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August 24, 1990

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Sincerely,

Andrew H. Card, Jr.  
Assistant to the President and  
Deputy to the Chief of Staff

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie E. Jewett  
Lot 42  
4747 SR 33 North  
Lakeland, Florida 33805

AHC/KW/SMG/pt (PC1)

cc: ~~Teresa Donovan~~

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4747 SR 33N - #42  
Lakeland, FL. 33805  
August 14, 1990

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

Dear President Bush:

We are writing to you because of our deep concern regarding Doug Wead's resignation as special liaison to the President. He has been representing us (Charismatics, Pentecostals, and all fundamental believers) who hold dear the traditional and moral values of our nation. We don't want to see destroyed the traditional home of mother, father, and children and are appealing to you that Doug Wead's representation in this capacity shall continue in our behalf.

Sincerely yours,

Mr. & Mrs. Leslie E. Jewett

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Assistant to the President and  
Deputy to the Chief of Staff

Mr. Michael Bertola  
1024 West Emerald Avenue  
Mesa, Arizona 85210

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cc: Teresa Donovan

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1024 West Emerald Avenue  
Mesa, Arizona 85210  
August 13, 1990

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

Dear President Bush:

I sincerely hope and pray that you will reconsider the decision about the firing of Doug Wead as one of your advisors. He has done a good job in supporting you and did as he was hired to do - advise you.

I hope that God gives you the answer and I pray, as a Christian, that you will let your spiritual conscience guide you and may God give you the strength to carry out His Will.

Yours truly,

*Michael Bertola*

Michael Bertola

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

August 20, 1990

Dear Mr. Nichols:

Thank you for your recent letter to the White House regarding Special Assistant to the President Doug Wead.

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Sincerely,



Andrew H. Card, Jr.  
Assistant to the President and  
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Mr. Gary Nichols  
Rural Route 2, Box 45  
Shelbyville, TN 62565

IL

Aug. 7-1990

PRESIDENT GEORGE BUSH:  
1600 PENNSYLVANIA AVE.  
WASHINGTON, D.C.  
20500

Dear Mr. Bush.

I understand that "Doug Wead." has been dismissed from his job. In BLUNT TERMS FIRED. I believe this is a very "Gross" mistake, by doing so it has opened up the "Door" for homosexuals and Jesuits, whom I believe that the "Wrath" of God is about to be passed upon, and this Nation!

SIR: HEBREWS-10:31

SAYS: It is a fearful thing to fall into the hands of the living God!

Mr. President: You might want to read the verse preceding-10:30

SIR: - If you have ever prayed, I believe you had better pray NOW!  
I pray G. Nichols and ~~the~~ Family &

the - Evangelical Community of  
America, expect an apology  
Publicly

I will say again if you have  
ever prayed. PRAY NOW!

August 21, 1990

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Acker:

Thank you for your recent letter to the White House regarding Special Assistant to the President Doug Wead.

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Assistant to the President and  
Deputy to the Chief of Staff

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Acker  
N4688 Peche Drive  
Rib Lake, WI 54470

GA  
WEAD

Re: Wead firing - con

11465 Peche Drive  
Rib Lake, WI 54470  
August 3, 1990

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

Dear President Bush:

We strongly object to the firing of special assistant Doug Wead! Mr. Wead represented the pro-family Christian community. We urge you to reconsider this situation.

We are outraged that homosexual activists have been invited to the White House on several occasions. As you do this you are saying the homosexual community holds more clout with you than the Christians who got you elected!

We will be awaiting your reply. We urge you to uphold traditional Christian values!

Sincerely,  
Barb Acker  
Ed Acker

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Dear Mrs. Drisko:

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Assistant to the President and  
Deputy to the Chief of Staff

Mrs. Edna Drisko  
11938 Westwold Drive  
Tomball, TX 77375

LA  
WEAD

Re: Weed firing-con.

11938 Westwood Dr  
Tomball, Tx. 77375

Aug. 3, 1990

The President of United States,  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear President Bush,

I shall pray against those forces that have caused the man of God, Doug Weed, being relieved from his job as Special Assistant to the White House.

I, as a conservative Christian person, feel that Doug only told the office of the President how we Christians feel about persons of the political leanings as Bobbie Kilborne being honored with an invitation to the White House.

I shall pray for Doug Weed and for you, President Bush. I pray that God will have his way in this and that the sodomites will be exposed for what they really want in this country.

May God bless this Country,  
In Christian love,  
Mrs. Edna Drisko

August 21, 1990

Dear Ms. Boston:

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Andrew H. Card, Jr.  
Assistant to the President and  
Deputy to the Chief of Staff

Ms. D. Virginia Boston  
778 Fawn Drive  
Houston, TX 77015

U.S. President Bush  
Washington, D.C. RE: Weed 8/3/90  
Airing: Con

IA President Bush:

WEAD As a Christian, I feel  
compelled to write on behalf  
of Doug Weed.

I know you are a Christian man of high morals and integrity. I wish this were true of the congress and senate representatives.

If there was ever a time in the history of so-called Christian America, that we need to rise up & voice our convictions, it is Now!

I know why Doug was  
fired! He stood true to his  
Christian beliefs, and if that  
is not right, then God help us.

You have lost a fine  
man, and if there is any justice  
left, he will be re-instated.

We gave you good advice,  
& not just something to  
please the people of low morals.

Christians have as much  
right to vaie their opinions as  
the homo sexuals, dope heads,  
labor leaders, or anyone else.

You are a Texan and a  
Houstonian.

Our motto is "Don't mess  
with Texas"

It is time we adopt  
the slogan, "Don't mess with  
God's people"

I pray for you daily, and  
sweet Barbara, and your family.

Respectfully & prayerfully,

Yours very truly,

D. Virginia Boston

778 Lawn Dr.

Houston, Tex, 77015

August 21, 1990

Dear Mr. Jones:

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Assistant to the President and  
Deputy to the Chief of Staff

Mr. Dan Jones  
9807 Tall Timbers  
Cincinnati, OH 45241

LA  
WEAD

Re: Wead firing - con  
Dan & Sue Jones  
9807 Tall Timbers  
Cincinnati, Ohio 45241

As a Christian citizen of  
the United States, I  
strongly object to the  
firing of Doug for  
his advise on the  
Homosexual situation. My  
prayers and my votes  
are further evidence of  
my feeling,

Dan Jones

August 21, 1990

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Kinney:

Thank you for your recent letter to the White House regarding Special Assistant to the President Doug Wead.

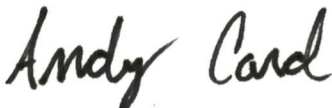
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Assistant to the President and  
Deputy to the Chief of Staff

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Kinney  
2662 Clear Circle, North  
Jacksonville, FL 32207

Dear Mr. President OK

To whom it may concern,

I am writing concerning the dismissal of Mr. Doug Reed. I believe that dismissing from office was a little harsh. I think that he should be put back in office. Thank you for your time & your prayerfully taking this matter into consideration.

Sincerely,

Bess & Dale Kurney  
Gautsowill, R

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Dear Mrs. Lundmark:

Thank you for your recent letter to the White House regarding Special Assistant to the President Doug Wead.

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Assistant to the President and  
Deputy to the Chief of Staff

Mrs. Lucille Lundmark  
184 North Jackson Avenue  
Bradley, IL 60915

LA  
WEAD

Re: wead firing - am

8-4-90

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

Dear Mr President :

I voted for you and I think you have been doing a good job.

I cannot understand why you fired Doug Wead. He is a good man and as far as

I can see was just doing his job to tell you how the people who voted for you would feel for you to honor the homosexuals whom God calls them with such life styles, an abomination. Also why honor the ones who are largely responsible for AIDS and the spreading of it. The Aids victims need to be isolated like those of any other contagious disease.

There are at least 50 million Christians or rather born-again Christians and we should have respresentatives too, don't you think ? We pay our taxes and likely a lot more taxes than the homosexuals. They did not vote for you and won't next time either even if you honor them. *It will be used against you.*

Respectfully,

*Mrs Lucille Lundmark*

Mrs Lucille Lundmark  
184 N. Jackson Ave.  
Bradley, Illinois 60915

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Dear Mr. and Mrs. Coyer:

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Deputy to the Chief of Staff

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coyer  
11216 146th Avenue, S.E.  
Renton, WA 98056

8-7-90

<sup>20</sup> ~~Head~~ if they don't repent, they will not enter the Kingdom of Heaven. It is, therefore, an abomination to offer them anything above the rights of all men. We are to pray for their souls, but not protect their life-style (which is rebellion against our precious Lord and Savior).

Please pray for wisdom regarding the firing of Doug Head - who represented us (the joyful community) the children of God through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Love & Prayers,

Robert & Betty Coyer

(Acts 5:29) — (Mark 12:30,31)

Dear President Bush,  
We have called the White House; and now write to you with much Godly care in our hearts.

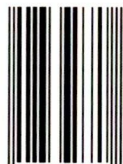
We pray for you and for Congress (I Tim 2:1-3) to be wise in the affairs of government with Godly wisdom.

You should be aware in your spirit that the heart of the Christian is opposed to any special consideration for the Homosexual (Gay) community - the Bible is clear



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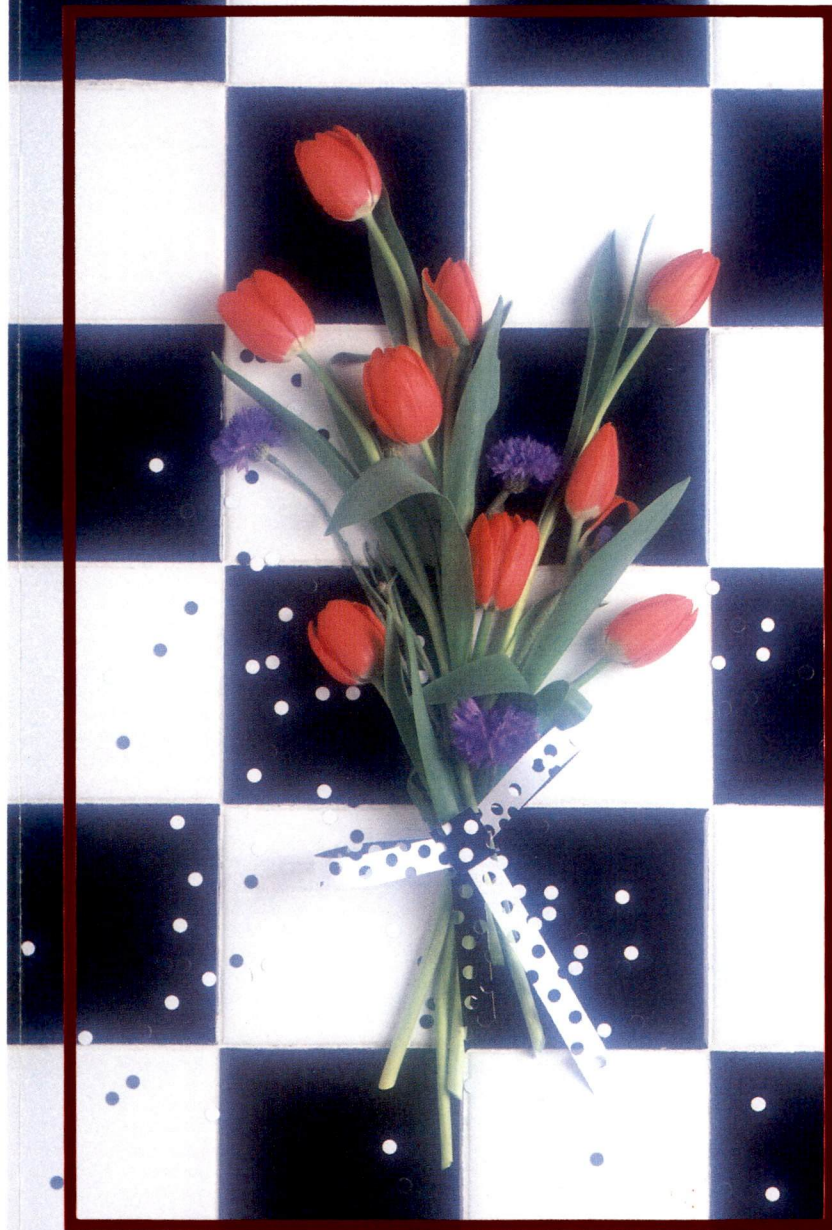
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Assistant to the President and  
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Mrs. Allana Hurta  
Route 1, Box 603  
Granger, TX 76530

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Weed

Aug. 3, 1990

Dear President Bush,

This letter is to inform you of my disagreement with you on the firing of Mr. Don Weed. I am a born again Christian & me & my followers of Christ (1/3 of your voters) elected you because of your fundamental stand and the importance you "said" you placed on the family. It is hard to believe you still believe that when you invite homosexual leaders to the White House as special guests you have made a great mistake in this matter & have lost the respect and support from all fundamentalist groups.



You might think about  
this at election time  
when you realize that  
there are many, many  
more christians  
in the world than there  
are homosexuals  
Maybe you should  
reconsider these  
matters!

Sincerely,  
Mrs Allana Hurta  
Rt. 1 Box 603  
Stranger, Texas  
76530