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9/29/92

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September 28, 1992

The Honorable James A. Baker, III  
Chief of Staff and  
Senior Counselor to the President  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Jim:

You indicated in Houston you might be interested in doing an interview "down the road."

We would be pleased to have you as our guest on *Meet the Press* this Sunday or any Sunday between now and the election.

I am enclosing a letter I have sent to the President for your consideration as well.

Many thanks.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tim".

Timothy J. Russert

Enclosure



September 28, 1992

The President  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

With five weeks to go until the campaign, I would like to invite you once again to be our guest on *Meet the Press*.

You would be our sole interview for the entire hour.

The panelists would be Tom Brokaw and John Chancellor.

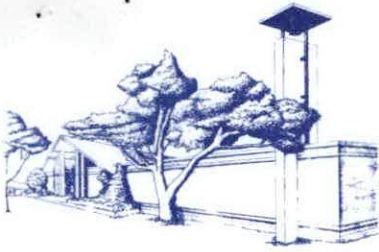
We are not interested in playing "gotcha," but rather engage in a substantive and civil discussion of the issues confronting our nation and your plans to deal with them.

I do thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tim Russert".

Timothy J. Russert



# Cullen Missionary Baptist Church

13233 Cullen  
Pastor Robert C. Jefferson  
734-0276

Houston, Texas 77047

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9/4 phone requested  
w Sandra

August 28, 1992

Secretary of State James Baker, III  
INVITATION ENCLOSED  
White House  
Washington, DC 20500

Greetings in the Name of the Lord!

I am Robert Jefferson, pastor of Cullen Missionary Baptist Church and a servant of God. I also serve in other various capacities in my community such as FOUNDRING MEMBER AND MODERATOR of the Houston Gulf Coast Baptist Association, INC., FOUNDER and CHAIRMAN of the Coalition of Ministers Against Crime, TREASURER for the Central Missionary Baptist General State Convention of Texas, ASSISTANT TREASURER for the National Baptist Convention of Christian Workers, and a FOUNDRING BOARD MEMBER of Love Our Kids, Inc. and have recently been awarded the 1992 BARBARA JORDAN LEADERSHIP AWARD. For personal references, you may also call the Houston Chief of Police Sam Nuchia or Senator Rodney Ellis, who are good friends of mine.

My church is in need of financial help. On Saturday, October 3, 1992, at 7:00 p.m., we will host a Benefit Banquet to help save our church and acknowledge our fifteen years of service in the community. This gala affair will be held at the Doubletree Hotel (Allen Center), located at 400 Dallas Street, Houston, Texas. I am personally asking you to be our keynote speaker.

I realize that you have a great deal of responsibility and that you are extremely busy but I feel that you would be doing a great service to our community and yourself if you would accept. We anticipate a large turnout of community leaders, ministers, and civic leaders of our city. I do hope that you can be a part of this program. If by chance you are not able to attend, perhaps you could send a representative in your stead to be our keynote speaker.

God is good and his mercy endureth forever  
Blessed be the name of the Lord.

BAKER  
8/28/92  
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May God continue to guide you as you pursue new heights and may He bless your life in every way. Should you have any questions or wish to discuss the contents of this letter in depth, I would be more than happy to talk with you. Please do not hesitate to contact me if ever I can be of service to you. On behalf of every one at Cullen Missionary Baptist Church, permit me to THANK YOU in advance for anything that you can do to help us with this need.

Sure of His blessings,

*Rev. Robert Jefferson*

Robert Jefferson  
Pastor

RJ/bjb

Cullen Missionary Baptist Church

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Houston, Texas 77047



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Washington, DC 20500





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Cindy Chetti in Cong.  
Roukema's office

B.Montagne

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

MARGE ROUKEMA  
FIFTH DISTRICT  
NEW JERSEY

September 1, 1992

The Honorable James A. Baker  
Chief of Staff  
Office of the Chief of Staff  
White House  
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW  
Washington, DC 20500

Attention: Bridget Montagne

Dear Jim:

I am writing to ask you to be my guest of honor at a fundraising event for my re-election campaign in New Jersey. I anticipate inviting major supporters in the New Jersey and New York areas.

The date that we have picked for the event is Sunday, October 18; however, if you think that your schedule will permit you to accept my invitation, we can certainly be flexible regarding the date.

We envision a brunch or a dinner with between 150 and 200 people. There would be a brief time preceding either the brunch or dinner to allow my guests to greet you personally. During the brunch/dinner, I know that everyone would be most interested in hearing about your activities and your thoughts on the important issues facing our country.

This is a most important event in my campaign, and I know your presence would make it a tremendous success. I greatly appreciate your consideration of my request. Of course, we would be happy to make arrangements for your travel, and the cost would be covered by my campaign. Your prompt reply to this request would be most helpful given the time restraints involved. Naturally, I would be happy to discuss this further with you personally at any time.

Best personal regards, and I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Most sincerely,

*Marge*  
Marge Roukema  
Member of Congress

MR:Cvc





JAB:

FYI:

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to Cindy Chetti in  
Cong. Roukema's office

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The Honorable James A. Baker  
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White House  
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW  
Washington, DC 20500

Attn: Bridget Montagne

Scheduling  
Oct 23 '92  
to Feb '93

8131 - phone regretted  
w/ Michael Romain  
- would like to check  
back after election  
MCR

James Baker,  
The White House,  
Washington DC.  
20500 USA.

Andrew Wigmore  
Michael Romain  
10 Denning Road  
London NW3 1SU  
Tel: 071 431 0197.

19th August 1992

Dear James Baker,

As you may have read in the press, we are currently working on a book entitled 'Selling To Win' (synopsis enclosed).

Bringing together the world's most powerful campaigners and media manipulators in one book, to express their views on the political sell, should be a publishing "first". Naturally, with your own track record, we would be delighted if you would grant us an interview. Your campaign experience, and views on the political sales process, would lend the book added distinction.

We will be in the United States (moving between New York, Washington & Los Angeles) from 23rd October 92 until February 93. We hope that you can spare the time at some point in that period to talk to us at any location that is convenient for you.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Every good wish,  
Yours sincerely



Michael Romain



Andrew Wigmore

P.S We are writing to you on the personal suggestion of Harvey Thomas, Margaret Thatcher's Presentation Director.

Selling To Win: The Art Of Technopolitics.

Andrew Wigmore and Michael Romain.

"The great salesmen understand one thing above all, you sell yourself, not the product. Shoes, suits, data-management services, it doesn't matter. You make a sales call. You get in the door. You lend the customer your dreams, the myths of your own life, your belief in your wares."

NEWSWEEK, 15th June 1992.

How has Technopolitics developed from Kennedy v Nixon to Ross Perot?

Is politics a matter of style rather than content?

Is Westminster geared towards sound-bites rather than sound policies?

Does the future lie with slogan politics?

How have electoral tricks taken such firm root in our political soil?

Who pushes the buttons and pulls the strings?

Has the media abdicated its democratic responsibilities?

Has politics become an entertainment medium?

These are just some of the questions addressed in SELLING TO WIN, an in-depth and incisive exploration of the world of political campaigning. Assembled for the first time in one forum, the world's political sales force reveals in it's own words - its strategies, techniques and experiences. From back room to front bench, the authors talk both to the people who orchestrate the politics and to the politicians themselves.

Through their joint backgrounds the authors are uniquely placed to bring these people together. After spending five years in the advertising and communications field, Andrew Wigmore has worked for the last year in the Presentation Department at Conservative Central Office. Closely involved in the build-up to the 1992 General Election and the campaign itself, he has direct access to the politicians and technicians who produced a fourth consecutive win for the Conservative Party.

Michael Romain has recently had his first book, A PROFILE OF JONATHAN MILLER, published by Cambridge University Press - becoming their youngest author in the process. As part of a constituency campaign team (Hampstead and Highgate), he experienced at first hand the sharp end of an election - trying to get a member of parliament elected against the odds.

On a personal level, through their relationships with ministers (involving specially commissioned research work), Andrew Wigmore and Michael Romain have access to previously unrecorded thoughts and experiences. They have persuaded friends, colleagues and contacts - including Baroness Thatcher, Ronald Reagan, Ross Perot, Jimmy Carter, Jeffrey Archer, Bryan Gould and Norman Tebbit - to contribute interviews to the book.

Harvey Thomas will distill thirteen years experience as Director of Presentation to Margaret Thatcher in an introduction to the art of political presentation. Mark Fullbrook - a key member of the Central Office campaign team for Margaret Thatcher and John Major - will examine the British General Election process, and the authors themselves will provide a behind-the-scenes analysis of the 1992 American Presidential campaign.

To complement the analytical nature of the early chapters, the subsequent dialogue structure of part 4 will provide an outlet for the individuals concerned to voice their own disparate opinions. Interviews with people of all political persuasions will be arranged in clearly delineated sections - for example, Charles Moore and Bob Woodward commenting on the role of the press, Sir Tim Bell and Maurice Saatchi on advertising and public relations, Neil Kinnock and Michael Dukakis on the political front-line, etc.

In their conclusion, the authors will examine the future of the political sell. With its cast-list of world figures, coming together for the first time to give an insight into their work, SELLING TO WIN has obvious international sales potential. Appealing to a variety of markets (political, advertising, media, business) and on a number of levels (to the informed general reader and a specialist audience), the book will contain controversial insights and revelations, and will generate a public reappraisal of the art of selling the dream.

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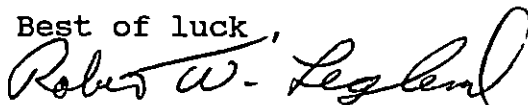
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185 CANYON DR.  
OROVILLE, CA. 95966

JAMES BAKER III  
1600 PENNSYLVANIA AVE.  
WASHINGTON D.C. 20500

Sir,

Along with this letter is a video I came across a short time ago. I was so impressed with its content that I felt compelled to send one to your campaign. The video addresses what our Founding Fathers wanted for this nation and how over the last forty years ( the same approximate amount of time the Democrats have been in control of congress.) we have gravitated away from our heritage and into a counter culture philosophy of Government. This video addresses in a graphic way the issue of why family values and morales in this country have fallen into a state of decay. If president Bush were to air this in a format acceptable to your campaign the moral majority in this country would shift dramatically to his side. I'm a 48 year old father of three who like many americans feel that none of the candidates seem to be addressing the issue's that concern main stream america. As a parent I'm very worried about what kind of future my children face. I can remember when you could go to bed at night and not have to worry about locking the door. Crime used to be the exception rather than the rule. Government and politicians consistently attack the result rather than the cause of the problem. I could go on page after page but I want to keep this short because I know you and your staffers are very busy. Please take the time to view the information on this video, I believe if it is used in your campaign it will assure a victory for the President.

Best of luck,



Robert W. Leglend



**"No! I can't be bothered to see any crazy salesman,  
we've got a battle to fight."**

P.S.

YOU'VE GOT THE RIGHT  
CAMPAIGN ISSUE  
WITH MORALS AND  
VALUES IN THE FAMILY  
BUT I HAVEN'T HEARD  
A LOT TO SUPPORT IT.  
THE INFORMATION IN  
THIS VIDEO IS LOADED  
WITH FACTS AND FIGURES  
AND REASONS WHY WE  
ARE WHERE WE ARE  
TODAY.

JAB: . . .

FYI, this has been  
regretted.

thanks,

bmm  
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*Under the patronage of  
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and  
The Vice President and Mrs. Quayle*



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The General Chairman and Mrs. Hardyman  
The International Industry Chairman and Mrs. Bradford*



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*The Chiefs of Diplomatic Missions accredited to the United States  
and*

*The Ambassadors to the Organization of American States*



*saluting*

*The World Bank*

*commemorating*

*The Forty-seventh Anniversary of the United Nations*



*Saturday evening, the Twenty-fourth of October*

*Nineteen hundred and ninety-two*

*Washington, District of Columbia*

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Bush moving on the outside- Perot on the rail- Clinton chugging.

# William Sokolin Wine Merchant

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To *M. Baker*  
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Date

Thursday October 22 1992

The WALL STREET JOURNAL SAID FRENCH WINE PRICES ARE DOWN.. WOW,, what fantastic news .. For us its 24 months out of date. On our own we have reduced FRENCH wines 24 months ago- and now have every French exporter -importer banging our doors down trying to get into the action.. We saw it coming and were prepared. HERE's why...

	WHOLESALE COST	OUR PRICE
Chateau Margaux 1986-	\$1200. case	995.
The Fantastic 1988 Bordeaux. And I mean INCREDIBLE- To drink next year and for 30 more years. Flat out the best wine buys in the world. Despite hype of 1989 they are very good wines..And unlike the fading 1982s- which should be consumed now- the 1989s will live 15 more years -possibly more. The 1988s are the wine buys of this or any other time..		
WS		

	COST wholesale NY	OUR PRICE	
→ 1988 Bordeaux			
→ Calon Segur	262.40	245.	
DOUBLE MAGNUMS OF MOUTON ROTHSCHILD-	\$350. PER DM.	(Wine of Vintage.)	
Canon*****	390.	340.	CRITIQUE
Cheval Blanc	720.	720.	
Climens	540.	540.	1988 stands apart.
Clos Fourtet*****	280	265.	French men
Cos D Estournel	360.	320.	who know wine-
De Sales	142.60	150.	decide for this
Duhart Milon Rothschild	222.	240.	vintage. I most
			certainly rate the
			vintage above
Grand Puy Lacoste	234.	233.	all vintages
Haut Brion	640.	660.	of the 1980s both
Lafite	800.	770.	for PRICE(P)
Margaux	720.	720.	and QUALITY(Q)
Mouton Rothschild	840	750.	
LEvangile	480.	465.	Your WINE PQ.
La Conseillante	465.	399.	for 1988 is 200 pts.
La Dominique*****	280.	220.	
La Gaffeliere	330.	265.	
La Lagune *****	220	215.	THE WINES ARE
Lafon Rochet	240.	220.	SENSATIONAL.
Latour	720.	720.	
Leoville Lascases	490.	399.	1961 PETRUS 1995 bti
Palmer	520	499.	WS
Pavie*****	340.	299.	
→ Pichon Baron(MUST BUY_WS)	340.	299.	
Pichon Lalande	440	375.	
Sociando Mallet*****	220.	220.	(BEST BET- WS

100 Cases Margaux 1990- 720. each 100 cases 1990 Lafite....750.. each.

# WHAT WOULD THOMAS JEFFERSON DO TODAY?

(AN INTERVIEW WITH OUR THIRD PRESIDENT)

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- WS:** Sir, America is in trouble. What would you do today in 1992?
- TJ:** We experienced the same problems in the Colonies: debt (then the Japanese were the British); drunkenness; drugs; lowering of standards. However, we had an advantage — a low standard of living, a good deal of poverty, not much time on our hands for anything but work, and fewer distractions than you now have.
- WS:** Sir, what would you recommend?
- TJ:** Start with the basics. Begin anew, work harder. Have much heavier penalties for those who impede regrowth. For example, drug dealers should be executed summarily. Encourage wine use as the moderate beverage. I have fought long battles with church and state regarding this beverage. I firmly believe the greatest public service I have rendered as President was not the payment of the national debt, but the lowering of wine tariffs. And I have said this on several occasions.
- George Washington and I chartered THE WINE COMPANY in 1774 to this express purpose. The British infected our lives with cheap demon rum and cider — much like the Japanese have invaded your present-day economic structure. It is imperative that you not worry about this invasion. Rather, focus on the solution — one step to start with, and the second, third and fourth will follow. Be explicit in your determination to start anew.
- WS:** That sounds a little vague, Sir. Please explain and try to do so in present-day language. We have so many problems, from education and old age to petroleum, and they are far more complex than in your simpler days.
- TJ:** That sir, is the history of the world. Problems of the present generation always seem more severe than those of another day. Rather than enumerate our problems or your solutions, I would dwell on the word FOCUS. Solve one major problem at a time. I believe the major focus of 1992 is DRUGS. Solve this and the fabric of society will begin to regenerate. Drugs have weakened the fiber of your society, and your enemies have noted and probably have promoted this effect. In my day, we got rid of the British demon RUM by promoting WINE, the temperate beverage. Use this as a lesson. As Mark Twain said, *History has a way of repeating itself again and again and again . . .*
- WS:** Sir, because of our advanced society, our problems today are much more numerous than drugs or Japanese cars.
- TJ:** Precisely. You are engaged in a war of economic survival. You must start anew. So start with the very young. They must cast aside all thoughts of drug use. Again I say, FOCUS! Gear up your nation as I did mine, for the war against the worst evil — those who seek to destroy your youth, the fabric of your society. You will have it right from there . . .

WS: Sir, I begin to understand. But how would you proceed?

TJ: I would focus on the media, which has not done the job it was educated to do. When I wrote the Declaration of Independence, I noted FREEDOM of the PRESS. Well, sir, that means also the RESPONSIBILITY of the PRESS. With all freedom there is responsibility — immense responsibility. The press has mismanaged and scattered the focus of your present situation. I would make it mandatory for the all members of the press (and especially the television press) to join the war on drugs.

After all, you have been attacked and the enemy has struck your children. Do you realize the enormity of such an attack? Well, if you do not, then begin to take notice. You are in a precarious position. Take charge of your destiny and your survival. Forget the pettiness of locality, of lobbying, of everything but the war that has been at your door for the past three decades. I suggest that this is the battle to be fought first and foremost, none other. For if our youth isn't taught, what true hope do any of us have?

WS: Sir, where do we begin? I ask you again.

TJ: Since you are in a state of war, I suggest you act like it. Declare a national emergency against all those who would sell drugs to you and your children. Focus your attention on nothing else. Forget Japanese cars, remember fabric. Immediately execute those who would kill your children. To those who cry Fascism, say that the issue is the survival of the country. This is paramount.

WS: Any other advice sir?

TJ: Yes Sir. Tighten up your laws concerning those who have no regard for society. Bring back the death penalty rather than filling your prisons with indigent, costly criminals. The country cries out for discipline . . . the country screams no mercy for those who dare attack our youth . . . the country is rapidly moving towards self-destruction unless you immediately institute this focus of attention I have recommended. We did no less in our time. Please do no less in yours.

WS: Thank you.

*William Sokolin, Wine Merchant*

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#### HOW OTHER COUNTRIES TREAT DRUNKEN OR DRUGGED DRIVING\*

England — 1 year suspension, \$250 fine, 1 year jail; France — 3 year loss of license, 1 year jail, \$1000 fine; Russia — loss of license for life; Bulgaria — second conviction, execution; El Salvador — execution on first offense; Costa Rica — removal of plates from car; Most European Countries — loss of license, 1 to 3 years hard labor plus fine. *What would happen if we used any of the above?*

\*Excerpted from East Hampton Town Hall bulletin board, Summer 1968

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October 20, 1992

The White House  
Washington D.C.

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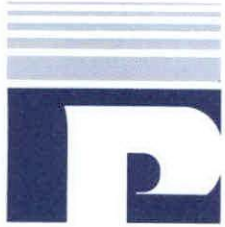
Dear Secretary Baker,

I would like to see four more years of the Bush/Quayle administration. The current economic woes are due to the Democratic Congress. I think the American people need to be reminded of the times that Senators and Congressmen went in front of the cameras and declared the Reagan and Bush budgets **DEAD ON ARRIVAL!** Some old clips of those would make some interesting campaign commercials.

I'd also like to see some ads of President Bush just talking about his vision of America. He used to be at an 80+ approval rating for more than kicking Saddam's butt. He surely can beat the pants off Mr. Perot and his flip charts! When President Bush really gets to explain what he was doing for the last 4 years, in detail, I think the American People will listen. People want more than slogans this time around, and I think our president can deliver.

Thank you for your attention and to the service you have given, not only to our nation, but also to the world.

*Robert Hollis*  
Robert Hollis



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*suggestions*

October 15, 1992

*MPW*

Mr. James Baker, Chief of Staff  
The White House  
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue  
Washington, DC 20500

Dear Mr. Baker:

Please find enclosed an article which will hopefully surprise you in terms of some positive news. I feel there is a lot of evidence president Bush can use (including the enclosed) to refute Clinton's quote "worst economic record since the great depression." I am not a Journalist nor an Economist but I would appreciate your taking a serious look at the information I have gathered. Admittedly the thoughts enclosed are one-sided, but please feel free to use this article in any way you believe it will better inform the public.

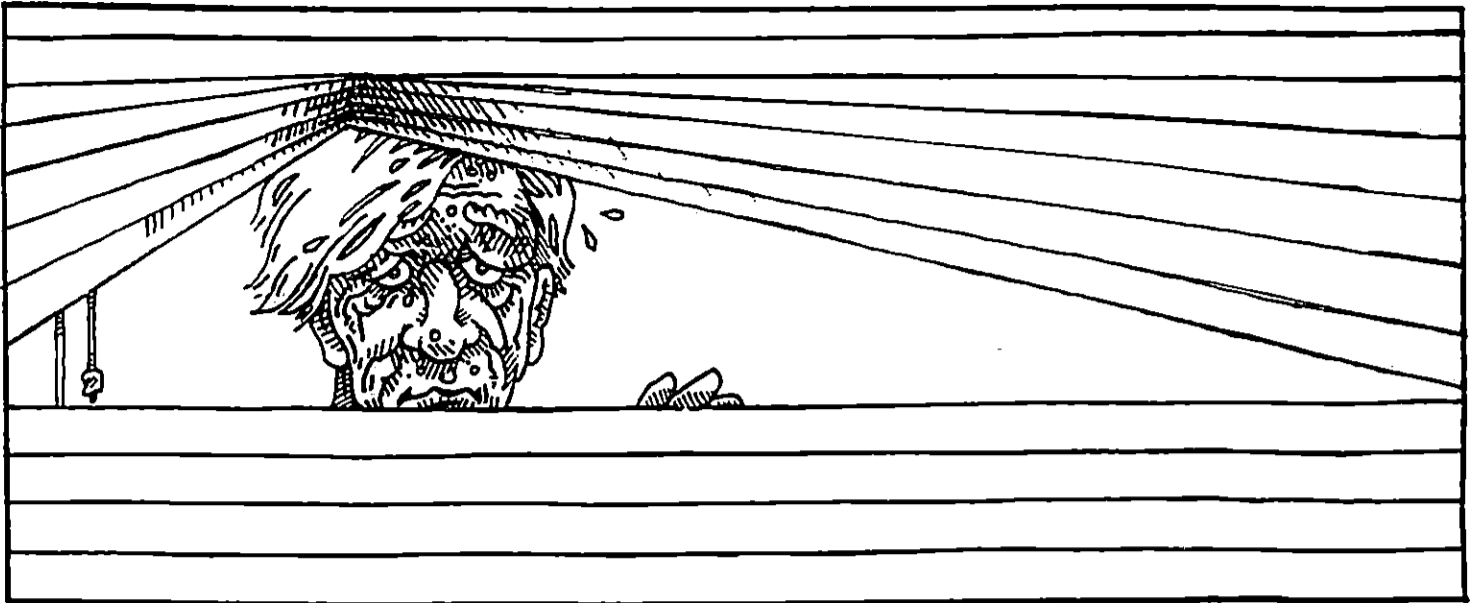
Sincerely,

Steve Horvath

Enclosure

*Celebrating Our 30th Anniversary*

*Commercial Real Estate: Development, Brokerage, Leasing, Management, Acquisitions, and Mortgage Banking*



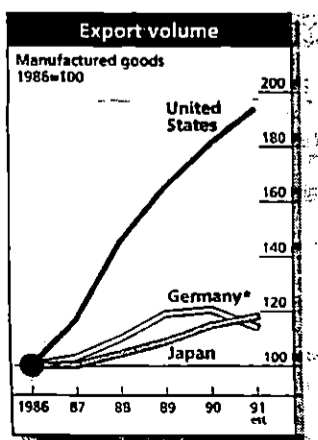
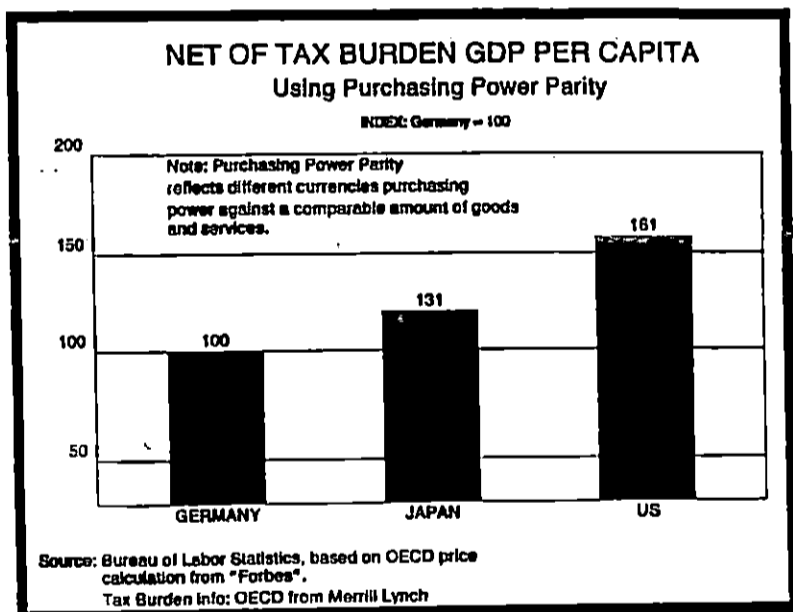
## A REBUTTAL TO THE AMERICAN PESSIMIST

BY: Stephen J. Horvath

In today's political environment of sound bites, generalizations and distortions most pessimists are having a field day. Meet "Joe Declinist", who likes to use market corrections and short term cyclical downturns as evidence to portray an America in catastrophic long term decline. The shortness of the sound bites allow Mr. Declinist to get away with phrases like "industrial chaos" and "productivity crisis", leaving the average voter with an incomplete image rather than a true comprehension of America's strengths and weaknesses. When it gets to the point that many voters actually believe Japan's economy (\$3.4 trill. GDP) is larger than America's (\$5.7 trill. GDP), it's obvious someone needs to set Joe straight.

**Joe Declinist:** America's in a productivity tail spin. The people have a right to panic because they are seeing their standard of living evaporate.

**Response:** The truth is, the average American is wealthier, more productive and has more purchasing power than citizens of any country in the world. Our gross domestic product per capita measured in purchasing power is 31% higher than Germany and 20% higher than Japan. On top of this, the American tax burden is lower, so our after-tax standard of living is significantly higher than all other industrialized nations. (See chart.)



Source: From the "Economist"

**Joe:** Perhaps that's correct now, but such a wealth comparison will be reversed in 10 years because we've been falling behind in manufacturing and losing the trade war since the beginning of the Reagan/Bush era.

**Response:** For starters it's not a war, it's the best means for all countries to grow. Secondly, we're not losing by any stretch. We nearly doubled exports in the last 5 years, during which time Japan and Germany barely increased 20%. America's annual increases in real industrial output averaged 2.8% during the period of 1980-1988 versus a 1.7% average for the period 1965 - 1980. That's a 64% increase. Using the same time frames, agricultural growth in output was 480% faster for 1980 - 1988 than 1965 - 1980. Today, America leads the world in



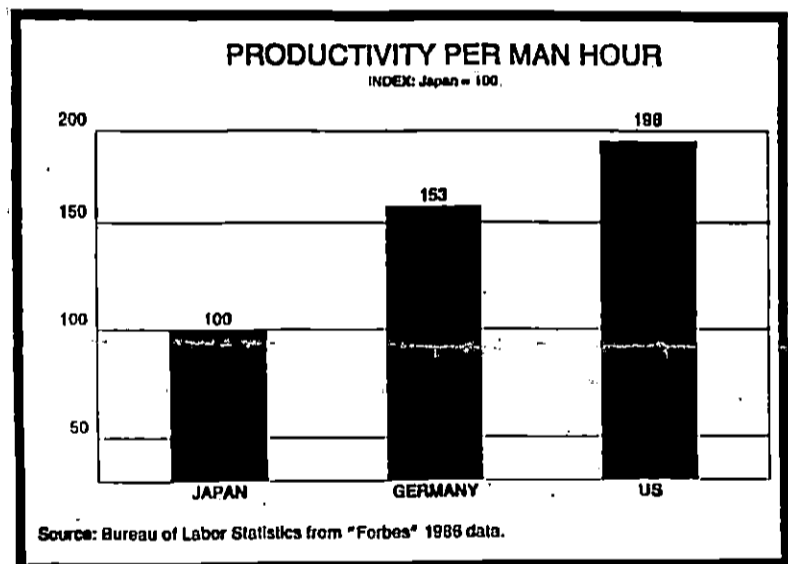
overall productivity, and believe it or not, we are twice as productive as Japan per man hour worked. The much feared trade deficit is down to just over 1% of GNP.

**Joe:** I can tell you're really caught up in all these facts - but what about recession and unemployment? I heard Bill Clinton say this is the worst recession since the Great Depression.

**Response:** In fact, Joe, we have been technically out of recession since the spring of '91, if you measure recessions as economists always have. Could Governor Clinton's "worst recession since the Great Depression" be the one that lasted less than 9 months (third quarter '90, fourth quarter '90, first quarter '91, negative GDP) - 9 months in which a war loomed, began and ended. This so called depression-like recession had a total loss in output of only 1.6% versus a 4.1% loss in the '73-'75 downturn and a 2.8% loss in the '81-'82 recession. In addition, unemployment during the previous downturns rose to 9% ('73-'75) and 11% ('81-'82) compared to the 7.6% rate today we often hear referred to as catastrophic. What many don't realize is that the amount of US unemployment which is long-term, hence more troublesome, is far less than it used to be and far less than other industrialized countries. Chronic or long-term unemployment in 1991 was only about 1/2% in America while it was 3% in Germany, 3.5% in Britain and 3.8% in France. Long term unemployment here at home is less than half of what it was 1983.

**Joe:** Enough of the facts and numbers already. All this is well and good for the average American, but let's talk about those less fortunate. In the last 12 years supply-side economics turned out to be nothing but a gimmick which padded the wallets of the rich and left everyone else behind; don't you listen to Mario Cuomo?

**Response:** To begin with, the premise of supply-side in '81 was that we could lower federal tax rates and over time have more productivity which would actually increase federal tax revenue. After the '81 tax cut this did happen but Mr. Cuomo just won't admit it. According to the Kiplinger Report, real manufacturing productivity increased at a rapid pace of 4% from '83-'88. Today, America leads the world in manufacturing competitiveness. Moreover, federal tax revenues increased from \$517 billion in '80 to \$1.054 trillion in '90 which was accomplished while inflation was greatly reduced.



What really padded the wallets of the rich were the pre-1986 tax loopholes whereby high income earners used real estate shelters and other methods to pay no federal taxes. Believe it or not, Ronald Reagan, with the help of Congress used the '86 Tax Act to abolish the most unfair favoritism to the rich our tax code had ever been guilty of.

**Joe:** But I heard Bill Clinton say "during the 1980's the wealthiest 1% of Americans got 70% of the gains."

**Response:** Yes, but as economist Craig Roberts points out in *Business Week*, the very same bogus data can be used to show that during the Carters years the rich got 100% of the income gains.

Senators Phil Graham and Pete Domenici point out in a recent study that if you begin in 1983 instead of 1980, thereby avoiding the '70's hangover, incomes rose equally for all groups during the Reagan expansion. Also, high income earners have paid a larger share of the tax burden since 1981. Many Americans badly need help - but the debate should be more specific and the relief more focused. *Forbes Magazine* points out that in 1990 "37.2% of families with a female householder, with no husband present, were below the poverty level." That high a percentage should not be tolerated, but at least the statistic provides the specificity we need to provide relief. As *Forbes* clarified in an earlier issue, the U.S. poverty rate is less than 1% for those people who graduated from high school, kept their first job



for more than 1 year and live with a spouse or significant other.

**Joe:** What about the 12 years of indifferent policies toward minorities?

**Response:** David Ridenour with the National Center for Public Policy Research, points out that Black unemployment was reduced from 20.4% in '82 to 11.4% in '89. Also, between '82 & '88 32% of the record 16.7 million new jobs which were created went to Blacks and Hispanics. Finally, from '82 to '87 Black-owned businesses rose 38% compared to the 14% increase in the total number of businesses.

**Joe:** But we have more bankruptcies and bank failures than ever before.

**Response:** We have a much larger economy with many more businesses and banks than ever before.

**Joe:** But the Japanese are buying up all our real estate and industry.

**Response:** All other countries, including Japan, own a total of 1/2 of 1% of all American real estate including manufacturing facilities. So the Japanese overpaid for some high profile American real estate; thank goodness we didn't do the same in their country. If foreign interests build plants here because they can sell, make and deliver products to us and others more efficiently, it lowers our prices and creates jobs. Besides, we still have more direct investment in other countries than they do in ours.

**Joe:** Let me hear you gloss over the Savings and Loan crisis which is setting us back well over \$500 billion.

**Response:** True, it might be \$500 billion if you count the interest and administrative expenses over the next 40 years - but that's like saying a \$100,000 house really costs \$280,000 including mortgage payments and administrative costs for 30 years. The real number if paid off immediately is more like \$200 billion or just over 1% of our GNP sum for the 3 years the country has been in a panic about this.

**Joe:** Sure, take all the facts you want, but anyway you look at it our German and Japanese competitors are gaining on us.

**Response:** In some respects they are - but their strong performance doesn't necessarily mean that we are losing speed. On the contrary, it has and will continue to increase our standard of living. Much of the reason America's purchasing power is so strong is that other countries produce certain goods more efficiently and we are smart enough to keep our trade borders open. The fact that other countries are using capitalism more effectively doesn't take from our slice of the pie as much as it increases our portion of a bigger pie over the long term.

**Joe:** An answer for everything-well, how can you deny the budget deficit.

**Response:** We don't agree that America's on the decline but we do agree that the deficit is a major problem. We lack capital because so much of our private savings is indirectly absorbed by our public debt. Many Americans are led to believe this is an evil which began 12 years ago. Journalist Michael Kinsley says that US public debt nearly tripled during Mr. Reagan's term. But he fails to mention that the debt practically doubled in the previous 5 years.

Joe, we agree on the problem but probably don't agree on the solution. Lowering and simplifying tax rates in the '80's hasn't hurt America like the explosion of entitlements and government spending in general. According to The "Economist," between 1970 and 1990 real spending growth on mandatory entitlement was three times as fast as other expenditure growth. America's spending for the elderly alone nearly tripled between 1980 and 1990. Spending must be cut or frozen in these and other areas but neither presidential candidate can promise to do this because it would be political suicide. All citizens want spending cuts as long as they're not in "their own back yard".

For years everyone seemed to agree that inflation control was our number 1 priority to posture the country for growth for everyone. Now that we seem to have it, it's taken for granted and many want to claim that our recent economic record is geared only to the wealthy. In the short term price stability does more for the low and middle income families because a much bigger portion of their income depends on the lower costs of goods. In the long term, without price control lenders don't lend and investors can't invest, so jobs aren't created and workers aren't promoted. Today's low interest rates do more for the working man than Governor Clinton will admit. As for the middle-class, the cuts in home mortgage payments these days are much bigger than any potential tax cut. The success against inflation is one major reason the market value of U.S. public corporations has quadrupled since 1980.



Think about that, the global marketplace believes all our public companies have four times as much earning potential as they did just 12 years ago. Joe, maybe you and other pessimists are correct and can get rich by shorting the stock market and betting against America, but you might want to first chat with the bankrupt pessimists who have been trying that for 12 years.

**Joe:** Anything else?

**Response:** Yes. What is really taken for granted are the benefits of the current administration's pro-business actions during the last 4 years. Every time the president vetoes a bill and appears not to care about a specific interest, he is doing so to help general productivity and the average citizen's standard of living (see chart 1). Unfortunately, a "free market" platform sounds less caring even if it does create efficiency. It's ironic that many poor nations in Latin America and elsewhere are growing out of poverty using policies of less central government, privatization, free trade and inflation control - the very cornerstone themes of Reagan and Bush, who are always accused unfairly of caring only about the rich. Isn't there enough history to prove that well-intentioned programs can become addictive for the recipients? Isn't there enough positive evidence to refute the "no compassion" label many try to pin on the last 12 years?

If you are choosing your candidates based on the alleged doom of America, ask for more real evidence. Though far from perfect, America is still the preeminent economic and social power in the world.

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PRESIDENT GEORGE BUSH  
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DEAR PRESIDENT BUSH:

I'M A REPUBLICAN WHO SUPPORTS YOUR RE-ELECTION AND I HAVE A SUGGESTION. TAKE A PAGE FROM ROSS PEROT'S BOOK. PURCHASE 15 MINUTES OR A HALF HOUR OF NATIONAL NETWORK TELEVISION TIME TO NOT ONLY SIGN THE TAX BILL ABOUT TO HIT YOUR DESK, BUT EXPLAIN TO THE ELECTORATE WHY YOU ARE DOING IT.

FROM WHAT I HAVE READ THERE IS MUCH MORE POSITIVE IN THAT BILL THAN NEGATIVE. AND WHILE IT IS CERTAINLY NOT WHAT YOU WANTED, BY EXPLAINING TO THE AMERICAN PUBLIC THE BROADER BENEFITS OF THE BILL, YOU CAN NOT ONLY JUSTIFY THE LIMITED TAX HIKES, BUT ALSO TAKE THE WIND OUT OF BILL CLINTON'S SAILS.

IT IS SICKENING TO THOSE OF US WHO SUPPORT YOU TO HEAR BILL CLINTON'S CONSTANT PITCH OF "TAX THE RICH" AND HOW, LIKE THE TYPICAL "SNAKE OIL SALESMAN," HE HAS MISLED THE AMERICAN PUBLIC WITH HIS HYPE AND FLUFF.

THE PUBLIC HAS RESPONDED WELL TO MR. PEROT'S PRESENTATIONS BUT MOST KNOW HE CAN'T BE ELECTED. BY SIGNING THE TAX BILL ON NATIONAL TELEVISION, AND EXPLAINING WHY, YOU HAVE AN EVENT THAT WILL NOT ONLY ATTRACT THE NATION'S ATTENTION BUT WILL SIGNAL THE AMERICAN PUBLIC THAT YOU DO LISTEN AND REMIND THEM THAT YOU ALSO TAKE ACTION.

THIS WOULD BE MUCH MORE POSITIVE FOR YOUR RE-ELECTION THAN VETOING THE BILL AND LETTING THE LIBERAL PRESS HAVE A FIELD DAY REMINDING EVERYONE ABOUT HOW YOU FAILED TO ACT FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE POOR AND MIDDLE CLASS. MANY OF US WOULD KNOW WHY, BUT UNFORTUNATELY THAT STORY WOULD NEVER REACH THE VOTERS.

BY TAKING THIS ACTION I'M CONVINCED YOU CAN QUITE LITERALLY TAKE THE HOT POTATO THE DEMOCRATIC CONGRESS HAS HANDED YOU AND TOSS IT RIGHT BACK IN BILL CLINTON'S LAP.

BEST OF LUCK.

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October 20, 1992

Hon. James Baker  
Chief of Staff  
The White House  
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Dear Mr. Baker:

Since time is urgent, please excuse me for omitting all the formalities and go right to the point. I feel that during the closing days of the campaign, President Bush needs to take off his velvet gloves to shake up the memory of the voters. If he has not done so, he needs to emphasize that:

- To be the President of United States is to be the leader of the world. The job is much different from running Arkansas.
- We cannot isolate this country from the rest of the world. We should not forget what rising oil price did to the economy of this country; what panic was caused by the long line at the gas pump.
- What cold war was costing the nations of the world; what nuclear scare was influencing the daily life of American people.
- What an impressive accomplishment it is to bring all these under control.
- How dying embers from a doused forest fire can rekindle a conflagration. How important it is to finish the job of building a lasting peace.
- How the transition from cold war economy to peacetime economy is bound to generate temporary problems which must be solved. How temporary recession is a minimal price to pay for ending the costly confrontation.
- How, as a leader of the nations, the United States of America must learn to be patient and firm to assure that a new world order can be maintained and world-wide prosperity can be realized through this new order.

Respectfully yours,

*Jeffrey D.S. Liang*  
Jeffrey D.S. Liang

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October 21, 1992

Dear Mr. Baker:

The Democrats have successfully hidden their biggest liability with swing voters. It would be very effective in these last days before the election to more closely link Clinton to the leadership of the Democrat party in the minds of the voters.

A suggested TV ad:

A billboard of a neat and earnest looking Clinton being brushed into place while a narrator is saying that the most impressive thing about the Clinton campaign has been the job the PR people have done creating this image of the caring, bright, eager, All-American centrist candidate out of the damaged goods who won the primaries. (Here the billboard begins to peel from a corner to reveal a montage of pictures including Clinton and Hillary on 60 Minutes explaining Jennifer, Clinton with McGovern, Anti-war protesters, a draft evasion headline, etc.) The narration during the showing of this montage makes the case for the "slick" label. As the montage begins to peel off revealing another montage of the leadership of the Democrat Party (Kennedy, Mitchell, Foley, Biden, Byrd, Cuomo, Jackson) the narrator says: "If Clinton is elected, you may be surprised to discover who you have really put in power."

Wishing you success,

*David C Hartney*  
David C. Hartney

A frustrated American

Mr James Baker  
Bush Inauguration Campaign

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~~Marilyn~~

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October 14, 1972

Honorable James Baker,  
White House Chief of Staff  
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue  
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Mr. Baker,

Just I want to thank, one staff  
member, Marilyn, who despite a crowded switchboard  
promised that you would get my letter when  
it arrived.

NRN  
- Please note  
Date of Letter  
from India  
1955

This clipping caught my eye - Please  
note this was on Page 8 of the Arizona Republic  
I did not hear one of the networks mention  
POLIO GONE.

Instead a better or correct wording  
would have been BUSH'S G.O.P. Delivers again  
NO MORE POLIO.

2) Three times has this request for John Sherman Cooper been turned down. Please note date of request - that indicates Feb 16, 1989, as date of last attempt.

also please note the date of May 13, 1955 - when Ambassador Cooper wrote that shipment of Monkeys for medical research purposes and for Poliomyelitis vaccine production on a special permit basis to certain consignees for a pre determined quantity of monkeys.

all of the voters in this election have someone they know who is a Polio victim.  
But they must be told the story of Polio  
and how the G.O.P. were prime movers  
of this beautiful story - President Bush's  
G.O.P. did the job - Eradication of Polio.

**Bush: We are better off now**

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we no longer hear about Iron Lung;  
Rehabilitation hospitals - The voters too remember  
March of Dimes - People may forget, but the  
G.O.P. plods along and conquers the enemy  
this time Polio

Since the original writings there is a beautiful Documentary - KETV (Kentucky Education Television - 600 Cooper Drive, Lexington, Kentucky Title Sentimentation Kentucky - Cooper's Life -

Here, Mr. Baker I must pause with a personal remark to you. I greatly admired "your fishing trips with Secretary Shevardnadze and I personally thought you'd copied my friend Cooper," and his evening talks with Nehru.

In my letter requesting the Medal for Cooper the Gandhi referred to is deceased and Vice President Dan Quayle attended his funeral in India, representing the United States.

Of course if the Medal is awarded in will have to be awarded Posthumously as Senator Cooper is now deceased. Sen Cooper and Mrs. Cooper are buried at Arlington.

Cooper was confidant of President Kennedy, President Johnson, President Ford and President Bush and the Bush family. Senator Cooper served in Congress with the Presidents father too.

Cooper Too, did go to Russia but he was on a mission for President Kennedy.

Cooper Too, was a Volunteer Officer  
Candidate in world war II, and served  
with distinction in Military Government,  
(please see Schulman's Book) Cooper did not  
"waffle" on decisions. He Cooper was one  
of President Bush's closest of confidants.

Here Mr. Baker, I must degress,  
Polio did leave its problems and there are  
Thousands of its Victims. They call it  
Post Polio Syndrome - I'll put it in  
lay Terms - Muscles which have been used by  
Victims since Polio struck, now find the muscles  
they used are getting worn out.

~~XXXX~~ This is a problem which should be  
addressed. However there are 50 states  
where Polio struck, including President  
Franklin Roosevelt. People have to know  
that Polio per se is wiped out. This is  
one of the greatest Vestiges that the G.O.P.  
that Bush has delivered successfully once  
again - what a G.O.P. story?

This letter is respectfully submitted  
and I hope history can have a missing  
link inserted and the great work done by  
President Bush's confidant, John Sherman Cooper  
go down as one of a smashing Victory that  
President Bush, you Secretary Baker, and  
the Republican Party so justly deserve.

The voters must know - Talk about  
trick down Economics - It will be a  
ground force of people who are or pretend  
they are on the fence - This is the  
greatest Victory since the Persian Gulf  
Victory - Perhaps even greater because  
it made cripples for life out of Polio's  
victims, and the threat is gone!

Sincerely, Bruce McCracken

P.S. Please remember Salk of Salk  
Polio Vaccine was awarded Presidential  
Medal but NOT Senator Cooper

without Senator Cooper's intervention  
I seriously wonder if we could be a  
World Health leader - This is a big  
boost to Pres. Bush & G.O.P.

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Born at Somerset, Kentucky on August 23, 1901, the second of seven children of John Sherman Cooper and Helen Tartar Cooper.

Educated Somerset High School; Centre College, Kentucky for one year; Yale University A.B. 1923; Harvard Law School, 1924, 1925. Admitted to Kentucky and Federal Bars and practiced law in Somerset, Kentucky.

2. Elected to House of Representatives, Kentucky State Legislature in 1927; elected County Judge, Pulaski County, 1929 and 1933, serving eight years. Resumed practice of law until September 1942 when enlisted in U.S. Army; graduated Officers Candidate School as Second Lieutenant in July 1943; assigned to Headquarters, General Patton's Third United States Army March 1944 and participated in its campaigns in France, Luxembourg, Belgium and Germany until close of the war in Europe May 1945. Then, assigned to Munich, Germany, occupation forces and placed in charge of reorganization of the courts in Bavaria and counsel regarding repatriation of displaced foreigners brought to Germany to work. Awarded Bronze Star, discharged as Captain. Returned to United States December 1945 and assumed duties as Circuit Judge, 28th Judicial District, having been elected in November 1945 during his absence while serving in the Army.

Elected to the United States Senate in November 1946 to fill out the remaining two years of Senator A. B. Chancler's term, 1946-1948, but was defeated in the 1948 election. From 1949-February 1952 was a member of the law firm of Gardner, Morrison and Rogers, Washington, D.C. Was elected to U.S. Senate November 1952 to fill unexpired term and served until January 1954. Was defeated in 1954 by former Vice President Alben Barkely and in February 1955 was appointed by President Eisenhower as Ambassador to India and Nepal and served until August 1956 when he entered the race for U.S. Senator from Kentucky. Was elected in November 1956 and then served continuously for 16 years, being reelected in 1960 and 1966.

- (1) At time of retirement served on Environment and Public Works, Rules, Ethics, and Foreign Relations Committees. Had previously served on Labor, Judiciary, Agriculture and Armed Services Committees.
- (2) In Senate, recipient of Award for Distinguished Service to the Congress. In 1960, selected by 50 regular Senate newspaper reporters as ablest Republican in the Senate.

- (3) In 1964, appointed by the late President Johnson as member of the Warren Commission to investigate the assassination of the late President John F. Kennedy.

In both the 1960 and 1966 elections received the largest majorities ever accorded at that time to any State or Federal candidate in Kentucky. Retired on January 2, 1973, having had a total service of 20 years and three months in the U.S. Senate.

3. Served as Advisor to Secretary of State Dean Acheson in 1949 in the formation of NATO, attending meeting of Council of ministers at London, Paris and Brussels. Served as delegate and alternate delegate to the General Assembly of the United Nations in 1949, 1950, 1951, 1968 and 1981. Special Representative of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee as observer at first SALT talks 1971-1972 in Helsinki and Vienna. Served December 1960 as special representative to the Soviet Union on mission for the late President John F. Kennedy, then President-elect; Served as military rapporteur at a number of NATO parliamentary meetings and as a member of U.K.-U.S. parliamentary meetings. Appointed by President Gerald Ford as the first Ambassador of the United States to the German Democratic Republic, serving from September 20, 1974 to October 22, 1976.
4. Recipient of about twelve honorary degrees. Served as Trustee, Centre College of Kentucky; also has served as Trustee, Georgetown College, Kentucky, and University of Kentucky. Member, Yale University Council five years; member of the Board of Advisors, John F. Kennedy Political Institute at Harvard University from its formation in 1966 to resignation 1982, at present Honorary Member; Baker Lecturer on Governmental and International Affairs, George Washington University, Washington, D.C., 1973.
5. Incidental. Somerset High School, President of graduating class 1918; member football and basketball teams; Yale University, member freshman football team, member basketball team, three years, Captain last two years, won championship of Eastern Conference, 1923.
6. Has been associated with the firm of Covington & Burling, Attorneys, 1201 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Post Office Box 7566, Washington, D.C. 20044, in the position Of Counsel, since his retirement from the Senate until present date, except for the period spent in the German Democratic Republic.
7. Baptist. Member of American Legion; Veterans of Foreign Wars; the Academy of Political Science, New York, N.Y.; Washington Institute of Foreign Affairs, Washington, D.C.; Beta Theta Pi Fraternity.

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20th October, 1992

Honorable James Baker

Could President Bush declare  
his Thanksgiving Proclamation!

EARLY Then Presentation of Medal,

Then declaring Victory for all the  
50 States and Possessions - No

MORE POLIO - all State Leaders  
of the PARTY, DOCTORS, LIONS -

(re Eye Cornea etc); Education  
Leaders, State Education (Those who

administer Salk - Salk himself -  
I've heard enough about 20 Fighting Men

Victory of Gulf War, Thanksgiving

Early - Mass, Mass, demonstration

in Washington - Victory parade(?)

Early ???

Bring out story of West  
Point Too -

# Point given break

## Bill spares famed band

By JUDY MATHEWSON  
Ottaway News Service

WASHINGTON — Congress has some new marching orders for West Point — but they're not nearly as drastic as some officials at the U.S. Military Academy had feared.

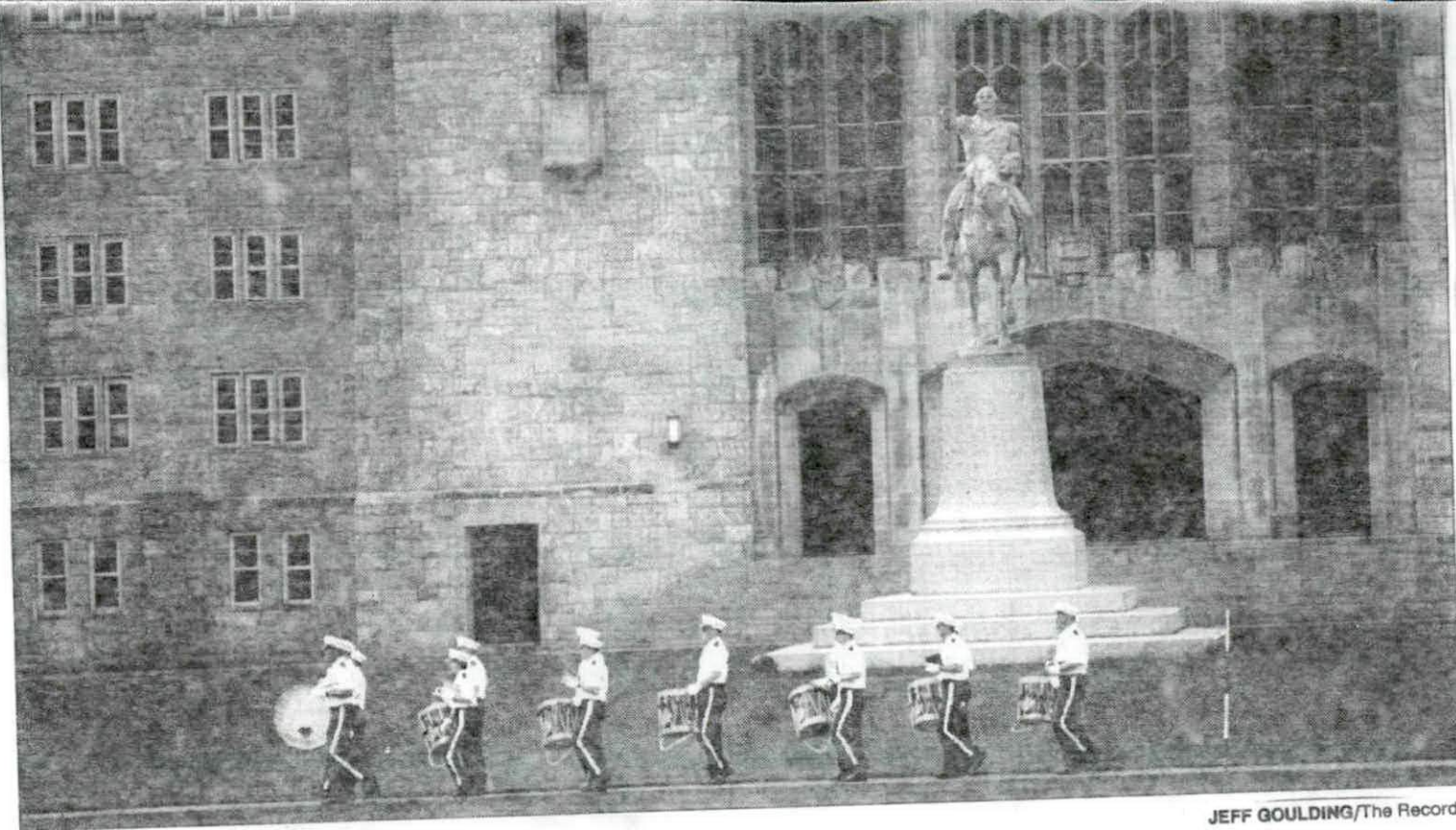
The lawmakers who oversee the nation's defense planning have retreated from some tough, cost-cutting measures they weighed earlier, such as making West Point get rid of its band and radically boosting the number of civilian faculty.

West Point officials say the changes were toned down after some "very serious and constructive dialogue" in recent months between Army brass and Senate military planners about the academy's future.

The new changes are contained in a defense bill agreed upon this week by key House and Senate negotiators. The bill now requires the approval of the full House and Senate and President Bush.

More drastic changes for West Point were proposed earlier this year by Sen. Sam Nunn, D-Ga., a frequent critic of the service academies. As chairman of the powerful Senate Armed Services Committee, Nunn has long questioned the \$700 million that taxpayers pay each year to run the service academies.

Nunn has been extra tough on West Point because he says its costs are unjustifiably higher than at the U.S. Naval Academy at



JEFF GOULDING/The Record

West Point's marching band got a reprieve from Congress.

Annapolis. Congressional auditors estimate that it costs \$153,000 to send a midshipman through the Naval Academy and \$228,000 to send a student through West Point.

But Nunn agreed to tone down the new marching orders after a series of meetings with top Army officials and West Point Superintendent Lt. Gen. Howard Graves. Army officials apparently persuaded Nunn that they already are mapping out careful plans to cut costs at West Point, such as shutting down the Stewart Army subpost.

Lt. Col. Bruce Bell, a West Point spokesman, described the meetings as the beginning of a "very serious and constructive dialogue" with Nunn and other planners on the Senate side about the academy's future. House lawmakers have not been as tough on the service academies in recent years.

Sally McKenzie, chairwoman of West Point's Board of Visitors, agreed. "The language is much kinder," she said. "It takes the edge off what originally was proposed by the Senate Armed Services Committee."

## Some of bill's key provisions

WASHINGTON — A major defense bill has some changes in store for West Point, Orange County's largest employer:

● **More civilian teachers at West Point.**

The bill doesn't spell out how many civilian teachers West Point should take on, so it's a retreat from an earlier push on Capitol Hill to require that half the academy's 500-plus faculty be civilian. Civilians now make up 5 percent of the West Point faculty. Officials say plan to have 20 percent civilian faculty by 2002.

● **A study of the costs of maintaining marching bands at all of the service academies and at military bases in general.**

This is a retreat from an earlier push to get rid of West Point's band, which is now made up of 95 enlisted service people. The band costs \$4.5 million a year to run.

● **Study of top brass.** Asking the Defense Department to consider whether so many generals or admirals are needed to run the

service academies. This polite request is a retreat from an earlier push to cut down on high-ranking brass at the service academies. West Point has one three-star general and two one-star generals.

● **Personnel study** to determine whether it's worthwhile to rid the academies of all military personnel who aren't teaching or involved with the academy mission.

This is a retreat from an earlier push on Capitol Hill to get rid of all non-teachers at the military academies in the next few years. West Point officials say they're already drawing up plans to draw down the academy's military strength.

● **Closer monitoring** of the New Jersey military prep school where some future cadets bone up for the rigors of academy life. The prep schools for the other service academies also will come under scrutiny.

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October 8, 1992

Mr. Bruce McCoach  
13203 Branding Iron Drive  
Sun City, Arizona 85351

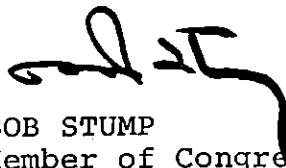
Dear Mr. McCoach:

Thank you for your letter regarding recommending John Sherman Cooper for the Presidential Medal of Freedom.

I have forwarded your correspondence to The White House for the President's consideration. Hope you receive a favorable reply to your efforts to award the Mr. Cooper the Presidential Medal of Freedom.

Best wishes.

Sincerely,



BOB STUMP  
Member of Congress

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 24, 1989

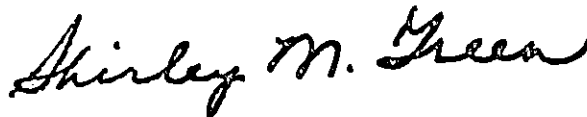
Dear Mr. McCoach:

On behalf of President Bush, thank you for recommending John Sherman Cooper for the Presidential Medal of Freedom. It was good of you to bring this recommendation to the President's attention.

Senator Cooper is in distinguished company as a person whose contributions have earned the gratitude of the American people. Please be assured that your suggestion will be given careful consideration during the process of selection by the President.

With the President's best wishes,

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Shirley M. Green".

Shirley M. Green  
Special Assistant to the President  
for Presidential Messages  
and Correspondence

Mr. Bruce McCoach  
13203 Branding Iron Drive  
Sun City, AZ 85351

February 16, 1989

The President  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear President Bush:

I would like to take this opportunity to nominate one of America's leading Statesman, a former Ambassador to India, a former Ambassador to East Germany and a former U. S. Senator from Kentucky for the Presidential Medal of Freedom. I know of no one more deserving of this honor than this tried and true Patriot, my friend of forty six years, John Sherman Cooper.

I will not dwell on Senator Cooper's accomplishments, but would mention his having been a member of the Warren Commission.

Instead, I will focus on an incident that occurred while John Sherman Cooper was U.S. Ambassador to India, and how it affected people's lives throughout the world. It involves Monkeys, Religion, War, Friendship, Caring, Cessation of a War and Happy Results of an Ambassador's assignment.

In India, the Hindu considers both the cow and monkey sacred animals. The Rhesus monkey is native to India (there are over 200 various species of monkeys). The term "RH" factor in blood comes from the Rhesus monkey where it was first discovered. In the manufacture of Salk Polio Vaccine, kidneys from the Rhesus monkeys are needed.

In 1955, India was the only source for the United States of Rhesus monkeys. The exporters (in India) hired Moslems to capture the monkeys. After capture in India, the Rhesus monkeys were transported by plane to the United States. A religious war between the Hindus and the Moslems broke out in India over this situation.

In order to stop this war the India Government on March 11, 1955 banned all Export of monkeys from India.

Now there was a halt on Medical research, and "slowed down" poliomyelitis vaccine production in our country. The reason no more Rhesus monkeys coming into the States.

The American Embassy in New Delhi, India was alerted and the problem was taken up with the Indian authorities by our Embassy.

Prime Minister Nehru and Ambassador Cooper had become great friends and often had late evening meetings. (See page 73 "John Sherman Cooper" (The Global Kentuckian) by Robert Schulman.

Soon the restriction on exporting of monkeys was lifted through U.S. Ambassador Cooper's personal efforts and diplomacy. Reflecting back these thirty four years one begins to realize how many people worldwide received the fruits of Cooper's ability, understanding and friendship with Nehru, and Nehru's respect for Cooper.

If it had not been for Ambassador Cooper, Polio might not have been eliminated in our time, and much of our medical research could have ground to a halt and put back for a long time.

A few years ago on a television News Broadcast at a State Dinner in Washington, D.C., Prime Minister Gandhi (Nehru's grandson) was shown conversing with Senator Cooper.

Three years ago at a dedication of a statue of Senator Cooper in Somerset, Kentucky, I observed a large delegation of government officials from India. To this day Ambassador Cooper is respected in India and not forgotten.

On 23 August, 1989 Senator Cooper will celebrate his 88th Birthday. His illustrious biography speaks for itself and is a legend in its own right, a masterpiece, and record beyond reproach. It is enclosed for perusal.

Mr. President, it gives me a great pleasure and indeed satisfaction to place Senator Cooper's name in nomination for the Presidential Medal of Freedom, and I would appreciate your favorable consideration of same.

Most respectfully yours,

Bruce McCoach, 13203 Branding Iron Dr., Sun City, AZ 85351

Encl: 1. Copy of letter 1955, Ambassador Cooper to McCoach from India  
2. Biography of John Sherman Cooper



THE FOREIGN SERVICE  
OF THE  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

American Embassy,  
New Delhi, India,  
May 13, 1955.

Dear Bruce:

It was indeed good to hear from you in your letter of May 3; and I especially appreciate your good wishes. I wish I could sit down with you to talk over old times in OCS.

The situation so clearly outlined in your letter regarding the Shamrock Farm's and other American importers' difficulties in obtaining monkeys for delivery to medical research institutions, has for some time received our urgent attention here at the Embassy. In fact, the specific problem of Shamrock Farms has been taken up with the Government of India authorities. It is still pending solution. The Indian Government has in fact, since the March 11 ban on export of monkeys, given no authorization for an export of monkeys for shipment to an importing firm and the government asserts that its policy is not to give such authorization. Furthermore, it is currently authorizing shipments only for medical research purposes and for poliomyelitis vaccine production on a special permit basis to certain consignees for a predetermined quantity of monkeys. The only American end-users thus far "approved" by the Indian authorities are the three you have mentioned in your letter.

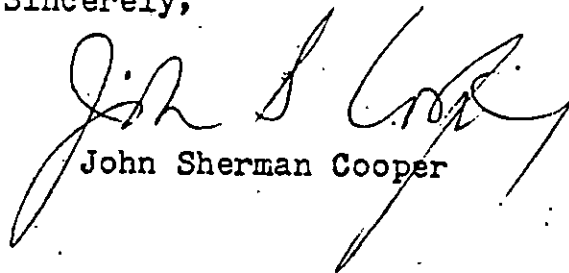
It may be helpful for you to know that Mr. T. E. Patterson who has been by far the largest exporter of monkeys from India, who ships from New Delhi, and who has been for some time the supplier for Mr. Edgar D. Davis of Shamrock Farms, Incorporated, plans to be in New York the week of May 16. He would then be able to discuss these problems with Mr. Davis.

Mr. Bruce McCoach,  
17 Crescent Place,  
Middletown, New York.

I think often of those days in OCS, twelve years ago. They were hard but we had a good time and made many good friends. I saw Kip in Kentucky before I left, and Seymour Moses came to the boat in New York to see me off. You know that I value your friendship greatly, and hope to continue to hear from you.

With all good wishes to you and Mrs. McCoach,  
I am

Sincerely,



John Sherman Cooper

## Polio likely being wiped out, agency says

ATLANTA — The last case of polio in the Western Hemisphere was reported more than a year ago, a sign the disease is being wiped out in the Americas, federal officials said Thursday.

The last case was reported Aug. 23, 1991, in Peru. It's the first time since polio has been monitored in the Western Hemisphere that there hasn't been a case reported for a full year, the national Centers for Disease Control said.

The World Health Organization has set a goal of wiping out polio

*world wide by 2000*

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The World Food Prize is the foremost international award recognizing outstanding individual achievement in improving the quality, quantity, or availability of food in the world.

The prize emphasizes the importance of a nutritious and sustainable food supply for all people. By honoring those who have worked successfully toward this goal, the prize calls attention to what has been done to improve the world food supply, and to what can be accomplished in the future.

The World Food Prize is sponsored by The World Food Prize Foundation, established by John Ruan, and is located in Des Moines, Iowa.

The 1992 World Food Prize is awarded to Dr. Edward F. Knippling and Dr. Raymond C. Bushland, a team of entomologists, now retired from the United States Department of Agriculture.

Knippling and Bushland are being honored for pioneering the development of ecologically acceptable biological controls for specific insect parasites that threaten the world's food supply. Their innovative efforts have had — and will continue to have — a profound impact on preserving a safe, stable food supply for the world.

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The Honorable Edward Madigan  
Secretary of Agriculture

and

Mr. John Ruan  
Chairman

The World Food Prize Foundation  
cordially invite you to attend

THE OPENING RECEPTION IN HONOR OF WORLD FOOD DAY

honoring

Dr. Edward F. Knippling  
and

Dr. Raymond C. Bushland

1992 Laureates of The World Food Prize

Thursday, October 15, 1992

from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

the Patio

Administration Building

U.S. Department of Agriculture

14th and Independence Avenue, S.W.

Washington, D.C.

R.S.V.P.

(202) 720-2798

(202) 720-6643





THE WORLD FOOD PRIZE FOUNDATION

Suite 900

601 Locust Street

Des Moines, Iowa 50309



Mr. James Baker  
The White House  
1600 Pennsylvania Ave., NW  
Washington DC 20500



*Joseph Mallord William Turner, 1775-1851  
Mortlake Terrace (c. 1826)  
National Gallery of Art, Washington, D.C.  
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*The British Ambassador  
and Lady Renwick  
and  
U.N. Concert and Dinner General Chairman  
and Mrs. James F. Hardyman*

*regret  
(by card)*

*request the pleasure of your company  
at a Reception*

*in honour of  
Mr. Lewis Preston  
President, The World Bank  
and Mrs. Preston*

*on Friday, 23rd October  
from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m.*

*The British Embassy  
3100 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, District of Columbia*

*R.s.v.p.  
Card enclosed  
(202) 289-6131*

*Informal Attire  
Parking at the  
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The Honorable  
James A. Baker III  
Chief of Staff  
and Mrs. Baker  
The White House  
Washington, DC 20500

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*The National Employee Benefits Institute  
cordially invites you to a reception to honor  
Representative Marge Roukema,  
Education and Labor Committee,  
for her contribution in the field  
of Employee Benefits  
as  
Congressional Representative  
of the Year.*



*Tuesday, September 15, 1992  
5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.*

*Rayburn Building  
Room B369  
Washington, D.C.*

*RSVP Card Enclosed  
or call  
800-558-7258*

9/14 - phone requested  
by Rita New

In honor of  
The Fifteenth Anniversary of  
The Washington Legal Foundation

Barbara K. Winer  
requests the pleasure of your company  
at a reception  
on Wednesday, the thirtieth of September  
at six o'clock  
The Four Seasons Hotel  
Washington, D. C.

R.S.V.P.

(202) 857-0240

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The Deputy Secretary of Defense  
requests the pleasure of your company  
at a ceremony commemorating  
National POW/MIA Recognition Day  
Friday, the eighteenth of September  
Nineteen hundred and ninety-two  
at eleven o'clock

River Entrance  
The Pentagon

R.S.V.P.  
(202) 433-7594

Informal

Reserved parking available  
in North Parking,  
"G" section, lanes 58 and 59.  
Shuttle service provided.  
Please let us know if you have  
any special requirements.

One in five families is affected by a no-fault brain disease such as schizophrenia or depression. The NAMI Helpline is a toll-free number for people who struggle severe mental illness. Families are connected with over 1,000 NAMI self-help support groups across the country where they find understanding, and science-based information about severe mental illness.

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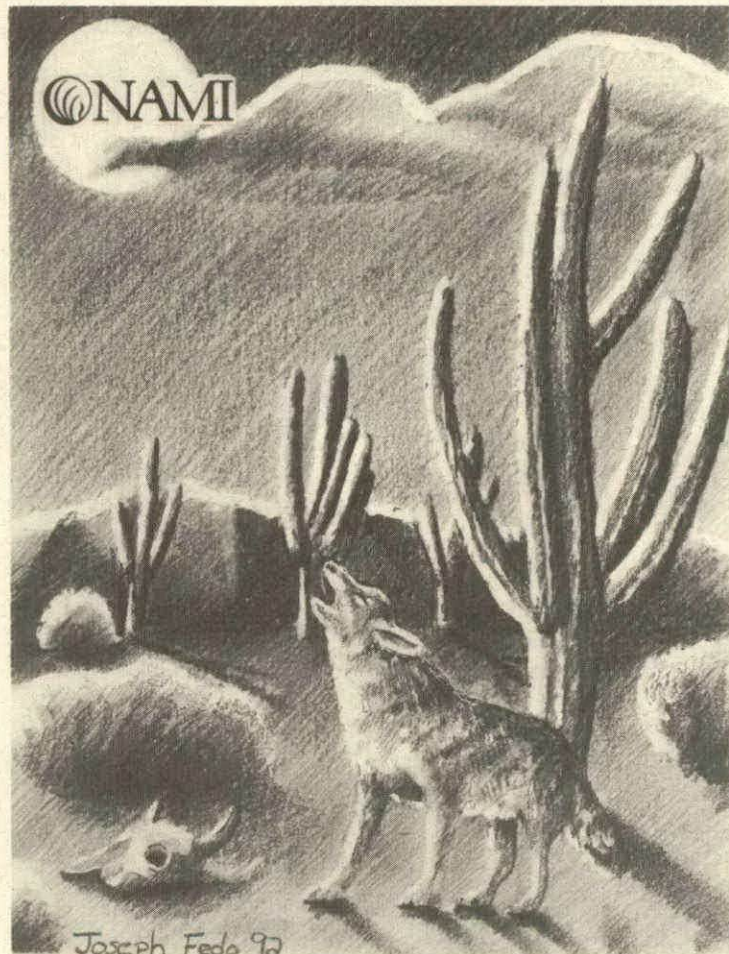
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NAMI, a national organization with 140,000 members, is dedicated to the eradication of mental illnesses and to the improvement of the quality of life of those who are affected by serious, no-fault brain diseases.



National Alliance for the Mentally Ill  
2101 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 302  
Arlington, VA 22201  
(703) 524-7600  
HELPLINE (800) 950-NAMI



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*Mrs. George Bush, Honorary Chairperson*

*cordially invites you to attend a dinner honoring*

*Senator Pete V. Domenici*

*to benefit*

*The National Alliance for the Mentally Ill*

*Saturday, the twelfth of September,  
Nineteen hundred and ninety-two*

*Reception at 6:15 p.m.  
International Terrace*

*Dinner at 7:00-9:00 p.m.  
International Ballroom*

*The Washington Hilton Hotel  
1919 Connecticut Avenue, NW  
Washington, DC*

*Please return the enclosed reply card to NAMI*

*Informal*



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B. Montagne

*His Royal Highness  
Prince Bandar bin Sultan  
requests the pleasure of your company  
at the National Day Reception  
for the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia  
on Wednesday, the twenty-third of September  
from six until eight o'clock*

*R. S. V. P.  
342-3800*

*The Royal Embassy of Saudi Arabia  
Washington, D. C.*

*Please present this invitation at the door*



*The Honorable*

*James A. Baker, III*

*Executive Office of the President*

*1600 Pennsylvania Ave., NW.*

*Washington, DC 20500*



*The Royal Embassy of Saudi Arabia  
601 New Hampshire Avenue, N. W.  
Washington, D. C. 20037*

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Julie Packard and the Board of Trustees of the  
Monterey Bay Aquarium  
and  
Pacific Gas & Electric Co.  
invite you to a dinner reception  
to celebrate designation of  
the Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary  
and the opening of "Watching the Bay,"  
a new aquarium exhibit dedicated to  
the sanctuary and its resources.

Sunday, September 20, 1992  
7 p.m. to 10 p.m.  
Monterey Bay Aquarium

RSVP by September 4

Please present this invitation for admission.





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*On the Occasion of the Forty-third Anniversary of  
the Founding of the Peoples Republic of China  
The Ambassador of the Peoples Republic of China  
and Mrs. Zhu Dixhen  
request the pleasure of your company  
at a reception  
on Tuesday, September 29, 1992  
from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.*

*R. S. V. P.  
Tel. (202) 328-2506*

*2300 Connecticut Ave., N. W.  
Washington, D. C.*

*Please present this card at the entrance*



*INVITATION*

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The International Christian Embassy Jerusalem

cordially invites

The Honorable and Mrs. James Baker

to a

*Banquet in Honor of Israel*

Saturday, September 5, 1992

8:00 o'clock in the evening

Grand Hyatt Hotel  
1000 H Street N.W.  
Washington, D.C.

Guest of Honor

*His Excellency Ambassador Zalman Shoval  
Ambassador of Israel to the  
United States of America*

*In these days many Christians are rediscovering the Jewish roots of their faith. This Banquet is part of the Washington for Israel Summit that takes place in Washington, D.C. from September 3 - 7, 1992. The Summit which is co-sponsored by a number of Christian organizations and churches is an expression of solidarity by many Christians with the regathered nation of Israel and the Jewish people.*

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*Mr. Robert E. Rubin and Mr. Stephen Friedman*  
*Co-Chairmen*

*Mr. John L. Weinberg*  
*Senior Chairman*

*Goldman, Sachs & Co.*

*request the pleasure of your company*  
*at a cocktail buffet on the occasion of the*

*1992 Annual Meetings of the World Bank*  
*and the International Monetary Fund*

*Saturday, September nineteenth from five to eight o'clock*

*The F Street Club, 1925 F Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.*

*R.S.V.P. (card enclosed)*

*Informal*

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You are Cordially invited to  
a cocktail reception honoring  
*The Honorable Marge Roukema*

on

Wednesday, September 16, 1992

5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

at

*The Capitol Hill Club*  
*Bolton Room*  
*300 First Street, S.E.*  
*Washington, D.C.*

Complimentary  
\$500 per person

R.S.V.P. by September 11, 1992

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The Chairman and Directors  
of  
Hollinger Inc.  
request the pleasure of the company of  
The Secretary of State and Mrs. Baker.  
at dinner  
Monday, September 14, 1992  
eight o'clock

The Phillips Collection  
1600 Twenty First Street, N.W.  
Washington, District of Columbia

R.s.v.p.  
Enclosed Card  
or (202) 636-8743

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B. Montagne



THE BOARD OF VISITORS  
AND THE FACULTY OF  
THE COLLEGE OF WILLIAM AND MARY IN VIRGINIA  
REQUEST THE HONOR OF YOUR PRESENCE  
AT THE INAUGURATION OF  
TIMOTHY J. SULLIVAN  
AS THE TWENTY-FIFTH PRESIDENT OF THE COLLEGE  
FRIDAY, THE SIXTEENTH OF OCTOBER  
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY-TWO  
AT HALF-AFTER TEN O'CLOCK  
THE COURTYARD  
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*The Honorable Lee H. Hamilton*  
*Chairman*

*and*

*The Honorable Benjamin A. Gilman*  
*Ranking Minority Member*

*House Foreign Affairs Subcommittee*  
*on Europe and the Middle East*

*and*

*His Excellency Andreas Van Agt*  
*Head of the Delegation of the*  
*Commission of the European Communities*

*cordially invite you to a Reception hosted by*  
***SRI International***

*in honor of*

***Dr. Corrado Pirzio-Biroli***  
*Deputy Head of the Delegation of the*  
*Commission of the European Communities*  
*on the occasion of his departure from the U.S.*

H-137  
The U.S. Capitol

Thursday, September 17, 1992  
6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

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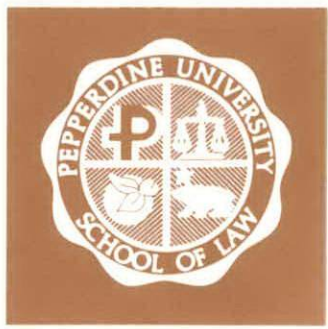
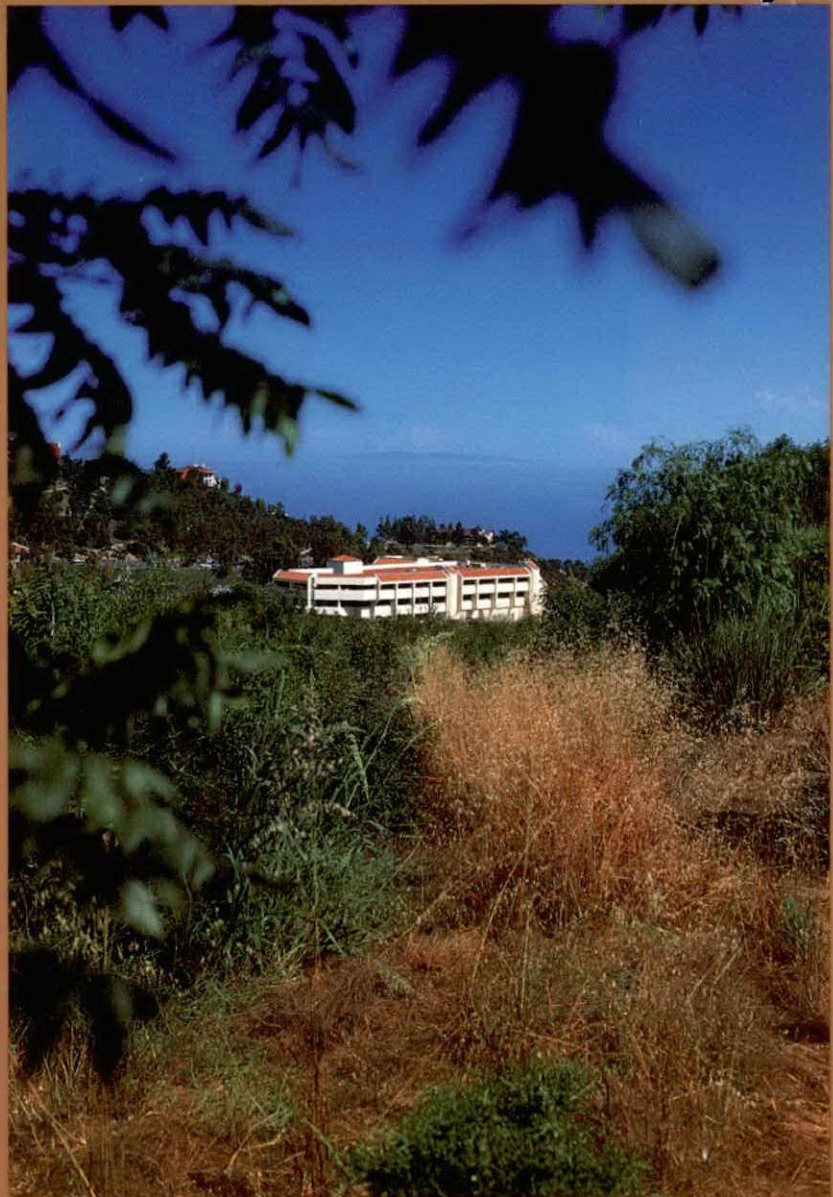


*In Honour of*  
*His Excellency Roh Tae Woo*  
*President of the Republic of Korea*  
*The Permanent Representative of the Republic of Korea*  
*to the United Nations and Mrs. Chong-Ha Yoo*  
*request the pleasure of the company of*  
*the Hon. Mr. James Baker III & Mrs. Baker*  
*at a reception*  
*on Tuesday, 22 September 1992 from 6:30 to 8:15 p.m.*  
*at the Grand Hyatt New York*  
*Park Avenue at Grand Central*

*Regrets Only*  
*(212) 371-1280*

*Empire State Ballroom*  
*Lounge Suit*

*Please bring this card with you*



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*Pepperdine University*  
cordially invites you to the

*Dedication and Open House*  
of the  
*Phase II Addition*  
to the  
*Odell McConnell Law Center*  
*Pepperdine University*  
*School of Law*

with special guest speaker  
*Louis Nizer*  
*Distinguished Trial Attorney and Author*

*Malibu, California*  
*September 16, 1992*

*Dedication Ceremony*  
*11:00 a.m.*

*Alumni and Friends Reception*  
*9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.*

*Self-Guided Building Tours*  
*9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.*

*Please reply to (310) 456-4653*

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*On the occasion of the First Anniversary of the  
Independence of the Republic of Armenia  
Alexander Arzoumanian, Charge d'Affaires of Armenia,  
requests the pleasure of your company  
at a Reception  
on Thursday, September 24, 1992  
from 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.  
at the Meridian International Center  
1630 Crescent Place, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20009*

*R.S.V.P.*

*Regrets Only*

*202-628-5766*

*Kindly present this invitation*



Mr. James Baker  
Chief of Staff and Senior Counselor  
The White House  
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW  
Washington, DC 20500



*Embassy of the Republic of Armenia*  
*122 C Street, N.W., Suite 360*  
*Washington, D.C. 20001*

9/11/92:

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B. Montagne

*To celebrate the Day of German Unity and German-American Day*

*The President of the German Bundestag*

*Rita Süssmuth*

*requests the pleasure of the company of*

*Mr. and Mrs. Baker*

---

*at a reception*

*on Thursday, October 1, 1992, from 7:30-9:30 p.m.*

*The Sequoia Restaurant, Washington Harbor,*

*3000 K Street N.W., Washington, D.C.*

*P.S.V.P.*

*by enclosed card*

*Please present this invitation*

*Informal*

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Dear Secretary Baker,

I hope you will be able  
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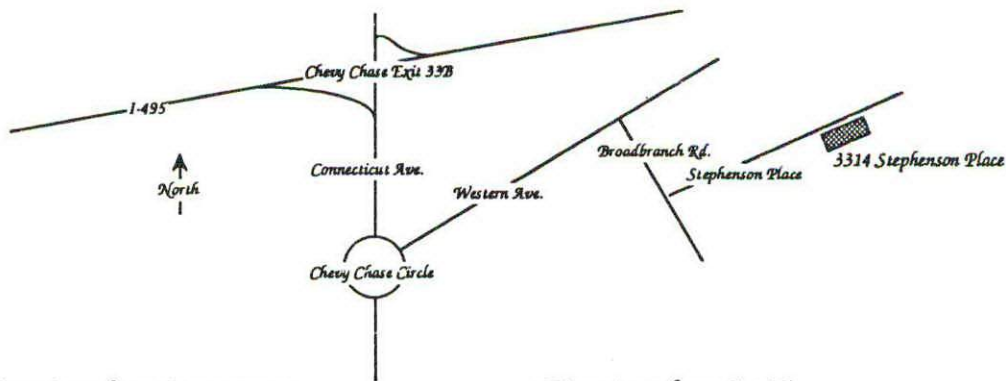
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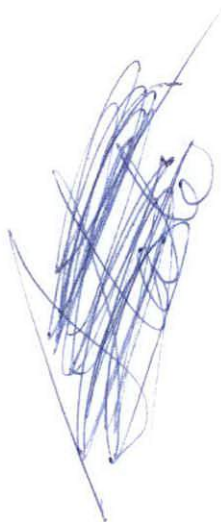
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It is time for Houston to speak out. Until now we have stood by in silent amazement as the liberal media has attacked, smeared and distorted the character and the accomplishments of our good friend and neighbor George Bush. We call this Grand Theft.

### The Liberal Onslaught

Much of the liberal media is now so confident and bold that they have discarded the old pretense of objectivity or neutrality. What are the tactics of the liberal media? They include a constant bombardment upon our households of anti-traditional messages of every sort, through television, movies and magazines, consistently distorting the news and portraying American life in a twisted and biased fashion, espousing values reflective of their own ultra-liberal standards. What is the prize the liberal media seeks to wrest from the American people – nothing less than the future of our country, beginning with the election which is now imminent. Grand Theft!

### A Man of Character

We here in Houston know George Bush to be an honest and decent man in every sense of the word with a strong traditional sense of values, with patriotic love of country and a fine sense of duty. George Bush volunteered to serve and defend his country in World War II and was a war hero. After the war, and after proving himself a successful entrepreneur and business leader in Texas, George Bush served his country selflessly and enthusiastically in numerous capacities over many years, culminating in his election as Vice President and now President. All the while, George Bush has remained committed and faithful to his country, his family and his values, even in the face of increasingly shrill and disingenuous criticism from the liberal media.

### Proven Courage

With George Bush as its leader, America demonstrated its courage and its resolve in the war against Saddam Hussein. The President organized and energized diverse nations and governments to join with us to stop a vicious dictator whose ambitions were to control the oil of Saudi Arabia and to literally annihilate Israel. We dare not imagine what horrors Iraq's madman would have caused if America had not had a president with enough courage and conviction to stand against the onslaught of protests, accusations and lies, not from outside America, but from our own liberal media and its ally, the Democratic Congress. Fortunately, with George Bush as commander-in-chief the war against Saddam Hussein was fought with single-minded purpose and won with an almost unbelievable small loss of American lives. It should surprise no one that while the President enjoyed the support of essentially the entire free world, the liberal media and the Democratic Congress in his own country did everything possible to sabotage, embarrass and discredit him, and they continue to do so to this day.

### The Lesson of History

Under the stewardship of George Bush and Ronald Reagan, America won the cold war and permanently reduced the threat of nuclear catastrophe that has enveloped us since World War II. America is now the undisputed power in the world. When America's foreign policy was last entrusted to a Democratic president, the United States was ridiculed and laughed at, both at home and throughout much of the world, our men and women in the services were scorned and the American people were wrongly blamed for all sorts of ills, everything from malaise to excessive consumption, by their own president, their own federal government and the liberal media.

### The Liberal Agenda

Who then are the liberal media? They are the disgusting people who ridicule and despise America's mainstream sense of values. They are the people who are more concerned with the right to burn an American flag than the right to live safely in one's own home or neighborhood. They are the people who purposely inflame the anger of minorities and the underprivileged, and then portray the ensuing riots, violence and theft of property as an understandable, even appropriate, form of political expression. They yell "censorship" when a person who makes a business out of advocating the murder of police is criticized and they howl at anyone who speaks out against government subsidies for child pornography foisted upon the public as so-called art. They produce sleazy movies, music and television programs that purposely and perniciously undermine our society and its most important values. These are the credentials of the liberal media.

### The Liberal Candidates

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### The Liberal Candidates

Why does the liberal media support the Democratic candidates Clinton and Gore? Is it because they desire change? No, it's because Clinton promises to protect and promote the liberal agenda. In fact, Clinton promises a no-change government. No change from the last forty years of an ever growing, ever more intrusive, ever more counterproductive federal government that has been fostered and expanded by one Democratic Congress after another. No change from the liberal agenda of school bussing (a proven disaster for our public education system), of selective discrimination and of selective enforcement of "equal rights", of quotas, and of ever greater taxation of the wages and earnings of those Americans who produce the country's wealth, and for no purpose except to enrich, and buy the votes of, the entitlement groups who use their political machines to "legally" steal an increasingly larger share of the country's resources.

In point of fact, the liberal media could not have found anyone more committed to protecting the liberal cause than Clinton and Gore. Among other things, Clinton is opposed to term limitations that are needed to reform the Congress. Clinton is opposed to a Constitutional amendment to reform federal spending by mandating a balanced budget. Clinton is opposed to education vouchers that would give poor and middle class parents the ability to choose for themselves which school offers the best education opportunity for their children and that would inject a measure of competition into an educational system that desperately needs real reform and real improvement.

### America's Best Chance

The choices we make now are critical to America's future. Each American must carefully examine which path they would choose for their country, in the best interest of the country as a whole and not on the basis of each person's narrow self interest or any single issue like abortion. The candidates of the liberal Democratic party, totally controlled by the labor bosses, the entrenched bureaucrats and the liberal special interest groups, seek to lead us toward an ever larger federal government and ever diminishing individual liberties and individual responsibilities.

Americans are not to blame that the liberals have chosen this man, "Slick" Bill Clinton, as their leader. But now, each American is responsible to decide whether this man, chosen by the liberals, will be trusted to lead our country, this man who does not regret that in his youth he chose to subvert, rather than serve or support, his country, this man who now seeks to be entrusted, as America's commander-in-chief, to protect those same liberties and ideals that men like George Bush have risked their very lives to preserve.

The candidates of the Republican party offer the means and the vision to reform and downsize an already too large federal government so as to expand and protect individual liberties and responsibilities, and they offer the commitment to lead America in reclaiming its most fundamental shared values. We believe Americans who want to reform the federal government must now support George Bush and Dan Quayle, the candidates of the party that wants to empower the people and reform the government against those who seek to empower the government and reform the people. To those who share our desire to reform the government, but who disagree with the party's platform language on abortion, rather than throwing away your vote on this single issue, please consider working with those of us in the Republican party who know this issue can be made part of the Republican agenda to ensure that the federal government will not intrude upon a decision so personal in nature.

George Bush is our friend and neighbor, known by us to be totally honest, moral and worthy of our trust. We know, as most Americans do, that with our support and the support of a reformed and cooperative Congress, George Bush can provide the leadership, the vision and the commitment for change that America must have if we are to preserve the American dream for our children and protect the ideals and values upon which our country – still the strongest and most prosperous in all of history – was built. Help us stop this liberal Grand Theft.

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