamaria
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ALLIN + 2015 DOUGLAS DRIVE + JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI + 39211

5 May 1992

Dear George,

4:50 a.m. here in Jackson, Mississippi. Often awakening in these early hours, they've become useful times for prayer, sermon composition, remembering, fantasizing and thinking of friends. You and Barbara, as friends, parishioners and my President, increasingly frequent my thoughts and prayers; so much so this early a.m., that I have been moved to arise, come to my study and write to you as a friendly observer. My observations and impressions may be of little value and questionable accuracy, but along with my prayers, affection and admiration, they seem to be all that I can offer amid present circumstances - and not to offer such amid present conditions would, it seems to me, be disloyal to you and your family.

So:

Dear Mr. President,

Some more impression/reflections from a friendly observer.

1. As you observe and hear the news reports and analysis via television and newspapers, you must be receiving some of the following impressions.
2. You (your Administration) seem to be reacting to present crisis conditions, instead of initiating leads to the solution of chronic problems, the significant difference between reaction and response.
3. The Administration agents are treating symptoms, not causes.
4. Some of your political philosophers, idealist, advisors and speech writers are suffering from the "Emperor's Clothes" syndrome. Often the rhetoric does not meet nor describe the reality.
5. To borrow from the sports world, in football terms your "offensive coordinators" have either gone to sleep in the stands or are absorbed in watching replays of old games.
6. Or a parable from the "America Cup" races, the "The Stars and Stripes Ship of State" needs structural overhaul, updated navigation, better crew coordination or all three. Certainly, in this case there is no shortage of wind. The solution is in an "America3" (Administration, Congress, Judiciary) being coordinated by a cooperative leadership initiated and steadily administered by you.
7. Planning and political efforts must be defined in terms of and response to specific human needs, not human needs being defined and determined by political planning and party needs.
8. Images and issues are blurred. The limitation of sight and understanding may be in me, but to this friend your goals and gameplan for DEVELOPING and CONSERVING the potential of this nation for the benefit of all humanity are not clearly perceived.

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9. There are echoes and memories of "who's Jimmy?"
10. "Where there is no vision, the people perish" (Prov 28:27).

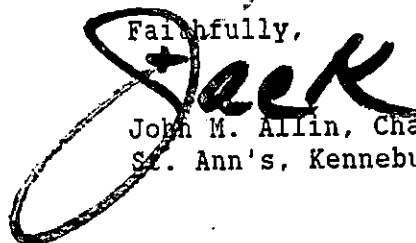
The vision needed is of the good man you are, with courage and compassion, enlisting effective assistance from any honorable citizens available, making needed corrections and adjustments in plans and programs and personnel (there are some desperate needs and dramatic opportunities for changes), and, under the ever watchful eye of television, engaging the people of this country in solving the plaguing problems of POVERTY (THE HUNGRY, THE HOMELESS), ADDICTIONS, EDUCATION, HEALTH CARE, NATIONAL DEBT, UNFAIR AND UNEQUAL TAXATION, NATIONAL DETERIORATION AND WASTE, WORLD ENVIRONMENT. Do so and there will be more than enough employment for all.

We the people need to be gathered by and around a President like you and directly focused, involved and engaged by your lead in working toward the solution, cure and relief from the above listed specific problems. We all know the requirement and test is for Presidential leadership. The critical need is to be freed from the distraction and illusions of party games and petty competition.

If I didn't believe yours is the honesty and ability needed, I wouldn't chance writing to you. Neither would I choose to support you politically. Because of the integrity and honesty which I admire, I'm bound to tell you, as earlier indicated in this letter, that presently I don't perceive your effective leadership directly dealing with the primary needs, causes and problems plaguing people. The impression I'm receiving is that you are engaged in a role, course of activity and schedule determined by others of limited aims and inferior interests. If this impression is true, I pray you can free yourself from that predicament and engage the whole country in a national restoration and renewal.

I also hope you will pace yourself in campaigning with some summer weekends free in Kennebunkport to catch your breath. Beyond this expression, the initiation of additional discussion is properly yours. As per previous requested agreement, these observations and reflections attach no call for acknowledgement or response. If there is assistance I can provide, just pass the word. Grace and peace and blessed adventuring.....

Faithfully,


John M. Allin, Chaplain
St. Ann's, Kennebunkport



THE PRESIDENT

5-10-92

Dear Terry,

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at the National Day of Prayer
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Please thank them and

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My warmest best
wishes.

By B

Dr. Jerry Falwell
Old Time Gospel Hour
Thomas Road Baptist Church
Lynchburg, Virginia 24505

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FROM
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THE PRESIDENT

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Dear Andy and Chris,

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GB /

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Andy Mill
and Chris Evert

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Dr. Jerry Falwell

Lynchburg, VA

Thursday
May 7, 1992

Re Rug :

Mr. President:

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1. The rug from His Excellency Askar Akayez, President of the Republic of Kyrgyzstan is under value (\$175) and you can keep it. It has been logged by the gift unit and the thank you is being prepared.
2. The fishing rod and reel from Andy Mill and Chris was valued at \$280. I told the gift unit you would take the "hit". The rod and reel are in the fishing closet on the 3rd floor of the Residence. Do you need to send a thank you? The rod is personalized, President George H.W. Bush, and is a "Randy Towe" signature series. Reel is "Stradic 3000" with custom aero wrap system. Very nice quality.
3. Your Reebok shoes and clothes arrived today and they are in your bathroom along with some other clothes that I found in the gift unit (all under value) that I thought you might like to keep or give away. I love the elephant shirts! *OS*
4. I sent the NEW BALANCE running shoes to Neil Bush. According to Sharon, he wears a size 11 1/2. If they don't fit, she will send them back to us for Mary. ✓
5. Neil Bush will be in town next Friday for a dinner in honor of Julie and Gregg Petersmeyer. Their wedding is schedule for next Saturday (5/16). Sharon will not accompany Neil -- she has a previous commitment in New York (Long Island) with her charity (Karatas). Per Nan Ellis, John Bush is attending Sharon's event. ✓
6. George W. will be here next Thursday (I've alerted Laurie so she can invite him to the Gorbachev dinner). George departs the next morning (Friday, May 15). ✓
7. Dr. Falwell attended the National Day of Prayer event at the White House Thursday morning and brought with him the "Liberty Singers"-- students from Liberty University. The group consisted of 5 men and 5 women -- they sang a cappella -- and it was very nice. You might want to keep them in mind for something special at the Camp David chapel. The harmony was beautiful! *see attached*

Dr. Falwell asked to be remembered to you and the First Lady.

8. Commander Camp called to let us know that Dr. Broomley's visit to Camp David this week went very well. He and his daughter arrived Monday morning and departed Wednesday morning very relaxed.

Andy Card is tentatively scheduled to go up in June. Admiral Watkins, Lynn Martin and Lou Sullivan are scheduled for July.
Lamar Alexander is scheduled for 2 days in August.

9. I spoke to Alan Alper today and offered him 4 of Sig's tickets for one of the Oakland/Orioles baseball games next week. He was pleased and took 4 for Tuesday night.

During the course of our conversation, he asked if you were using Jean. I told him "no". He said she "put him out of business". She got everything and he got nothing. He's seeing a bare minimum of people right now because he doesn't have any space. He's negotiating with the Omni Shoreham, but that's taking time -- to offer Alan space, they have to remodel an area. He said it is very tough getting re-established.

10. How was your Dobson meeting?

oops!!
I hope your wings don't
fall off - cry,

Have a good weekend --

see you Monday! (get it SEE you!)

— yes I
get it!!!

Patty



THE PRESIDENT

May 10, 1992

Dear Tony,

Your letter hit all the right
chords. Thanks for your letter
and thanks for your wonderful
spirit. We must all get along,
and we must all serve in one
way or another. Keep up that

great spirit -

Good luck,

Ly B

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Sergeant Tony Bonham
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Jan Burmeister

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