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LYNN MARTIN FUNDRAISER
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1989
12:00 P.M.

LYNN MARTIN, JIM THOMPSON, SECRETARY SKINNER,
CONGRESSMAN FAWELL [FAY-WELL], PATE PHILLIP (SENATE
MAJORITY LEADER), BILL SMITHBURG (FUNDRAISER CHAIRMAN),
AL JOURDAN (STATE PARTY CHAIRMAN), HAROLD SMITH (GOP
NATIONAL COMMITTEEMAN), MARY JO ARNDT (GOP NATIONAL
COMMITTEEWOMAN), JIM O'GRADY (COOK COUNTY SHERIFF),
DICK MORROW (AMOCO CEO), GARY MACDOUGAL, MEMBERS OF THE
GREAT 1990 ILLINOIS REPUBLICAN TICKET, LADIES AND
GENTLEMEN, FRIENDS.

THANK YOU, LYNN, FOR THAT GRACIOUS INTRODUCTION.
AND LET ME SAY WHAT A PLEASURE IT IS TO BE IN CHICAGO.
-- AND TO SPEAK ON BEHALF OF A CLOSE AND DEAR FRIEND.
ONE OF THE GREAT LEADERS IN THE U.S. HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES. AND SOON TO BE ONE OF THE GREATEST
MEMBERS OF THE UNITED STATES SENATE. LYNN MARTIN. //

((NOW, LYNN'S A LONG-TIME FRIEND -- AND I WANTED TO COME HERE AND, PERSONALLY, SUPPORT HER. I KNOW YOU WANTED TO HEAR A FEW WORDS FROM A PROMINENT FIGURE WHO CAN REALLY FIRE UP A CROWD AND GENERATE SOME EXCITEMENT. // UNFORTUNATELY, MIKE DITKA'S GETTING READY FOR NEXT WEEK'S GAME -- SO I'M HERE INSTEAD.))
//

BELIEVE ME, I'M DELIGHTED. FOR LYNN HAS BEEN A MAGNIFICENT CONGRESSWOMAN FOR HER DISTRICT. AND SHE'LL MAKE A MAGNIFICENT U.S. SENATOR. LYNN IS WHAT ILLINOIS NEEDS, AND MY ADMINISTRATION NEEDS: A SENATOR TO MAKE THE LAND OF LINCOLN PROUD. A LEADER TO MAKE THE NATION PROUD. LYNN MARTIN IS THAT WOMAN. //

YOU KNOW, OVER THE YEARS I'VE WORKED WITH HUNDREDS OF MEMBERS OF CONGRESS. AND FEW HAVE IMPRESSED ME MORE THAN LYNN. SHE'S BEEN THERE WHEN AMERICA NEEDED HER. SHE'S BEEN THERE WHEN I NEEDED HER.

WHEN HER DISTRICT LOOKED FOR A STRONG VOICE TO SPEAK FOR IT IN THE HOUSE, LYNN WAS THERE. FOR THE PARENT WORRIED ABOUT INFLATION -- FOR SENIORS NEEDING MEDICAL CARE -- FOR THE STUDENT WHO WANTS TO LEARN -- LYNN WAS THERE. AND WHEN I LOOKED FOR HER TO FIGHT FOR OUR CAUSE IN LAST YEAR'S ELECTION, LYNN WAS THERE, TOO. ((HERE'S PROOF OF HER RESILIENCY. LYNN CO-CHAIRLED THE NATIONAL BUSH-QUAYLE COMMITTEE WITH JOHN SUNUNU, AND LIVED TO TELL ABOUT IT.)) //

YOU CAN SEE WHY I SO ADMIRE LYNN -- AND WHY I NEED HER IN THE SENATE. ON THE ONE HAND, SHE'S A GRACIOUS, SMART, AND COMPASSIONATE WOMAN. IN THIS "CITY OF THE BIG SHOULDERS," HERS MAY NOT RIVAL THE CHICAGO BEARS. BUT THIS 1989 REPUBLICAN WOMAN OF THE YEAR IS STRONG AND TOUGH. AS SOMEONE ONCE SAID: "LYNN MARTIN IS THE GIRL NEXT DOOR WHO'S BECOME ONE OF THE BOYS."

SHE'S A FIGHTER FOR HER PRINCIPLES. AND A GO-GETTER FOR HER CONSTITUENTS. AND NEXT NOVEMBER, SHE'LL BE A WINNER FOR WHAT ONE WRITER CALLED "THE BEST STATE PRECISELY BECAUSE IT IS SO AMERICAN. ILLINOIS IS CORE AMERICA."

LYNN MARTIN WILL WIN BECAUSE SHE, TOO, IS "CORE AMERICA." BORN AND RAISED IN CHICAGO. WENT TO TAFT HIGH SCHOOL. ATTENDED THE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS. GRADUATED WITH HONORS. // OF COURSE, LYNN TELLS ME THE FIGHTING ILLINI [ILL LINE I] FOOTBALL TEAM WILL DO THE HONORS ON JANUARY 1. //

LIKE ILLINOIANS, LYNN MARTIN IS HONEST. ((IT'S LIKE SHE ALWAYS TELLS ME: "IT'S FINE THAT YOU'RE HERE, MR. PRESIDENT. BUT IF YOU REALLY WANT TO WOW THE CROWD, BRING BARBARA.")) //

AND SHE'S GENUINE -- SHE'S NEVER LEFT HER ROOTS.

LYNN MARTIN KNOWS THE PEOPLE OF ILLINOIS: THE RETIRED LABORER, THE HOMEMAKER, THE SMALL SHOP OWNER. AND THEIR VALUES: HARD WORK, LOVE OF COUNTRY, AND FAITH IN GOD. SHE'S BEEN A COUNTY BOARD MEMBER AND STATE LEGISLATOR. AND FOR NINE YEARS THE CONGRESSWOMAN FROM THE 16TH DISTRICT.

DURING THAT TIME LYNN'S BEEN RIGHT ON ISSUE AFTER ISSUE. SHE THINKS LIKE I DO -- LIKE YOU DO. AND BECAUSE SHE DOES, WE'RE GOING TO NEED HER MORE THAN EVER IN THE 1990'S. FOR THE ISSUES THAT CONFRONT AMERICA HAVE NEVER BEEN MORE URGENT. AND WE'RE GOING TO NEED PEOPLE LIKE SENATOR LYNN MARTIN TO HELP ENSURE PROSPERITY FOR ALL AMERICANS.

TO BEGIN WITH, CONSIDER SOME UNDENIABLE FACTS. // LIKE THE BEARS' 1986 SUPER BOWL VICTORY. OR DON ZIMMER BEING NAMED THE 1989 MANAGER OF THE YEAR. // AN UNEMPLOYMENT RATE AT THE LOWEST LEVEL IN 15 YEARS. MORE THAN 20 MILLION NEW JOBS SINCE 1982. THE LONGEST PEACETIME EXPANSION IN HISTORY.

THE HEALTHY ECONOMY WE NOW ENJOY DIDN'T APPEAR BY MAGIC. IT CAME ABOUT THROUGH TAX CUTS AND CONTROLLING SPENDING. AND, YES, LYNN MARTIN WAS THERE. AND NOW OUR ADMINISTRATION WANTS TO BUILD UPON THESE UNDENIABLE FACTS. BY ENACTING OUR CAPITAL GAINS TAX CUT TO CREATE EVEN GREATER OPPORTUNITY.

YOU KNOW, THE CAPITAL GAINS BATTLE MAY BE OVER FOR THIS YEAR, BUT THE FACT IS THIS: WE'VE SEEN THE VOTES -- A MAJORITY IN BOTH THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE ARE ON RECORD IN FAVOR OF CUTTING THE CAPITAL GAINS RATE. MAKE NO MISTAKE: WHEN CONGRESS RECONVENES IN THE NEW YEAR, CUTTING CAPITAL GAINS IS GOING TO BE ONE OF THE TOP ITEMS ON MY AGENDA. // THE FIGHT FOR A CAPITAL GAINS CUT IS FAR FROM OVER AND IT'S A FIGHT WE'RE GOING TO WIN. A LOWER CAPITAL GAINS TAX WILL HELP ENSURE PROSPERITY AT HOME. BUT WE MUST ALSO HAVE PEACE ABROAD.

REAL PEACE, LIKE PROSPERITY, DOESN'T OCCUR BY ACCIDENT. IT REQUIRES PATIENCE, VISION, AND MEANINGFUL DIALOGUE. NEXT WEEK, PRESIDENT GORBACHEV AND I WILL MEET OFF THE ISLAND OF MALTA. THIS MEETING WILL OCCUR BECAUSE AMERICA HAS BEEN RESOLUTE IN DEFENSE OF LIBERTY. AND IT WILL OCCUR AMID THE CHANGES SWEEPING EAST AND CENTRAL EUROPE AND BRINGING FREEDOM TO MILLIONS WHO SHARE A COMMON HERITAGE WITH SO MANY IN ILLINOIS. I WILL REMEMBER THAT HERITAGE NEXT WEEK IN MALTA AS WE WORK TO MAKE THE 1990'S THE DECADE OF DEMOCRACY IN EASTERN EUROPE.

DEMOCRACY, OF COURSE, MEANS FREEDOM FROM FEAR. AND SO IT MUST AT HOME. OUR ADMINISTRATION HAS MOVED BOLDLY, DECISIVELY ON YET ANOTHER ISSUE. BECAUSE MOST ILLINOIANS -- LIKE MOST AMERICANS -- HAVE HAD IT UP TO HERE WITH CRIME AND DRUG USE. AND WE SAY: IT'S GOT TO STOP. AND IT WILL. //

WE HAVE PROPOSED THE MOST COMPREHENSIVE PLAN TO ASSAULT THESE PLAGUES. WE WANT MANDATORY TIME FOR FIREARMS OFFENSES. NO DEALS WHEN CRIMINALS USE A GUN. AND FOR THE MOST HEINOUS CRIMES -- YOU REMEMBER MY PROMISE. FOR ANYONE WHO KILLS A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER -- NO LEGAL PENALTY IS TOO TOUGH. WE WANT CONGRESS TO ENACT THE STEPS NEEDED TO IMPLEMENT THE DEATH PENALTY. //

I'M PROUD TO SAY: LYNN MARTIN SUPPORTS OUR PROPOSALS. BECAUSE SHE BELIEVES THAT THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT MUST WAGE REAL -- NOT RHETORICAL -- WAR AGAINST THE THUGS WHO ASSAULT OUR KIDS. // WE WANT STIFFER PENALTIES FOR VIOLENT CRIMINALS. AND GREATER CERTAINTY IN SENTENCING. AND WE SAY THAT DRUG KINGPINS AND TERRORISTS WHO KILL AMERICANS DON'T DESERVE THE EASY PAROLE THAT LETS THEM OFF SCOT-FREE. THEY DESERVE TO PAY A PRICE -- THE ULTIMATE PRICE. // FELLOW REPUBLICANS, I NEED YOUR SUPPORT TO MAKE OUR CRIME PROPOSALS A REALITY. //

EARLIER, I MENTIONED UNDENIABLE FACTS. HERE ARE SOME MORE. OUR ADMINISTRATION HAS INTRODUCED POLICIES TO BENEFIT BOTH THE FARMER AND CONSUMER. AND BOLD NEW ENVIRONMENTAL POLICIES TO REDUCE AIR TOXICS, AND URBAN SMOG. POLICIES THAT WILL PRESERVE OUR WETLANDS AND COMBAT POLLUTERS, HELP TO CLEAN UP OUR AIR AND HAZARDOUS WASTES. AND, YES, LYNN HAS BEEN THERE.

IN ADDITION, WE ARE NEARING PASSAGE OF PIONEERING ETHICS LEGISLATION. AND WE'RE ASKING CONGRESS TO ACT ON OUR EDUCATION PROPOSALS -- AND HERE, TOO, AS A FORMER SCHOOL TEACHER IN ROCKFORD AND DUPAGE COUNTY, LYNN'S BEEN THERE. OUR PROPOSALS SEEK TO GIVE GREATER CHOICE TO PARENTS AND STUDENTS. AND DEMAND GREATER ACCOUNTABILITY. THEY REWARD EXCELLENCE. AND DEMAND THAT FEDERAL DOLLARS HELP THOSE MOST IN NEED. FELLOW REPUBLICANS, DON'T YOU AGREE? WE MUST MAKE AMERICA'S EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM NO. 1 IN THE WORLD AGAIN.

LYNN, I KNOW YOU'LL HELP ME DO THAT. FOR LOOK AT WHAT YOU'VE ALREADY DONE. ACHIEVING THE HIGHEST POSITION OF REPUBLICAN LEADERSHIP EVER HELD BY A WOMAN IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. AND THE BEST IS YET TO COME. FOR NEXT YEAR YOU'LL LEND YOUR STRENGTH AND QUALITY TO THE ENTIRE REPUBLICAN TICKET.

FOR STARTERS, HERE'S JIM EDGAR, YOUR NEXT GOVERNOR. // AND BOB KUSTRA ((KUH-STRA)), AS LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR. // HERE'S GEORGE RYAN, YOUR NEXT SECRETARY OF STATE. // AND JIM RYAN, AS ATTORNEY GENERAL. // DON'T WORRY: I'M NOT FORGETTING. HERE'S GREG BAISE [BAYS], YOUR NEXT STATE TREASURER. // AND GARY SKOIN [SKOIN], AS COMPTROLLER. // A MAGNIFICENT TEAM -- A WINNING TEAM -- A TEAM FOR ALL ILLINOIS.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-EIGHT YEARS AGO, THE GREATEST ILLINOIAN OF THEM ALL LEFT SPRINGFIELD TO ASSUME THE PRESIDENCY. ADDRESSING HIS HOME PEOPLE AT THE GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY STATION, ABRAHAM LINCOLN WAS MOVED TO SAY: "TO THIS PLACE, AND THE KINDNESS OF THESE PEOPLE, I OWE EVERYTHING."

I KNOW THAT LYNN WOULD REAFFIRM THOSE WORDS. BECAUSE SHE LOVES THIS PLACE, AND THE PEOPLE OF ILLINOIS. SO LET'S BE THERE FOR LYNN MARTIN. AND SUPPORT THE ENTIRE REPUBLICAN TICKET. LET'S GO OUT AND WORK TO MAKE LYNN MARTIN THE NEXT SENATOR FROM THE GREAT STATE OF ILLINOIS.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR KINDNESS. AND FOR THE HONOR OF
SHARING THIS OCCASION. GOD BLESS YOU, AND GOD BLESS
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

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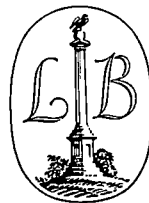
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[August 1, 1858?]. From
BASLER, *The Collected
Abraham Lincoln* [1953],
532

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Edwardsville, Illinois
[September 11, 1858]

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This is a world of compensation; and he
who would be no slave must consent to have
no slave. Those who deny freedom to others
deserve it not for themselves, and, under a
just God, cannot long retain it.

Letter to H. L. Pierce and others
[April 6, 1859]

Public opinion in this country is every-
thing.

Speech at Columbus, Ohio
[September 16, 1859]

It is said an Eastern monarch once charged
his wise men to invent him a sentence to be
ever in view, and which should be true and
appropriate in all times and situations. They
presented him the words: "And this, too,
shall pass away." How much it expresses!
How chastening in the hour of pride! How
consoling in the depths of affliction!

*Address to the Wisconsin State
Agricultural Society, Milwaukee*
[September 30, 1859]

What is conservatism? Is it not adherence
to the old and tried, against the new and un-
tried?

*Address at Cooper Union, New
York* [February 27, 1860]

Let us have faith that right makes might,
and in that faith let us to the end dare to do
our duty as we understand it. *Ib.*

No one, not in my situation, can appreciate
my feeling of sadness at this parting. To this
place, and the kindness of these people, I owe
everything. Here I have lived a quarter of a
century, and have passed from a young to an
old man. Here my children have been born,
and one is buried. I now leave, not knowing
when or whether ever I may return, with a
task before me greater than that which
rested upon Washington. Without the assist-
ance of that Divine Being who ever attended
him, I cannot succeed. With that assistance I
cannot fail. Trusting in Him who can go with
me, and remain with you, and be everywhere
for good, let us confidently hope that all will
yet be well.

*Farewell Address, Springfield,
Illinois* [February 11, 1861]

If we do not make common cause to save
the good old ship of the Union on this voyage,
nobody will have a chance to pilot her on
another voyage.

Address at Cleveland, Ohio
[February 15, 1861]

⁸ I have never had a feeling, politically, that
did not spring from the sentiments embodied
in the Declaration of Independence. . . . I
have often inquired of myself what great
principle or idea it was that kept this Confed-
eracy so long together. It was not the mere
matter of separation of the colonies from the
motherland, but that sentiment in the Decla-
ration of Independence which gave liberty
not alone to the people of this country, but
hope to all the world, for all future time. It
was that which gave promise that in due time
the weights would be lifted from the shoul-
ders of all men, and that all should have an
equal chance. This is the sentiment embodied
in the Declaration of Independence. . . . I
would rather be assassinated on this spot
than surrender it.

*Speech at Independence Hall, Phila-
delphia* [February 22, 1861]

⁹ It is safe to assert that no government
proper ever had a provision in its organic law
for its own termination.

First Inaugural Address [March
4, 1861]

¹⁰ If by the mere force of numbers a majority
should deprive a minority of any clearly writ-
ten constitutional right, it might, in a moral
point of view, justify revolution—certainly
would if such a right were a vital one.

Ib.

¹¹ This country, with its institutions, belongs
to the people who inhabit it. Whenever they
shall grow weary of the existing government,
they can exercise their constitutional right of
amending it, or their revolutionary right to
dismember or overthrow it. *Ib.*

¹² Why should there not be a patient confi-
dence in the ultimate justice of the people? Is
there any better or equal hope in the world?

Ib.

¹³ While the people retain their virtue and
vigilance, no administration, by any extreme
of wickedness or folly, can very seriously in-
jure the government in the short space of
four years. *Ib.*

¹⁴ We are not enemies, but friends. We must
not be enemies. Though passion may have
strained, it must not break, our bonds of
affection. The mystic chords of memory,
stretching from every battlefield and patriot
grave to every living heart and hearthstone
all over this broad land, will yet swell the
chorus of the Union when again touched, as
surely they will be, by the better angels of our
nature. *Ib.*

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CHICAGO

to it. And he regards his watch more highly than his imagination."

Howard Vincent O'Brien
These United States
1924

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"While the people of Chicago applaud the spray of sparks as the reformer sharpens his ax, Chicagoans just as cheerfully grin if the reformer loses his grip at the grinding wheel and gets cut."

Len O'Connor
Clout
1975

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"The Democratic machine in Chicago is the last of the great big city machines in the history of modern American politics. . . . While other machines in other great cities of this nation have deteriorated, reformed, or disappeared, the Chicago machine has neither deteriorated, nor significantly reformed, and it has certainly not disappeared."

Milton Rakove
Don't Make No Waves, Don't Back No Losers
1975

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"Chicago will be the main exhibit of the Columbian Exposition of 1893. No matter what the aggregation of wonders there, the city itself will make the most surprising presentation. Those who go to study the world's progress will find no other result of human force so wonderful, extravagant, or peculiar."

Julian Ralph
Harper's Monthly
February, 1892

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"There are so many [shady real estate] deals involving ranking members of the Machine that it has been suggested that the city slogan be changed from 'Urbs in Horto,' which means 'City in a Garden,' to 'Ubi Est Mea,' which means 'Where's Mine?'"

Mike Royko
Boss
1971

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"It is possible that Chicago will reach a major civic milestone during this new year [1968]. Something should be done to commemorate the event when it happens. Committees should be formed, plans made. Civic leaders and civic followers should go into action now, while there is still time. We are only a few gunshots away from our one-thousandth 'gangland slaying'—nine away to be exact."

Mike Royko
Up Against It
1967

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"Most Chicagoans considered the dishonesty of the police as part of the natural environment. The Chicago River is polluted, the factories belch smoke, the Cubs are the North Side team, the Sox are the South Side team, George Halas owns the Bears, and the cops are crooked—so what else was new?"

Mike Royko
Boss
1971

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"Hog Butcher for the World.
Tool Maker, Stacker of Wheat.
Player with Railroads and the Nation's Freight
Handler;
Stormy, husky, brawling,
City of the Big Shoulders."

Carl Sandburg
"Chicago"
1914

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[On Democratic convention, 1968]: "In the past it seemed to make sense for a sportswriter on sabbatical from the playpen to attend the quadrennial hawg [sic] killing where Presidential candidates are chosen, to observe and report upon the politicians at play. After all, national conventions are games of a sort, and sports offer few spectacles richer in low comedy. . . . It is sadly different this week in the police state which Richard (the Lion-hearted) Daley has made of the city he rules. There is no room for laughter in this city of fear."

Red Smith, sportswriter
Syndicated column
1968

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"However, Chicago is now setting her house in order. It is thought a great step forward that there are now actually one-third of the members of the municipal body [the city council] who can be relied upon to refuse a bribe."

George Steevens
Dispatch to London *Daily Mail*
Oct. 4, 1896

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"Some day Chicago will turn her savage energy to order and cooperation. Instead of a casual horde of jostling individuals she will become a city of citizens. She will learn that freedom does not consist solely in contempt for law. On the day she realizes this she will become the greatest, as already she is the most amazing, community in the world."

George W. Steeven
Dispatch to London *Daily Mail*
Oct. 4, 1896

ILLINOIS



Capital: Springfield
 Became a territory: Feb. 3, 1890
 Entered the union (with rank): Dec. 3, 1818 (21)
 State motto: State sovereignty, national union
 State flower: Violet
 State bird: Cardinal
 State song: "Illinois"
 State tree: White oak
 Nicknames: Inland Empire, Land of Lincoln
 Origin of state name: Amalgam of Indian word and French suffix meaning "tribe of superior men"

Bounded by a Great Lake—Michigan—and three great rivers—the Mississippi, Ohio and Wabash—Illinois is the well watered eastern extremity of the Great Plains. The land is pool-table flat and the soil is dark and as moist as brownies. The roads run straight toward the horizon, broken only by grain elevators and, in the south, the jutting snouts of surface mining gear.

There isn't much prairie left in Illinois. Commercial agriculture has claimed this valuable land, which today produces more soybeans than any other state and runs second in corn production.

More surprisingly, perhaps, Illinois runs first in American coal production, with the southern wedge of the state little more than a blanket of soil over deep, easily mined reams of black gold.

The state's character is far less flat and homogeneous than its terrain. In the north, Illinois has a European immigrant gestalt, as Chicago spreads its urban fingers ever farther outward to the west. Northern Illinoisans are midwesterners by location, but if you ask them to identify themselves, it is the ethnic label you'll hear: I'm Irish (or Czech, or whatever).

Farther south Illinois becomes more like Indiana, the home of hardworking rural Americans, who dote on country music and church socials, whose roots lie in the south and whose interests are focused on family and town. During the Civil War these two personalities tore Illinois apart. The state stayed with the Union, but its southern regions hated that fact and

still turn their attention more toward Kentucky to the south than northward to Chicago or Springfield.

The state's blend of American values and urban might has, however, forged a society that produces the voices of America's people—Lincoln, Sandburg, even Richard J. Daley—spokesmen for the common man who emerged from a state that is a provider for the nation both in body and spirit.

THE STATE

"Among all the different states of America, Illinois is in some ways the richest and the most central."

Pearl S. Buck
America
 1971

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"Illinois, I'm, your boy
 flat on the prairies, soil and stone,
 stretching forever, taking me home."

Dan Fogelberg
 "Illinois"
 1974

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"Illinois is the best state precisely because it is so American. More, it is heartland. As Castile is of Spain, as the plain of Beauce is the granary of France, or Tuscany of Italy, so Illinois is core America."

Donald Culross Peattie
New York Times Magazine
 April 25, 1959

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"For the past quarter century, the population center of the United States has been creeping westward across southern Illinois. In 1950 it was in the little town of Olney, not far from the Indiana border; in 1960 not far from a small city prophetically named Centralia; in 1970 in farmer Lawrence Freiderich's fallow soybean field 5.3 miles east of Mascoutah—and 23 miles to the east of east St. Louis. But, as others have noted in the past, this is not the only sense in which Illinois is the 'state in the middle' or 'the most American'."

Neal R. Peirce and John Keefe
The Great Lakes States of America
 1981

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"We journeyed southwest across the great state of Illinois, one of the most famous states of the earlier American Union. It is the country of Abraham Lincoln, and there seems always a touch of that great

ness. He carries his specialism too far. It he overestimates the importance of his blems, but that he devotes all of his time the expense of his cultural interests."

M. R. Stone
These United States
 1924

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oday possesses little that is tangible to bserver of their [gold mining camps'] d yet their romance and glamour still ough and action. It is a tradition of lth, of native riches respondent to the ropector, of a democracy based, not meritor or power, but upon the impartial-

M. R. Stone
These United States
 1924

AND RIVERS

not legal in Idaho, and neither was ink, but nobody in Ketchum paid any

Ernie Pyle
Home Country
 1947

River:

of Lewis and Clark] meant that you e Pacific coast and Asia by follow- s west. It meant that there was no e. The dream of Columbus ended rapids of the Salmon River."

Charles Kuralt
Dateline America
 1979

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tance lay the Snake [River], glint- f silver under the hot sun."

Bill Gulick
They Came to a Valley
 1966

CITIES, TOWNS
AND REGIONS

Cairo

"We arrived at a spot so much more desolate than any we had yet beheld, that the forlornest places we had passed were, in comparison with it full of interest. At the junction of two rivers, on ground so flat and low and marshy, that at certain seasons of the year it is inundated to the house-tops, lies a breeding place of fever, ague and death; vaunted in England as a mine of Golden Hope, and speculated in, on the faith of monstrous representations, to many people's ruin. A dismal swamp on which the half-built houses rot away: cleared here and there for the space of a few yards; and teeming, then, with rank, unwholesome vegetation, in whose baleful shade the wretched wanderers who are tempted hither, droop, and die, and lay their bones; the hateful Mississippi circling and eddying before it, and turning off upon its southern course, a slimy monster hideous to behold; a hotbed of disease, an ugly sepulchre, a grave uncheered by any gleam of promise: a place without a single quality, in earth or air or water, to commend it: such is this dismal Cairo."

Charles Dickens
American Notes
1842

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"[Cairo is] one of the meanest burgs of its size outside of Oklahoma. The memory of pitched and repeated racial battles in this shabby Dixie river town is not dimmed."

Joel Garreau
The Nine Nations of North America
1981

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"At Cairo, Illinois, however, the broad Ohio River pours in, and from there south the Mississippi becomes the brawling giant of legend, flowing nearly 1,000 miles in great loops through its wide, fertile valley."

Bern Keating
The Mighty Mississippi
1971

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"Life is easy in Cairo as the citizens sit on their wide verandas beneath magnolia trees that are green all winter."

Douglas Waitley
Portrait of the Midwest
1963

Springfield

"There are votes here [Springfield] to be bought and rich men here to buy them;
What more could a poet ask
On the streets where Lincoln strode."

Stephen Vincent Benet
"Do You Remember, Springfield?"
1936

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"In Springfield you can ride in a Lincoln cab. You can play golf at Lincoln Greens, check out a book from the Lincoln Library, buy insurance from Lincoln Life or a drink from the Lincoln Tavern or a carburetor from Lincoln Auto Parts."

Charles Kuralt
Dateline America
1979

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"To this place [Springfield], and the kindness of these people, I owe everything."

Abraham Lincoln
Farewell Address
1865

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"In this, the City of my Discontent,
Sometimes there comes a whisper from the grass,
"Romance, Romance—is here. No Hindu town
Is quite so strange. No Citadel of Brass
By Sinbad found, held half such love and hate;
No picture-palace in a picture-book
Such webs of Friendship, Beauty, Greed and
Fate!"

In this, the City of my Discontent,
Down from the sky, up from the smoking deep
Wild legends new and old burn round my bed
While trees and grass and men are wrapped in
sleep.

Angels come down, with Christmas in their hearts,
Gentle, whimsical, laughing, heaven-sent;
And, for a day, fair Peace have given me
In this, the City of my Discontent!"

Vachel Lindsay
"Springfield Magical"
General Booth Enters Into Heaven
1923

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"Let not our town be large, remembering
That little Athens was the Muses' home,

**LYNN MARTIN FUNDRAISER
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS \ MONDAY, NOV. 20, 1989 \ 12:00 P.M.**

**LYNN MARTIN, JIM THOMPSON, SECRETARY SKINNER,
CONGRESSMAN FAWELL [FAY-WELL], PATE PHILLIP (SENATE
MAJORITY LEADER), AL JOURDAN (STATE PARTY CHAIRMAN),
HAROLD SMITH (GOP NATIONAL COMMITTEEMAN), MARY JO ARNDT
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SHERIFF), DICK MORROW (AMOCO CEO), GARY MACDOUGAL,
MEMBERS OF THE GREAT 1990 ILLINOIS REPUBLICAN TICKET,
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, FRIENDS.**

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**THANK YOU, LYNN, FOR THAT GRACIOUS INTRODUCTION.
AND LET ME SAY WHAT A PLEASURE IT IS TO BE IN CHICAGO
-- AND TO SPEAK ON BEHALF OF A CLOSE AND DEAR FRIEND.
ONE OF THE GREAT LEADERS IN THE U.S. HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES. AND SOON TO BE ONE OF THE GREATEST
MEMBERS OF THE UNITED STATES SENATE. LYNN MARTIN. //**

**((NOW, LYNN'S A LONG-TIME FRIEND -- AND I WANTED TO
COME HERE AND, PERSONALLY, SUPPORT HER.**

I KNOW YOU WANTED TO HEAR A FEW WORDS FROM A PROMINENT FIGURE WHO CAN REALLY FIRE UP A CROWD AND GENERATE SOME EXCITEMENT. // UNFORTUNATELY, MIKE DITKA'S GETTING READY FOR NEXT WEEK'S GAME -- SO I'M HERE INSTEAD.))

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BELIEVE ME, I'M DELIGHTED. FOR LYNN HAS BEEN A MAGNIFICENT CONGRESSWOMAN FOR HER DISTRICT. AND SHE'LL MAKE A MAGNIFICENT U.S. SENATOR.

LYNN IS WHAT ILLINOIS NEEDS, AND MY ADMINISTRATION NEEDS: A SENATOR TO MAKE THE LAND OF LINCOLN PROUD. A LEADER TO MAKE THE NATION PROUD. LYNN MARTIN IS THAT WOMAN. //

YOU KNOW, OVER THE YEARS I'VE WORKED WITH HUNDREDS OF MEMBERS OF CONGRESS. AND FEW HAVE IMPRESSED ME MORE THAN LYNN. SHE'S BEEN THERE WHEN AMERICA NEEDED HER. SHE'S BEEN THERE WHEN I NEEDED HER.

WHEN HER DISTRICT LOOKED FOR A STRONG VOICE TO SPEAK FOR IT IN THE HOUSE, LYNN WAS THERE. FOR THE PARENT WORRIED ABOUT INFLATION -- FOR SENIORS NEEDING MEDICAL CARE -- FOR THE STUDENT WHO WANTS TO LEARN -- LYNN WAS THERE. AND WHEN I LOOKED FOR HER TO FIGHT FOR OUR CAUSE IN LAST YEAR'S ELECTION, LYNN WAS THERE, TOO. ((HERE'S PROOF OF HER RESILIENCY. LYNN CO-CHAIRLED THE NATIONAL BUSH-QUAYLE COMMITTEE WITH JOHN SUNUNU, AND LIVED TO TELL ABOUT IT.)) //

YOU CAN SEE WHY I SO ADMIRE LYNN -- AND WHY I NEED HER IN THE SENATE. ON THE ONE HAND, SHE'S A GRACIOUS, SMART, AND COMPASSIONATE WOMAN. IN THIS "CITY OF THE BIG SHOULDERS," HERS MAY NOT RIVAL THE CHICAGO BEARS. BUT THIS 1989 REPUBLICAN WOMAN OF THE YEAR IS STRONG AND TOUGH. AS SOMEONE ONCE SAID: "LYNN MARTIN IS THE GIRL NEXT DOOR WHO'S BECOME ONE OF THE BOYS."

SHE'S A FIGHTER FOR HER PRINCIPLES. AND A GO-GETTER FOR HER CONSTITUENTS. AND NEXT NOVEMBER, SHE'LL BE A WINNER FOR WHAT ONE WRITER CALLED "THE BEST STATE PRECISELY BECAUSE IT IS SO AMERICAN. ILLINOIS IS CORE AMERICA."

LYNN MARTIN WILL WIN BECAUSE SHE, TOO, IS "CORE AMERICA." BORN AND RAISED IN CHICAGO. WENT TO TAFT HIGH SCHOOL. ATTENDED THE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS. GRADUATED WITH HONORS. //

OF COURSE, LYNN TELLS ME THE FIGHTING ILLINI [ILL LINE I] FOOTBALL TEAM WILL DO THE HONORS ON JANUARY 1. //

LIKE ILLINOIANS, LYNN MARTIN IS HONEST. ((IT'S LIKE SHE ALWAYS TELLS ME: "IT'S FINE THAT YOU'RE HERE, MR. PRESIDENT. BUT IF YOU REALLY WANT TO WOW THE CROWD, BRING BARBARA.")) //

AND SHE'S GENUINE -- SHE'S NEVER LEFT HER ROOTS.

LYNN MARTIN KNOWS THE PEOPLE OF ILLINOIS: THE RETIRED LABORER, THE HOMEMAKER, THE SMALL SHOP OWNER.

AND THEIR VALUES: HARD WORK, LOVE OF COUNTRY, AND FAITH IN GOD. SHE'S BEEN A COUNTY BOARD MEMBER AND STATE LEGISLATOR. AND FOR NINE YEARS THE CONGRESSWOMAN FROM THE 16TH DISTRICT.

DURING THAT TIME LYNN'S BEEN RIGHT ON ISSUE AFTER ISSUE. SHE THINKS LIKE I DO -- LIKE YOU DO. AND BECAUSE SHE DOES, WE'RE GOING TO NEED HER MORE THAN EVER IN THE 1990s. FOR THE ISSUES THAT CONFRONT AMERICA HAVE NEVER BEEN MORE URGENT.

AND WE'RE GOING TO NEED PEOPLE LIKE SENATOR LYNN MARTIN TO HELP ENSURE PROSPERITY FOR ALL AMERICANS.

TO BEGIN WITH, CONSIDER SOME UNDENIABLE FACTS. // LIKE THE BEARS' 1986 SUPER BOWL VICTORY. OR DON ZIMMER BEING NAMED THE 1989 MANAGER OF THE YEAR. // AN UNEMPLOYMENT RATE AT THE LOWEST LEVEL IN 15 YEARS. MORE THAN 20 MILLION NEW JOBS SINCE 1982. THE LONGEST PEACETIME EXPANSION IN HISTORY.

THE HEALTHY ECONOMY WE NOW ENJOY DIDN'T APPEAR BY MAGIC. IT CAME ABOUT THROUGH TAX CUTS AND CONTROLLING SPENDING. AND, YES, LYNN MARTIN WAS THERE. AND NOW OUR ADMINISTRATION WANTS TO BUILD UPON THESE UNDENIABLE FACTS. BY ENACTING OUR CAPITAL GAINS TAX CUT TO CREATE EVEN GREATER OPPORTUNITY.

YOU KNOW, THE CAPITAL GAINS BATTLE MAY BE OVER FOR THIS YEAR, BUT THE FACT IS THIS: WE'VE SEEN THE VOTES -- A MAJORITY IN BOTH THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE ARE ON RECORD IN FAVOR OF CUTTING THE CAPITAL GAINS RATE. MAKE NO MISTAKE: WHEN CONGRESS RECONVENES IN THE NEW YEAR, CUTTING CAPITAL GAINS IS GOING TO BE ONE OF THE TOP ITEMS ON MY AGENDA. // THE FIGHT FOR A CAPITAL GAINS CUT IS FAR FROM OVER AND IT'S A FIGHT WE'RE GOING TO WIN.

A LOWER CAPITAL GAINS TAX WILL HELP ENSURE PROSPERITY AT HOME. BUT WE MUST ALSO HAVE PEACE ABROAD.

REAL PEACE, LIKE PROSPERITY, DOESN'T OCCUR BY ACCIDENT. IT REQUIRES PATIENCE, VISION, AND MEANINGFUL DIALOGUE. NEXT WEEK, PRESIDENT GORBACHEV AND I WILL MEET OFF THE ISLAND OF MALTA. THIS MEETING WILL OCCUR BECAUSE AMERICA HAS BEEN RESOLUTE IN DEFENSE OF LIBERTY.

AND IT WILL OCCUR AMID THE CHANGES SWEEPING EAST AND CENTRAL EUROPE AND BRINGING FREEDOM TO MILLIONS WHO SHARE A COMMON HERITAGE WITH SO MANY IN ILLINOIS. I WILL REMEMBER THAT HERITAGE NEXT WEEK IN MALTA AS WE WORK TO MAKE THE 1990S THE DECADE OF DEMOCRACY IN EASTERN EUROPE.

DEMOCRACY, OF COURSE, MEANS FREEDOM FROM FEAR. AND SO IT MUST AT HOME. OUR ADMINISTRATION HAS MOVED BOLDLY, DECISIVELY ON YET ANOTHER ISSUE.

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BECAUSE MOST ILLINOIANS -- LIKE MOST AMERICANS -- HAVE HAD IT UP TO HERE WITH CRIME AND DRUG USE. AND WE SAY: IT'S GOT TO STOP. AND IT WILL. //

WE HAVE PROPOSED THE MOST COMPREHENSIVE PLAN TO ASSAULT THESE PLAGUES. WE WANT MANDATORY TIME FOR FIREARMS OFFENSES. NO DEALS WHEN CRIMINALS USE A GUN. AND FOR THE MOST HEINOUS CRIMES -- YOU REMEMBER MY PROMISE.

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FOR ANYONE WHO KILLS A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER -- NO LEGAL PENALTY IS TOO TOUGH. WE WANT CONGRESS TO ENACT THE STEPS NEEDED TO IMPLEMENT THE DEATH PENALTY. //

I'M PROUD TO SAY: LYNN MARTIN SUPPORTS OUR PROPOSALS. BECAUSE SHE BELIEVES THAT THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT MUST WAGE REAL -- NOT RHETORICAL -- WAR AGAINST THE THUGS WHO ASSAULT OUR KIDS. // WE WANT STIFFER PENALTIES FOR VIOLENT CRIMINALS. AND GREATER CERTAINTY IN SENTENCING.

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AND WE SAY THAT DRUG KINGPINS AND TERRORISTS WHO KILL AMERICANS DON'T DESERVE THE EASY PAROLE THAT LETS THEM OFF SCOT-FREE. THEY DESERVE TO PAY A PRICE -- THE ULTIMATE PRICE. // FELLOW REPUBLICANS, I NEED YOUR SUPPORT TO MAKE OUR CRIME PROPOSALS A REALITY. //

EARLIER, I MENTIONED UNDENIABLE FACTS. HERE ARE SOME MORE. OUR ADMINISTRATION HAS INTRODUCED POLICIES TO BENEFIT BOTH THE FARMER AND CONSUMER.

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AND BOLD NEW ENVIRONMENTAL POLICIES TO REDUCE AIR TOXICS, AND URBAN SMOG. POLICIES THAT WILL PRESERVE OUR WETLANDS AND COMBAT POLLUTERS, HELP TO CLEAN UP OUR AIR AND HAZARDOUS WASTES. AND, YES, LYNN HAS BEEN THERE.

IN ADDITION, WE ARE NEARING PASSAGE OF PIONEERING ETHICS LEGISLATION.

AND WE'RE ASKING CONGRESS TO ACT ON OUR EDUCATION PROPOSALS -- AND HERE, TOO, AS A FORMER SCHOOL TEACHER IN ROCKFORD AND DUPAGE COUNTY, LYNN'S BEEN THERE. OUR PROPOSALS SEEK TO GIVE GREATER CHOICE TO PARENTS AND STUDENTS. AND DEMAND GREATER ACCOUNTABILITY. THEY REWARD EXCELLENCE. AND DEMAND THAT FEDERAL DOLLARS HELP THOSE MOST IN NEED. FELLOW REPUBLICANS, DON'T YOU AGREE? WE MUST MAKE AMERICA'S EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM NO. 1 IN THE WORLD AGAIN.

LYNN, I KNOW YOU'LL HELP ME DO THAT. FOR LOOK AT WHAT YOU'VE ALREADY DONE. ACHIEVING THE HIGHEST POSITION OF REPUBLICAN LEADERSHIP EVER HELD BY A WOMAN IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. AND THE BEST IS YET TO COME. FOR NEXT YEAR YOU'LL LEND YOUR STRENGTH AND QUALITY TO THE ENTIRE REPUBLICAN TICKET.

FOR STARTERS, HERE'S JIM EDGAR, YOUR NEXT GOVERNOR.
// AND BOB KUSTRA ((KUH-STRA)), AS LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR. //

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HERE'S GEORGE RYAN, YOUR NEXT SECRETARY OF STATE. //
AND JIM RYAN, AS ATTORNEY GENERAL. // DON'T WORRY:
I'M NOT FORGETTING. HERE'S GREG BAISE [BAYS], YOUR
NEXT STATE TREASURER. // AND GARY SKOEN [SKOIN], AS
COMPTROLLER. // A MAGNIFICENT TEAM -- A WINNING
TEAM -- A TEAM FOR ALL ILLINOIS.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-EIGHT YEARS AGO, THE
GREATEST ILLINOIAN OF THEM ALL LEFT SPRINGFIELD TO
ASSUME THE PRESIDENCY.

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ADDRESSING HIS HOME PEOPLE AT THE GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY
STATION, ABRAHAM LINCOLN WAS MOVED TO SAY: "TO THIS
PLACE, AND THE KINDNESS OF THESE PEOPLE, I OWE
EVERYTHING."

I KNOW THAT LYNN WOULD REAFFIRM THOSE WORDS.
BECAUSE SHE LOVES THIS PLACE, AND THE PEOPLE OF
ILLINOIS. SO LET'S BE THERE FOR LYNN MARTIN. AND
SUPPORT THE ENTIRE REPUBLICAN TICKET.



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**LET'S GO OUT AND WORK TO MAKE LYNN MARTIN THE NEXT
SENATOR FROM THE GREAT STATE OF ILLINOIS.**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR KINDNESS. AND FOR THE HONOR OF
SHARING THIS OCCASION. GOD BLESS YOU, AND GOD BLESS
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.**

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Lincoln's hat and umbrella.

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Abraham Lincoln THE PRAIRIE YEARS

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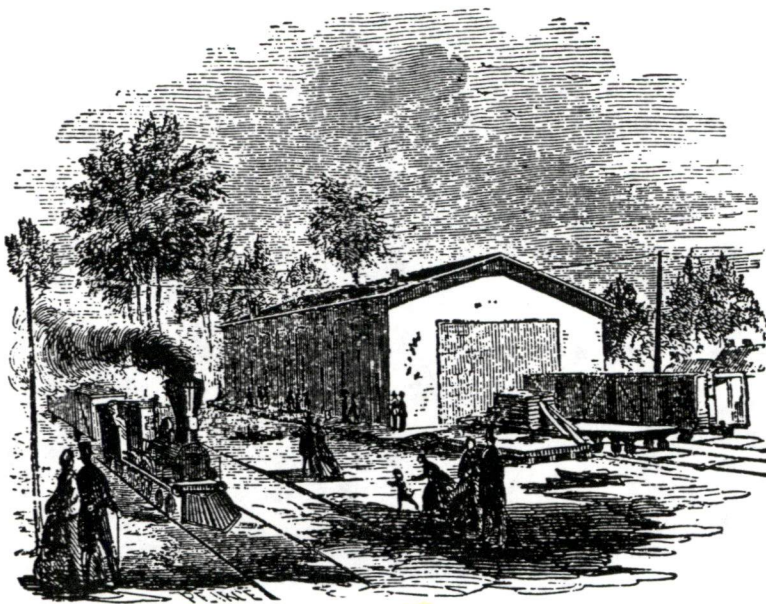
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faces, children sticking their tongues out and calling nasty names at each other; he was to be the Father; the Red Indians would actually call him the Great Father, negroes would call him "Massa," and punctilious white men would use the address "Your Excellency"; he would be the Supreme Counselor of the American People. "Good God, what a job!"

Chapter 167

A COLD drizzle of rain was falling on the morning of February 11 when Lincoln and his party of fifteen were to leave Springfield on the eight o'clock at the Great Western Railway station. Chilly gray mist hung the circle of the prairie horizon. A short little locomotive with a flat-topped smokestack stood puffing with a baggage car and special passenger car hitched on; a railroad president and superintendent were on board. A thousand people



Great Western Railroad Station, Springfield, Illinois.

crowded in and around the brick station, inside of which Lincoln was standing, and one by one came hundreds of old friends, shaking hands, wishing him luck and Godspeed, all faces solemn. Even Judge David Davis, weighing 350 pounds, wearing a new white silk hat, was a serious figure.

A path was made for Lincoln from the station to his car; hands stretched out for one last handshake. He hadn't intended to make a speech; but on the platform of the car, as he turned and saw his home people, he took off his hat, stood perfectly still, and looked almost as he had at the Bowling Green burial services when tears had to take the place of words. He raised a hand, for silence. They stood, with hats off.

Then he said slowly, amid the soft gray drizzle from the sky, "Friends, no one who has never been placed in a like position can understand my feelings at this hour nor the oppressive sadness I feel at this parting. For more than a quarter of a century I have lived among you, and during all that time I have received nothing but kindness at your hands. Here I have lived from my youth till now I am an old man. Here the most sacred trusts of earth were assumed; here all my children were born; and here one of them lies buried. To you, dear friends, I owe all that I have, all that I am. All the strange checkered past seems to crowd now upon my mind. Today I leave you; I go to assume a task more difficult than that which devolved upon General Washington. Unless the great God who assisted him shall be with and aid me, I must fail. But if the same omniscient mind and the same Almighty arm that directed and protected him shall guide and support me, I shall not fail; I shall succeed. Let us all pray that the God of our fathers may not forsake us now. To Him I commend you all. Permit me to ask that with equal sincerity and faith you will all invoke His wisdom and guidance for me. With these few words I must leave you—for how long I know not. Friends, one and all, I must now bid you an affectionate farewell."

Bells rang, there was a grinding of wheels, and the train moved, and carried Lincoln away from Springfield.

LYNN MARTIN

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November 8, 1989

Curt

To: Dave Demarest
From: Mike Boskin
Re: Administration Economic
Achievements

Let me know if we can amplify on
any of the attached points.

Michael J. Boskin
Chairman

KEEPING THE ECONOMY STRONG

SUMMARY

- o **Record expansion:** During the current economic expansion--in its 83rd month as of October--over 20 million jobs have been created and the unemployment rate has fallen to levels not seen in 15 years. Income levels have risen sharply and growth in industrial output is nearly double that of Western Europe. Consumer price inflation has remained under 5 percent for the past 7 years.
- o **Savings and loans:** In August the President signed the Financial Institution Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989 to begin resolving the savings and loan situation. The President's plan calls for tough standards to help ensure such a crisis never happens again.
- o **Third world debt:** The Administration has taken the lead in finding a way to reduce the debt burden and encourage economic growth in developing countries. At the Administration's urging, the IMF and World Bank have set aside funds to support debt reduction programs for developing countries. Three countries have successfully negotiated debt agreements under the Administration's debt plan.
- o **International trade:** The Bush Administration successfully broke a stalemate in the Uruguay Round of multilateral trade negotiations and advanced its proposal to correct and prevent trade distortions in agriculture. It is engaged in bilateral trade talks with important trading partners to discuss structural impediments to expanding trade and encourage them to open their markets to our exports.
- o **Budget policy:** This spring, the Administration successfully negotiated a budget agreement with the Congress. However, Congress did not legislate the agreement, leaving the projected budget deficit for FY 1990 above the Gramm-Rudman target. Consequently, funds are being sequestered, enforcing a reduction in the Federal budget deficit.
- o **Minimum wage:** The Administration achieved agreement with the Congress on the President's goal of increasing the basic minimum wage to \$4.25 per hour. The plan will be particularly useful to the working poor, while providing business the ability to employ younger and less experienced workers at a reasonable training wage.

KEEPING THE ECONOMY STRONG

Maintaining the current expansion with low inflation is the key to improving standards of living, increasing job opportunities for all Americans, and increasing investment in productive capacity. Economic performance during this expansion has been exceptionally good with extraordinary job growth. The policies of the Bush Administration are designed to preserve this strong record.

- o **Record peacetime expansion:** The current expansion reached 83 months in October. This is the second longest economic expansion in U.S. history and the longest peacetime expansion.
- o **Job creation:** Over 20 million new jobs have been created during this expansion, and this year the unemployment rate has reached levels not seen in 15 years. The benefits of robust economic growth have been shared by a wide variety of demographic groups, with unemployment rates for both men and women as well as minorities at relatively low levels. During this decade, America has created more new jobs than Japan and the nations of Western Europe combined.
- o **Record income:** Real per capita disposable personal income--personal income after taxes and inflation--has risen 19 percent during this expansion.
- o **Higher national saving and investment:** Partly due to the discipline of the Gramm-Rudman-Hollings process, the Federal deficit has declined from 6.3 percent of GNP in fiscal year 1983 to 3.0 percent this fiscal year. The personal saving rate averaged 5.4 percent over the first three quarters of 1989, well above its recent low of 3.2 percent in 1987.
- o **Inflation under control:** Consumer price inflation has remained under 5 percent in each of the seven years from 1982 to 1988, and the recent slowing in economic growth to a sustainable rate will lessen price pressures in the near future. In the last twelve months, the CPI has increased only 4.3 percent and, in the last three months, the index has risen only 2.4 percent at an annual rate, reflecting lower energy prices.

ACTION BY THE ADMINISTRATION:

- o **Implementing fiscal restraint:** In view of the failure of the Congress to legislate the budget agreement reached last spring, the Administration has implemented a sequester of funds under the Gramm-Rudman-Hollings law. The sequester will effectively restrain federal spending while it is in force,

and will help reach the President's goal of hitting the Gramm-Rudman targets with no new taxes.

- o **Addressing the international debt problem:** The Administration has taken the lead in encouraging commercial banks to reduce the debt and debt service burdens of developing countries. Recently, three countries--Mexico, the Philippines, and Costa Rica--have reached agreements with commercial banks under the Administration's debt plan. The differences in these agreements appropriately reflect differing circumstances in the three countries and illustrate the flexibility of the Administration's approach.
- o **Minimum wage agreement:** The Administration and Congressional leaders have reached agreement on a plan to raise the minimum wage to \$4.25 per hour and to permit businesses to pay a training wage to young, entry-level workers. The higher minimum wage will help the working poor and the training wage will allow businesses to hire inexperienced workers and give them the start they need in a working career.
- o **Disaster assistance:** The Administration and the Congress are working together to provide adequate funding to assist victims of Hurricane Hugo and the California earthquake. This funding will help provide the homeless with temporary shelter, will assist uninsured, needy families rebuild their homes, and will help the state as well as counties and municipalities to rebuild highways and other public facilities.
- o **Savings and Loan reform:** The President signed the Financial Institution Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989 on August 9. This legislation comes to grips with the problems facing our savings and loan industry, and will safeguard and stabilize America's financial system. The Act assures that the long developing problems in our savings industry will never happen again. It significantly reforms the regulation of the thrift industry and separates the chartering of the institutions from the insurance of deposits. It establishes strict new guidelines to assure the solvency of thrift institutions in the future, including new capital requirements, and sets stiff penalties for wrongdoing by the officers of insured institutions. Further, the act establishes new agencies to remedy existing problems in the thrift industry and authorizes funds to finance the restructuring of insolvent institutions.
- o **International Trade:** The Administration is forcefully promoting the opening of world markets through bilateral negotiations and the Uruguay Round of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade. It successfully broke a stalemate in the Uruguay Round's mid-term review and put in place a framework, agreed to by the 96 member nations, to correct and prevent

trade distortions in agriculture. It is engaged in bilateral trade talks with Japan to identify and eliminate structural patterns that may impede efficient patterns of world trade. The approaches being pursued in these discussions will provide long-term benefits for both countries. The Administration also has created a high level interagency group to assure that U.S. trade and investment interests are addressed as the European Community works to create a single market in 1992.

- o **Steel imports:** The President initiated a two-and-a-half year Steel Trade Liberalization Program designed to phase out, in a responsible and orderly manner, the Voluntary Restraint Arrangements (VRAs) that currently limit steel imports into the U.S. and to negotiate an international consensus to address trade-distorting practices.
- o **Agricultural initiatives:** The Administration has announced its comprehensive agricultural proposals for the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade. These proposals would harmonize domestic agricultural programs and reduce trade distortions to minimize their distorting effects on international production and trade. In addition, the Administration has formed a task force to develop a farm bill for 1990.
- o **National Energy Plan:** The President directed the Secretary of Energy to develop a comprehensive national energy strategy for the nation. The strategy will help the nation meet our energy security and environmental responsibilities and, at the same time, allow a sensible mix of energy sources to protect America's economic competitiveness.

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LYNN

PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: MARTIN FUNDRAISER
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1989

Lynn Martin, Other members of the great Illinois
Congressional delegation, Ladies and gentlemen^e, Friends.

Thank you, __, for that gracious introduction. And let me
say what a pleasure it is to be in Chicago -- and to speak on
behalf of a close and dear friend. One of the great leaders in
the U.S. House of Representatives. And soon to be one of the
greatest members of the United States Senate. // My long-time
colleague, Lynn Martin. //

((Now, I know that Lynn wanted to get her campaign for a
Senate seat off to a flying start. // But I'm glad she let me
come here anyway.)) //

~~For~~ Lynn has been a magnificent Congresswoman for her
District -- and for Illinois. And she'll make a magnificent
Senator for Illinois -- and its people. Lynn is what Illinois
needs, and my Administration needs: A full-time Senator who
won't be running for President.

You know, over the years I've worked with -- literally --
hundreds of U.S. Senators. And I've never admired any more than
the woman we honor today. Two weeks ago, when she announced for
the Senate, Lynn said her reasons could be summed up in three
words: "Illinois deserves better." Well, take it from me: Lynn

Martin is a role model for the best and brightest in public service.

When her District looked for a strong voice to speak for it in the House, Lynn was there. And when I looked for her to fight for our cause in last year's Election, Lynn was there. // ((Here's proof of her toughness and resiliency. Lynn co-chaired the Bush-Quayle Committee with John Sununu, and lived to tell about it.)) //

Earlier in 1988, 82 members of the House endorsed my candidacy before the first Presidential Primary. Know their leader? Lynn was there. And when I encouraged her to give up a safe Congressional seat this year and run for the Senate, Lynn was there. She even helped by pinch-hitting for my opponent in practices before the 1984 Vice-Presidential debate. // Believe me, after scrimmaging Lynn, the real thing was a breeze. //

You can see why I so admire Lynn -- and why I need her in the Senate. On the one hand, she's a gracious, compassionate, and elegant lady. In this City of the Big Shoulders, hers don't rival the Chicago Bears. // And yet she's strong, tough -- this 1989 Republican Woman of the Year. And her leadership eclipses gender. As someone once said: "Lynn Martin is the girl next door who became one of the boys."

She's a fighter for her principles. And a go-getter for her constituents. And next November, she's going to be a winner for what one writer called "the best State precisely because it is so

American. More, it is heartland. As Castile is of Spain, so Illinois is core America."

Fellow Republicans, Lynn Martin, too, is "core America." Which explains why in January 1991 she'll become the new Junior Senator from the State of Illinois.

Lynn Martin will win, first, because she's a full-time Illinoisan. And we need that in the United States Senate. Born and raised in Chicago. Went to Taft High School. Attended the University of Illinois. Graduated with honors. // Like I'm told the Fighting Illini football team may on January 1. //

Lynn understands the family of Illinois: its retired laborers, small shop owners, and men who till our farms. For she's been a county board member and State legislator. And for nine years from the Congresswoman from the 16th District. And your families, my family -- those, too, she understands. For she's been a full-time mother and teacher. Some of you know how Lynn used to be a car pool mom. // Well, she still has some driving to do. // She's going to drive her opponent right out of office. //

Next, Lynn Martin is going to win because she's a full-time fiscal conservative. And my Administration needs that in the U.S. Senate. // I don't have anything against a bow-tied Senator, but I object when he tries to hog-tie the taxpayer. //

Think about these facts. Unemployment at the lowest level in almost 20 years. More than 20 million new jobs since 1982. The longest peacetime expansion in history. Lynn Martin helped

create these conditions. By supporting the 1981 tax cuts which now save a typical family \$2,200 a year. And voting for the 1985 tax bill. By controlling spending. And voting for the capital gains tax cut which will create greater opportunity. Moreover, Lynn has cared enough to vote full-time. Voting, in her words, "for the bread and butter issues of Illinois' working families, not a liberal wish list for the wine and cheese set in Washington, D.C."

Now, please understand me: None of this is personal. I know Lynn Martin's opponent. // Lynn Martin's opponent is a friend of mine. // But ladies and gentlemen, Lynn's opponent is no Lynn Martin.

As proof, consider a third reason I need Lynn in the United States Senate. I refer, of course, to crime and drug use. As you know, our Administration has proposed the most comprehensive plan to assault these plagues. For we believe that the Federal government must wage real -- not rhetorical -- war against the slugs and thugs who terrorize our kids.

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Lynn Martin can mold that future. And help make Warsaw, Berlin, and Budapest what Carl Sandburg wrote of Chicago: "A city with lifted head singing so proud to be alive." And she can do other things in the Senate for Illinois and the Nation. Things which can make tomorrow even brighter than today.

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All of this Lynn can do. With your help, will do. And do as a full-time member of the Party of Lincoln. // [Remember:]

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You know, I've loved history since I was a kid. And I grew up on the poetry of that son of Illinois, Carl Sandburg. Sandburg loved -- as Lynn Martin does -- this State's high school teachers, retired laborers, and men who till our farms. And once he marveled of its City of Big Shoulders: "[I love] its lifted head singing so proud to be alive." (b)

Well, since this is football season, let me say: Lynn's shoulders will never be confused with Mike Ditka's. Even though she's fond of citing what someone once said: "Lynn Martin is the girl next door who became one of the boys." (b)

But Lynn Martin is the kind of official whose leadership eclipses sex. Or race. Or religion. Over the years, I've known hundreds of U. S. Senators. And I've never admired any more than Lynn. I've depended on her in the House of Representatives. As have thousands of Illinoisans. I asked her, personally, to run for the Senate. As did thousands of Illinoisans. And next year, she will become the Junior Senator of the State of Lincoln and Stevenson and . Through the votes of millions of Illinoisans. (b)

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Today, the winds of change are sweeping East and Central Europe. Communism is on the wane. In one Nation after another, freedom is on the rise. I need a Senator from Illinois who will fan the breezes of human liberty. Congresswoman Lynn Martin has done that. Senator Lynn Martin will do still more. Time and again, she has voted to keep the peace by keeping America strong. Or, as Lynn has said, "Freedom is winning because we in the West matched their Iron Curtain with an iron will." We need her to help make the 1990s the Decade of Democracy in Poland and Hungary and East Germany. Wherever people yearn for a future devoid of tyranny and war.

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ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THE BUSH ADMINISTRATION

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INVESTING IN OUR FUTURE

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- Educational Excellence Act sent to Congress.
- National Drug Control Strategy proposed; Address to Nation.
- Clean Air Act revisions sent to Congress.
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