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APRIL 10, 1985
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(617) 523-7170

PM

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The invitation to President Reagan was extended personally by Caroline and John Kennedy.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

April 10, 1985

Sara --

This release was brought to our office this morning from Fred Ryan's office, who wanted it to go at the morning briefing in Santa Barbara.

However, it has not gone through your office, so I am (like a good little girl) offering it to you for your kind care and keeping and processing.

Thank you.

connie

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Date: 4/10/85

TO: *Connie Romero*

FROM: **FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR.**
Deputy Assistant to the President

*For our conversation,
please this via
Electronic Mail to
Pete Roussel
immediately -
Thank you. Kim*

John F. Kennedy Library Foundation
Columbi~~us~~ Point
Boston, Massachusetts 02125
Telephone (617) 929-4500

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~~PRESIDENT REAGAN~~ TO ATTEND KENNEDY LIBRARY RECEPTION

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Fred -
Thanks again -
Will talk to you on
Wednesday -
Carney

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

April 16, 1985

Dear John:

I was pleased to hear that the President will be able to attend the Kennedy Library fundraiser and am sure that it will be a very successful event.

I thought you might like to have an authentic autograph from the President to remember your visit.

With best personal regard, I am

Cordially yours,

max

Max L. Friedersdorf
Assistant to the President

Mr. John F. Kennedy, Jr.
1040 5th Avenue
New York, New York
10028

To John Kennedy - With every good wish & Best Regards
Ronald Reagan

Handwritten initials/signature in top left corner.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

April 16, 1985

Dear Caroline:

I was pleased to learn that the President will be able to attend the Kennedy Library fundraiser and am sure that it will be a very successful event.

I thought you might like to have a genuine autograph from the President to remember your recent visit.

With best personal regard, I am

Cordially yours,

max

Max L. Friedersdorf
Assistant to the President

Ms. Caroline Kennedy
760 Park Avenue
Penthouse 3-C
New York, New York
10021

To Caroline Kennedy - With Very Best Wishes & Regards.
Ronald Reagan



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April 11, 1985

Dear Senator Kennedy:

Max Friedersdorf has asked me to acknowledge and thank you for your photograph request on behalf of John and Caroline Kennedy. We appreciated hearing from you and hope they will enjoy the enclosed.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

M. B. Oglesby, Jr.
Assistant to the President

The Honorable Edward M. Kennedy
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Enclosure(s): Photograph(s)

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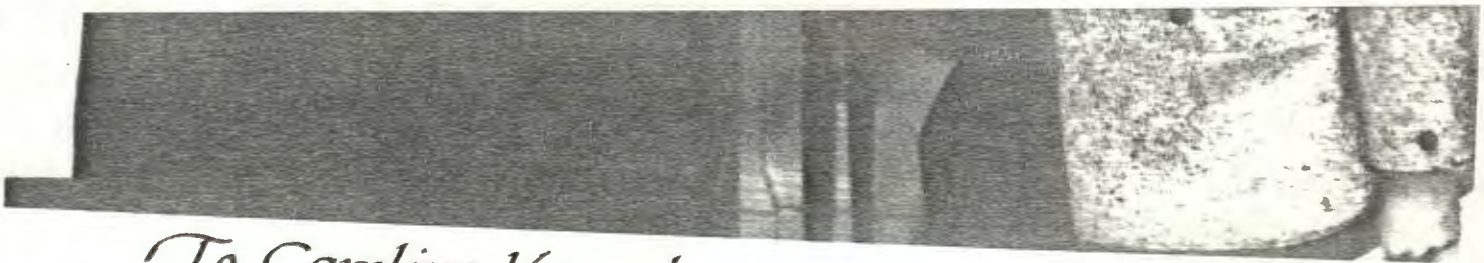
To John Kennedy, Jr.
With best wishes,
Ronald Regan



To John Kennedy, Jr.
With best wishes,
Ronald Regan



To Caroline Kennedy
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Ronald Regan



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With best wishes,
Ronald Regan

United States Senate
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

April 2, 1985

Mr. Max Friedersdorf
Assistant to the President and
Legislative Strategy Coordinator
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Max:

I want to thank you for all you have done to make possible President Reagan's very generous and gracious efforts in behalf of the Kennedy Library endowment campaign.

Caroline and John were thrilled to receive the enclosed photographs of their White House meeting. If it is not asking too much, they would be most appreciative if the President could sign these for them.

With warmest thanks and best wishes,

Sincerely,

Larry

Lawrence C. Horowitz, M. D.
Administrative Assistant to
Senator Edward M. Kennedy

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as usual your office
has been terrific. Many
Thanks.

Larry

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March 26, 1985

RR requested retaining original
in his personal files.

K. Osborne

Comment
Thank you letter to The President from
Senator Kennedy for seeing John and Caroline
Kennedy - Dated Mar 7 85

Edward M. Kennedy
Massachusetts

7 March 85

United States Senate ^{to Peter}

Dear Mr. President

As you know
I am off to Geneva
this week end as part
of the Senate observer
group for the negotiations
on arms control.

I did want to
write to thank you
personally for your generosity

during these busy days
in seeing John and Carol
Kennedy next Monday. All
of us in the Kennedy
family are deeply grateful
for your continuing personal
kindness to us, and we
shall always remember it.

I also want to add
my hopes for your success
in the forthcoming arms

negotiations. Jack always
felt that the Partial
Test Ban Treaty of 1963, coming
as it did on the heels of
the Cuban Missile Crisis
was the proudest
achievement of his Presidency.
You, Obama, are in a
unique position to be
blessed as the penman
of the century and the
prayer of all of us in

Congress and the country
are with you in this
historic undertaking -

With my warmest thanks
appreciation and respect -

Sincerely

Paul Kennedy

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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The President has seen

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March 20, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: MAX L. FRIEDERSDORF *mf*

SUBJECT: Letter from John F. Kennedy, Jr.

Attached is a letter from John F. Kennedy, Jr. thanking you for meeting with he and his sister. Just thought you may be interested in seeing it.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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MLF:SI

bcc: ✓ Central Files w/incoming

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 12, 1985

TO: DONALD REGAN
MIKE DEEVER

FROM: MAX L. FRIEDERSDORF *mf*

SUBJECT: Presidential Meeting with
Caroline and John Kennedy, Jr.

The purpose of yesterday's meeting between the children of the late President and President Reagan was to invite the President to attend a fundraiser for the Kennedy Library endowment. The President indicated some interest in the request and said he'd take a look at his schedule.

Caroline and John, Jr. propose holding the fundraiser at their uncle's (Ted Kennedy) home in McLean, Virginia, and raised the dates of June 10, 11 and 24. The President told them to keep in touch with me, and we'd see what could be worked out. It was my feeling that the President would like to do this.

cc: M. B. Oglesby, Jr.
Fred Fielding
Fred Ryan
Pam Turner

The President has seen _____

*Mr. Poppy
1982*

President Reagan

March 12, 1985

Dear President Reagan,

I would just like to thank you for granting my sister and I an opportunity to meet with you and invite you to the library fundraiser.

I know that you have many more urgent matters that require your attention so we both deeply appreciate the time you gave us.

I received the wonderful news today that you will be able to come. Since I know it was not our flawless sales pitch that made the difference - thank you for your sensitivity to the issue. Your presence at the event, even for a few

minutes will help so much.

President Reagan, you have been enormously kind to my family over the years. I speak on behalf of all of us in conveying our sincere gratitude for all you've done. This means a great deal.

Sincerely yours,

John Kennedy

P.S. I was not one of the "imitated democrats" when you quoted my father. I thought it was great! Please, quote him all you want!

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Sincerely yours,

JOHN F. KENNEDY, JR.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

March 15, 1985

Dear John:

It was a pleasure meeting you last Monday, and I look forward to talking with you again.

Comments

The President thought you might like to have the enclosed photos as mementoes of your meeting.

With best personal regard, I am

Cordially yours,

Max L. Friedersdorf

Max L. Friedersdorf
Assistant to the President

Mr. John F. Kennedy, Jr.
1040 5th Avenue
New York, New York
10028

*Identical letter to
Caroline Kennedy*

MLF:NK:SI

bcc: Central Files
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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

March 15, 1985

Dear Caroline:

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With best personal regard, I am

Cordially yours,



Max L. Friedersdorf
Assistant to the President

Miss Caroline Kennedy
760 Park Avenue
Penthouse 3-C
New York, New York
10021

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bcc: Central Files
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MEETING WITH CAROLINE KENNEDY AND JOHN F. KENNEDY, JR.

DATE: Monday, March 11, 1985

LOCATION: Oval Office

TIME: 4:30 p.m. (15 minutes)

FROM: Max L. Friedersdorf

M. B. Oglesby, Jr. *MB*

I. Purpose

To comply with the request of Senator Edward (Ted) Kennedy (D-MA) that you meet privately with the two children of the late President John F. Kennedy, Caroline and John, Jr.

II. Background

Senator Kennedy spoke to the Vice President about his desire that his niece and nephew be allowed to meet privately with you to discuss the John F. Kennedy Library.

Although the Senator elaborated no further, be advised that last June Caroline Kennedy was named to the library board of directors as the museum and exhibits chairperson. She is in charge of an effort to raise an \$8 million endowment to update the library's exhibits. The library is operated by the Federal Government, under the auspices of the National Archives. While Federal funds pay for library operations and salaries, there is no endowment. The goal announced last June is to raise \$8 million over 5 years. At the time of the announcement the library had \$2.4 million already in hand and hoped to raise an additional \$2.6 million by the end of this year. If the Kennedy children are here to ask for your assistance in this fundraising effort, you should make no commitment, but tell them you will seriously consider their request.

III. Participants

The President
Caroline Kennedy
John F. Kennedy, Jr.
Max Friedersdorf

IV. Press Plan

White House photographer only.

V. Sequence of Events

Caroline and John, Jr. arrive thru the west basement and are escorted to the Oval Office. The President greets his guests and they are seated in front of the fireplace for an informal discussion.

Attachment A: Talking Points

Attachment A

SUGGESTED TALKING POINTS FOR THE MEETING
WITH CAROLINE KENNEDY AND JOHN KENNEDY, JR.

- Caroline, John, how very good to see you.

- Your uncle, Ted, told me you wanted to meet with me privately to talk about your Father and the Presidential library.

- As you know, I am an admirer of the late President, and am pleased for this opportunity to talk with you.

(Open discussion.) (If any assistance is requested on the fundraising effort for the endowment, you should give no commitment, but indicate you will give the request every condiseration.)

- Thank you for coming to Washington to see me. I remember fondly my meeting with your grandmother in November of 1981.

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February 27, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR DONALD T. REGAN
FROM: MAX L. FRIEDERSDORF
SUBJECT: Senator Kennedy

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Comment

The Vice President reports after a conversation with Ted Kennedy that the request by the late President's children pertains to the Kennedy Library.

They do not intend to put the President on the spot, and make the request with respect, according to the Vice President's assurances from Senator Kennedy.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

February 28, 1985

TO: MAX FRIEDERSDORF
FROM: THOMAS C. DAWSON
Office of the Chief of Staff

Mike Deaver will be talking to you about this. The President has approved.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

February 26, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR DONALD T. REGAN ✓
MICHAEL K. DEEVER

FROM: MAX L. FRIEDERSDORF *mef.*

SUBJECT: Kennedy Schedule Request

Senator Ted Kennedy has requested an appointment with the President for John F. Kennedy, Jr. and Caroline Kennedy.

The request was characterized as a "private, personal meeting to discuss a matter involving their father, President Kennedy."

Both the children are living in New York and would, of course, be available when convenient for the President.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

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I know this reception is a critical part of your efforts, and I stand ready to help in any way I can. I look forward to being with you on the 24th.

Sincerely,

Ronald Reagan

Caroline and John Kennedy, Jr.

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Caroline and John Kennedy, Jr.

RR:AVH:FJR:pps

Time: 6:30 - 8:00; Adress: 636 Chain Bridge Rd., McLean, VA.

The President has been _____

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

April 22, 1985

MR. PRESIDENT:

Fred Ryan will deliver
the attached acceptance
to the Kenney Library
benefit personally on
Monday to Caroline and
John Kennedy.


David L. Chew

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Date: 4-19-85

To: Sara Emery

Fred Ryan said
the President wanted
to sign this himself -

Fred will deliver
it -



ANNE HIGGINS
Special Assistant to the
President and Director
of Correspondence
Room 94, x7610

DRAFT OUTLINE FOR LETTER TO CAROLINE AND JOHN FROM PRESIDENT REAGAN:

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Sincerely,
RR

Caroline and John Kennedy, Jr.

*just put on
carbons*

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

MEMORANDUM FOR: ANNE HIGGINS

FROM: KIM SANDIE *KS*

Fred Ryan has approved this draft of the President's acceptance to Senator Kennedy's reception. Fred would like the letter prepared in final form today, if possible, and sent to David Chew's office for the President's signature. The letter should come back to this office once it is signed, for hand delivery by Fred Ryan.

Please call me at 7560 if you have any questions.

** No address is necessary for the Kennedys.*

FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR.

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