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January 16, 1956

Dear Mr. Leddy:

This is just a note to tell you how very much I appreciated your thoughtfulness in remembering me as you did on my birthday.

I suppose, of course, on reaching the age of forty-three I should begin to play down those dates when birthdays come around. But I must say that nothing could have been more heartwarming than to read the messages I received from you and other friends throughout the country.

With every good wish for the New Year,

Sincerely,

Richard Nixon

Mr. Raymond G. Leddy
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National War College

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January 9th 1956

Dear Mr. Vice President,

This is to wish you a very happy
Birthday.

Your devotion to our national
welfare and courageous insight into inter-
national problems is a source of encourage-
ment and inspiration to others in the Govern-
ment service.

Your splendid representation of
the United States, in your visit to Central
America and the Caribbean last year (at a
time when my duties in the Department of
State enabled me to see the results at first-
hand) was one of many signal accomplishments
since your last birthday.

It is our earnest hope that you
will enjoy continued success and achievement
in the coming year.

Sincerely yours,

Raymond G. Leddy
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Honorable Richard M. Nixon
Vice President of the United States
Washington, D. C.