

November 2, 1987

Dear Mr. Wisenbaker:

Thank you for your message inviting the Chief of Staff to be Guest of Honor and address the Georgia Federation of Young Republican Clubs Awards Banquet in January.

Your invitation is appreciated, but the heavy demands of Mr. Baker's schedule make it impossible for him to accept. However, he asked me to thank you for your kindness and send you his best wishes.

Sincerely,

Lura Nell Mitchell  
Personal Assistant  
to the Chief of Staff

Mr. Gary M. Wisenbaker  
Chairman  
Georgia Federation of Young  
Republican Clubs  
502 East 56th Street  
Savannah, GA 31405

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LNM-1

cc: Lorraine Camarano, Room 61 OEOB

November 2, 1987

Dear Stacy:

Thank you for your message to the Chief of Staff. He especially enjoys hearing from students across the United States who take the time to share their thoughts with him.

While Mr. Baker would like to personally answer each and every letter he receives, the heavy volume of mail prevents him from doing so. Nevertheless, he appreciates your thoughtfulness in writing and hopes you will always take an active interest in the concerns of our country. America's future rests in your hands!

With Mr. Baker's warm best wishes,

Sincerely,

Sue Walkup  
Special Assistant  
to the Chief of Staff

Stacy Opdycke  
Miramonte High School  
14 Ardor Drive  
Orinda, CA 94563

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SW-7

cc: Lorraine Camarano - 01 OEOB

November 2, 1987

Dear Senator Laxalt:

Howard Baker has asked me to thank you for your note of October 29 enclosing Mr. Henry Zenzie's letter to you regarding the recent economic developments in the stock exchange.

As you are aware, discussions are now underway between the Administration and congressional leaders concerning the budget deficit. As President Reagan said in his statement of October 27, these meetings come at a critical time, and although we have enjoyed the longest economic expansion on record, the events in the stock market have alerted us of potential dangers.

During this particularly important period, we appreciate your interest in sharing with the President Mr. Zenzie's perspective on the situation. I have taken the liberty of sharing his specific recommendations with those members of the Administration who are directly involved in the ongoing discussions. I am sure that they will find his comments informative and useful. Thank you again, for bringing them to our attention.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

William L. Ball, III  
Assistant to the President

The Honorable Paul Laxalt  
Finely, Kumble, Wagner, Heine,  
Underberg, Manley, Myerson & Casey  
1445 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20004

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cc: w/copy of inc to ~~Howard Baker~~ - FYI  
cc: w/copy of inc to Gordon Wheeler, OMB - FYI  
cc: w/copy of inc to John Meagher, cong affrs, Treasury - FYI  
cc: w/copy of inc to NSC Secretariat - FYI

November 2, 1987

Dear Mrs. Early:

Thank you for your thoughtful message. I appreciate your friendship, but I do not plan to run for office in 1988. It is my intention to serve President Reagan until the end of his term.

Your words of encouragement mean a great deal to me. Please accept my warm best wishes.

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mrs. Frank Early  
4632 East Fourth Street  
Tulsa, OK 74112-2731

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HHB-17

cc: Lorraine Camarano - 61 OEOB

November 2, 1987

Dear Mr. Grim:

Thank you for your thoughtful message. I appreciate your friendship, but I do not plan to run for office in 1988. It is my intention to serve President Reagan until the end of his term.

Your words of encouragement mean a great deal to me. Please accept my warm best wishes.

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. O. Joseph Grim  
10312 Cascade Lane  
Fairfax, VA 22032

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HNB-17

cc: Lorraine Camarano - 61 OEOB

November 2, 1987

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Hahn:

Thank you for your thoughtful message. I appreciate your friendship, but I do not plan to run for office in 1988. It is my intention to serve President Reagan until the end of his term.

Your words of encouragement mean a great deal to me. Please accept my warm best wishes.

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hahn  
Suite 1200  
100 West Monroe Street  
Chicago, IL 60603

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HNB-17

cc: Lorraine Camarano - 61 OEOB

November 2, 1987

Dear Mr. Williams:

Thank you for sending your message to me.

You have no idea how helpful it is for me to hear directly from the American people. I will keep your words in mind.

Please accept my best wishes.

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. F. Dennis Williams  
The Regent of Fiji  
Post Office Box 441  
Nadi  
Fiji

HHB/SW/WJB/RKS/jzfc  
HHB-12

cc: Lorraine Camarano - 61 OEOB

November 2, 1987

Dear Mr. Mally:

I am pleased to learn of the fine work you are doing. I have always admired the spirit of Americans who give of their time and abilities to make life better for others.

I am sure you will understand, however, that because of the large number of similar worthy endeavors brought to my attention each day, I cannot extend my personal support in the way you suggest.

I appreciate your efforts to reach me, and I send my best wishes for success in meeting your goals.

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. Stephen Mally  
New Concepts  
7425 University  
Middleton, WI 53562

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HNB-11

cc: Lorraine Camarano - 61 OEOB

November 2, 1987

Dear Mrs. Murdock:

Thank you for the material which you have thoughtfully sent to me.

With so much to be done here in Washington, I count on the help of the American people. I assure you that I will study this information and share it with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mrs. B. A. Murdock  
286 Indian Rock Road  
New Canaan, CT 06840

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HHB-10

cc: Lorraine Camarano - 61 OEOB

November 2, 1987

Dear Mr. Edwards:

Thank you for your interest in working in this Administration.

I have forwarded your correspondence to the appropriate members of the White House staff for their attention. Please be assured you will be given every consideration and your interest in a position at the White House will be noted and retained in our personnel files.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. Steve Edwards  
214A Justice Court, N.E.  
Washington, D.C. 20002

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HNB-4

cc: Presidential Personnel w/copy of inc.  
cc: Lorraine Camarano - 61 OEOB

November 2, 1987

Dear Mr. McDonald:

Thank you for your message recommending David Tews for appointment as Secretary of Labor.

Your correspondence has been forwarded to the appropriate White House staff member for further consideration. You may be assured that your comments will be thoroughly reviewed.

I appreciate your interest and send my best wishes.

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. Gordon L. McDonald  
President  
Nebraska State AFL-CIO  
4660 South 60th Avenue  
Omaha, NE 68117

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HHB-7

cc: Lorraine Camarano - 61 OEOB

cc: w/incoming to Katja Bullock

November 2, 1987

Dear Mr. Cyr:

Thank you for your recent message.

It was good of you to tell me where you stand on these significant issues. You have no idea how helpful it is for me to hear directly from the American people. I will share your comments with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. Gilbert R. Cyr  
1404 North Colony Road  
Meriden, CT 06450

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HHB-3A

cc: Lorraine Camarano - 61 OEOB

November 2, 1987

Dear Mr. Waldron:

Thank you for your recent message.

It was good of you to tell me where you stand on these significant issues. You have no idea how helpful it is for me to hear directly from the American people. I will share your comments with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. Russell L. Waldron  
1461 Shelby Drive  
Fairfield, CA 94533

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HHB-3A

cc: Lorraine Camarano - 61 OEOB

November 2, 1987

Dear Mr. Jones:

Thank you for your recent message.

It was good of you to tell me where you stand on these significant issues. You have no idea how helpful it is for me to hear directly from the American people. I will share your comments with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. Noel G. Jones, Jr.  
2644 Loy Lake Road  
Denison, TX 75020

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HHB-3A

cc: Lorraine Camarano - 61 OEOB

November 2, 1987

Dear Mr. Kelly:

Thank you for your recent message.

It was good of you to tell me where you stand on these significant issues. You have no idea how helpful it is for me to hear directly from the American people. I will share your comments with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. L. E. Kelly  
7 Mile Ridge  
Burnsville, North Carolina 28714

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HHB-3A

cc: Lorraine Camarano - 61 OEOB

November 2, 1987

Dear Mr. Fry:

Thank you for your recent message.

It was good of you to tell me where you stand on these significant issues. You have no idea how helpful it is for me to hear directly from the American people. I will share your comments with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. Raymond N. Fry  
1808 El Mar Lane  
Seabrook, Texas 77586

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HHB-3A

cc: Lorraine Camarano - 61 OEOB

November 2, 1987

Dear Mr. McCan:

Thank you for your recent message.

It was good of you to tell me where you stand on these significant issues. You have no idea how helpful it is for me to hear directly from the American people. I will share your comments with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. Bud McCan  
2469 Gulf View Drive  
Bay City, Texas 77414

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HHB-3A

cc: Lorraine Camarano - 61 OEOB

November 2, 1987

Dear Mr. Stalter:

Thank you for your recent message.

It was good of you to tell me where you stand on these significant issues. You have no idea how helpful it is for me to hear directly from the American people. I will share your comments with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. David E. Stalter  
1235 39th Avenue, East  
Seattle, WA 98112

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HHB-3A

cc: Lorraine Camarano - 61 OEOB

November 2, 1987

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Martin:

Thank you for your recent message.

It was good of you to tell me where you stand on these significant issues. You have no idea how helpful it is for me to hear directly from the American people. I will share your comments with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Martin  
513 Grand Hill  
St. Paul, MN 55102

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HHB-3A

cc: Lorraine Camarano - 61 OEOB

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

November 3, 1987

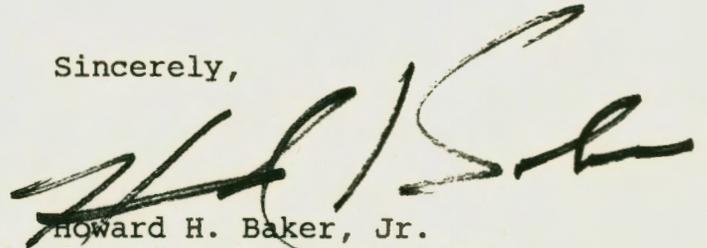
Dear Judge Kennedy:

I have today conveyed to the President your gratitude.

I thoroughly enjoyed our brief time together, and you are a distinguished jurist.

Good wishes.

Sincerely,



Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

The Honorable Anthony M. Kennedy  
United States Circuit Judge  
United States Court of Appeals for  
the Ninth Circuit  
Suite 1400  
555 Capitol Mall  
Sacramento, CA 95814

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THE WHITE HOUSE

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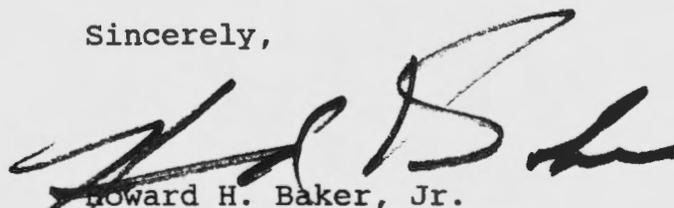
November 3, 1987

Dear Judge Wilkins:

I thoroughly enjoyed our brief time together, and you are a distinguished jurist.

Good wishes.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "H. Baker, Jr.", written in a cursive style.

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

The Honorable William W. Wilkins, Jr.  
United States Circuit Judge  
United States Court of Appeals for  
the Fourth Circuit  
Post Office Box 10857  
Greenville, SC 29603

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

November 3, 1987

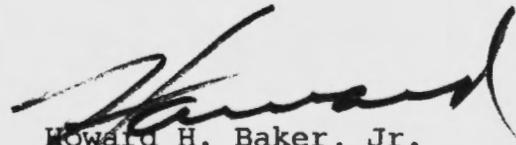
Dear Bill:

I will look into the Burnham matter and do what I can.

How am I? Well it varies from day to day. I enjoy it most days -- but not every day.

Good wishes.

Sincerely,



Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. William F. Buckley, Jr.  
Editor  
National Review  
150 East 35th Street  
New York, NY 10016

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

November 3, 1987

Dear Guilford:

I appreciate your letter. Let me see what I can do about adding your name to a list for any State Dinner that might be given for Gorbachev. State Dinner lists are prepared in the East Wing, and we have very little input, but I will look into it.

Good wishes.

Sincerely,



Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. Guilford Glazer  
1901 Avenue of the Stars  
Century City  
Los Angeles, CA 90067

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WASHINGTON

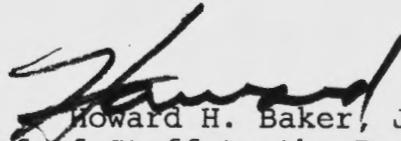
November 3, 1987

Dear Jac:

The points you raise are all too familiar. The White House and bipartisan representatives of the House and Senate are trying to find the proper compromise. Social Security is such a political land mine that it is difficult to get anyone to face that issue.

Maybe you and I can talk about that some day.

Sincerely,



Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. Jac Chambliss  
Chambliss, Bahner, Crutchfield,  
Gaston & Irvine  
1000 Tallan Building  
Two Union Square  
Chattanooga, TN 37402

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WASHINGTON

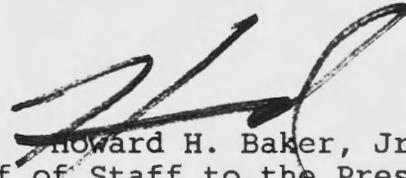
November 3, 1987

Dear Earl:

Thanks for the letter, tie, and photograph.

It was a good day and I enjoyed it.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'H. Baker, Jr.', written over a horizontal line.

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. Earl H. Zwingle  
210 Post Street  
Apartment #201  
San Francisco, CA 94108

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November 4, 1987

Dear Ed:

Thank you for your letter of October 23 and for the wonderful news of my nomination and selection as the Centennial Alumnus of The University of Tennessee.

Due to a prior commitment in my schedule, I will not be able to be with you at the luncheon on November 10. Nevertheless, as you so kindly suggested, I'll look forward to accepting the award sometime when I am in Knoxville.

Again, I'm honored to receive this special recognition, and I look forward to seeing you all, hopefully very soon.

Warm regards,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Dr. Edward J. Boling  
President  
The University of Tennessee  
Suite 800  
Andy Holt Tower  
Knoxville, TN 37996-0180

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cc: Lorraine Camarano, Room 61, OEOB

November 4, 1987

Dear Walt:

Little did you know (or at least you didn't say) when you submitted your op-ed piece what the last two weeks would bring! I had not thought fully about the parallels between the interwar period and the present day until I read your piece. As you suggest, we are making some progress on the various fronts, but we need to do more. I think we have a chance to do exactly that in the next month or two if everyone works together. Oddly enough, the silver lining of the shock on Wall Street is a renewed interest in cooperation, and I hope we can capitalize on it.

Keep me apprised of your thoughts as things develop.

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

The Honorable Walt W. Rostow  
Department of Economics  
College of Liberal Arts  
The University of Texas  
at Austin  
Austin, Texas 78712-1183

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cc: Lorraine Camarano, Room 61, OEOB

November 4, 1987

Dear Mr. Oman:

Tom Griscom has brought your October 12 letter to Senator Baker's attention. He appreciates your thoughtful invitation to address the Iowa Republican Party's fundraiser on December 5 in Des Moines.

Regrettably, the demands of Senator Baker's schedule will not allow him the pleasure of participating in out-of-Washington fundraising events, and he has adopted the policy of declining such invitations. I hope you will understand.

Senator Baker asked me to thank you for your kindness, and he sends you his warm best wishes.

— Sincerely,

Lura Nell Mitchell  
Personal Assistant  
to the Chief of Staff

The Honorable David A. Oman  
Co-Chairman  
The Republican Party of Iowa  
1540 High Street  
Des Moines, Iowa 50309

cc: Tom Griscom  
cc: Lorraine Camarano Room 61  
LNM:LRC:CAD:AVH:jfe (pc2-c)

November 4, 1987

Dear Mr. Shrum:

Thank you for your October 27 letter requesting support from Senator Baker to have the Vice President address the 66th National 4-H Council Congress on December 8 in Chicago.

I've conveyed your request to the Vice President, and you can be sure your invitation will be given every consideration.

With Senator Baker's best wishes,

Sincerely,

Sue Walkup  
Special Assistant  
to the Chief of Staff

Mr. Grant A. Shrum  
President  
National 4-H Council  
7100 Connecticut Avenue  
Chevy Chase, MD 20815

cc: Tammy Martin, with incoming, Room 263 OEOb  
cc: Lorraine Camarano, 61, oeob  
SW:LRC:CAD:AVH:jfc (pc2-c)  
Shrum.SW

November 4, 1987

Dear Mr. Davis:

Thank you for your recent letter expressing your opposition to the provision in the Senate-passed trade bill requiring advance notice to employees of plant closings and layoffs of 50 or more employees during any 90-day period.

The Administration will insist on removal of the Senate provision during the House-Senate conference on the trade bill. Contrary to the reported objectives of trade legislation, mandatory advance notice would make American industry less competitive, not more.

In his most recent letter to the Senate on this legislation, the Secretary of Labor stated that inclusion of any mandatory plant closing provisions would make it impossible for the President's senior advisors to recommend approval of a trade bill.

Thank you for sharing your views.

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. William H. Davis  
Group Vice President  
Emerson Electric Company  
641 Alpha Drive  
Pittsburgh, PA 15238

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cc: Lorraine Camarano - Rm. 61 - OEOB  
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November 5, 1987

Dear Congressman Weldon:

Thank you for your kind invitation. I am honored that you would think of asking me to participate in a special briefing of your friends and supporters on December 14.

Regrettably, the heavy demands of my schedule have forced me to decline. However, you have my best wishes for a successful session.

Warm regards.

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

The Honorable Curt Weldon  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

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HHB-14

cc: Lorraine Camarano - 61 OEOB

November 5, 1987

Dear Mr. Albertine:

Thank you for your letter to Senator Baker inviting him to participate in ASAE's celebrity interview session at your annual conference on May 13, 1988.

I hope you'll understand that a definite answer this far in advance is not possible. If you would like to send a follow-up invitation closer to the date of the event, we will be happy to give it every consideration.

With Senator Baker's best wishes,

Sincerely,

Lura Nell Mitchell  
Personal Assistant  
to the Chief of Staff

Mr. James J. Albertine  
Director of Government Affairs  
American Society of  
Association Executives  
The ASAE Building  
1575 Eye Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20005-1168

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LNM-4

cc: Lorraine Camarano, Room 61 OEOB

November 5, 1987

Dear Jim:

Thanks for sending along the Business Roundtable material on the trade bills. You, your staff, and the Roundtable have been enormously helpful on this issue. I continue to hope that we can work out a constructive bill.

Please keep me posted.

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. James D. Robinson III  
Chairman  
American Express Company  
American Express Tower  
World Financial Center  
New York, NY 10285-5100

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cc: Lorraine Camarano, 61 OEOB

November 5, 1987

Dear Charlie:

Thanks for your thoughtful letter supporting the nomination of Frederick B. Abramson for the District of Columbia Court of Appeals.

I value your judgment and have conveyed your assessment of Mr. Abramson's qualifications to the White House Office of Legal Counsel for further review. You may be sure he will be given every consideration.

Again, thanks for writing. Warmest regards.

- Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. Charles W. Cook, Jr.  
Chairman  
Third National Corporation  
Nashville, TN 37244

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cc: Lorraine Camarano, 61 OEOB  
A.B. Culvahouse

November 5, 1987

Dear Charlie:

It was certainly a pleasure for me to participate in USIA's International Council Conference last month. You gathered together a group of very bright and accomplished individuals from around the world.

I wholeheartedly support the thrust of the International Council and hope to be of help in furthering its goals.

Warm regards.

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

The Honorable Charles Z. Wick  
Director  
U.S. Information Agency  
Washington, D.C. 20547

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cc: Lorraine Camarano, 61 OEOB

November 5, 1987

Dear Mr. Wolff:

I appreciate the copy of the Semiconductor Industry Association's report on the semiconductor sanctions. As the report concludes, we have made some advances, but we have a ways to go. It appears that additional progress has been made even since the issuance of your report. Let's hope it continues.

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. Alan Wm. Wolff  
Dewey, Ballantine, Bushby,  
Palmer and Wood  
1775 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20006

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cc: Lorraine Camarano, 61 OEOB

November 5, 1987

Dear Waller:

Thank you for your follow-up letter of October 5.

I'm delighted to send you the photograph of the President you requested, duly inscribed and autographed. It looks very "California" to me, and I hope you enjoy having it.

With warm regards,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. Waller Taylor II  
Suite 1000  
523 West 6th Street  
Los Angeles, CA 90014

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Enclosure: Inscribed & autographed RR photo

cc: Lorraine Camarano, 61 OEOB

November 5, 1987

Dear Judge Alaimo:

Thank you for your letter of October 23 recommending Judge Gerald Bard Tjoflat to the position of Associate Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court.

I appreciate having the benefit of your informed opinion, and I've shared your letter and the materials you enclosed with the members of the President's judicial selection team for their information.

As I'm sure you know, the President has announced his choice of Judge Douglas Ginsburg, U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia, as his nominee for the Supreme Court. Judge Ginsburg is superbly qualified, and the President has urged the Senate to consider and promptly approve his nomination.

Again, thank you for writing and recommending Judge Tjoflat.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

The Honorable Anthony A. Alaimo  
Chief Judge  
United States District Court  
Southern District of Georgia  
Brunswick, GA 31521

HHB/MO/AVH/lynn (pc2-c)

cc: Lorraine Camarano, 61 OEOB  
A.B. Culvahouse w/inc

November 5, 1987

Dear Robert:

Thank you for your letter of October 22 inviting me to visit with fellow Tennesseans at the Chattanooga Rotary Club. Thanks especially for the warm words.

Unfortunately, the demands of my schedule don't allow me to participate in many out-of-Washington events. However, I'll certainly keep your invitation in mind if I'm to be in your area anytime in the future.

Please extend my best wishes to all the Chattanooga Rotarians.

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. Robert F. Huffaker  
Huffaker and Associates, Inc.  
Post Office Box 6217  
300 High Street  
Chattanooga, TN 37401

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cc: Lorraine Camarano - Rm. 61 - OEOB

November 5, 1987

Dear Linda:

Thank you for the kind invitation to the reception Senator Hatch is hosting on November 10 to help you launch your congressional campaign.

Regrettably, a previous commitment for that date will prevent me from being with you. However, please accept my best wishes for success in your fundraiser and in your campaign to represent the people of Virginia's Fifth Congressional District.

With warm regards,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mrs. Linda L. Arey Skladany  
Suite A803  
2301 E Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20037

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cc: Lorraine Camarano, 61 OEOR

November 5, 1987

Dear Mrs. Grady:

Thank you so much for your letter and the old newspaper clippings you enclosed.

It was fascinating as well as nostalgic to read through them. It might interest you to know that, in the course of looking over what you sent, I came across an article about the Vice President's father, Prescott Bush, and the Senate race in which he was involved at the time. I passed the article along to the Vice President, and he was very appreciative.

Again, thank you for writing. The enclosed photograph comes to you with my best wishes.

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

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November 5, 1987

Dear Mrs. Clark:

I am pleased to learn of the fine work you are doing. I have always admired the spirit of Americans who give of their time and abilities to make life better for others.

I am sure you will understand, however, that because of the large number of similar worthy endeavors brought to my attention each day, I cannot extend my personal support in the way you suggest.

I appreciate your efforts to reach me, and I send my best wishes for success in meeting your goals.

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mrs. Laurie Clark  
Ways and Means Committee  
Parris Island Officers Wives Club  
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November 5, 1987

Dear Ms. Wills:

Thank you for the material which you have thoughtfully sent to me.

With so much to be done here in Washington, I count on the help of the American people. I assure you that I will study this information and share it with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

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Dear Mr. Hahn:

Thank you for the material which you have thoughtfully sent to me.

With so much to be done here in Washington, I count on the help of the American people. I assure you that I will study this information and share it with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. Kenneth Hahn  
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November 5, 1987

Dear Mr. Perry:

Thank you for your recent message.

It was good of you to tell me where you stand on these significant issues. You have no idea how helpful it is for me to hear directly from the American people. I will share your comments with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

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Dear Mr. Sprung:

Thank you for your recent message.

It was good of you to tell me where you stand on these significant issues. You have no idea how helpful it is for me to hear directly from the American people. I will share your comments with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
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Dear Mr. Rogers:

Thank you for your recent message.

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With best wishes,

Sincerely,

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Dear Dr. Ighani:

Thank you for your recent message.

It was good of you to tell me where you stand on these significant issues. You have no idea how helpful it is for me to hear directly from the American people. I will share your comments with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

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November 5, 1987

Dear Mr. Fahling:

Thank you for your recent message.

It was good of you to tell me where you stand on these significant issues. You have no idea how helpful it is for me to hear directly from the American people. I will share your comments with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

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Dear Mr. Annunziato:

Thank you for your recent message.

It was good of you to tell me where you stand on these significant issues. You have no idea how helpful it is for me to hear directly from the American people. I will share your comments with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mr. S. F. Annunziato  
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Dear Mrs. Stewart:

Thank you for your recent message.

It was good of you to tell me where you stand on these significant issues. You have no idea how helpful it is for me to hear directly from the American people. I will share your comments with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mrs. Louise Stewart  
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Dear Mrs. Ronay:

Thank you for your recent message.

It was good of you to tell me where you stand on these significant issues. You have no idea how helpful it is for me to hear directly from the American people. I will share your comments with the appropriate members of the White House staff.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

Mrs. Bernice Ronay  
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November 5, 1987

Dear Jason:

Thank you for your message to the Chief of Staff. He especially enjoys hearing from students across the United States who take the time to share their thoughts with him.

While Mr. Baker would like to personally answer each and every letter he receives, the heavy volume of mail prevents him from doing so. Nevertheless, he appreciates your thoughtfulness in writing and hopes you will always take an active interest in the concerns of our country. America's future rests in your hands!

With Mr. Baker's warm best wishes,

Sincerely,

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Special Assistant  
to the Chief of Staff

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November 5, 1987

Dear Missy:

Thank you for your message to the Chief of Staff. He especially enjoys hearing from students across the United States who take the time to share their thoughts with him.

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With Mr. Baker's warm best wishes,

Sincerely,

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November 5, 1987

Dear Simon:

It was indeed a pleasure to see you again after such a long time; I thoroughly enjoyed our conversation at lunch. Your kind remarks and pleasant thoughts mean a great deal to me.

Thanks for sending over the materials on the Interagency Task Force on Trade. I will review these portfolios with interest.

Hopefully, it will not be another seven years before our paths again cross!

With warm regards,

Sincerely,

Howard H. Baker, Jr.  
Chief of Staff to the President

The Honorable Simon C. Fireman  
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