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PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: BUSH-QUAYLE RALLY
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FRIDAY, MARCH 6, 1992
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This country was built on faith, family and freedom -- and we must renew those sources of our strength. \\

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aren't cold hearted -- they're a caring people: They'll support welfare for families in need. But Americans want to see government at every level work together to track down the dead-beat Dads -- the ones who can't be bothered to pay child-support.

\\ They want to see us break the cycle of dependency that destroys dignity -- passes down poverty from one generation to the next. That's wrong. That's cruel. And we're going to change it. \\

And we will continue to fight for the parents' right to choose the children's schools -- and that must include private and religious-based schools. // School choice is at the heart of America 2000, our strategy to literally revolutionize American education. My wife Barbara recently joined Gov. Fordice, and your lovely First Lady, Pat Fordice, in the town of Winona [WYENONA] to kick off Mississippi 2000 -- your own state's commitment to reform. \

By the way, I've never agreed with the notion of expelling God from the classroom. Today, March 6, is World Day of Prayer. And I think it's quite a commentary on things that World Day of Prayer is observed a lot more fervently in Mississippi than it is in Washington, D.C. \ ~~And thanks to government policies, right~~ *There's something wrong here*
~~now,~~ a kid can get a condom in school but cannot lead the class in a voluntary prayer. Well, that's wrong -- and we need to change it. // ~~I have long believed -- and continue to believe -- that government has no business denying our children the right to pray in school,~~ \\\

Parents -- not some bureaucrat in Washington, D.C. -- know what is best for their children. \\ That's why I worked to win a child-care bill that provides parents the right to choose who provides the care. We know America is first as long as we put the family first. \\

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But instead of passing my plan, the big spenders that control the Congress had other ideas. They pushed through one of their own. Here's what's in it for you: a tiny temporary tax cut -- 25 cents -- a quarter-a-day for each man, woman and child in America. And here's the catch: you can keep that quarter -- in exchange for 100 billion dollars in new taxes. \\ The

Democrats call that "new revenue." I call it: your money. \\

If you feel the way I do, you'll tell the Congress: Keep the change -- and keep your hands off the taxpayers' wallets. \\

Count on it: the liberals are going to tax the Middle Class for the same reason Willie Sutton robbed banks -- because that's where the money is. \\

Well, let me put your minds at ease. In Mississippi, you don't take storm warnings lightly. Hurricanes and tornadoes are nothing to trifle with. Well, Congress better not mistake my veto warning. \\
The storm flags are flying. \\
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We'll fight as we must -- and we'll win. And we'll keep to our course of leadership in the world economy -- that's absolutely a must if we're to succeed economically at home. Trade with our neighbors -- trade with the world -- is important here in Mississippi. A couple of months ago, I visited Peavey Electronics in Meridian. They told me forty percent of their sales are exports. Across the state, 45,000 jobs now depend on exports. Mississippi earns some xxx billion dollars from exports each year. And remember, every billion dollars more in manufactured exports means 20,000 new jobs -- and each extra billion dollars in agricultural exports means thousands more jobs

on Mississippi farms and in Mississippi agribusiness. \\
~~In our new world, that's the new economic reality: If we want to succeed economically at home -- we've got to lead economically abroad.~~

But my opponents aren't ~~about to let fact intrude on~~ ~~fantasy~~. They're peddling protectionism -- a retreat from economic reality. Cut through all the patriotic posturing -- all the tough talk about "fighting back" by shutting out foreign goods. Look closely. That's not the American flag they're waving -- it's the white flag of surrender. \\
Well, that's not the America you and I know. \\
America doesn't cut and run -- we compete. Never in this nation's long history have we turned our backs on a challenge -- and we won't start now. \\
I put my faith in the American worker: level the playing field, and the American worker will out-think, out-produce and out-perform anyone, anywhere, anytime. \\
And you know what Dizzy Dean said: "It ain't bragging if you can back it up." \\\\
We're strong because we value faith, family, and freedom. We're the world's greatest power because whenever our values are threatened, we fight to defend them. We need to keep our defenses strong. In my State of the Union Message, I proposed ~~sweeping military~~ cuts to bring our armed forces into line with the new realities of the world. But the liberals, true to form, want to ~~cut our defenses to the bone~~. We can't let that happen. \\
You can help assure that we carry out prudent defense cuts --

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We will keep America Strong!!

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WHITE HOUSE STAFFING MEMORANDUM



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REMARKS: MCGROARTY

Please forward your comments directly to Dan McGroarty, Rm. 122, x2930, no later than 2:00 p.m., TODAY, TUESDAY, MARCH 3, with a copy to this office. Thank you.

RESPONSE: March 3, 1992

TO: DAN MCGROARTY

The NSC staff concurs with the draft presidential remarks.

for Phillip D. Brady
Brent Scowcroft

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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March 4, 1992

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

THROUGH: DAVID DEMAREST
FROM: JOSEPH P. DUGGAN
SUBJECT: JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI RALLY

I. SUMMARY

On Friday, March 6, at 4:30 p.m. in front of the Mississippi Statehouse in Jackson, you will address 4,000 state workers, students, and members of the community. This is a Bush-Quayle campaign rally.

II. DISCUSSION

The address (12 minutes, on teleprompter) is patterned after your stump speech. It touches on family, welfare and education reform, your economic plan, and defense.

(Duggan/Simon)
March 4, 1992
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Jackson

PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: BUSH-QUAYLE RALLY
STATE CAPITOL GROUNDS
JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI
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4:30 p.m.

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This country was built on faith, family and freedom -- and we must renew those sources of our strength. \ \

We must allow common sense to prevail in our welfare system -- restore the connection between welfare and work. Americans

aren't cold hearted -- ^{we're} ~~they're~~ a caring people: ^{will} They'll support welfare for families in need. But Americans want to see government at every level work together to track down the dead-beat Dads -- the ones who can't be bothered to pay child-support.

\\ They want to see us break the cycle of dependency that destroys dignity -- passes down poverty from one generation to the next. That's wrong. That's cruel. And we're going to ^{work by the way} change it. \\ ^{innovate - work for etc.}

And we will continue to fight for the parents' right to choose their children's schools. School choice is at the heart of America 2000, our strategy to literally revolutionize American education. My wife Barbara recently joined Gov. Fordice, and your lovely First Lady, Pat Fordice, in the town of Winona [WYENONA] to kick off Mississippi 2000 -- your own state's commitment to reform. \

By the way, I've never agreed with the notion of expelling God from the classroom. Today, March 6, is World Day of Prayer. And I think it's quite a commentary on things that World Day of Prayer is observed a lot more fervently in Mississippi than it is in Washington, D.C. \ There's something wrong when a kid can get a condom in school but cannot lead the class in a voluntary prayer. Well, that's wrong -- and we need to change it. \\

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the family first. \\
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For three years I've had to fight the liberal leadership of Congress. And I will continue to stand for principle no matter how daunting the odds. We've fought, and we've put judges on the bench who know their role is to interpret the law -- not to legislate. ^{from the bench} I'll use the veto when I have to -- to stand for principle -- to stand up for family values. \\
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 The Democrats call that "new revenue." I call it: your money. \\
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If you feel the way I do, you'll tell the Congress: Keep the change -- and keep your hands off the taxpayers' wallets. \\
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Count on it: the liberals are going to tax the Middle Class

for the same reason Willie Sutton robbed banks -- because that's where the money is. \\
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But my opponents are peddling protectionism -- a retreat from economic reality. Cut through all the patriotic posturing -- all the tough talk about "fighting back" by shutting out foreign goods. Look closely. That's not the American flag

they're waving -- it's the white flag of surrender. \ \ Well, that's not the America you and I know. \ \

America doesn't cut and run -- we compete. Never in this nation's long history have we turned our backs on a challenge -- and we won't start now. \ \

I put my faith in the American worker: level the playing field, and the American worker will out-think, out-produce and out-perform anyone, anywhere, anytime. \ \ And you know what Dizzy Dean said: "It ain't bragging if you can back it up." \ \ \ \

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I guarantee you I will not let us be defeated
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

92 FEB 1 P3:46 March 3, 1992

MEMORANDUM FOR DAN MCGROARTY

FROM: ROGER B. PORTER *RBP*
SUBJECT: Presidential Remarks: Bush-Quayle Rally --
Jackson, Mississippi

We have reviewed the attached remarks and have noted several suggested changes on the draft.

Please let us know if you have any questions or if we may help in any other way.

cc: Phillip D. Brady

WHITE HOUSE STAFFING MEMORANDUM



DATE: 3/3/92 ACTION/CONCURRENCE/COMMENT DUE BY: TODAY, 3/3/92 2:00pm.

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SUBJECT: JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI - 3/6/92

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MCGROARTY

Please forward your comments directly to Dan McGroarty, Rm. 122, x2930, no later than 2:00 p.m., TODAY, TUESDAY, MARCH 3, with a copy to this office. Thank you.

RESPONSE:

PHILLIP D. BRADY
 Assistant to the President
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 Ext. 2702

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DATE: 3/3/92 ACTION/CONCURRENCE/COMMENT DUE BY: TODAY, 3/3/92 2:00pm

PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: BUSH-QUAYLE RALLY
JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI - 3/6/92

SUBJECT: _____

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REMARKS:

Please forward your comments directly to Dan McGroarty, Rm. 122, x2930, no later than 2:00 p.m., TODAY, TUESDAY, MARCH 3, with a copy to this office. Thank you.

RESPONSE:

Please see comments. Thank you

PHILLIP D. BRADY
Assistant to the President
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MEMORANDUM FOR DAN MCGROARTY
OFFICE OF SPEECHWRITING

FROM: *GSW* GREGORY S. WALDEN
ASSOCIATE COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT

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SUBJECT: Comments on Jackson, Mississippi speech

The Counsel's Office has only one comment to make on the draft. The last sentence in the paragraph on page two relating to school prayer should be removed and replaced with the following:

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Attachment

FOR MISSISSIPPI RALLY

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From: Dan McGroarty

Regarding: *B-Q Jackson*

**Please return your comments to Room
122 by:**

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We're strong because we value faith, family, and freedom. We're the world's greatest power because whenever our values are threatened, we fight to defend them. This is a community where one of our proudest traditions still thrives. In Mississippi, when national security is at issue, party politics still stops at the water's edge. When it comes to defending America, there's

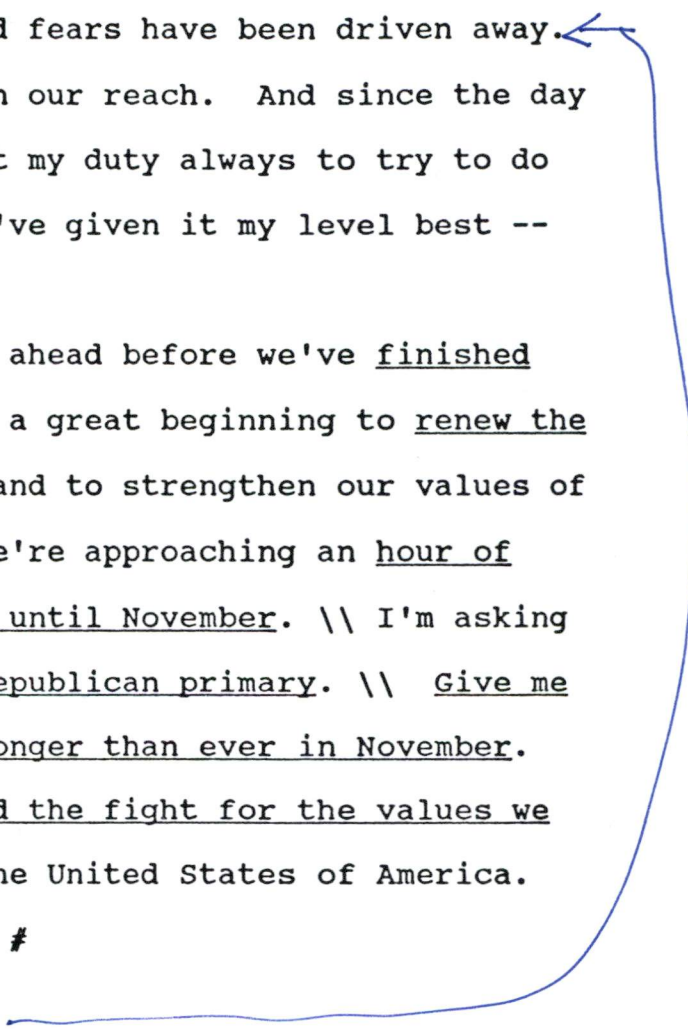
never been a partisan rift between John Stennis and Trent Lott, or between Thad Cochran and Sonny Montgomery. Each one of these good men shares your patriotic common sense. \\
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I need your help on this issue. In my State of the Union Message, I proposed sweeping military cuts to bring our armed forces into line with the new realities of the world. But the liberals, true to form, want to cut our defenses to the bone. We can't let that happen. \ You can help assure that we carry out prudent defense cuts -- but not a penny more. \\
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Let me just close with a few words from the heart. Barbara and I are blessed -- blessed to serve this great nation of ours at a moment when so many of the old fears have been driven away. When so many new hopes stand within our reach. And since the day I took the oath of office I made it my duty always to try to do what is right for this country. I've given it my level best -- and I'm not done yet. \\
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You and I have much more work ahead before we've finished our mission. Together, we've made a great beginning to renew the miracle of American enterprise -- and to strengthen our values of family, faith and freedom. Now we're approaching an hour of decision -- next week. Don't wait until November. \\
\\ I'm asking you to vote on Tuesday -- in the Republican primary. \\
\\ Give me your primary vote so I can run stronger than ever in November. Help me win four more years to lead the fight for the values we share. Thank you, and God bless the United States of America.

Speech Needs some humor
Also POTUS wants language that attacks racism - here's an opportunity



WHITE HOUSE STAFFING MEMORANDUM

DATE: 3/5/92 ACTION/CONCURRENCE/COMMENT DUE BY: ---

PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: EDMOND, OKLAHOMA RALLY
FRIDAY, MARCH 6 - 9:15 a.m.

SUBJECT: _____

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REMARKS:

MCGROARTY

The attached has been forwarded to the President.

RESPONSE:

PHILLIP D. BRADY
Assistant to the President
and Staff Secretary
Ext. 2702

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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March 4, 1992

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

THROUGH: DAVE DEMAREST
FROM: DAN MC GROARTY 11/27
SUBJECT: PROPOSED REMARKS FOR THE EDMOND, OKLAHOMA RALLY

I. SUMMARY

On Friday, March 6 at 9:15 a.m. you will deliver remarks to a rally audience of about 2500 students, faculty and Oklahoma GOP leaders at the Thelma Gaylord Forum on the campus of Oklahoma Christian University in Edmond.

II. DISCUSSION

Your remarks, patterned after the Georgia GOP and Savannah Rally "stump speeches" (approximately 12 minutes / teleprompter), focus on the economy, and challenge Congress to act by March 20th. They also highlight a series of reforms aimed at enhancing personal responsibility.

Re local color: the speech includes a quote from Oklahoma's own Will Rogers, page 3. Spring Sing (see page 1 reference) is an Oklahoma Christian talent show, held on the days before and after your visit. Enterprise Square (page 4 reference) is a hands-on, see-the-future exhibit located several hundred feet from the speech site.

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McGroarty/Bunton
March 4, 1992
4:00 p.m.

PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: EDMOND, OKLAHOMA RALLY
MARCH 6, 1992
9:15 A.M.

[Introductory acknowledgements: Sen. Nickles. O.C. President Terry Johnson.] But most of all -- thanks to every one of you who got up at all hours this morning to come to Edmond -- from Elk City to Enid and towns all across Oklahoma -- to show your support. And a special welcome to all the students here from Oklahoma Christian. [[Just one question: is it too late to audition for "Spring Sing?"]]

I don't want to scare any of the seniors in today's audience -- but the words you dread most are music to my ears: four more years. //

We're here today because we agree on the big issues: On the issues that shape the world -- and on the values close to home: I'm talking about jobs, about family -- about peace: for ourselves -- for our kids.

We believe that parents -- not the government -- should make the decisions that matter in life. // Parents -- not government -- should choose their children's schools. // Parents -- not government -- should choose who cares for their children -- because parents know better than some bureaucrat in Washington, D.C. // And yes, we believe there's a place for voluntary prayer in our children's classrooms. //

To those who doubt what makes this nation great, we say: America is first as long as we put the family first. //

If America holds fast to these truths -- we will never lose our bearings. And still, right now, there's no denying it: in too many ways, we're going down the wrong track.

We've got to reform America's health care system. Right now, the quality of American health care is the best in the world -- bar none. The problem is access: too many Americans, many with families, do not have health insurance coverage. And you know how even a short stay in the hospital can rip a hole right through a family's budget.

But socialized medicine isn't the answer. We've got to open up access: help all Americans -- rich and poor -- get health insurance they can count on. / If we wanted long lines and revolving-door health care, we'd put our doctors to work at the Department of Motor Vehicles. // Nationalized health care would be a national disaster. The last thing we want is the government playing doctor. //

We've got to reform our country's legal system. The home of the free has become the land of the lawsuit. // When you're as likely to serve your neighbor a subpoena as a cup of coffee -- something's wrong. We won't turn this mess around until we spend as much time helping one another as we do suing one another. //

And we've got to reform our welfare system -- make a connection between welfare and work. Americans aren't cold hearted -- they're a caring people: They'll support welfare for families in need. But Americans want to see government at every level work together to track down the dead-beat Dads -- the ones

who can't be bothered to pay child-support. // They want to see us break the cycle of dependency that destroys dignity -- passes down poverty from one generation to the next. That's wrong. That's cruel. And we're going to change it. //

But the number one issue today is the economy -- it's jobs. That's what keeps people up late at night -- worrying about how they're going to pay the bills, put food on the table, pay that college tuition and still manage to put away something for their own retirement.

That's why -- in my State of the Union Address -- I laid out my plan to spark economic recovery -- to create jobs. And because I know Congress tends to drag its feet -- I set a deadline to help them along the way: March 20 -- just 14 days from now.

I know, Will Rogers once said it was better to have termites in your house than the legislature in session. But this time, there's no way around it: Congress has got work to do.

The bad news is, the first week in March is National Procrastination Week -- true fact. [[That's not one of those Congressional proclamations. They were going to issue one -- ...they just never got around to it. //]]

But instead of passing my plan, the big spenders that control the Congress had other ideas. They pushed through one of their own. Here's what's in it for you: a tiny temporary tax cut -- 25 cents -- a quarter-a-day for each man, woman and child in America. And here's the catch: you can keep that quarter --

in exchange for 100 billion dollars in new taxes. // The Democrats call that "new revenue." I call it: your money. //

If you feel the way I do, you'll tell the Congress: Keep the change -- and keep your hands off the taxpayers' wallets. //

Count on it: the liberals are going to tax the Middle Class for the same reason Willie Sutton robbed banks -- because that's where the money is. //

Well, let me put your minds at ease. If the liberals' tax-and-spend plan reaches my desk -- I'll send it right back. They can count on a veto. //

That's the difference between my plan and theirs: They want to raise your taxes -- I want to put America back to work. //

But there's one critical part of our economic future I want to talk to you about today. You can see it right here at Enterprise Square -- Edmond's intellectual amusement park.

I've heard they even have one exhibit where you can see what it's like to work in a given occupation: all the way from pilot to police officer -- even President. I'd like to take one of those machines with me back to Washington -- program it to show the liberal crowd what it's like to live in something called The American Family. Sit the tax-and-spenders down, show them what it's like to pay the bills and live on a budget -- to scrimp to make ends meet. //

Fact is, each day, more and more American jobs are tied to trade. Even here in land-locked Oklahoma: a state surrounded on all sides -- by America. In the past four years, Oklahoma's

exports have jumped by 75 percent. Today, 72,000 Oklahoma jobs are tied to trade.

In our new world, that's the new economic reality: If we want to succeed economically at home -- we've got to lead economically abroad.

But my opponents aren't about to let fact intrude on fantasy. They're peddling protectionism -- a retreat from economic reality. Cut through all the patriotic posturing -- all the tough talk about "fighting back" by shutting out foreign goods. Look closely. That's not the American flag they're waving -- it's the white flag of surrender. // Well, that's not the America you and I know. //

America doesn't cut and run -- we compete. Never in this nation's long history have we turned our backs on a challenge -- and we won't start now. //

I put my faith in the American worker: level the playing field, and the American worker will out-think, out-produce and out-perform anyone, anywhere, anytime. //

I say: let the world know -- whatever the challenge, America is in it to win.

Think back a year ago -- to the calm after Desert Storm. Ask any one of the proud sons and daughters of Oklahoma -- ask the kids right here on this campus who became the liberators of Kuwait: they'll tell you military strength doesn't mean a thing without moral support right here at home.

Yes, we all know: There were those who didn't support us

then -- there are those who second guess us now. But not here -
- not in Oklahoma. When I drew that line in the sand -- you
stood with me. Never would this country tuck tail // and let
aggression stand. // America did what was right and good and
just -- and America prevailed. //

We're bringing that same spirit to the fight we face today.
Let my opponents sound the retreat -- run from the new realities,
seek refuge in a world of protectionism, high taxes and big
government. Let the talking heads drone on about what's wrong in
America: We know what's right. From next Tuesday through the
first Tuesday in November, I'm going to take my message all
across the country. So if you want to send a message to
Washington, send this President back for four more years. //

Let me close today with a few words from the heart. //

Barbara and I are blessed -- blessed to serve at a moment in
history when so many of the old fears have been driven away.
When so many new hopes stand within our reach. //

Since the day I took the oath of office, I've made it my
duty to work for what's right for America. I've done my level
best -- and I'm not done yet. / I say to people here in Edmond
and all across Oklahoma: together we've made a great beginning.
Give me four more years to finish the job. //

Thank you all for this warm Oklahoma welcome -- and may God
bless the United States of America.

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