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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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TO : Mr. Bishop

DATE: 11-20-70

FROM : M. A. Jones

*Directors Press Conference*

SUBJECT

[Redacted]

*Re: Ramsey Clark's Book*

MUTUAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM  
FAVORABLE EDITORIAL COMMENTS  
CONCERNING DIRECTOR

*11-17-70*

[Redacted] made an editorial comment concerning the Director's recent interview with the press and the charges made against the Director by Ramsey Clark. This editorial comment was made over the Mutual Broadcasting System and heard over a number of outlets. It was carried on Radio Station WAVA, Arlington, Virginia, on November 19th.

*Director's Controversy with Ramsey Clark*

[Redacted] briefly reviewed the charges made by Clark and the salient facts of the Director's interview. [Redacted] points out that the Black Panthers are a danger to the Nation and this is evident from statements made by Black Panthers. He also said that few in this Nation today "are not unaware of the magnificent record of achievement of Mr. Hoover's Bureau and what it has accomplished for our safety and sanity over the years."

Mr. Clark also refers to the criticism of Senator George McGovern who terms the Director's remarks as disgraceful and beneath his dignity. [Redacted] comments that... "the FBI has never been political and if Mr. McGovern thinks he is speaking for all Democrats, he may have pulled the slip of the year or a career. Now as an American, I think that I will put my faith in the FBI ahead of any politician of any party anytime, and I have a slight feeling that I'm not alone at all." Bufiles contain no references to [Redacted] Transcript of broadcast attached.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the attached letter of appreciation be sent to [Redacted]

ENCLOSURE

- Enclosures sent *TEBN*
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan - Enclosures
- 1 - Mr. Bishop - Enclosures
- 1 - Mr. A. Jones - Enclosures

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MUTUAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM,  
NEW YORK, NEW YORK  
COMMENTS REGARDING THE DIRECTOR  
AND THE BUREAU 11/19/70,  
CARRIED OVER RADIO STATION WAVA  
ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA

Another center ring has been set up in political Washington, D. C., and the two contenders have a real show on their hands. In one corner, J. Edgar Hoover, described by his opponent as self-centered, not tolerant of criticism, a man with an ideology of a different time and these were the quotes from Ramsey Clark, former Attorney General, whom J. Edgar Hoover, head of the Bureau of Investigation, the FBI, called a "jellyfish," the worst Attorney General he has ever encountered; even worse, as he put it, than Robert Kennedy.

J. Edgar Hoover is not one to give many, if any, interviews and this one was prompted by the publication of the former Attorney General's new book, "Crime in America," and in it Clark charges that Hoover's self-centered concern for his own reputation led the FBI into glory seeking rather than effective crime control, and Clark also charged the FBI was tardy in moving against organized crime and that a conflict resulted between Hoover and Robert Kennedy, whom Clark said was the first Attorney General to have a commitment to control organized crime.

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ENCLOSURE

Well, back came J. Edgar Hoover, back to blast Clark, stated that Bobby Kennedy wanted to loosen the standards and the qualifications of the FBI. He wanted to discard the requirement that agents hold degrees in law or accounting. He said Kennedy even wanted to discard the bachelor's degree as a requirement. In short, said J. Edgar Hoover, Kennedy wanted more Negro agents, and J. Edgar Hoover then related--told Kennedy the FBI had white, Negro, Indian, Chinese agents, all kinds of agents. He told Kennedy to get himself a new Director, went to the White House, talked to President Johnson, who backed him, and Hoover never spoke to Robert Kennedy again.

It's a good fight, this one, because it's opening some past pages of history and lays on the line the big problems of government. Two intelligent men, two men of service with completely opposite views on problems facing this Nation today.

Let's look at the views of J. Edgar Hoover and Ramsey Clark. Hoover blames college administrators and faculty; he blames them as much as a small group of students with a wave of campus disruption. He says they would stop if college presidents had the courage and guts to expel and make it stick. Hoover said he was disappointed to read in various publications that the FBI concluded various things about the Kent University shootings, stating the FBI does not make recommendations

or draw conclusions because it is a fact-finding agency. Hoover believes law enforcement officials must adhere to strict standards. He is concerned with the increasing danger to their safety and does not want the FBI to become a national police force, something he has opposed since he became Director in 1924.

Ramsey Clark, well he says new leadership is needed and he has singled out the FBI's pursuit of the Communist Party as an example of a terrible, wasteful use of resources. He also says the FBI is slow in investigating civil rights violence and unlawful police conduct. He also criticized Hoover for the FBI treatment of the Black Panthers, whom Hoover incidentally has described as the most dangerous group in this Nation. Clark says the FBI outnumbered the Black Panthers seven to one, and if they can't handle it they should have stayed in bed.

And on and on it goes like the old wheel of fortune, but now a little thinking out loud. Ramsey Clark may not be too worried about the Black Panthers, but if you believe what the Panthers have to say, forgetting what the FBI says, this Nation has a lot to worry about unless, of course, revolution and anarchy are suddenly ignorable and as far as it being a time-wasting effort to pursue the communist menace in this Nation, I remind you that two great leaders, both brothers, John and Robert Kennedy were assassinated by men whose allegiance to leftist causes was obvious and deliberate.

Mr. Ramsey Clark may have had his differences with J. Edgar Hoover and the same with Robert Kennedy; however, few if any, in this Nation today are not unaware of the magnificent record of achievement of Mr. Hoover's Bureau and what it has accomplished for our safety and our sanity over these many years.

Senator George McGovern, who wants to be President, has come out to say that Mr. Hoover's remarks were disgraceful and beneath his dignity. Now the FBI has never been political and if Mr. McGovern thinks he is speaking for all Democrats, he may have pulled the slip of the year or a career. Now as an American, I think that I will put my faith in the FBI ahead of any politician of any party anytime, and I have a slight feeling that I'm not alone at all.

This is  and that is my commentary for today.

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November 30, 1970

[Redacted]

Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for your letter of November 23rd. It was certainly thoughtful of you to write and comment as you did regarding my administration of the FBI. Your kind sentiments and support mean a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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NOV 30 1970  
COMM-FBI

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November 23, 1970

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- Mr. Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
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- Mr. Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
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- Mr. Callahan b7C
- Mr. Casper \_\_\_\_\_
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*Directors Controversy With Ramsey Clark*

Dear Mr. Hoover,

Thank you for calling Ramsey Clark a jellyfish although I think you do the innocent jellyfish a disservice. Additionally, you should have called him a "traitorous jellyfish" rather than a plain jellyfish.

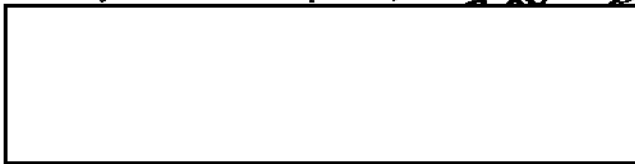
It is reprehensible and totally irresponsible of him to give aid and comfort to communists and communist-inclined groups such as the Black Panthers.

If we had a few more J. Edgar Hoovers and fewer visionaries and traitors in Washington, our country would not face the perils we face today.

It makes me sick to think of the fine men who have given their lives for America only to have people like Ramsey Clark attempt, either consciously or through stupidity, to tear down the greatest form of civilization ever contrived on earth.

My sincere thanks to you for the vigilant and thorough job that you and your men have always done. It is my hope and prayer that you personally will continue on the job with your aggressive, vigorous, common-sense approach toward identifying and containing the enemies of this country and our society generally.

My sincere respects,



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The Honorable J. Edgar Hoover  
Director, The Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

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EX-106

November 27, 1970

Mr. W. Marvin Gheesling  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Detroit, Michigan

Dear Mr. Gheesling:

Thank you for your letter of November 18th in which  
you expressed your support of my administration of the FBI.

Communications such as yours are most encouraging, and you may  
be sure I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Special Agent W. Marvin Gheesling EOD as a clerk 3/3/41 and  
as a Special Agent 12/18/50. His last performance rating was excellent.

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Directors Contrasey with  
Ramsey Clark

November 18, 1970

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director,  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

EXP. PROC. 30  
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Dear Mr. Hoover:

I have just read newspaper articles containing Ramsey Clark's reported comments concerning you personally, the FBI and its Special Agents.

He is a big liar and I want you to know that you have my 100 per cent support. I also would like to express to you my sincere appreciation for the eloquent and effective manner you have always demonstrated in combating those who have tried to belittle and weaken the Bureau. I am certain that Ramsey Clark will be among those who have failed to discredit you and the Bureau.

Sincerely yours,  
*W. Marvin Gheesling*  
W. Marvin Gheesling  
Special Agent

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November 25, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

I want to express my appreciation to you and your family for your thoughtful card of Thanksgiving greetings and your letter dated November 18th. Your kind remarks regarding my administration of the FBI mean a great deal to me as does your support of our activities. I hope our endeavors will continue to merit your approval.

I certainly hope all of you will enjoy a festive holiday.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles reflect limited cordial correspondence with [Redacted] who sent the Director a Birthday Card<sup>M</sup> 1970.

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OFFICE OF DIRECTOR  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

MR. TOLSON \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. SULLIVAN \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. MOHR \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. BISHOP \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. BRENNAN, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. CALLAHAN \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. CASPER \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. CONRAD \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. FELT \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. GALE \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. ROSEN \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. TAVEL \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. WALTERS \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. SOYARS \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. JONES \_\_\_\_\_  
TELE. ROOM \_\_\_\_\_  
MISS HOLMES \_\_\_\_\_  
MRS. METCALF \_\_\_\_\_  
MISS GANDY \_\_\_\_\_

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Nov. 18, 1970

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Just a brief note to express our admiration for both yourself and your Direction of the FBI. Though potentially a mighty weapon, the FBI, because of your devotion to "Fidelity, Bravery, Integrity", is considered by most Americans as a trusted guardian and powerful ally. Consequently, generations of us sleep peacefully, our dreams undisturbed by the nightmare of a National or Secret Police, and this is just another reason to celebrate Thanksgiving.

Incidentally, please don't let the childish and pathetic antics of Ramsey Clark and other jellyfish like him, disturb you in any way. Clark is simply trying to obtain publicity for his book, which otherwise would not rate newspaper space alongside of mouthwash ads.

The titmouse, longing to soar with the eagle and finding that he is incapable and unworthy, must content himself with pecking the eagle's shadow.

God Bless you and the FBI.

Very sincerely,

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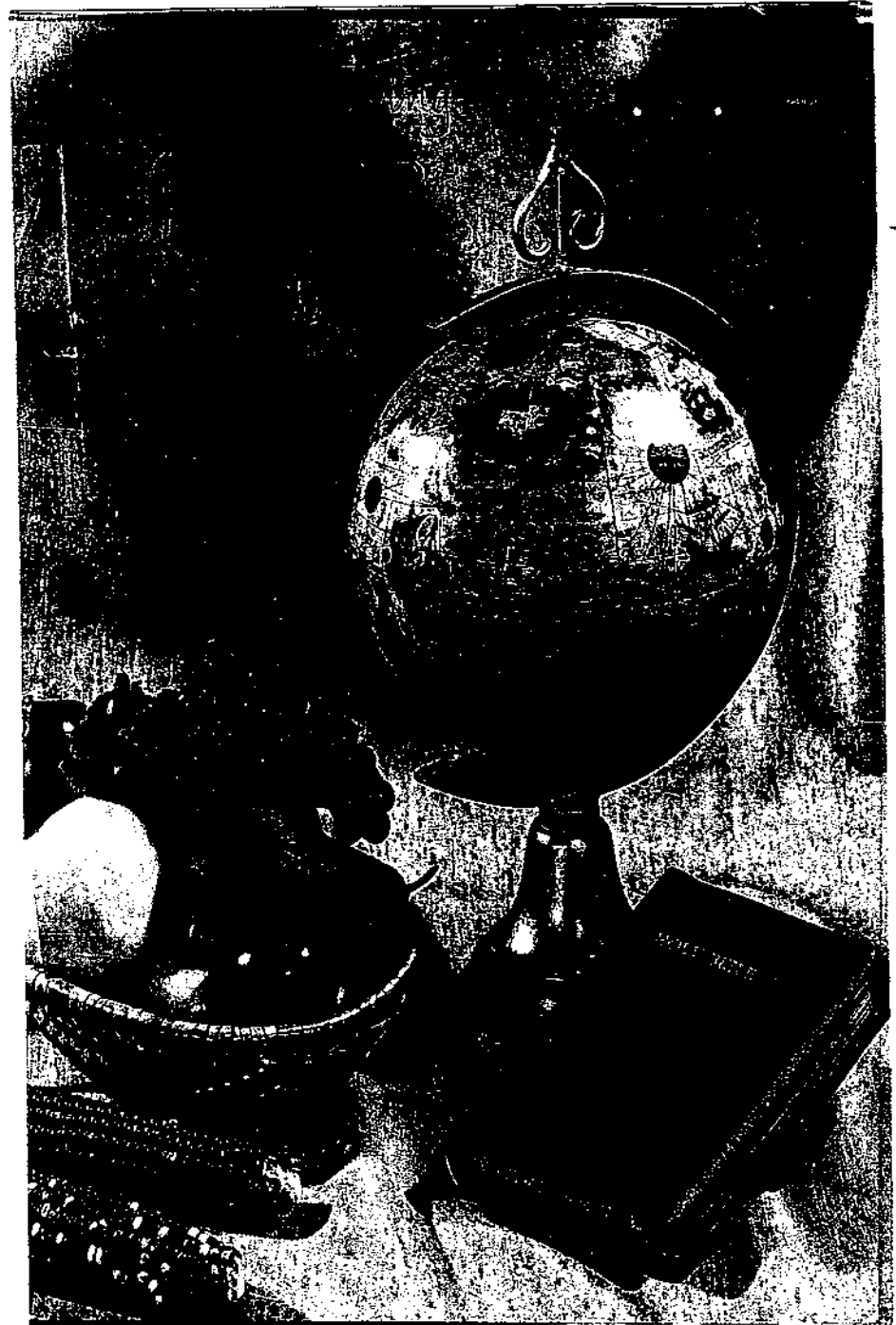
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Dear Mr. Hoover

At this very special season

We give thanks to God above

For all His many blessings,

His goodness and His love...

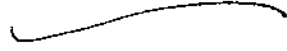
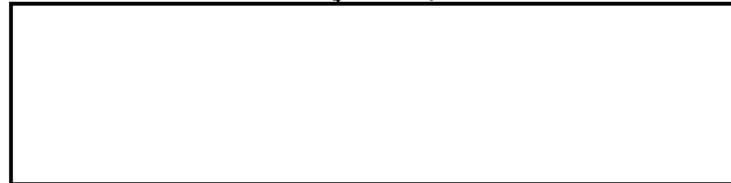
And so this brings a special prayer

That He'll look down and bless

Thanksgiving Day and every day

With health and happiness.

Best Wishes



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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

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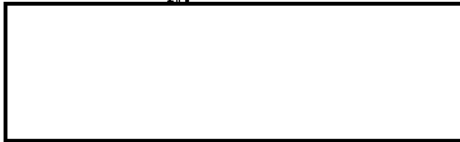
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November 27, 1970

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Dear



Thank you for your letter which was received on November 23rd. It was certainly thoughtful of you to write and comment as you did concerning my administration of the FBI. I am indeed grateful for your kind sentiments and support which mean a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: There is no record of correspondent in Bufiles.

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Mr. Hoover:

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After being silent too long I must write to commend you on your many years of devoted service to me, my family and every decent law-abiding, patriotic citizen of this country. The recent criticism you have come under makes this letter necessary, so you do realize there are many milions of "Silent Joes," like myself who have the same sentiments.

In talking to my co-workers, friends, neighbors, etc. I conclude there is still a vast majority of patriotic, law-abiding citizens, who will very shortly, react to, the lawlessness, disrespect for authority, and the judge coddling of criminals who are decaying our correct way of life of LAW & ORDER.

Again thank you for your devotion despite the diffuculty of your position, and "God Bless You"



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Edgar Hoover  
Director FBI  
Washington, DC

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Director's Controversy With  
Ramsey Clark  
Mr. Hoover

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November 27, 1970

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Dear

[Redacted]

Thank you for your letter of November 20th in which you expressed your support of my administration of the FBI. Communications such as yours are most encouraging, and you may be sure I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: [Redacted] s on the Special Correspondents List.

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The Honorable J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
 Federal Bureau of Investigation  
 U. S. Department of Justice  
 Washington, D. C. 20535

*Director's Controversy With Ramsey Clark*

Dear Mr. Hoover:

You haven't lost any friends by your remarks on Ramsey Clark, and those  
 that rally to his banner never were in your corner.

Clark more or less documented your appraisal of his capabilities by his  
 remark about the Black Panthers. Perhaps the widow of dead or wounded  
 police officers who have been the victims of the violence encouraged and  
 actually performed by the Panthers should assemble for a demonstration on  
 Mr. Clark's front porch.

With best wishes and kindest regards,

Very truly yours,



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November 27, 1970

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Dear

I have received your communication of November 20th and want to thank you for your thoughtfulness. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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COMM-FBI

NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles.

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11/20/70

Dear Mr. Hoover

Many thanks to you for the splendid work accomplished by you and your department thru the years.

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Honorable J. E. Hoover  
Director, FBI  
Washington, D. C.

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Mr. Brennan CD	.....
Mr. Callahan	.....
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Director's Controversy with Ramsey Clark

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Dear [Redacted]

Your communication was received on November 23rd and I want to thank you for your generous comments. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
 Department of Justice  
 Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I was delighted to read in this morning's newspaper your reply to some idle prattle of a former Attorney General of the United States.

The greatest delight, Mr. Director, was in re-discovery of you as a vibrant human being, something which you have neglected to keep those who admire you fully appraised of.

And please remember, a competent-- not great, competent, Justice of the Supreme Court, gave up his seat so that nincompoop could become AG. It boggles the mind.

As for you, sir, speak out more often. We need you.

Very truly yours,



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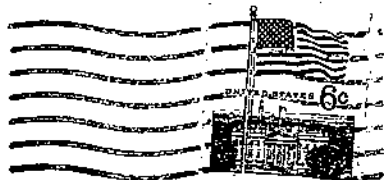
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Mr. John Edgar Hoover  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C.

November 27, 1970

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APO New York 09046

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Dear [Redacted]

I have received your communication of November 19th and want to thank you for your thoughtfulness. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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*Directors Controversy With Ramsey Clark* 11/19/70

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

I read with interest the article in the International Herald Tribune, "Hoover Calls Ramsey Clark 'Jellyfish' as Attorney General."

Excellent! My thoughts exactly. As a junior high school teacher I can tell you that permissiveness is as bad as a dictatorship. A good strong balance is needed in the classroom and in the schools. Anarchy in our society is pure folly.

Congratulations on your courage. Believe me you are not alone. There are many who feel like you do and the line behind you is long.

Very truly yours,

[Redacted Signature Box]

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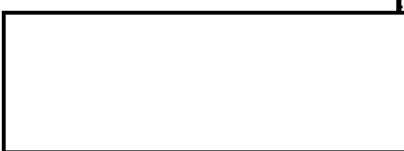
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Beeblingen American School  
APO 09046 New York, N.Y.

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Mr. Sullivan  
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Mr. Bishop  
Mr. Brennan  
Mr. Callahan  
Mr. Casper  
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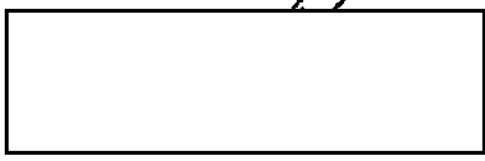
Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Just wanted to drop you a line to let you know we support your views regarding the infamous black panthers and the vile communist party.

Ramsey Clark indeed was a jellyfish. Hooray for you.

Very truly yours,



Director's Controversy With Ramsey Clark

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November 18, 1970

DIRE. FOR S. PRESS CONFERENCE

Re Ramsey Clark's book  
Mr. Ramsey Clark's book

Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Clark:

I have just read your statements about Mr. Hoover and am reminded of the words of the great Dr. Samuel Johnson, "Language must show a man speak that I may know thee." You have spoken as if "I know thee" now. I do not like what I now know. I think your statements about the Black Panthers in which you tend to "pook-pook" Mr. Hoover's concern about this openly dangerous threat to law and order - a group clearly bent on anarchy - this tells me all I need to know about you.

I am a Democrat but your kind is beginning to turn me. Thanks for "speaking" so that I may "know you"

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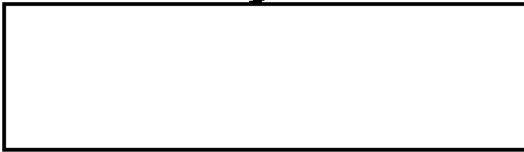
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Dear

Thank you for the kind remarks in your telegram of November 17th. Your support is most encouraging and it was certainly thoughtful of you to give me your views.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Bufiles disclose no prior correspondence with and there is no derogatory information in file.

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1 copy J. Edgar Hoover post office  
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WE OF MINNESOTA SUPPORT YOUR STATEMENT OF RAMSEY CLARK. YOUR  
FRIEND AND FELLOW AMERICAN

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CC: Mr. Bishop

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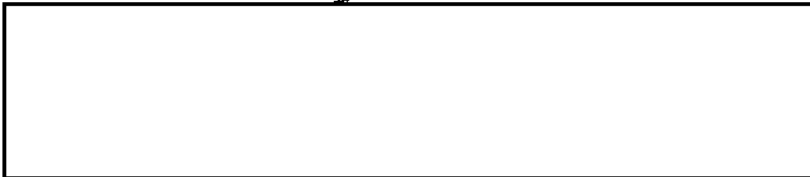
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Dear

Thank you for your note which was received on November 18th. Your support is most encouraging and it is my hope our future efforts will continue to merit your approval.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles.

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 (November 18, 1970)

- [Signature]* ✓ MR. TOLSON
- MR. SULLIVAN
- MR. MOHR
- MR. BISHOP ✓
- MR. BRENNAN, C.D.
- MR. CALLAHAN
- MR. CASPER
- MR. CONRAD
- MR. FELT
- MR. GALE
- MR. ROSEN
- MR. TAVEL
- MR. WALTERS
- MR. SOYARS
- MR. JONES
- TELE. ROOM
- MISS HOLMES
- MRS. METCALF
- MISS GANDY

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Congratulations and thank you  
 for standing up to Ramsey Clark.

Sincerely,

[Redacted Signature]

*Director's Controversy*  
*With Ramsey Clark*  
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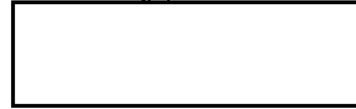
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Dear Mr. Homer:

Congratulations  
and thank you for  
standing up to  
Ramsey Clark.

Sincerely,



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Dear

Thank you for your communication of November 17th.  
Your remarks are greatly appreciated and I am encouraged by your support.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

11-17-70  
Louisville Ky

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover:

Thanks for speaking out to the Press what I always thought of Ramsey Clark.

Resp. yours



- MR. TOLSON ✓
- MR. SULLIVAN ✓
- MR. MOHR ✓
- MR. BISHOP ✓
- MR. STENNIS, C.D. ✓
- MR. CALLAHAN
- MR. CASPER
- MR. CONRAD
- MR. FELT
- MR. GALE
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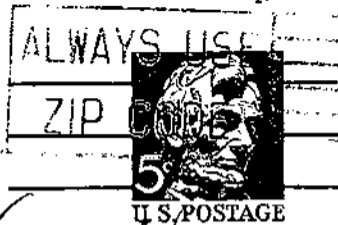
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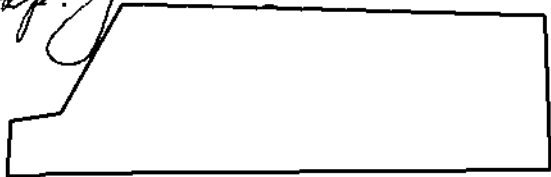
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November 23, 1970

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Dear

Your letter was received on November 19th and I very much appreciate the support you have expressed for my work over the years. Your comments are indeed encouraging and it was most thoughtful of you to write.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Bufiles disclose one prior outgoing to correspondent dated 12/3/64 in reply to her/commending the Director on his administration of the Bureau.

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Mr. Casper	
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CORRESPONDENCE

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
The FBI  
Washington, D.C.

*Director's Controversy*

Dear Mr. Hoover: *with Review of Clark*

May I express my appreciation of your forthright comments regarding the charges made against you by Mr. Clark in his book - and your puncturing to some extent the Kennedy mystique to let in some facts instead of hot air.

I review books and have Mr. Clark's on hand but have not read it as yet. Your remarks will be an incentive for me to get at it and see just what it contains.

Certainly, your record needs no justification but as the same "charges" keep cropping up, I was interested to know that the late Harry Overstreet and his wife Bonaro gave you and the department proper kudos in their book. My review stated that if anybody could be expected to find the truth to be not too favorable to you and the FBI, it would have been the Overstreets who kept a sharp lookout for anything resembling any form of dictatorship - left or right. They were kind enough to write me a note of thanks for what I said and I did appreciate it.

I suppose the repetitive technique of the Big Lie can only be combatted by repeating the truth but it does seem a shame that a man of your stature has to be on the defensive. It is due, in some measure I think, to the rather common belief that the FBI not only is

involved in anything where a crime has been committed but also has more power than it does under the law.

However, who am I to explain all this to you? I just wanted you to know that, personally, I take a dim view of the harassing you get and was ever so pleased you finally spoke up instead of turning the other cheek.

Sincerely,

[Redacted Signature]

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November 23, 1970

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Major General Joseph R. Russ, USA  
Deputy Commanding General  
Reserve Forces  
Fourth United States Army  
Fort Sam Houston, Texas 78234

Dear General Russ:

I have received your letter of November 17th  
and want you to know I deeply appreciate your kind remarks  
and expression of support. Communications such as yours  
are most encouraging and mean a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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COMM-FBI

NOTE: Bufiles disclose no prior correspondence and no derogatory  
information concerning General Russ.

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- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
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Dear Mr. Hoover:

I have just read your comments in this morning's paper regarding former Attorney General Ramsey Clark. I want to congratulate you on your forthright statement and tell you that I agree with you 100%. I have always admired your moral courage and your willingness to stand up and be heard.

Sincerely yours,

*Joseph R. Russ*

JOSEPH R. RUSS  
Major General, USA  
Deputy Commanding General  
Reserve Forces

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director, Federal Bureau of  
Investigation  
9th and Pennsylvania Avenue  
Washington, DC 20535

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MG JOSEPH R. RUSS  
Deputy CG, Reserve Forces  
Fourth US Army  
Fort Sam Houston, TX 78234

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November 23, 1970

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[Redacted address block]

Dear [Redacted name]

Thank you for the generous comments in your letter of November 17th regarding my direction of the FBI. Your support is most encouraging and it is my hope our future efforts will continue to merit your approval.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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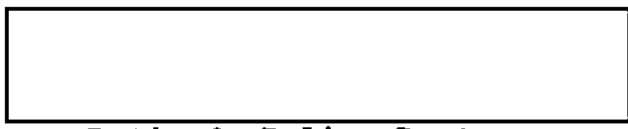
Dear Mr. Hoover,

Read about you calling Ramsey Clark a jellyfish.  
That name fits him to a T. Hurrah for you, I always called him  
a spineless creature and Bobby Kennedy a little boy.

I'm with you a hundred percent and hope that you  
and the F.B.I. last a hundred more years. The F.B.I. under  
your supervision is the only law inforcement agency that the  
lawbreakers are afraid of and respect today.

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Very truly yours,



Retired. Police Dept.

City of New York.

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Dear

I have received your letter of November 17th and want you to know I deeply appreciate your kind remarks and expression of support. Communications such as yours are most encouraging and mean a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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J. Edgar Hoover  
Director F.B.I.  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

To most knowledgeable Americans, Ramsey Clark made only one comment in his life that was true and that was "I think Mr. Hoover has made some valuable contributions". In contrast Mr. Clark has yet to make the first contribution to (his?) country.

I have not purchased Mr. Clark's current "joke" book, but being extremely frugal, unless the book sells for no more than two cents, I would not be willing to spend even a dollar for a good belly laugh.

I wish to express my deepest gratitude for what you have done and for what you have courageously tried to do for our great country. And I am absolutely certain that I am expressing sentiments that are shared by millions of Americans across the length and breadth of of these United States.

May God bless you and grant you more years as we need your strength, wisdom and courage as never before in our history.

Respectfully and gratefully  
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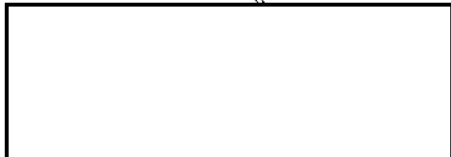
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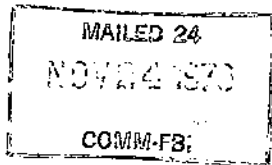


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Sincerely yours,

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Dear Mr. Hoover,

Your description of Ramsey Clark as the worst attorney general in 45 years meets with my approval.

It is high time that some one unmasked Clark and label him for what he was.

Congratulations!

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Dear



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Thank you for your thoughtful letter of November 17th. It was kind of you to write and furnish your views and your support of my endeavors is very much appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Bufiles contain no record of correspondent

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director of Fed. Bureau of Investigation  
Justice Dept.  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I read in L.A. Times  
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May I say that I am in  
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Clarke, Mr. Robt. Kennedy, Mr. Ted Kennedy,  
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Mr. Hoover I feel that I have some  
inherited thoughts from Geo. Washington's Mother's  
family and of the Lincoln's.

I am a fourth cousin of Abe and related  
to Geo. more distantly.



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To  
Mr. Sullivan  
Mr. Mohr  
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Mr. Brennan, C.L.

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover,

Director of Fed. Bureau of Investigations,  
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Dear

Thank you for your letter of November 18th, with enclosure, in which you expressed your support of my administration of the FBI. Communications such as yours are encouraging to receive, and you may be sure I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
 Director  
 Federal Bureau of Investigation  
 Department of Justice  
 Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover, 18 November 1970

Regarding the remarks of Mr. Ramsey Clark, published in today's "News and Observer", I would like to state that in my opinion your assessment of The Black Panther Party and also your use "of resources" in investigating Communist Party activities meet with my approval.

It appears that Mr. Clark is living in the same world as those here on campus who admire him-- one of fantasy.

Respectfully,



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# Clark, Hoover Exchange Barbs

NEW YORK (UPI)—Former Attorney General Ramsey Clark, replying to FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover's characterization of him as a "jelly-fish" said Tuesday he believed the FBI needed "new leadership."

Clark also called Hoover's pursuit of the Communist party a waste of money and the FBI director's assessment of the Black Panthers as "patently absurd."

Clark made his remarks at a news conference at the Overseas Press Club hours after publication of an interview Hoover granted the Washington Post. In the interview Hoover noted that he had a disagreement with

Robert F. Kennedy when he was attorney general over FBI hiring practices. Hoover refused to change them.

"If ever there was a worse attorney general," Hoover said, "it was Ramsey Clark. you never knew which way he was going to flop on an issue."

Hoover's harsh criticism of Clark was believed prompted by Clark's book "Crime in America" which accuses Hoover of having "self-centered concern for his own reputation."

Tuesday Clark said "I'm sure he (Hoover) is entitled to his opinion," However, Clark added, Hoover has "never been very terribly

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J. Edgar Hoover



Ramsey Clark

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# Clark Says FBI Needs New Chief

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tolerant of criticism and his ideology is of a different time."

In Washington, an FBI spokesman said, "Mr. Hoover has no comment to make as he does not desire to in any way advance the sale of his (Clark's) book."

Clark said Hoover's "pursuit of the Communist party is an example of a terribly wasteful use of resources" and asked "why was it so terribly difficult for him to begin civil rights investigations?"

In another criticism of Hoover the former attorney general referred to Hoover's remark that the Black Panthers are the most dangerous group in the United States.

"That is patently absurd," Clark said. "I said that at the time and I'm still convinced of it. The FBI outnumbers the Black Panthers seven to one, and if they can't handle it, they should have stayed in bed."

Questioned by reporters following the news conference, Clark said he believed that the FBI needed "new leadership" both within and outside the agency.

He did not state whether he was referring to Hoover and the present attorney general John N. Mitchell, who was warmly praised by the FBI head in the Post interview.

In Washington the Americans for Democratic Action called for Hoover's ouster as the FBI director. In a statement issued Tuesday, the ADA said:

"J. Edgar Hoover's Washington Post interview is clear evidence that he should be removed as head of the FBI. He demonstrates that he is incapable of accepting direction from his superiors. There is no home in American government for this kind of personal empire-building. We urge that Mr. Hoover be retired at once."

Rep. H.R. Gross, R-Iowa, told the House that Hoover's characterization of Clark as the worst attorney general he had ever seen was the "understatement of this and probably any other year."

Gross called Clark a "petty little man" who pampered revolutionaries and protected common criminals when he was in office.

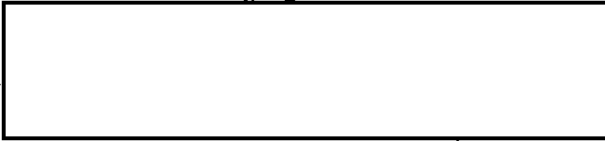


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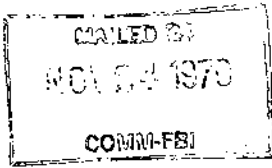
Dear

Your letter of November 17th has been received and I want to thank you for your best wishes and for the interest which prompted you to apprise me of your suggestion.

I am unable to comment on your proposal that the Attorney General seek perjury convictions of those former Attorneys General and other public officials who violate their oaths of office. Within the Department of Justice such action is the responsibility of the Attorney General. You may wish to make your views known to him.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover



NOTE: Bufiles disclose in 1960 correspondent was Defense Attorney for the subject of a Fraud Against the Government case. He was interviewed by the Bureau in connection with this case and was most cooperative. In August, 1961, he directed to the Bureau a copy of a letter he had written to a publication concerning an article by the Director. Since it was a copy, it was not acknowledged.

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Hon. J. Edgar Hoover,  
Director, F B I  
Washington, D. C.

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

After reading a Combined Services dispatch from Washington in today's NY Daily News entitled: J. EDGAR HITS BACK AT CLARK: LEAST WANTED, I had the happy thought ( I hope you will agree ) that the former Attorney General, at this late date, performed an urgently needed public service by the title of his book, "Crime In America". His unwarranted personal attack on you would not seem to indicate that he intended to perform a public service, by either the title or the content of his book.

As a practitioner before the courts nearly 42 years, I thought it appropriate to express a viewpoint about the failure of the Attorneys General of this nation to give force and effect to a provision of the US Code which renders federal officials guilty of perjury who violate their oaths of office. "Crime in America" exists in a large measure because public officials, among whom are Attorneys General, have violated their oaths of office.

Among those Attorneys General is the author of the book he chose to entitle: CRIME IN AMERICA. He violated his oath of office when he failed on ever so many occasions to prosecute those public officials who so flagrantly violated their oaths of office. I have the impression that all too many public officials regard the oath of office to uphold the Constitution to be an idle ceremony indulged for the entertainment of those present. It appears that the author of "CRIME IN AMERICA" is among those who so regards the "swearing in" ceremony.

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In my opinion, Mr. CLARK, as a result of the publicity received by reason of his personal and unwarranted attacks designed to discredit you, has opened the door wide for a movement by the present Attorney General, in which he would be the first US Attorney General to seek the conviction of oath violators for perjury. If there are partisan political considerations involved in such undertaking, they should be discarded in the public interest. The best protection against the destruction of constitutional government in this nation is the conviction for perjury of those who violate their oaths of office. I am convinced that there are jurors in this nation who regard honor and integrity in public office to be a "must" for all public officials.

Your thoughts in the matter will be appreciated.

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With best wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,



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Dear

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Thank you for the kind sentiments in your letter which I received on November 20th. It was good of you to write and express your support. Communications such as yours are most encouraging, and you may be sure I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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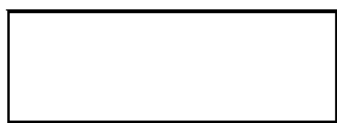
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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
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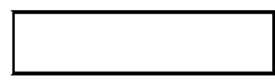
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Contrary to Ramsey Clark's comments the people in our town know you are a man of great courage, and we think you are one of the greatest men of our time.

My best wishes and prayers go out to you for good health, happiness and many more years of service. Our country needs you! God Bless you.

Sincerely,



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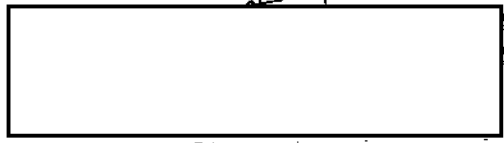
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November 24, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for your kind letter of November 17th.

It was certainly thoughtful of you to write and comment as you did and I am indeed grateful for your support.

Sincerely yours,

J Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: There is no record of correspondent in Bufiles.

REK:jmb (3)

- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
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- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
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MR. TOLSON ✓  
MR. SULLIVAN ✓  
MR. MOHR ✓  
MR. BISHOP ✓  
MR. BRENNAN, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. GALLAHAN \_\_\_\_\_  
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TELE. ROOM \_\_\_\_\_  
MISS HOLMES \_\_\_\_\_  
MRS. METCALF \_\_\_\_\_ b6  
MISS GANDY \_\_\_\_\_ b7C

Dear Mr. Hoover,

I am writing you to express my appreciation in telling off and putting Ramsey Clark in his proper perspective. You certainly cheered my day.

Sincerely yours,

[Redacted Signature]

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DIRECTOR'S CONTROVERSY  
WITH RAMSEY CLARK

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**CORRESPONDENCE**



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November 24, 1970

EX-106

[Redacted]

Dear [Redacted]

I have received your communication of November 18th and want to thank you for your generous comments. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

MAILED 24  
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COMM-FBI

NOTE: Bufiles disclose one prior outgoing to correspondent dated 7-17-69 in response to his letter commending the Director for his stand on campus unrest.

JBT:klm (3)

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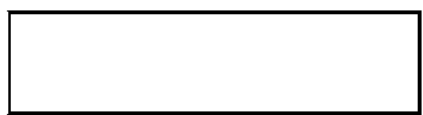
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Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Bishop	✓
Mr. Brennan	CD
Mr. Callahan	
Mr. Casper	
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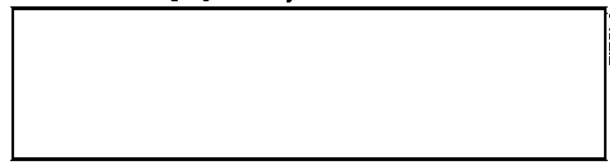
Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director,  
Federal Bureau of Investigation,  
Pennsylvania Ave. at 9th St., N.W.,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Your "ratings" of your former and present bosses made excellent reading. Please keep speaking out when you feel it's necessary.

I think you and the bureau are doing a wonderful job.

Sincerely yours,



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DIRECTOR'S CONTROVERSY WITH RAMSEY CLARK

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November 24, 1970

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Dear [Redacted] MARSH

Thank you for the very generous comments in your communication of November 18th concerning my direction of the FBI. The support of you and your family is indeed encouraging and it is my hope our future efforts will continue to merit your approval.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles.

JBT:nmw (3)

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It is seldom, these days, that we find something in the news to cheer about, but when I read your remarks regarding Ramsey Clark and Bobby Kennedy, I "whooped and hollered." It scared my dog half to death, but it certainly made my day.

The article, plus an editorial from the Times Dispatch, share the limelight on our refrigerator where we can all see it a hundred times a day. You've always been my hero, which sounds soupy in this modern world, and my husband's, and thank goodness, you're a hero to my teenage sons, instead of the Kennedys, Clarks and other far out liberals that most youngsters follow.

I felt I must tell you how much we appreciate you and your organization.

Sincerely,

[Redacted Signature]

November 18, 1970

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DIRECTOR'S CONTROVERSY WITH RAMSEY CLARK

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Sincerely,

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November 18, 1976





November 24, 1970

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Dear

It was good of you to write on November 17th and furnish your views. Your generous comment regarding my direction of the FBI is very much appreciated and your support of our endeavors is indeed encouraging.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Bufiles contain nothing identifiable regarding correspondent.

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- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

November 17, 1970

MR. TOLSON   
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 MR. BISHOP \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
 Director F.B.I.  
 Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I just want you to know I agree with your feelings on Ramsey Clark 100%. He is nothing but a bum who the only way he can get any public notice is to attack you. The American people are not deceived. They know Ramsey Clark for what he is. A clown who is soft on criminals. Please keep up the good work and let us continue to pray for our dear country.

Yours truly,

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I received your letter of November 18th and want you to know I appreciate your kind remarks and expression of support. Communications such as yours are encouraging and mean a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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COMM-FBI

*1 - Copy of J. Edgar Hoover  
testifies sent*

NOTE: Bufiles contain no record of correspondent.

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*James*

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Washington, D. C.

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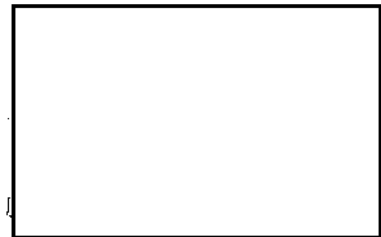
I trust you are continually seeking the Lord's guidance and that by His grace you will be enabled to keep on for a long time yet.

May He bless you and give success to your work.



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November 25, 1970

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Dear

[Redacted]

Thank you for your letter of November 17th in which you expressed your support of my administration of the FBI. Communications such as yours are most encouraging, and you may be sure I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Bufiles disclose we wrote [Redacted] on 5/18/70 regarding her furnishing a newspaper clipping.

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*1 copy of Edgar Hoover's letter sent (over)*

*[Handwritten signatures and initials]*

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Dear Mr. Hoover,

Thank you for staying on that job! How we need you!

I just read Ken Clawson's article about you and the Clark book. It always seemed to me that Mr. Clark was not firm enough to be Atty General.

Am not surprised you could not work with his predecessor.

Gratefully,

[Redacted Signature]

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P.S. Please - never resign! JB

P.S. I am a music teacher and organist and very much interested in current events. On Thanksgiving day at church I will play "America" as a postlude - full organ - on our \$70,000 instrument.

JB

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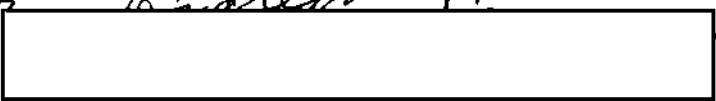
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November 25, 1970

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Dear

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles. Enclosure to his letter is a religious tract entitled "Win or Lose?"

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- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
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Nov. 19-70

Hon. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director F.B.I.

Dear Mr. Hoover-

First, may I thank you personally for all your years of devoted service to our beloved Country. You have recieved more verbal abuse than any other living public servant. However, I believe 90% of American citizens fully approve of you and your untiring efforts.

Second, may I heartily congratulate you regarding your purported statement concerning Ramsey Clark. Why President Johnson ever appointed him, I could never understand. Ramsey Clark, in my opinion, was the most unfitted man for attorney general position the President could have appointed.

I am so glad you have set the record straight.

Sincerely

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For Every Need:

"But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus." Phil. 4:19.

### MY DECISION

Being convinced that I am lost, and believing that Jesus Christ died for me, I now accept Him as my Saviour, and with His help, I intend to live the Christian life and confess Him before others. If you will do this, write "I will" in the space at the right. If you have already accepted Christ, write "I have."

Now sign your own name instead of "whosoever" in John 3:16.

"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that

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who believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

Date.....

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In this life only one runner can win a race. In the Christian life everyone who chooses Christ is a winner. Those who reject Him lose for time and for eternity. Will you win or lose?

"Right always wins; wrong always loses." It is right to accept Christ and wrong to reject Him. Christians go to heaven; sinners go to hell. Where are you going? Please read and heed these verses:

### ALL HAVE SINNED

"For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God." Rom. 3:23. "Be sure your sin will find you out." Num. 32:23. "All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way." Isa. 53:6. "All our righteousnesses are as filthy rags." Isa. 64:6. "The heart is deceitful above all things, and desperately wicked." Jer. 17:9.

### YE MUST BE BORN AGAIN

"Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God." John 3:3. "Whosoever was not found written in the book of life was cast into the lake of fire." Rev. 20:15. "The wicked shall be turned into hell and all the nations that forget God." Psa. 9:17. "There is a way which seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof are the ways of death." Prov. 14:12. "Repent ye therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out." Acts 3:19. "Except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish." Luke 13:3.

## DON'T PLAY A LOSING GAME

"Now is the accepted time; behold, now is the day of salvation." II Cor. 6:2. "Boast not thyself of tomorrow; for thou knowest not what a day may bring forth." Prov. 27:1. "How shall we escape, if we neglect so great salvation." Heb. 2:3. "For what shall it profit a man, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul?" Mark 8:36.

"So then every one of us shall give account of himself to God." Rom. 14:12. "It is appointed unto men once to die, but after this the judgment." Heb. 9:27. "Choose you this day whom ye will serve." Josh. 24:15.

## CHRIST DIED FOR OUR SINS

"The blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanseth us from all sin." I John 1:7. "Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to his mercy he saved us." Titus 3:5.

"I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me." John 14:6. "Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved." Acts 4:12.

## ACCEPT CHRIST NOW BY FAITH

"For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God: Not of works, lest any man should boast." Eph. 2:8-9. "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved, and thy house." Acts 16:31. "Him that cometh to me I will in no wise cast out." John 6:37.

"But as many as received him, to them gave he power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name." John 1:12. "He that hath the Son hath life; and he that hath not the Son of God hath not life." I John 5:12. "Whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely." Rev. 22:17.

## CONFESS CHRIST BEFORE OTHERS-

"If thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved. For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation." Rom. 10:9-10.

"Whosoever therefore shall confess me before men, him will I confess also before my Father which is in heaven." Matt. 10:32.

## TRUST CHRIST COMPLETELY

### For Assurance:

"These things have I written unto you that believe on the name of the Son of God; that ye may know that ye have eternal life, and that ye may believe on the name of the Son of God." I John 5:13.

"If the Son therefore shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed." John 8:36.

"Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new." I Cor. 5:17. "Now unto him that is able to keep you from falling, and to present you faultless before the presence of his glory with exceeding joy." Jude 24.

### For Comfort:

"Casting all your care upon him; for he careth for you." I Peter 5:7. "As one whom his mother comforteth, so will I comfort you." Isa. 66:13.

### For Strength:

"My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect in weakness." II Cor. 12:9. "I can do all things through Christ who strengtheneth me." Phil. 4:13.

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Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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Mr. Hoover  
Dept. of Justice

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Respectfully Yours,



P. S. You are A - O. K.  
I mean every word of this!

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*Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Dept. Of Justice  
Federal Building  
Washington D.C.  
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Respectfully Yours,

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P.S. You are A-O.K.

I mean every word of this.

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Dear [Redacted]

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Dear Mr. Hoover,

I have just read an account of the little "altercation" between you & two previous Atty. Generals. I want you to know that, in my opinion almost all the people of the South and the great majority of the people of the whole Nation are 100% & with you. I won't elaborate, but could. I will say that I Know of NO man (including the Pres. of the U.S.) who is more desirous of performing his duties in keeping with the mandates of the office entrusted to him than is J. Edgar Hoover, and as a result of your loyalty to duty NO one holding public office is held in higher esteem

One of the many millions who believe in you.



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(Retired School man)

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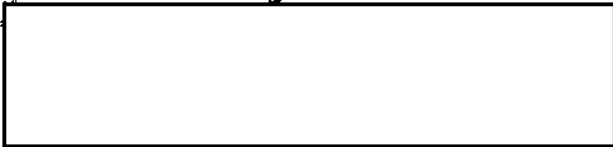
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Dear

Thank you for the support expressed in your letter of November 17th. Communications such as yours are most encouraging, and you may be sure I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing.

With regard to my successor, the next Director of the FBI will be appointed by the President and confirmed by the Senate.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles.

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director FBI  
Washington, D. C.

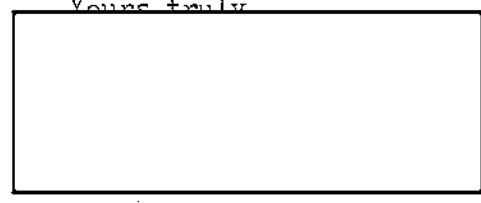
Dear Mr. Hoover:

I have just completed reading your interview with the Washington Post in which you were quoted as saying "Ramsey Clark was the worst Attorney General you ever had to deal with". I would like to congratulate you on your straight forward answer and I agree with you wholeheartedly. I also think if you do lower your standards for Agents the FBI will not be a respected organization.

I would like to urge you if and when you do retire, should you have a say so in regards to your replacement that he to be honest, straightforward and as diligent as you have been, please try to choose such a person.

If we have a couple more Attorney Generals like Kennedy and Clark, heaven help us.

Yours truly



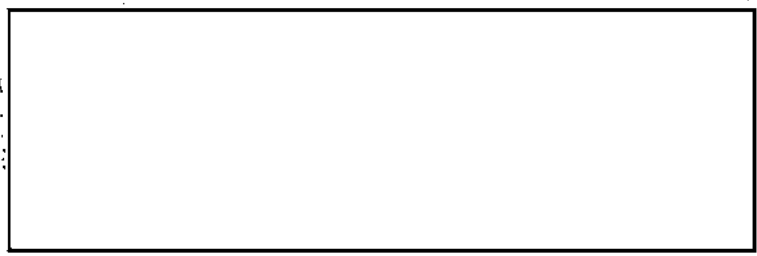
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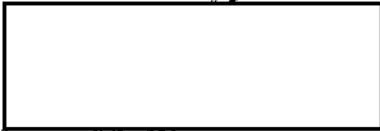
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Mr. J Edgar Hoover  
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:

You are so right about Clark being the sorriest  
of all attorney generals.

You're right about a lot of other things also. May  
you never tire or retire.

Yours Sincerely

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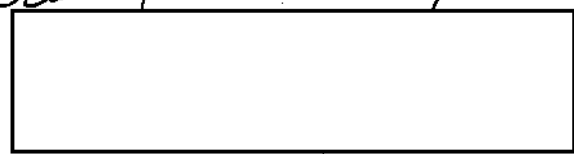
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Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for your letter of November 18th. It was indeed thoughtful of you to write and I certainly appreciate your support. Communications such as yours are most encouraging and mean a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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November 18, 1970

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
 Federal Bureau of Investigation  
 Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

*DIRECTOR'S CONTROVERSY WITH*

Congratulations! Ramsey Clark is  
 "absolutely nothing". Strictly no good!

You owe it to some of us God fearing  
 Americans, one day, to deliver your manuscript on  
 your Washington knowledge and experiences.

The crooked politicians, punks and  
 incompetents that have been inhabiting Washington  
 the last thirty-five or forty years would equal in  
 size, I am sure, the Encyclopedia Britannica.

Continue to let them have it, Mr. Hoover!

Sincerely,

[Redacted Signature]

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OFFICE OF DIRECTOR  
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Dear Mr. Hoover,

I support your stand against Ramsey Clark's ability. His oversimplified solutions concern me since he appears quite naive.



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- MR. TOLSON ✓
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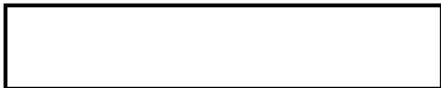
**KEEP AMERICA**

**"ONE  
NATION  
UNDER GOD"**





Our flag should always have stars to the left of the picture, fabric floating to the right.



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DEAR MR HOOVER,

I SUPPORT YOUR STAND AGAINST RAMSEY CLARK'S ABILITY. HIS OVERSIMPLIFIED SOLUTIONS CONCERN ME SINCE HE APPEARS QUITE NAIVE.



J EDGAR HOOVER  
FBI  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

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--CLEO KING

We still hear Him speaking  
 In comforting tone,  
 "I will always be with you;  
 You're never alone!"

Of hopeless despair,  
 On deep in the valley  
 That's sunny and fair,  
 Of we're high on the hilltop  
 There He also will be.  
 That wherever we wander  
 To you and to me  
 God has given His promise

HIS PROMISES ARE SURE

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"With God all things are possible."

--MARK 10:27

Dearest Mr. Hoover,

With great interest,  
 I have been following  
 the papers and air  
 ings of the nasty  
 attack upon you and  
 the F. B. I. - today, an  
 article in the Wichita  
Eagle.

Sir, just from the  
 little I've read

about Ramey Clark, my  
 conclusion was as  
 yours. If he had any  
 convictions, they are  
 very weak and in  
 favor of criminals  
 and against the inno-  
 cent.

As always, I'm sure  
 that you will stand  
 firmly for the right  
 even when so dif-  
 ficult. God will help  
 to keep cool.

My heartfelt prayer  
 is ever for you,

that God will continue to give you wisdom, strength, and His deep joy and peace - knowing that you have endeavored to do His will, to His honor and for the best of all fellow-citizens. (all because I love you so.)

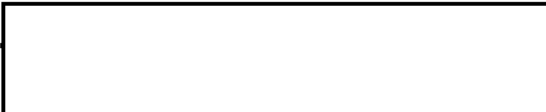
God bless you.

P.S. Man is judged not only by the friends he makes, but also, by the enemies, he makes - yours are "left-wingers" who would destroy our laws, were it possible.

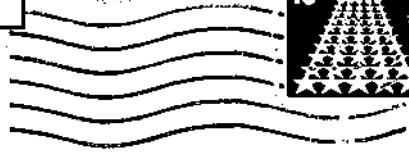
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Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for your letter of November 17th in which you expressed your support of my recent comments. Communications such as yours are most encouraging, and you may be sure I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Fed. Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Your Statement regarding Ramsey  
Clark in headlines today, is the  
statement of the year.

I've thought so for ten years but  
couldn't express it like you did.

Sincerely,

[Redacted Signature]

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- MR. TOLSON
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- MR. MOHR
- MR. BISHOP
- MR. BRENNAN, C.D.
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- MR. CASPER
- MR. CONRAD
- MR. FELT
- MR. GALE
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- MR. SOYARS
- MR. JONES
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FED. BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
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November 25, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

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Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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Nov. 18th 1970.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

I would like to express my support for your position regarding the performance of the former Attorney General Ramsey Clark. Many of the problems we encounter today are, I am sure - directly related to the permissive attitude of Mr. Clark - and Mr. Kennedy, who preceded him. The role of Attorney General is Chief Law Enforcement Officer, not a political social inovator. The fear of swift, certain & appropriate punishment for wrong-doing is, in my view - the most effective deterrant to the potential criminal or violent revolutionary.

Thank you for sustaining this concept. You have my family's wholehearted support and admiration.

Sincerely,

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Nov. 18<sup>th</sup> 1970

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NOTE: There is no record of correspondent in Bufiles. Address per zip code directory.

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Miss Holmes	
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November 17, 1970

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

Mr. Clark can talk and write all he wants, but your record speaks for itself. Any man who has served as long and devotedly as yourself can afford to forget anything Mr. Clark and his kind have to say.

I have long admired and respected you. If we had more public servants like you, we wouldn't be in this crime mess we're in.

Thank you for serving your country and fellow Americans so very well.

Yours truly,

[Redacted Signature]

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November 15, 1970

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
 Federal Bureau of Investigation  
 Washington, D.C.

Ramsey O Clark

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November 25, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

I received your communication on November 23rd and want to thank you for your generous comments. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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**J. Edgar Hoover Testifies SENT**

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November 18, 1970

Dear Sir,

Recently former Attorney General Ramsey Clark replied to your statement, calling him a "jellyfish", in saying the FBI is in need of new leadership. Well sir, I am a freshman at the University of Wyoming and the people here unanimously agree that there is not a more qualified man to do the job of being the Director of the FBI, than you.

The reason why I am writing to you, is to tell you that the people out here back you one hundred per cent. I recall at one time you were thinking of retiring from your position. I think you deserve to know that you are backed by the "people" of our country. I hope Mr. Clark's statement doesn't make you decide to retire. I know you would like to retire because you work long hard hours, but I think you love our country enough to realize how much we need you.

The former Attorney General's statement about your pursuit of the Communist Party as a waste of money, is proof why he was such a poor Attorney General. Obviously, he was and is uninformed as to what goes on in this country. Being from New Jersey, I've seen plenty of SDS groups as Communist groups not Democratic groups. Someone should suggest to Mr. Clark that he take a look at the SDS movements at Rutgers University, New Brunswick, N. J., Columbia University, New York, N. Y., Yale University in Hartford, Conn.

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Sir, you have brought out his falseness and I hope the "radical" and "liberal" factions of the country realize his falseness also. Apparently he has been influence by some "liberal" source somehow. I hope this "liberal" group doesn't influence your judgement as to your code of running the F. B. I.

*JMR*

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Sincerely,

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*Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director of the FBI  
Washington, D. C.*

November 16, 1970

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2877 LBJ Freeway  
 Dallas, Texas  
 November 19, 1970

*Boas*  
*For your information*  
*JSM*

*RA*

The Editor  
 Dallas Times Herald  
 Herald Square  
 Dallas, Texas

Dear Sir:

Thank God J. Edgar Hoover has kept the FBI "Ideological":

I doubt that the 99% of Americans who are pro-American can take the "accusation" by Ramsey Clark as anything but a word of consolation and reassurance.

And, if any further proof is needed of Ramsey's utter lack of credibility, note his statement that the Black Panthers are not dangerous because the FBI outnumbers them 7 to 1.

It took only ONE assassin to kill John F. Kennedy. It took only one to do the same to Bobby. It takes at least 14 trained investigators with the most modern communications and transportation equipment, to maintain a 24 hour a day, 7 day a week surveillance on one man. I know. I headed the counter-espionage operations of the FBI during WWII. So the FBI doesn't have enough manpower to watch every Black Panther. And, if they assigned every FBI Agent to that task, just who would be left to solve bank robberies, extortions and the more than a hundred other major Federal crimes?

Ramsey is a "jellyfish" and worse. I think Hoover displayed admirable restraint about him and Bobby. A book could be written about what a great American, trying to concentrate on doing the job assigned him, went through during their administrations---like Bobby's sub-teenage kids and their friends running through Hoover's office and other working areas at will.

Ramsey is a nincompoop, the frustrated, spoiled son of a man of ability and devotion to his country. He personifies the degeneration that is so sadly reflected by the minuscule Black Panthers, campus rioters and others he so warmly advocates.

I know J. Edgar Hoover well, was a member of his Executive Staff and have argued points of view with him without hesitancy--contrary to Ramsey's charge of "lack of internal diversity". Little Ramsey just never had the capability or desire to know the facts. Now he's the knat trying to become famous by attacking the elephant.

Sincerely,  
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# FBI 'Ideological,' Clark Answers Critic Hoover

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NEW YORK — Former Atty. Gen. Ramsey Clark, whom J. Edgar Hoover described as “jellyfish” and a “softie,” replied with some of the strongest words about the FBI director ever uttered publicly by a onetime head of the Justice Department.

Under Hoover, Clark said, the FBI has become “ideological” and has lacked internal diversity. Moreover, he told newsmen, Hoover erred in calling the Black Panthers the most dangerous group in America.

“THAT IS PATENTLY absurd,” Clark asserted. “I said it at the time and I’m still convinced of it. The FBI outnumbered the Black Panthers seven to one, and if they can’t handle it, they should have stayed in bed.”

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November 25, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

I have received your letter of November 18th and also the copy of your letter of November 19th addressed to the Editor of the "Dallas Times Herald." Your very kind remarks and staunch support are deeply appreciated and mean a great deal to me.

Sincerely,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - Dallas - Enclosures (2)

NOTE: Retired SAC [Redacted] is on the Special Correspondents List. He EOD 10-11-37 and retired 10-31-57.

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**HOUSTON** - P. O. BOX 271, BELLAIRE, TEXAS 77401 • PHONE (713)

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The Honorable J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
U. S. Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C. 20535

Dear Boss:

Congratulations -- and thanks.

I've had occasional contacts with Tom Clark here in Dallas and he still shows the same friendly cordiality as when Ladd and I dealt with him when he was Assistant Attorney General back in the early 40s, a fine man.

Responsible citizens with whom I have had occasion to meet today have been unanimous in their expressions of agreement with you in your comments about Ramsey Clark and Bobby Kennedy. They, and I, appreciate the fact that you stood your ground and were a buffer for all of us when they were in office as Attorney General.

As always, my very best wishes.

Respectfully,



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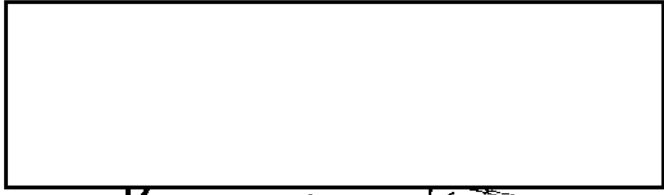
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

- MR. TOLSON ✓
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Mr. Hoover,

Do you think calling Ramsey Clark a Jelley Fish adds strength to the position of law and order coming from a man that is head of the F.B.I. belittles that Dept. and also the Chief. You should try and maintain respect for law and order. A man in your position should not be slandering men of good will.



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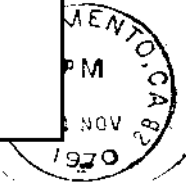
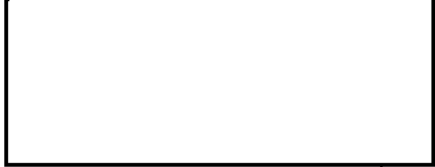
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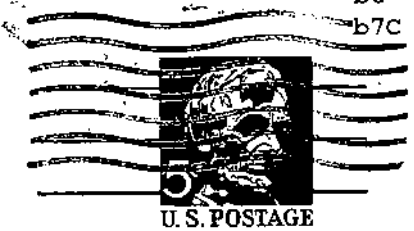
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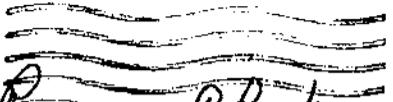


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J. Edgar Hoover  
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Washington, D. C.

Mr Hoover



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November 27, 1970

RA

[Redacted]

Maranatha Bible Baptist Church  
Post Office Box 254  
Marion, Ohio 43302

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Dear [Redacted]

I have received your communication of November 18th. It was thoughtful of you to furnish your views, and your kind sentiments, as well as your generous remarks about my direction of the FBI, are gratifying to me. It is hoped my endeavors will continue to merit your support.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Our files disclose correspondent wrote the Department of Justice in September, 1965, criticizing the civil rights movement. Files of the Indianapolis Office failed to reveal any derogatory information. We last wrote [Redacted] on 7-28-70 acknowledging his inquiries about the Kent State matter.

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**MARANATHA BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH**

SOUTH STATE STREET AT COLUMBIA

P. O. BOX 254

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MARION, OHIO 43302

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November 18, 1970

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

"A naughty person, a wicked man, walketh with a froward mouth. He winketh with his eyes, he speaketh with his feet, he teacheth with his fingers: frowardness is in his heart, he deviseth mischief continually: He soweth discord," (Prov. 6:12-14).

The descriptive language of Solomon (above) surely has to apply to some of the more enigmatical individuals today. Am enclosing a copy of my personal letter to Ramsay Clark, this man is one of the more disenchanting personalities to come upon the scene in recent times. But he fits well into the Lyndon Johnson kind of politics; and this nation may never survive the evil imposed upon it by such men.

We want you to know of our continued appreciation for your faithful, loyal service to America. Recently it seems that those who take a position in opposition to our beloved America, become the popular individuals. And along with you, I have lived thru 66 years of American history, and though we have our faults it is a privilege to live in this nation. We pray for you in your critical work daily, and trust the Lord will give you health to serve us until Jesus comes.

Appreciatively yours

[Redacted signature box]

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CORRESPONDENCE

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From G. / mb  
11-24-70

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C O P Y ----- C O P Y ----- C O P Y

November 12, 1960

Mr. Ramsay Clark, Attorney  
% American Civil Liberty Union  
Cleveland, Ohio

Sir:

"The vile person shall be no more called liberal, nor the churl said to be bountiful. For the vile person will speak villany, and his heart will work iniquity, to practice hypocrisy and to utter error against the Lord, to make empty the soul of the hungry, and he will cause the drink of the thirsty to fail. The instruments also of the churl are evil: He deviseth wicked devices to destroy the poor with lying words, even when the needy speaketh right. But the liberal soul deviseth liberal things; and by liberal things shall he stand." (Isaiah 32:5-8).

As one loyal American taxpayer, let me say with great indignance, I think you are a man of great infamy. Tragically our political form will permit a man of your strange attitudes to become attorney General of these United States. Though you had to agree to "protect and defend the constitution of these United States," one is shocked to learn that you have chosen to befriend and protect enemies of our constitution! Would to God that someone would come along to completely investigate the workings of the A. C. L. U. with which you seem to manifest affinity.

Our constitution defines treason so simply that the humblest citizen does not need some weasel like attorney to define it for him; it reads simply "adhereing to our enemies, giving them aid and comfort." We have learned about the government funded crystal program at Kent State, and why the evil Jerry Rubin came to Kent State a few days before the riot on that campus. We have learned to gain access to material enabling us to document our statements, and here is what Jerry Rubin said in a speech shortly before the riot at Kent State, quote Jerry Rubin as reported in Human Events, issue of May 16, 1970:

"The first part of the Yippe program you know, is kill your parents -- I mean that quite seriously, because until you're prepared to kill your parents you're not really prepared to change the country, because our parents are our first oppressors. Quit being students. Become criminals. We have to disrupt every institution and break every law. Do you people want a diploma or to take this school over and use it for your own purposes?" unquote Jerry Rubin.

Now Mr. ultra-liberal Clark, as an officer of the courts, convince us that your entrance into the Kent State mess is by reason of your great concern for good law! The humiliation of infamy is something that must haunt those unfortunate enough to be astigmatized by it for the rest of eternity. Think it not strange sir, if many of us hold you and the A. C. L. U. in utter contempt; you earn it by virtue of your queer performance which reveals a strong affinity for the near-treasonous conduct of those who defy law as you pretend to practice it.

Disgustingly yours

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November 27, 1970

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Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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COMM-FBI

NOTE: Bufiles contain no record of correspondent.

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Nov 19, 70

Dear Mr Hoover

I want you to know the People in our country  
stands behind you 100%

We the American People are very Proud to have  
a man of your interrogatory & dignity as our F.B.I. director.

I all ways felt it was an insult for you to have to  
take orders from these two men.

Ramsey Clark as you know was not qualified for  
the job he had, as well as Robert Kennedy.

Keep up the good work. Good health to you and  
stay on the job.

Very Truly Yours

[Redacted Signature]

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JBT:cae



RA

November 27, 1970

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[Redacted]

Attorney at Law  
Lane Building  
Shreveport, Louisiana 71101

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Dear [Redacted]

I have received your communication of November 20th and want to thank you for your generous comments. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOV 30 1970  
COMM-FBI

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NOTE: Bufiles reveal prior cordial correspondence with [Redacted] in the past and nothing unfavorable.

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ATTORNEYS AT LAW  
LANE BUILDING  
SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA  
71101

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November 20, 1970

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D.C. 20535

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Ramsay O

I have been reading in the newspapers and listening to the television newscasts about your little controversey with Mr. Clark and I just want to say to you that I am very grateful to you as a citizen of this great country of ours for the magnificent service you have given to it.

It is such men as Mr. Clark in public life who perhaps unwittingly are using the great privileges, liberties and immunities guaranteed to us all by our Constitution in perhaps an unintended effort to destroy it.

Keep up the good work.

Sincerely and respectfully,

[Redacted Signature]

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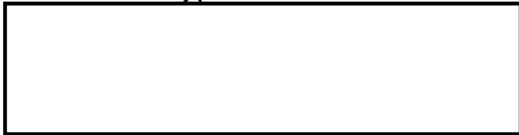


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Dear

I have received your communication of November 20th and appreciate your sending me a copy of your letter of October 21st. Our records fail to disclose that we ever received that letter.

I am unable to answer the questions in your letter of October 21st as information in our files must be maintained as confidential in accordance with regulations of the Department of Justice. However, I am grateful for your support of my direction of this Bureau and want to thank you for your thoughtfulness.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

MAILED 6  
NOV 30 1970  
COMM-FBI

NOTE: Our files disclose prior cordial correspondence with and he received an autographed copy of "Masters of Deceit" in 1962. Our records fail to disclose that we received his letter of 10-21-70. Madelyn O'Hare is well-known to the Bureau.

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FMG:sel (3)

J. Edgar Hoover Testifies  
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November 20th, 1970

Hon. J. Edgar Hoover.  
Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I heard the remarks on TV this week by former Attorney General Ramsey Clark, which I think were most unfair, and uncalled for. I agree with you that he was one of the less competent Attorneys General this country ever had. He seems, when he was in office, to my thinking, to have been more for the crooks and communists, than one who was supposed to serve the best interests of the U. S.

I wrote to you ~~October~~ <sup>October</sup> 21st, and did not receive a reply.

The letter must have miscarried, and to save time I enclose a copy.

Very respectfully,



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October 21, 1970

Hon. J. Edgar Hoover,  
Director Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I hesitate and apologize for writing to you at this time, realizing that you have such a heavy schedule, and it has been increased because of the additional operational authority approved by the congress and signed last week by the President.

In my humble opinion I feel that the so-called "generation gap," began in 1954 from the decision of the High Court, banning prayer in the public schools. Soon thereafter we heard the claim that "God is Dead!" and the permissiveness and demonstrations increased. It would be presumptuous on my part to even imply that you had not considered this, and might not already have it in your files. My question: this avowed infidel, ~~Mr~~ Madelyn O'Hare, who objected in behalf OF HER SON THAT HE HAD TO LISTEN TO PRAYERS, &c.

Would it not require considerable money to carry this matter to the Supreme Court? And if she is not a person of means, where did the money come from? If she is not wealthy, I wonder if she had been financed in this matter by some subversive group.

Yours very respectfully,

(signed)



62-113877-49

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November 27, 1970

62-113877-50



Dear [Redacted]

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Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Bufiles contain no record of correspondent.

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Federal Bureau of Investigation  
9th St. & Pennsylvania Ave.  
Washington, D. C.

11-17-70

Attn: J. Edgar Hoover



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Dear Mr. Hoover:

I have not read Mr. Clark's book "Crime in America" and do not intend to in that I am sick and tired of not only hearing but actually living with the "liberal" politicians solutions to this country's law and order problems.

I have never written a letter such as this and am not sure that you will actually read it, however, someone in your office may be keeping tally of the pro and con mail, as is sometimes the case, and I would therefore like to take this opportunity to case a definite "pro" vote.

I feel that you, the Bureau and all associated with it have a record to be proud of and thank God for the existence of the F.B.I.

As a result of your leadership the past 45 years the F.B.I. has developed into the finest law enforcement organization in the world.

Ramsey Clark had an opportunity as Attorney General and "blew it." Perhaps he will have more success as an author however I feel he would be more knowledgeable in an area other than Law and Order.

Sincerely,



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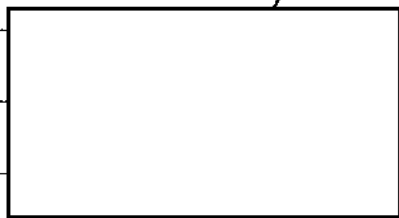


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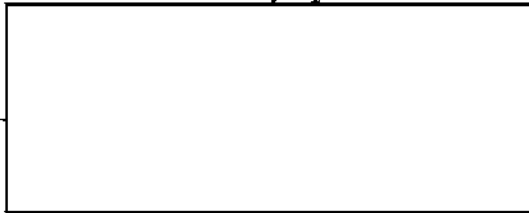


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November 27, 1970

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Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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NOV 30 1970  
COMM-FBI

NOTE: Bufiles disclose no prior correspondence and no identifiable derogatory information concerning correspondent or persons mentioned in his letter..

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Mr. Sullivan	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Bishop	✓
Mr. Casper	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Felt	✓
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Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Tavel	✓
Mr. Walters	✓
Mr. Soyars	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Miss Holmes	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

19 November 1970

*Ramsey Clark*

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
506 Old Post Office Building  
Washington, D. C. 20535

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Although you probably will never see this letter, consider it a vote of confidence in the administration and execution of your official duties, with a personal endorsement of your personal attitudes.

Mr. Vollmer, former Chief of Police, Los Angeles, California, and my father, George A. Smith, Sr., Secretary-Treasurer of the City Marshals Chief of Police Association of Texas for twenty-six years (1903-1929) said of your appointment, "If they let him do what he knows is right, it will be wonderful for our police profession". You have, and it has been just that.

Sincerely,

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MSR/ps  
11-29-70*

NOV 23 1970

CORRESPONDENCE

DALLAS, AUSTIN, WICHITA FALLS, ALBUQUERQUE, EL PASO, SAN ANTONIO, CORPUS CHRISTI, LITTLE ROCK, TULSA, OKLAHOMA CITY, BATON ROUGE, FORT WORTH, HOUSTON, NEW ORLEANS, SHREVEPORT

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EX-106

November 27, 1970

62-113877-52

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Norwood Hospital  
Norwood, Massachusetts 02062

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Dear [Redacted]

Your letter was received on November 23rd and I hope you are feeling better and will enjoy a full recovery from your heart condition. I very much appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing and your kind remarks are most encouraging. Your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

**COPY**  
J. Edgar Hoover Testifies  
**SENT**

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NOV 30 1970  
COMM-FBI

NOTE: Bufiles disclose one prior outgoing to one [Redacted] of Plainville, Massachusetts, dated 11/27/64, in reply to his letter to his letter commending the Director's work.

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Nov. 18, 1970

Norwood Hospital  
Norwood Mass.

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J. Edgar Hoover.  
FBI. Dir.

Dear Mr. Hoover

I am in this hospital with a slight heart condition and with the Lord's help I hope to get out and home in a few weeks.

This is the 2nd time I have ever written to you, the last time was on the King affair when you called him a liar ect. You were right then, as you are now on calling Ramsey Clark "jellyfish, worst Atty, Gen.

Also I don't believe I would have ever talked to Robert Kennedy, never mind 6 month's.

I do believe John Mitchell is honest, sincere and a very human man.

But I would like to say a few things about what I feel about you. If you have ever watched the Mike Douglas show on TV. at the end of each week Mike always asked his co. host to name his 5 top men fames or not that the like or admired. (dead or alive)

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If I ever had the chance to name my five. J. Edgar Hoover, Gen Douglas MacArthur. would be part of my five.

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ME  
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11-27-70  
JBT/mls

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I be-leive that you are one of the greatest American  
& God help our country when you leave, if we don't get someone  
1/2 as good as you.

I am against a national police force, and as a  
former local police officer, I know the help you will give any  
dept.

I enjoy reading your book Law & Order and every  
chance I can get to borrow one I do.

I hope God will give you a long and health-ful  
life and you stay around to protect this great country of ours.

Good Luck Mr. Hoover

Your's truly

[Redacted Signature]

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NORWOOD HOSPITAL

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TY 27

J. EDGAR HOOVER,  
FBI, DIR.

DEAR MR. HOOVER

I AM IN THIS HOSPITAL WITH A SLIGHT HEART CONDITION AND WITH THE LORD'S HELP I HOPE TO GET OUT AND HOME IN A FEW WEEKS.

THIS IS THE 2ND TIME I HAVE EVER WRITTEN TO YOU, THE LAST TIME WAS ON THE KING AFFAIR WHEN YOU CALLED HIM A LIAR ECT, YOU WERE RIGHT THEN, AS YOU ARE NOW ON CALLING RAMSEY CLARK "JELLYFISH, WORST ATTY GEN.

ALSO I DON'T BELIEVE I WOULD HAVE EVER TALKED TO ROBERT KENNEDY, NEVER MIND 6 MONTHS. DO BELIEVE JOHN MITCHELL IS HONEST, SINCERE AND A VERY HUMAN MAN.

CORRESPONDENCE

BUT I WOULD LIKE TO SAY A FEW THINGS ABOUT WHAT I FEEL ABOUT YOU. IF YOU HAVE EVER WATCHED THE "MIKE

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DOUGLAS SHOW ON TV, AT THE END OF EACH WEEK MIKE ALWAYS ASKED HIS CO. HOST TO NAME HIS 5 TOP MEN NAMES OR NOT THAT HE LIKE OR ADMIRE. (DEAD OR ALIVE)

IF I EVER HAD THE CHANCE TO NAME MY FIVE, J. EDGAR HOOVER, GEN. DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, WOULD BE PART OF MY FIVE.

I BELIEVE THAT YOU ARE ONE OF THE GREATEST AMERICAN & GOD HELP OUR COUNTRY WHEN YOU LEAVE, IF WE DON'T GET SOMEONE 1/2 AS GOOD AS YOU.

I AM AGAINST A NATIONAL POLICE FORCE AND AS A FORMER LOCAL POLICE OFFICER YOU WILL GIVE ANY DEPT.

I ENJOY READING YOUR BOOK LAW + ORDER AND EVERY CHANCE I CAN GET TO BORROW ONE I DO.

I HOPE GOD WILL GIVE YOU A LONG AND HEALTH-FUL LIFE AND YOU STAY AROUND TO PROTECT THIS GREAT COUNTRY OR OURS. GOOD LUCK MR. HOOVER

YOURS TRULY

[Redacted Signature]

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62-113877-53

November 27, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

I received your communication on November 23rd and want to thank you for your thoughtfulness. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Fraternally,

J. Edgar Hoover

MAILED 6  
NOV 30 1970  
COMM-FBI

NOTE: Bufiles contain no record of correspondent.

MSR:pmc (3)

- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
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- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
- Brennan, C D \_\_\_\_\_
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- Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_
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Mr. J Edgar Hoover - 33  
Director - F. B. I.  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir & Brother:

I wish to thank you for your description of Ramsey Clark, also your reference to Robert Kennedy.

If I had to describe those people, yours would be a very mild one compared to mine. As you very well know, those people who call themselves "liberals-" are in my book only a horde of communists - liberalism is only a new word for communism.

1930 If todays' generation would have to go through a depression like me & millions of other Americans went through we would have to form a vigilantes corps to combat those people.

I was in my late teens when it came about, but I know what it is to work-and be broke. I mean without a penny in my pocket. I wonder what the present generation would do under those circumstances?

Here's the way I feel for those senators "doves" who lost their seat in Congress- let them go to Hanoi Peking or Moscow - bet they's starve to death- for in those Communistic Countries 'you have to work. "

Those doves would rather let the Russians take their country then to support 'our military defense program"

I wish God would resuscitate "Andrew Jackson" and put him in the White House. What a brave man. And he was a Good Patriotic Mason. Well may "The Good Lord " take care & protect you. I am Fraternally Yours - Jules Minnich 32 A Shriver

P. S. I like Nixon & Agnew.

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FROM:



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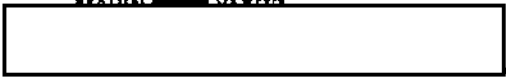
MR. J. EDGAR HOOVER - DIRECTOR

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION,

WASHINGTON, D.C.

ack. MSA: Jones 11-27-70

JHR



METAIRIE, LA. 70092 Nov. 18, 1970.

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover - 33°  
Director of F. B. I.  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir + Brother;  
I wish to thank you for your description of  
Ramsay Clark - also your reference to Robert H.  
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would be a very mild one compared to mine.

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a depression like me + millions of other Americans  
went through <sup>1930--</sup> we would have to form "vigilante corp"  
to combat those people.

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Those doves would rather let the Russians take their country  
than to support "our military defense program".

I wish God would resurrect "Andrew Jackson"  
and put him in the "White House" - what a brave man  
and he was a Good Patriotic Mason.

Well - may the Lord God take care + protect you  
Fraternaly Yours - Jules Minnich - 32° + a shiner

Dr. J. Edgar Hoover + Agnew

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CORRESPONDENCE

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Mr. Tolson	_____
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Mr. Callahan	_____
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November 27, 1970

62-113817-54

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Dear [Redacted]

On November 23rd I received your letter in which you expressed your support of my administration of this Bureau. Communications such as yours are most encouraging and you may be sure I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing.

With respect to your remarks, I have no present thought of retiring and hope to remain in my position as long as I can be of service to our Nation. However, the next Director of the FBI will be appointed by the President and confirmed by the Senate.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

MAILED 6  
NOV 30 1970  
COMM-FBI

NOTE: Bufiles contain nothing identifiable regarding [Redacted]

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Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
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Mr. Callahan	_____
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November 17, 1970

Hon. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr Hoover:

I hesitate to interrupt your busy schedule, but as a concerned citizen, I wish to express my appreciation for the dedicated and capable service which you and your organization have rendered to our country for so many years.

Members of certain circles seem to make a ritual of periodically and publically damning you and your Bureau. As with others working against our freedoms and heritages, these persons always find a cooperative news media.

Every time I hear or read these outbursts, I resolve to write to you in support of yourself and what you stand for. I suppose that untold others have the same feelings. I hope that they have more determination and do not procrastinate as I have done for so long.

Mr Hoover, There always comes a time when each of us must step down from an active life. America dreads the day when you will have to do so. But, I, and surely others, pray that when that time comes you will already have hand picked a successor and publically proclaimed your choice. I shudder to think of the results had Bobby Kennedy or Ramsey Clark had the opportunity to pick your successor.

Excuse me for taking so much of your time. Thank you, again, for your courageous and patriotic service and for the high moral standard which you have set for the rest of us. to emulate.

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Respectfully yours,

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November 27, 1970

62-113877-55

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Dear [Redacted]

I have received your communication of November 20th and want to thank you for your thoughtfulness. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles.

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NOV 30 1970  
COMM-FBI

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J. Edgar Hoover Testifies

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Nov. 20, 1970



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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Thank you for standing up for our United States. In these times, it is especially important to have men such as yourself in positions as here you can do so much to keep the U.S. even half-way the idealistic republic it was meant to be.

And Sir, don't think for one moment that such men as Mr. Clark can change the minds of the average American. His ungentlemanly conduct renders his changes null and void before his arguments are ever expounded. Thank you for calling Mr. Clark for what he is! That took nerve and we appreciate and admire you for doing so.

Mr. Hoover, you and your men have done a marvelous job, and I've always been taught to give praise where praise is due.

Sir, keep up the good work with your excellent force of men, and we Americans will stand with and behind you whole-heartedly.

Wishing you only the best, I am,



Sincerely yours,



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11-27-70*

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

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Nov. 20, 1970



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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Thank you for standing up for our United States. In these times, it is especially important to have men such as yourself in positions where you can do so much to keep the U.S. even half-way the idealistic republic it was meant to be.

And Sir, don't think for one moment that such men as <sup>Ramsay</sup> Mr. Blank can change the minds of the average American. His ungentlemanly conduct renders his charges null and void before his arguments ever expounded. Thank you for calling Mr. Blank for what he is! That took nerve and we appreciate and admire you for doing so.

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CORRESPONDENCE

Mr. Hoover, you and your men have done  
a marvelous job, and I've always been taught  
to give praise where praise is due.


Sir, keep up the good work with your  
excellent force of men, and we Americans  
will stand with and behind you whole-heartedly.  
Wishing you only the best, I am,

Sincerely yours,

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Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
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EX-11

November 27, 1970

62-113877-56



Dear

Your letter was received on November 23rd and it was thoughtful of you to write. I appreciate your kind sentiments and am certainly grateful for your support. I hope that my efforts will continue to merit your confidence.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOV 30 1970  
COMM-FBI

NOTE: On the basis of available data, correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles.

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- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
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- Callahan \_\_\_\_\_
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*T.B.L.*  
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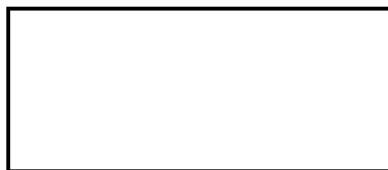
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*RSA*

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Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
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Mr. Brown	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Justice Department  
Washington, D.C.

*John A. Callahan*

Dear Mr. Hoover,

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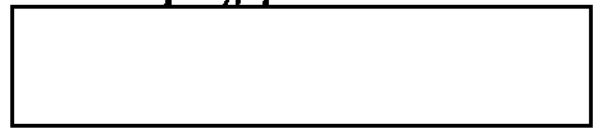
Congratulations on calling former Attorney General Ramsey Clark by his right name -- "jellyfish". May God deliver this country from the hands of those who think like him.

May I also take this opportunity to express my appreciation for the outstanding service you have rendered to this country. If we just had a few more God-fearing, freedom-loving Americans like you we just might be able to save this country from total destruction.

May the Lord continue to bless your labor.

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Yours in Christ,



Paris Bible Church

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Ret/PMC*

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EX-106

November 27, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

I received your communication on November 23rd and want to thank you for your generous comments. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles contain no record of correspondent.

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*James*

*rdm*

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Dear Edgar:

Thank God, for people like you. Where would our Country be without such a dedicated person. Your statement about Clark & Kennedy were a long time coming. Keep it up. Give them Hell and keep our country Free!

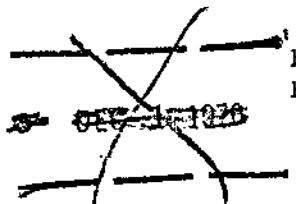
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J. Edgar Hoover  
CHIEF - F.B.I.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Mr. Tolson	_____
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Mr. Bishop	_____
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 a long time coming. Keep it  
 up - Give them hell and keep  
 our country FREE!

Thanks



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*John*



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November 27, 1970

[Redacted]

Dear [Redacted]

Your communication was received on November 20th and I want to thank you for your thoughtfulness. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

MAILED 6  
NOV 30 1970  
COMM-FBI

NOTE: Bufiles disclose one outgoing to an individual of the same name in Van Nuys, California, dated 1/21/70 in response to his comments regarding the Director's work.

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Dear Mr Hoover -

After reading the statements Clark has said about you and the F.B.I. I am mad - That Jelly fish Clark couldnt and isnt good enough to shine your shoes - or any of the FBI Agents.

As far as Im concernd Mr. Jellyfish should be sent out of the United S<sup>t</sup>ates to Russia Cuba or Better still - to Siberia.

As far as Im concerned you and the F.B.I. are the only ones - between us and Russian taking us over - to bad we dont have laws- to put him away - where he belongs - because the FBI is the first line of Defense - without it we would not be free America - The only thing Clark hasnt got is a beard - because hed make a good Hippie - among other things - I dont want to mention.

As for the Black Panthers statement he made - about the FBI - all I can say is go - get - them - because if you dont were going to have civil war -

Thank you Mr Hoover -  
for Being the F.B.I.  
God Bless them all - each and every one of you - Im proud to be an a American. Keep after them.

/s/



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I want to thank you for the nice letter you sent me last year - again I thank you -

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11-27-70  
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Dear Mr Hoover -

after reading the statements Clark has said about you and the F.B.I. I am mad - That jelly fish Clark couldnt and dont good enough to shine your shoes on any of the F.B.I. Agents

As far as Im concerned Mr Jelly fish should be sent out of the United States to Russia Cuba or better still - to Siberia

As far as Im concerned you and the F.B.I. are the only ones - Between Between US and Russian taking women - to bad we dont have laws - to put him away - upon he belong - because the FBI is the first line of defense - without it we would not be free America - The only thing Clark hasnt got is a beard - because hed make a good hippie - Among other things - I dont want to mention

As for the Black Panter's statement he made - about the FBI - all I can say is go - get - them - because if you dont were going to have Civil War Ramsey Clark

Thank you Mr Hoover - for being the F.B.I.

God Bless them all - each and everyone of you - Im proud to be an American  
Keep after them -

I want to thank you for the nice letter you sent me last year - again I thank you -

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November 30, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for your card which I received on November 23rd. Communications such as yours are most encouraging, and you may be sure I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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COMM-FBI

NOTE: Our files disclose prior cordial correspondence with

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*jls*

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6:30 PM

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above Clark & that I would write to you as I always do"

Cordially



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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington  
D. C.

DI DIRECTOR





REC-21

November 27, 1970

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62-113877-60

RA



Dear

On November 23rd I received your communication and appreciate the interest which prompted you to furnish your views. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my direction of this Bureau certainly means a great deal to me.

In view of your concern, I am enclosing material about some of our work which contains suggestions all of us can use in the fight against crime and communism.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOV 30 1970  
COMM-FBI

Enclosures (4)

Director's testimony 3-5-70 re Black Panthers, Racial, Extremist and Communist Groups

A Study in Marxist Revolutionary Violence: SDS, 1962-1969

The FBI's War on Organized Crime

The War Against Crime is Your War

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J. Edgar Hoover Testifies  
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NOTE: Our files contain nothing unfavorable regarding correspondent.

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- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
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- Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_
- Miss Holmes \_\_\_\_\_
- Miss Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

11/18/1970

Hon. J. Edgar Hoover!

May I congratulate you, for speaking not just for your self, but for citizens like me!

A lot of people would like to get you involved in politics, a long time ago, but glad you haven't allowed it to happen.

May I say what this world needs more than any thing are alot of J. Edgar Hoover's

As I have said before, what will we do after you are gone I am worried that you cant be re-placed, this is a frighten far citizens, for we are going down the drain so very fast!

I would give any thing if only I could only help change the way this country is going, but what I do!

I was so very happy, when President Nixon announced

Ramsay Clark would be among the first to go, when he took office, I agree with you one hundred per-cent!

How our Government could have been so blind as to differences, in the way to put down crime, instead the Atty. Gen. plus our courts must be to blame cuddling crime at its worse

Sometimes Mr Hoover its almost too much, seeing every da what has been allowed to happen, where are we going?

What can I do? Im only one citizen, but surely my concern is very, very deep, I just want to be able to do

some-thing I know our high leaders are-not doing!

Again Mr Hoover I wish you would live for ever, and ever!

P S! Clarks book,

A concerned Citizen,

cheap is the best word I can say for it

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" Money the root of all evil "

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P s. Another cheap voice,

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Daniel Walker "1968"

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**Daniel Walker will  
announce today for  
governor in 1972**

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November 30, 1970

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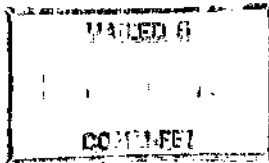
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[Redacted]

Thank you for your letter which was received on November 23rd. Communications such as yours are most encouraging, and I am indeed grateful for your kind sentiments and support of my administration of the FBI. This certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover



NOTE: Bufiles reveal nothing unfavorable regarding correspondent.

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Honorable J. Edgar Hoover  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

You go to the top, in my book and always have. By the same token, will put Mr. Clark on the very bottom of the totem pole--where he belongs. I'd like to put Dr. Spock down there, too. (I didn't rear my children by his book--not on your life.)

I'd probably be behind the times in Mr. Clark's book, but his opinion has little value in my estimation. I didn't teach school 30 years not to know that in order to accomplish anything, there must be law and order.

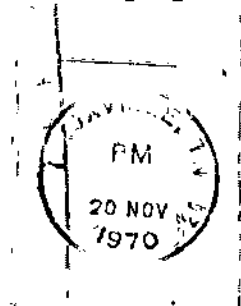
May our dear Lord bless you, and may you be with us many, many more years.

Most sincerely yours,



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P. S. Keep up the good work--thousands of us are back of you.

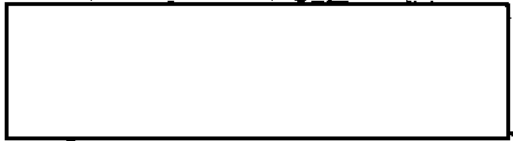


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Honorable J. Edgar Hoover  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

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Dear Sir: Ramsey Clark

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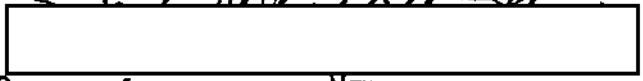
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Most sincerely yours,  
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P.S. Keep up the good work -  
Thousands of us are back of you.

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November 30, 1970

EX-10  
62-113877-62

[Redacted]

Attorneys at Law  
Post Office Box 3276  
Waco, Texas 76707

Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for your letter of November 19th in which you expressed your support of my administration of the FBI. Communications such as yours are most encouraging, and you may be sure I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

MAILED 6  
DEC - 1970  
COMM-FBI

NOTE: Our files disclose limited correspondence with [Redacted] On 4/3/70 we wrote him and sent him data regarding crime.

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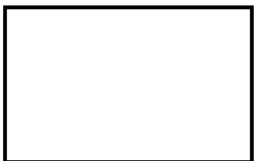
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ATTORNEYS AT LAW  
1000 NORTH 25TH STREET  
P. O. BOX 3276  
WACO, TEXAS 76707

November 19, 1970

- Mr. Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Brennan, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
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Honorable J. Edgar Hoover  
Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I condemn as unworthy of an American citizen the critical remarks made by Ramsey Clark concerning your long, faithful and distinguished service to our Country. What you said about Little Ramsey is the truth, but it is not the whole truth.. Both in and out of the Office of Attorney General he has by stupid remarks encouraged hatred, crime and unlawful protest by the enemies of the American System of free government. The important office of Attorney General was traded to Ramsey Clark for a position on the Supreme Court to be occupied by man, not because he was the best lawyer obtainable but for the sole reason that he was a Negro. Both appointments were shockingly unwise.

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If the brain of Ramsey Clark were placed in the head of a meadowlark, a hawk would catch the bird before breakfast.

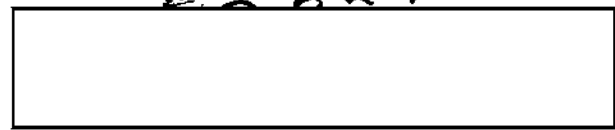
I have been engaged in the active practice of law for more than half a Century and have understood and appreciated the great service rendered by you and your Department, and which service to my knowledge has never been criticized by an honest man who was not criminally inclined or not under delusion.

Trusting that we may have your continued service to our country, I am,

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Very sincerely,

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62-113877-63

November 30, 1970

[Redacted]

Dear [Redacted]

On November 23rd I received your communication and want to thank you for your kind comment. Your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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COMM-FBI

NOTE: Our files contain nothing unfavorable regarding [Redacted]

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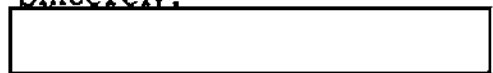


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My dear Mr. Hoover,

Thank God you "stick by your guns."

Sincerely,



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November 17, 1970

- Mr. Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. [unclear] \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. [unclear] \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Callahan \_\_\_\_\_ b6
- Mr. Casper \_\_\_\_\_ b7C
- Mr. Conrad \_\_\_\_\_
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- Miss Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

My dear Mr. Hoover:  
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Sincerely,



Ramsey O Clark

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November 30, 1970

62-113877-64

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Dear [Redacted]  
[Redacted]

It was thoughtful of you to write on November 20th. I appreciate your kind comment and am certainly grateful for your support. I hope that my efforts will continue to merit your confidence.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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Miss Gandy	_____

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November 20, 1970

J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I understand Ramsey Clark has written a book critical of you and the F.B.I.

Following is a conversation that could have taken place ...  
President Johnson (to Justice Tom Clark): "Tom I am anxious to put a Negro on the Supreme Court. You have this stupid nonentity son who will never amount to anything. If you will resign I will appoint Ramsey as Attorney General. Then I can appoint Thurgood Marshall to the Court."

The sorriest day in the history of the Court and law enforcement was the "deal" to put Marshall on the Court and Ramsey Clark as Attorney General.

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Your heading the F.B.I. is the greatest comfort we can come by in this period of rampant crime.

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Very sincerely,

[Redacted signature]

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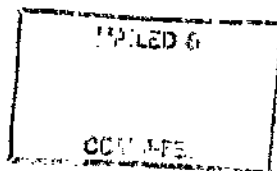


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Dear

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Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover



NOTE: Bufiles contain no record of correspondent.

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STORM DOORS - STORM WINDOWS

AWNINGS AND CARPORTS

JEWELERS AND HOME IMPROVEMENT DEALER

PHONE JE 7-3625 • 1109 ROANOKE AVENUE

ROANOKE RAPIDS, NORTH CAROLINA 27870

November 20, 1970

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Brennan	CD _____
Mr. Callahan	_____
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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

Congratulations on your calling it like it is about former U. S. Attorney General Ramsey Clark.

We have too many of Clark's kind in power now I hope the voters can and will weed them out.

Keep up the good work. Everybody loves you.

Yours truly,

[Redacted Signature]

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November 30, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

[Redacted]

Your letter was received on November 23rd and

I want to thank you for your thoughtfulness. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles disclose one prior letter to correspondent dated 11/15/60 in response to his inquiry about UNICEF.

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Dear Mr. Hoover:

Re. the newspaper accounts of your difference with  
Ramsey Clark. We are with you - 100%

It is indeed refreshing to have someone with your guts in  
authority.

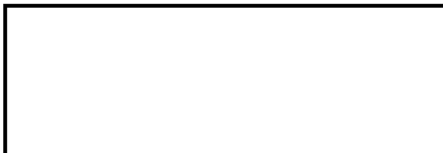
With best regards & wishes for your long life & vigor, I remain.

Yours very truly,



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Calif. Hwy. Patrol  
Retired



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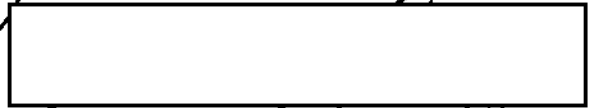
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Yours very truly,

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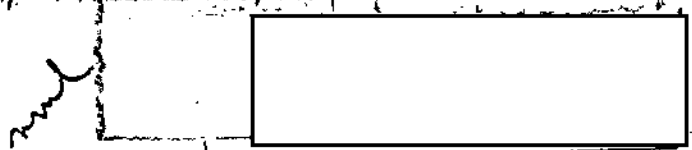


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November 30, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

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Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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COMM-FBI

NOTE: Bufiles contain nothing identifiable regarding correspondent.

FMG:hmp (3)

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- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
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- Brennan, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
- Callahan \_\_\_\_\_
- Casper \_\_\_\_\_
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Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Brennan CD	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
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Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Walters	_____
Mr. Soyars	_____ b6
Tele. Room	_____ b7C
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____



Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
 United States Department of Justice  
 Federal Bureau of Investigation  
 Washington, D. C. 20535

Dear Mr. Hoover:

This letter is long overdue. It has been my intention for some time now to write and tell you of my appreciation of your service to our country. Yesterday's radio and today's newspaper coverage of the comments by the former Attorney General, Ramsey Clark, have prodded me into this letter.

Thank you for your integrity and service, Mr. Hoover. I just wish our country had more men in public service near your caliber.

Sincerely yours,



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December 1, 1970

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EX-106  
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Honorable William A. Klein  
Mayor  
Bratenahl Village  
Bratenahl Village Hall  
411 Bratenahl Road  
Cleveland, Ohio 44108

My dear Mayor:

I have received your letter of November 23rd and want you to know I deeply appreciate your kind remarks and expression of support. Communications such as yours are most encouraging and mean a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

MAILED 6  
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COMM-FBI

NOTE: Bufiles disclose prior cordial correspondence with Mayor Klein, last outgoing 11-12-69. He applied for the position of Special Agent in 1946 and was given an appointment which he declined. Address per prior correspondence.

MSR:jkm (3)

- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
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- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
- Brennan, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
- Callahan \_\_\_\_\_
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- Soyars \_\_\_\_\_
- Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_
- Holmes \_\_\_\_\_
- Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

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*Gentry*  
*MSR*  
*V. Green*

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William A. Klein  
Counsellor at Law  
Bulkley Building, Cleveland, Ohio 44115  
(216) 621-0037

November 23, 1970

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J. Edgar Hoover  
Director Federal Bureau of Investigation  
c/o Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Just a few lines to express my strong support for you personally, and that of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, as concerns the remarks made by Mr. Ramsey Clark.

I agree with your statements in reply to Mr. Clark's, 100%! My admiration for you as a public servant, and the "F. B. I.," remain undiminished. May God keep you and preserve you. We, the people of the United States need you and the "FBI," as never before.

Sincerely,

William A. Klein  
(Mayor of Bratenahl Village, Ohio)

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William A. Klein  
Counsellor at Law  
Bulkeley Building, Cleveland, Ohio 44115  
(216) 621-0097

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Brennan, C.D.	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____

November 23, 1970

W. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director Federal Bureau of Investigation  
U.S. Department of Justice  
Washington, D.C.

Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Walters	_____
Mr. Soyars	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

Dear Mr. Hoover: Ramsey Clark

Just a few lines to express  
my strong support for you personally, and  
that of the Federal Bureau of Investigation,  
as concerns the remarks made by Mr.  
Ramsey Clark.

I agree with your statements in  
reply to Mr. Clark's, 100%! My admiration for you  
as a public servant, and the "F. B. I.", remain  
undiminished. May God 62-113877-68 preserve  
you. He, the people of the United States need  
you and the "F. B. I.", as never before.

Sincerely,  
William A. Klein

(Mayor of Prater's Village Ohio)  
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December 1, 1970

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EX-106 \*

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Dear [Redacted]

[Redacted]

Your communication of November 23rd has been received and I appreciate the interest which prompted you to write and furnish me your views. Your support of my position means a great deal to me.

MAILED 6  
DEC - 1 1970  
COMM-FBI

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles.

REK:sel (3)

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- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
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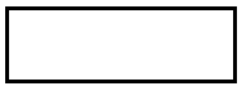
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OFFICE OF DIRECTOR  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
11-23-70

Mr J. Edgar Hoover  
Director of F. B. I.  
Wash, D. C.

Dear Sir,

While you were calling Ramsey  
Clark a Jelly Fish you should also  
ask him why he hates WHITE PEOPLE

Good Luck



Ack: nml  
12-1-70  
REK: sel

COPY:wmc

- MR. TOLSON \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. SULLIVAN \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. MOHR \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. BISHOP \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. BRENNAN, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. CALLAHAN \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. CASPER \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. CONRAD \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. FELT \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. GALE \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. ROSEN \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. TAVEL \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. WALTERS \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. SOYARS \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. JONES \_\_\_\_\_
- TELE. ROOM \_\_\_\_\_
- MISS HOLMES \_\_\_\_\_
- MRS. METCALF \_\_\_\_\_
- MISS GANDY \_\_\_\_\_

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- Mr. Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
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- Mr. Gale \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Rosen \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Tavel \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Walters \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. [unclear] \_\_\_\_\_
- Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_
- Miss Holmes \_\_\_\_\_
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MR J. EDGAR HOOVER

DIRECTOR OF F.B.I.

Wash, D.C.

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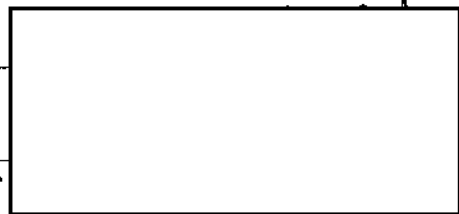
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December 1, 1970

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EX-106

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Dear

[Redacted]

have received your letter of November 20th and

want to thank you for your thoughtfulness in writing. Communica-  
tions such as yours are most encouraging and your support means  
a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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COMM-FBI

NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles.

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- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
- Brennan, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
- Callahan \_\_\_\_\_
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Nov. 20, 1970

Hon. J. Edgar Hoover  
Chief, Federal Bureau  
of Investigation,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

This is not a letter of criticism, but one of admiration.

I concur with your news regarding Ramsey Clark.  
Our country must guard itself against the Ramsey Clarks.

We are Americans dating back to 1629. The  
changes we see in our country, we don't like.

We Americans are helpless and must depend  
upon our leaders to guide us.

The things that have made our country great,  
the Supreme Court has done away with. Such as, prayers in  
schools, and saluting our flag.

Eternal vigilance is the price of freedom.

When you decide to retire, we hope your  
successor will be one half as good and dedicated as you are.

With great esteem and warm regards I am



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12-1-70  
R&K: Alan*

*S/R&K*



Nov. 20, 1970.

Hon. J. Edgar Hoover,  
Chief, Federal Bureau  
of Investigation,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

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With great esteem and warm regards  
Yours



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Mr. Callahan	_____
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Mr. Soyars	_____
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Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

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62-113877-71

December 1, 1970

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BankAmericard Center  
The First National Bank of Atlanta  
Post Office Box 4635  
Atlanta, Georgia 30302

Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for your kind letter which was received on November 25th. It was indeed thoughtful of you to write and furnish me your views. Communications such as yours are most encouraging and your support of my position certainly means a great deal to me.

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COMM-FBI

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
- Brennan, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
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- Holmes \_\_\_\_\_
- Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: Bufiles disclose one prior outgoing to correspondent, 9-2-70, concerning our fingerprint applicant program. He is not otherwise identifiable.

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THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ATLANTA

BANKAMERICARD CENTER

POST OFFICE BOX 4635

ATLANTA, GEORGIA 30302

November 20, 1970

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
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Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Walters	_____
Mr. Soyars	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

This is my personal letter of support for you and your Department and my opinion of the recent remarks of Mr. Ramsey Clark, former Attorney General.

It was interesting to read in the same paper, Mr. Clark's remarks regarding you personally, and the Bureau's objectives, and an article regarding the Black Panther's offering to send troops to North Viet Nam to fight the "Imperialists".

As a former law enforcement officer, who has worked with the Department in the past, and is presently working with the Department, including my investigative staff, as the situation dictates, I take personal offense at Mr. Clark's statements.

It has long been a tactic of Communism to support subversive groups and crime to detract attention from their infiltration of a society.

In June of 1971, I plan to take the Bar Exam here. I am a member of the young generation at 33. I have served my country in two branches of service, and enforced law. I feel qualified to comment on Mr. Clark's remarks based on this.

Mr. Clark is evidently a theoretician who has never participated in effectively preventing the "notorious crime rise" to which he alludes.

It is regrettable that any person of so evidently limited a background in the subject, would be given national attention to comment on crime in any perspective.

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The Bureau's policy of acting fair, firm and impartially in protecting the security of the country as well as your personal dedication, is rebuttal enough to the "bum remarks" of Mr. Clark.

Sincerely,



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December 1, 1970

62-113577-72

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b7c

Dear [Redacted]

I received your letter of November 22nd and I am most appreciative of your kind remarks. It was indeed thoughtful of you to write and I am pleased that the activities of the FBI meet with your approval. I hope our endeavors will continue to merit your support.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

MAILED 6  
DEC 1 1970  
COMM-FBI

NOTE: Correspondent could not be identified in Bufiles.

AWT:jrp (3)

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- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
- Brennan, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
- Callahan \_\_\_\_\_
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November 22, 1970

Honorable J. Edgar Hoover  
Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

My Dear Mr. Hoover,

As an American, may I take this opportunity  
to thank you for the many years that you have served this  
nation with great dedication and loyalty.

I find it regrettable to read of the attack upon  
you by Mr. Clark.

You have done more to fight crime than anyone  
in our nation's history.

Again thank you --

I would be most happy to hear from you.

Yours respectfully,



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November 20

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Brennan, C.D.	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____

Honorable J. Edgar Hoover  
 Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation  
 Washington, D.C.

Ramsey Clark

Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
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Miss Gandy	_____

My Dear Mr. Hoover,

As an American, may I take this opportunity to thank you for the many years that you have served this nation with great dedication and loyalty.

I find it regrettable to read of  
 attach upon you by Mr. Clark.

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You have done more to fight crime than anyone in our nation's history.

Again thank you —  
 I would be most happy to hear from you.  
 Yours respectfully,

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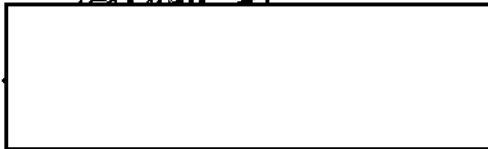
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December 1, 1970

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62-113877-73

EX-108



Dear



Thank you for your letter of November 23rd and the generous remarks about my administration of this Bureau. Your comments are most encouraging to me and I hope my endeavors will continue to merit your approval.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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DEC - 1 1970  
COMM-FBI

NOTE: Bufiles contain nothing identifiable regarding correspondent.

FMG:sel (3)

sel

- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
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- Brennan, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
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- Holmes \_\_\_\_\_
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Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
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Mr. Walters	_____
Mr. [unclear]	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

November 23, 1970

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Chief  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

I wish to commend you for your feelings about Ramsey Clark. His book will certainly do more harm than good. I consider you the most honest person in Washington and sometimes I think you are the only honest person in Washington.

Yours very truly,

[Redacted signature box]

I believe Ramsey Clark is the biggest fool in Washington

*I believe Ramsey Clark is the biggest fool in Washington*

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December 1, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

[Redacted]

Thank you for your letter of November 22nd. It was indeed thoughtful of you to write and comment as you did concerning my work. I am certainly grateful for your kind sentiments and support.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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COMM-FBI

NOTE: There is no record of correspondent in Bufiles.

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- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
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11/22/70

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Just a short note to let you know that I am pleased with your recent reaction concerning Ramsey Clark, although I'm not sure his comments deserve a reply.

We need less people of the ilk of Clark and more men such as yourself and your fine agents.

The best of good health and fortune to you.

Sincerely

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D.C.

Mr. Tolson	_____
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Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
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Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

Dear Mr. Hoover :

Just a short note to let you know that I am pleased with your recent reaction concerning Ramsey Clark, although I'm not sure his comments deserve a reply.

We need less people of the ilk of Clark and more men such as yourself and your fine agents.

The best of good health and fortune to you.

Sincerely

[Redacted signature area]

[Redacted address area]

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CORRESPONDENCE

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December 1, 1970

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Dear

I have received your communication of November 22nd and want to thank you for sending me the newspaper clipping. Also, I appreciate the interest which prompted you to furnish your views. Your kind sentiment and your generous remarks about my direction of the FBI are most encouraging and your support means a great deal to me.

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COMM-FBI

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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J. Edgar Hoover Testifies  
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NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in our files.

FMG:mls (3)  
*mls*

- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
- Brennan, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
- Callahan \_\_\_\_\_
- Casper \_\_\_\_\_
- Conrad \_\_\_\_\_
- Felt \_\_\_\_\_
- Gale \_\_\_\_\_
- Rosen \_\_\_\_\_
- Tavel \_\_\_\_\_
- Walters \_\_\_\_\_
- Soyars \_\_\_\_\_
- Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_
- Holmes \_\_\_\_\_
- Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

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Dear Mr. Hoover:

I thought you might enjoy the enclosed clipping by a columnist here in this little paper of Ventura County Free Press -

I do not always agree with his home-spun theories but this is one I heartily endorse on 'ole Jelly Fish Clark"! He tackled the wrong person when he maligned you! He should be classified along with ML King!

May God in His infinite wisdom continue to protect and bless you, a wonderful patriot and real American.

Yours in deep gratitude for all your untiring service in the defense of our country. You are under such terrible odds with the many nulty people you have to contend with in Washington! I do not see how you bear up under it all - these 'Doves' should go- to the USSR- and try t<sup>o</sup> live if they love them so much! ---

Sincerely,



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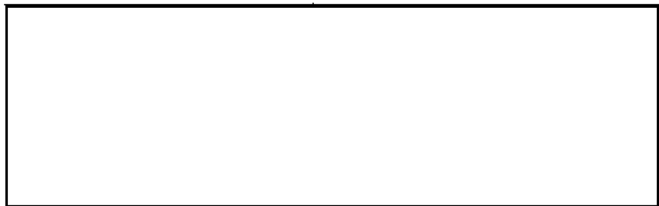
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Ramsey O Clark Nov-22, 1970 b6  
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Dear Mr. Hoover:

I thought you might enjoy the enclosed clipping by a Communist here in this little paper of Western a County Free Press -

I do not always agree with his home-sper theories but this is one I heartily endorse in 'ole jolly fish Clark' -! He tackled the wrong person when he maligned you! He should be classified along with ~~him~~ REC-2

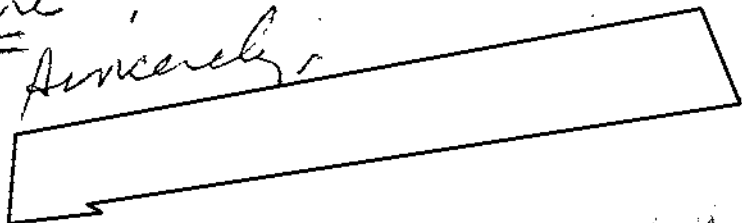
May God in His infinite wisdom continue to protect and bless you, a wonderful patriot and real American

Yours in deep gratitude for all your untiring service in the

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with in Washington!  
I do not see how you can  
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USSR - and try to live if  
they love them so much.  
Sincerely,

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Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Brennan	_____
Mr. Brennan CD	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Walters	_____
Mr. Soyars	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

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CORRESPONDENCE

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To J. Edgar Hoover

Former Attorney General Ramsey Clark, I gather, is  
your this year's nominee for the Martin Luther King Most  
"Notorious Liar" Award.



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ENCLOSURE

REC-21  
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December 1, 1970

62-113877-76

[Redacted]

Brooks Realty  
209 West San Bernardino Road  
Covina, California 91722

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Dear [Redacted]

I am most appreciative of the kind remarks contained in your letter which I received on November 25th. It was indeed thoughtful of you to write and I am pleased the activities of the FBI meet with your approval. I hope our endeavors continue to merit your support.

In response to your request, it is a pleasure to enclose one of my photographs suitable for framing.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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Enclosure

Large Autrey photograph of Director in color (not autographed).

NOTE: Based on information available, correspondent could not be identified in Bufiles.

AWT:jrp (3)

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MAILED 1  
DEC 1 - 1970  
COMM-FBI

- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
- Brennan, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
- Callahan \_\_\_\_\_
- Casper \_\_\_\_\_
- Conrad \_\_\_\_\_
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- Gale \_\_\_\_\_
- Rosen \_\_\_\_\_
- Tavel \_\_\_\_\_
- Walters \_\_\_\_\_
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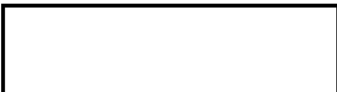
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November 20, 1970

Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. Sullivan	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Bishop	✓
Mr. Brennan	CD
Mr. Callahan	
Mr. Casper	
Mr. Conrad	
Mr. Felt	b6
Mr. Gale	b7C
Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Tavel	
Mr. Walters	
Mr. Soyars	
Tele. Room	
Miss Holmes	
Miss Gandy	

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director,  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D.C.

Ramsey Clark

Dear Mr. Hoover,

I've been lax for many years in writing you to thank you for your lifetime dedication to the FBI and for its high quality thanks to your effort.

It has been my pleasure to know some 15 to 20 FBI/agents through business transactions here in the local area. They are all dedicated people and their selection reflects on you and your organization.

Recent news articles in the L.A. Times has prompted me to write you and extend my heartfelt thanks to you and the FBI for the excellent results of your efforts.

I thank you for the 45 years so far and hope you stay in your position for as many more.

If it is not an imposition on you, I'd appreciate your sending me a picture of yourself, if you have an extra one and the time, so that I may frame it, hang it here in my office, and feel greatly honored.

Again, thank you very much for all you've done for all of us.



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"BUY PLENTY OF REAL ESTATE - THEY'RE NOT MAKING IT ANYMORE"

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62-113877-47

December 1, 1970

[Redacted]

President  
Post 63  
Rod and Gun Club  
81 Strathmore Avenue  
Buffalo, New York 14220

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Dear [Redacted]

On November 25th I received your letter and want to thank you for your thoughtfulness in writing. Your generous remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of this Bureau certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Our files contain no record of correspondent.

FMG:sel (3)

sel

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COMM-FBI

- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
- Brennan, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
- Callahan \_\_\_\_\_
- Casper \_\_\_\_\_
- Conrad \_\_\_\_\_
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- Gale \_\_\_\_\_
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- Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

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Post 63

Rod & Gun Club

81 Strathmore Ave.

Buffalo, New York 14220 - 823-9412

PRESIDENT .....  
VICE PRESIDENT ,.....  
TREASURER ....  
SECRETARY . . . . .

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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b7c

J. Edgar Hoover  
Director of F. B. I.  
Washington, D. C.

Nov 18, 1970

Dear Sir,

We as Americans, Veterans and Sportsmen express our thanks to you, for an outstanding service, as director of our great Federal Bureau of Investigation. Your name shall go down in history as the greatest lawman this Country ever had. We have followed Ramsey Clark, when he was attorney General, and we agree, he was the biggest Bum of an attorney General this country ever had.

Resp. Yours,

President

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# Post 63 Rod & Gun Club

MILNOR & ELECTRIC AVENUE · LACKAWANNA, NEW YORK 14218 · 825-9197  
81 STRATHMORE AVE BUFFALO NEW YORK 14220 823-9412

PRESIDENT .....  
VICE PRESIDENT .....  
TREASURER .....  
SECRETARY .....

- Mr. Sullivan
- Mr. Mohr
- Mr. Bishop
- Mr. Brennan, C.D.
- Mr. Callahan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Casper \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Conrad \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Felt \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Gale \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Rosen \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Tavel \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Walters \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Soyars \_\_\_\_\_
- Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_
- Miss Holmes \_\_\_\_\_
- Miss Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

J Edgar Hoover  
Director of F. B. I  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir,

Nov-18, 1970 b6  
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*[Handwritten signature]*

We as Americans, Veterans and

Spartans express our thanks to you, for an out-  
standing service, as director of our great Federal  
Bureau of Investigation. Your name shall go down  
in history as the greatest lawman this Country ever  
had. We have followed Ramsey Clark, when he was  
attorney General, and we agree, he was the biggest Burea  
of an attorney General this country ever had.

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*Respectfully,*

President

CORRESPONDENCE

REC 83

62-113977-78

November 30, 1970

[Redacted]

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Dear [Redacted]

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Thank you for your letter of November 19th in which you expressed your support of my administration of the FBI. Communications such as yours are most encouraging, and you may be sure I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing.

MAILED 6  
NOV 30 1970  
COMM-FBI

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Bufiles disclose prior cordial correspondence with [Redacted] in the past. Latest outgoing of 10/16/68 was in response to his favorable remarks.

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REK:pmc (3)

- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
- Brennan, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
- Callahan \_\_\_\_\_
- Casper \_\_\_\_\_
- Conrad \_\_\_\_\_
- Felt \_\_\_\_\_
- Gale \_\_\_\_\_
- Rosen \_\_\_\_\_
- Tavel \_\_\_\_\_
- Walters \_\_\_\_\_
- Soyars \_\_\_\_\_
- Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_
- Holmes \_\_\_\_\_
- Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

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Director's Controversy  
With Ramsey Clark



November 19, 1970

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Stennis, C.D.	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____ b6
Mr. Felt	_____ b7C
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Walters	_____
Mr. Soyars	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

Honorable J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Department of Justice Board  
Washington, D.C. 20013

Dear Mr. Director:

I heard on the radio last night and I also read in the Tribune yesterday morning certain statements by "His highness" Ramsey Clark, an alleged former Attorney General of the United States.

Mr. Clark's memory is extremely shallow. When Lincoln White, Alger Hiss and quite a few more subversives were in high places, it was you and your department that saved this nation from becoming rampant with anarchy and riot. Again in the Korean conflict, a police action, you and your men prevented many of our classified items from being stolen.

It was during Mr. Clark's administration that they burned down half of the District of Columbia under the guise of the right to dissent and having been permitted to live seventy-two years, I find that it is doubtful whether Mr. Clark had guts enough to stand up against the problems which we have today and which were incubated by him and his lovely associates.

I just wanted you to know that many people with whom I have talked and, in my own opinion, you and your department have done and are doing an exemplary job and may the Good Lord continue to direct you in the right avenue. When I am able to determine Mr. Clark's address, I intend to write him and tell him what a "jerk" that he really is.

Respectfully yours,



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62-113877-78

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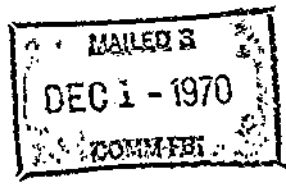
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Dear

I have received your communication of November 21st and want to thank you for your thoughtfulness. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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J. Edgar Hoover Testifies  
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*Handwritten signature*

NOTE: We have had prior cordial correspondence with last outgoing 10/8/69. She received an autographed photograph in 1953.

- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
- Brennan, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
- Callahan \_\_\_\_\_
- Casper \_\_\_\_\_
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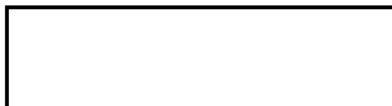
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Dear Mr. Hoover,

*Ramsey Clark*

What they are doing to you infuriates me, you have done more for our country and the entire world than any living man, you do not deserve such unjust treatment. Just pity them and do not let them succeed in getting you out of office.

Wilson has always been a corrupt town and when I came here as a bride in 1916, a wise and kind old man said to me, "Honey you have had so many advantages if you hear anything unkind through envy and jealousy just remember no one kicks a dead dog and just go on being you."

It is just about time for you to write a book and expose all these "illegible," it may help to make this a better place to let the little people know they cannot get away with the terrible things they are doing to us for money and power. Politicians and big business are destroying us. Politicians cannot believe in God, they go against everything the Bible stands for. The most evil thing on earth is an educated fool.

Take care of yourself, I am very proud of you and my prayers are with you. God bless you!

Most sincerely,



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November 27, 1970

62-113877

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Dear [Redacted]

It was thoughtful of you to write on November 20th. I appreciate your kind comments and am certainly grateful for your support. I hope that my efforts will continue to merit your confidence.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Bufiles disclose prior cordial correspondence with [Redacted]

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NOV 30 1970  
COMM-FBI

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Soyars \_\_\_\_\_  
Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Trotter \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

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NOV 30 1970  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535  
94-3-42-25  
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62-113877

November 27, 1970

[Redacted]

Dear [Redacted]

Mr. Hoover received your letter on November 23rd. He asked me to advise you that he is certainly grateful for your support and your generous comments concerning his administration of the FBI.

In view of the many similar letters he receives asking for his photograph, it has become necessary for Mr. Hoover to decline. He regrets he cannot comply with your request.

Sincerely yours,

[Redacted Signature]

Secretary

MAILED 24  
NOV 27 1970  
COMM-FBI

NOTE: Bufiles reveal one prior outgoing to correspondent, 12/5/69, regarding receipt of unrequested mail. The Young Americans for Freedom is self-described as a group endeavoring to provide the American public with educational material regarding threats upon American institutions by socialist and communist groups.

- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
- Brennan, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
- Callahan \_\_\_\_\_
- Casper \_\_\_\_\_
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- Felt \_\_\_\_\_
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November 27, 1970

Honorable James A. Emmert  
408 Methodist Building  
Shelbyville, Indiana 46176

My dear Judge:

I have received your communication of November 19th and want to thank you for your generous comments. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

MAILED 24  
NOV 27 1970  
COMM-FBI

NOTE: Bufiles disclose prior correspondence with Emmert, last outgoing 8-21-69 in which he was addressed as above.

- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
- Brennan, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
- Callahan \_\_\_\_\_
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November 27, 1970

62-113877

AIRMAIL



Dear

I have received your communication of November 19th and want to thank you for your generous comments. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - Honolulu - Enclosure

NOTE: is on the Special Correspondents List and is an SAC contact of the Honolulu Office.

JBT:cmg (4)

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NOV 27 1970  
COMM-FBI

- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
- Brennan, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
- Callahan \_\_\_\_\_
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November 27, 1970

[Redacted]

Dear [Redacted] 62-113877-

Thank you for your letter of November 20th in which you expressed your support of my administration of the FBI. Communications such as yours are most encouraging, and you may be sure I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: [Redacted] is on the Special Correspondents List.

MSR:trs (3)

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*J. Edgar Hoover Testifies*

MAILED 24  
NOV 27 1970  
COMM-FBI

- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
- Brennan, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
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*Jan*  
*GA*



4 62-113877-

November 27, 1970

[Redacted]

Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for your letter of November 19th. It was indeed thoughtful of you to write and comment as you did regarding my administration of the FBI. I am certainly grateful for your kind sentiments and staunch support which mean a great deal to me.

MAILED 6  
NOV 30 1970  
COMM-FBI

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: [Redacted] is a graduate in good standing of the 71st Session, FBI National Academy (April - June, 1963).

REK:jg (3)

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- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
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Dear [Redacted]

I have received your communication of November 20th and want to thank you for your generous comments. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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LONGWORTH HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20515  
PHONE: 225-3611 (202)

Congress of the United States  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

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Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Casper	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Felt	✓
Mr. Gale	✓
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Mr. Soyars	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Miss Holmes	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

November 25, 1970

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Dear Mr. Hoover:

*Ramsey Clark*

*[Handwritten signature]*

I have just read the attached newspaper column.

I would be interested in knowing how many Blacks are employed by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the kind of work they are assigned to do. For example, how many F.B.I. agents are Black?

I am reluctant to believe Mr. Rowan's charge that this kind of information is being withheld from the public and I think it is well that the record be set straight.

I thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

*Donald W. Riegle, Jr.*  
Donald W. Riegle, Jr.  
(R-Mich)

The Honorable J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
9th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20535

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## 2 Issues Hoover Interview Raised

The public may regard it as just another juicy public squabble when FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover calls former Atty. Gen. Ramsey Clark a "jellyfish" or boasts that he "didn't speak to Bobby Kennedy the last six months he was in office" as attorney general.

But Hoover unwittingly has raised issues of compelling national interest. His incredible interview in the Washington Post has thrown a new spotlight on:

(1) The old issue of whether, in 45 years, Hoover has made the FBI a law unto itself, not bending to the will of the attorney general, the President, the Congress, or the American public.

(2) The relatively new issue of whether, as Clark claims, the FBI lacks "diversity," its agents coming primarily from that narrow segment of Americans whose racial background and ideology fit Hoover's concept of a loyal, reliable citizen.

Why was Hoover not on speaking terms with his boss for six months (a situation that of itself would put anyone else in the bureaucracy out of a job rather quickly? Because, Hoover says, Kennedy pressured him "half a dozen times" to hire more Negro agents.

Hoover says he refused because Kennedy wanted him to lower standards and "discard the requirement that agents hold degrees in law or accounting. He even wanted to discard the bachelor's-degree requirement."

Hoover adds that he told his boss: "Now, Bobby, I have no prejudices. The FBI has Negro agents, Indian agents, Chinese agents, and all kinds of other agents. Anyone who can meet the qualifications can have a job."

Robert Kennedy is dead of an assassin's bullet and cannot reply for himself, so I thought a reporter was obligated to ask the FBI for some information not volunteered by Hoover.

How many blacks and other minority-group members are among the more than 7,000 FBI agents?

How many white FBI agents

do not have law or accounting degrees?

How many blacks are among the over-all total of 18,000 FBI employees, and how many blacks or other minority-group members are in top-level jobs where they have even a remote influence on policy?

I knew that this information was compiled, because in the administrations of John F. Kennedy and Lyndon B. Johnson every department and agency had to make regular "fair hiring" reports to the Civil Service Commission.

A spokesman for the FBI refused to provide the data. He said the FBI "gives that information only to another federal agency with a need to know."

The Civil Service Commission reported that the FBI's figures had been merged into the larger report of the Justice Department, so it couldn't say how many blacks had met Hoover's qualifications.

The Justice Department spokesman would say only that "about 1,500 blacks are employed by the FBI." But how many are agents and how many are shining spittoons? The Justice Department wouldn't say.

"You'll have to fight that out with the FBI," said John W. Hushen, director of public information for the Justice Department.

This is typical of the FBI in recent years. It talks freely and glibly when Hoover wants to assail some individual or group that he dislikes. It retreats into arrogant silence whenever there is any chance of FBI weakness or wrongdoing being exposed.

This exercise also illustrates the spinelessness of the parent Justice Department (except under that "jellyfish," Clark, who was the one attorney general with enough backbone to tell Hoover who was boss). Justice is clearly withholding figures about FBI officials who know that in attacking Robert F. Kennedy, Hoover raised an issue that could prove embarrassing if the whole truth is made public.

The ironic thing is that the information I requested has nothing to do with national security. The FBI will quickly tell you how many agents it has. It just won't reveal how many of them are black. This is the kind of information that all other agencies, by presidential order, must make available. It is information that, under the 1968 Freedom of Information Act, should speedily be made available to the public.

Which means that those two great champions of "law and order," the Justice Department and the FBI, are not at all timid about ignoring the law, if that is what is required to protect what Ramsey Clark calls Hoover's "self-centered concern for his reputation."

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World Trade Relations, Inc.  
Dupont Circle Building  
Washington, D. C. 20036

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Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for the support expressed in your letter of November 19th. Your comments are most encouraging and it was thoughtful of you to write.

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I am pleased by the high regard you have expressed for the work of Mr. Sullivan and other of my associates and they share my appreciation for your kind remarks.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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- 1 - Mr. Sullivan - Enclosure  
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- 1 - Mr. Bishop - Enclosure  
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Commander [redacted]  
General Douglas A. MacArthur Post  
Number 1507  
Veterans of Foreign Wars of the  
United States  
Post Office Box 105  
Broomall, Pennsylvania 19008

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Dear Commander [redacted]

I received your letter of November 17th and appreciate the interest which prompted you to write and furnish your views. Also, I am grateful for your high regard for the Special Agents of our Philadelphia Office with whom you have been in contact. I have no present intention of retiring and hope to remain in my position as long as I can be of service to our Nation.

Sincerely yours,

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J. Edgar Hoover  
John Edgar Hoover  
Director

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November 24, 1970

AIRMAIL

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Crown Corporation  
Post Office Box 2117  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96805

Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for your kind letter of November 17th. It was certainly thoughtful of you to write and comment as you did concerning the efforts of my associates in our Honolulu Office. I am pleased to learn of your high regard for their work. Your support means a great deal to me and I appreciate your generous remarks regarding my direction of the FBI.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

November 23, 1970

Attached was sent to the Director  
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Denver, Colorado.

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MR. SULLIVAN ✓  
MR. MOHR ✓  
MR. BISHOP ✓  
MR. BRENNAN, C.O. \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. CALLAHAN \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. CASPER \_\_\_\_\_  
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MR. FELT \_\_\_\_\_  
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MR. JONES \_\_\_\_\_  
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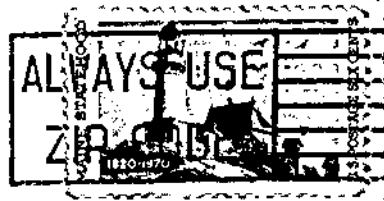
... AND IF I SAY RAMSEY CLARK IS A JELLYFISH, HE'S A JELLYFISH AND THAT'S THAT!

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J Edgar Hoover  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, DC

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November 20, 1970

PERSONAL

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I read with a great deal of interest your comments in regard to former Attorney General Ramsey Clarke. I concur wholeheartedly in your views. It is difficult to believe that one of Mr. Clarke's unfitness could ever be selected as Attorney General of the United States.

I was for a number of years a member of the Judiciary Committee of the House of Representatives and thus having heard him testify before our Committee, I have first hand knowledge of the type of man he is.

The people of the country are wholeheartedly behind you.

Needless to say, I also share your views in regard to Bobby Kennedy, who was probably just as bad or worse than Clarke but in a different way.

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With assurances of my highest esteem and cordial good wishes,

Yours most sincerely

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November 20, 1970

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Recently the news media reported your remarks concerning Ramsey Clark and his term as Attorney General of the United States.

Please, may I say thank you for speaking out on this man who took an oath of office without sincerity and failed in his obligations and responsibilities to the people of this country as the Attorney General.

As a concerned citizen, I am dismayed that more of the leaders of our country to whom we look for guidance and support in protecting this great nation have not spoken out and do not speak out in identifying the minority who would tear this country apart. Even the general public is aware, I believe, that the key leaders of this minority hold allegiance to foreign ideology and are so motivated although posing as proponents of beneficial change.

If only our government would expose the individual leaders and their political allegiance, these could then be isolated and their programs discounted for what they are.

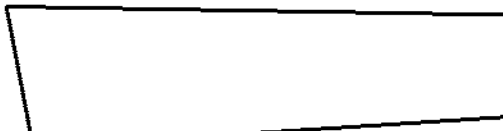
Instead, men like yourself and Vice President Agnew and the Congressional Committee on Un-American Affairs are berated and criticized.

Please know that the general public is with you in its majority although we hear more of the critical voices through a biased press and news media.

Thank you for speaking out.

Kindest regards.

Sincerely,



Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C.

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Honorable J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau Of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

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Dear Mr. Hoover:

*Directors Controversy with  
Ramsey Clark*

Mr. Ramsey Clark's criticisms of you remind me of a dwarf size pygmy attacking a giant.

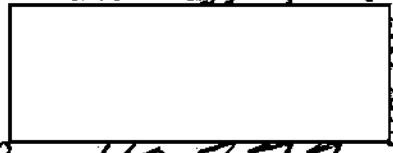
Let me say that I have always admired you as a dedicated public servant, a superior administrator, a christian gentleman and a patriotic American.

I have given 133 anti-communist talks in Eastern North Carolina since 1959. I have never failed to praise your own efforts and the efforts of the Federal Bureau Of Investigation in my talks. I know from personal experience that, with a few rare exceptions, the people I have talked to have the same admiration for you and the Federal Bureau Of Investigation as I do.

An individual can often be evaluated by considering the character or lack of character of those who criticize him.

Offhand, I cannot think of anything to say in behalf of Mr. Ramsey Clark.

Sincerely, *g*



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House Internal Security Committee  
House Office Building
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OFFICE OF DIRECTOR  
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
November 20, 1970

Attached correspondence was sent to the Director by an anonymous source from New York, New York.

"RAMSEY CLARK IS A SISSY" is written on the envelope and on back of letter.

- MR. TOLSON \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. SULLIVAN \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. MOHR \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. DELOACH \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. BRENNAN, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
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- MISS GANDY \_\_\_\_\_

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Mr. Casper	
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Tele. Room	
Miss Holmes	
Miss Gandy	

November 20, 1970

*JS*

Honorable John L. McClellan  
 United States Senator  
 Washington, D. C. 20510

Dear Sir:

I am concerned about the attacks from a former United States Attorney General on the person of the Honorable J. Edgar Hoover. I and many of my colleagues in this area feel that the ultra-liberal, permissive attitudes and actions of Mr. Ramsey Clark, while Attorney General of the United States, has contributed greatly to the general breakdown of respect for the Law, especially on the Eastern seaboard.

In 1957 and 1959, agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation investigated complaints against individual members of this department in a fair and responsible and highly efficient manner. Their findings did not always please me but all other phases of their work was worthy of praise and recognition.

I hope that you will support this man who has given so much of himself to aid Law Enforcement nation-wide.

As one old Grant County boy to another, I want to thank you personally for the highly commendable stand that you have taken against crime generally, and for a good Law Enforcement climate nation-wide.

Sincerely yours,

*N. H. Heard*  
 N. H. Heard, Assistant  
 Chief of Police

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PHONE 392 2677

The Honorable J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Constitution Avenue @ 9th & 10th Streets  
Washington, D. C. 20530

Dear Sir:

Please permit me to congratulate you on your recent statement on former Attorney General Ramsey Clark. It was time for someone to take his hide off and hang it up to dry before all the people.

He was a genius in misrepresenting organized society and the United States. It would have been in the public interest had he died before he ever sucked.

No one has the standing you have to give such a personal appraisal great weight. You did it just right.

You are too busy to take the time to answer this letter, so don't, please. With highest regards, I remain

Respectfully yours,

[Redacted Signature]

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Dear Mr. Hoover:

As you may or may not know, the remarks made about you by Ramsey Clark appeared in the Honolulu Star-Bulletin.

To those citizens of Hawaii -- and there are thousands of us -- who hold you in the highest esteem, this article made nauseating reading. It is, indeed, unfortunate, with all the tremendous problems we have in our great nation, that a man like Mr. Clark must waste his time and talents on such ridiculous statements. I can assure you, Sir, that I feel as do the members of your fine Honolulu staff -- terribly disturbed and angered.

I wish you continued health and happiness.

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

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November 19, 1970

*Director's Controversy With Ramsey Clark*

The Honorable John Edgar Hoover, Director  
 Federal Bureau of Investigation  
 United States Department of Justice  
 Washington, D. C., 20535

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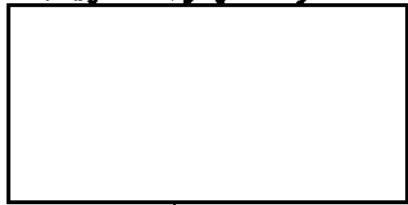
Having been a former law enforcement officer with the City of Hartford, Connecticut, and a graduate of the 71st Session (1963) of the FBI National Academy, I follow with pride and interest anything you and your organization does.

Through the many years of loyal and dedicated service you have given has made it the spectacular organization that it is known to be. Let no one undermine or try to tie up the hands or lower the standards of this most important department of our Government.

Some individuals and so called "do gooders" get into positions or office where they are "jellyfish" and the stand they make is to road block law and order and hinder law enforcement agencies. One wonders do these individuals have the interest at heart of the victims and law respecting citizens of our country.

Thank God that you and your organization speak out and inform the public just what has been or is going on.

Very truly yours,



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POLICE DEPARTMENT  
W.W. Branch - Chief

November 19, 1970

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
 Director  
 Federal Bureau of Investigation  
 U. S. Department of Justice  
 9th & Pennsylvania Avenue  
 Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I have read news articles concerning the lies and falsehoods which Former United States Attorney General Ramsey Clark has published in his book concerning you and the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

It indeed made me feel very proud that you have taken upon yourself to expose Mr. Clark for what he is. Being in law enforcement I have suspected for several years that Mr. Clark was a weak person, and did not have the backbone necessary for a person in the high position of the U. S. Attorney General.

We, in law enforcement, are greatly indebted to you for the tremendous advances you have made in our field of endeavor.

With kindest personal regards, I remain,

Very truly yours,

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November 19, 1970

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director, Federal Bureau of  
Investigation  
Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C. 20025

*Ramsey Clark*

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Dear Mr. Hoover:

Reading the press reports of your recent interview, and the statements attributed to a former Attorney General moves me to write and heartily endorse your position. You and your associates in the F.B.I. have every reason to be proud of your service to our country. In my opinion no basis for valid criticism has been set forth. Knowing as I do the integrity of the Bureau and its value to the United States, I am sure that the complaints of the former Attorney General have no basis in fact.

In these times of troubled internal dissension within the country, as in the past, when other internal security problems beset us, it is very comforting to know that your special agents are ever present and fulfilling your assigned duties. As an American, I am proud to have worked closely with the Bureau in the past, and I look forward to future opportunities to meet and work with you.

Yours sincerely,

[Redacted Signature]

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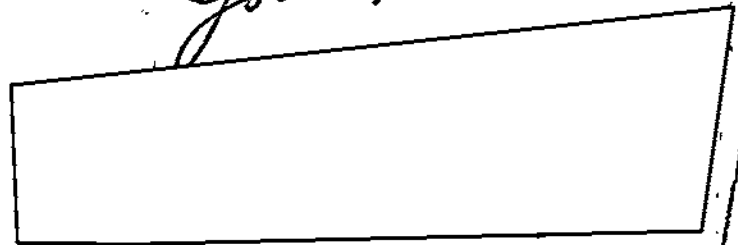
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F. B. I.

Sir: Good. I never could stand  
Bobby Kennedy or Ramsey Clark. They  
are partly the cause of the trouble we are  
having today.

The radical liberal left is really  
out to destroy all that is good in our  
country.

We have always admired you and we  
detest those who try to smear you.

yours,



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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : MR. TOLSON

DATE: 11-18-70

FROM : J. P. MOHR

SUBJECT: PROTECTION OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

*Handwritten initials and signatures:*  
 Sullivan  
 Mohr  
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*Handwritten notes:*  
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Last night, 11-17-70 the Attorney General commented to SA Dennis F. Creedon on Ramsey Clark's book. He stated that Clark must really be a sick individual as he cannot otherwise understand why an individual would make the stupid remarks contained in the book.

The Attorney General also expressed surprise that [redacted] of the "Washington Post" was able to obtain an interview with the Director. He stated that [redacted] had asked him a couple of weeks ago to intercede in arranging an interview for him with the Director. The Attorney General told [redacted] emphatically on that occasion that he never interferes in the Director's affairs and would never take it upon himself to make such a suggestion as [redacted] desired. The Attorney General went on to state, however, that the Director had chosen an excellent forum at a very opportune time to make his statement regarding Ramsey Clark. He believes that [redacted] had handled the Director's statements in a fair manner and feels that publishing the Director's comments in this way may indicate some change of policy in the "Washington Post." He stated that [redacted] the Publisher of that paper, has called [redacted] on many occasions of late to complain that her paper is being excluded from pertinent releases by the current administration. According to the Attorney General, the "Washington Post" owned the prior administration "lock, stock, and barrell" and evidently have concluded more balance is required in their reporting policy if they are to receive cooperation from the Niv... tration.

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The Attorney General also stated that he himself has put the "freeze" on [redacted] misquoted him regarding his statement on the formation of vignante groups which he made in Indianapolis. The Attorney General feels that it is inexcusable that a newsman of [redacted] experience would quote him in such a controversial manner without first carefully checking his facts to be sure he had not erred.

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RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

*Handwritten note:*  
 V. Clawson certainly handled my interview in a fair & accurate manner.  
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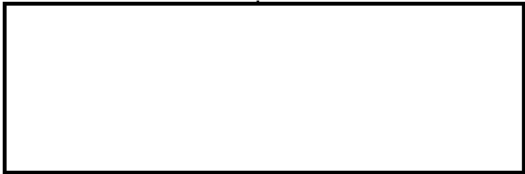
Hon. J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
U.S. Department of Justice  
Washington, D.C.

*John  
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Dear Mr. Hoover:

Mr. Ramsey Clark has leveled the criticism against you that you have allowed "ideology" to enter into the conduct of your office. From your staunch adherence to the principles upon which our country was founded we all know by your relentless opposition to Communist subversion that your ideology is an abid-  
love and faith in the American system of free institutions.

It would be interesting to find out what Mr. Clark's <sup>political</sup> creed is and whether or not he compromises American ideals to tolerate the undermining and destruction of our free way of life by an inimical ideology that subscribes to the antithesis of freedom.



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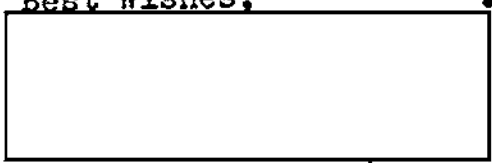
Dear Mr. Hoover,

I was certainly elated to see a man of your stature come out and proclaim that Ramsey Clark was one of our worst Attorneys General. He sure was. A friend of mine says he read in the paper that Clark feels that it is ridiculous to think that the Black Panthers are a threat to America. If he really believes this thank God you were in your position when he was in office or I'm sure we would have had a lot more trouble with these subversives. The silent majority of America ( but probably not the press) has great respect for you and your work.

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Best Wishes,



Chairman  
Central Brooklyn  
Young Americans for Freedom

P.S. Could you possibly send me an autographed picture of yourself?

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Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States  
P.O. BOX No. 105, BROOMALL, PENNSYLVANIA 19008

November 17, 1970

Hon. J. Edgar Hoover  
F B I  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

We heartily congratulate you on your public assessment of Messrs Robert Kennedy and Ramsey Clark.

Any pretensions said Ramsey Clark has for the presidency of these United States of America is akin to a flea ascending an elephant's leg with intent to rape.

The writer has had occasion to talk with several agents\* from the Philadelphia Office, and has been most favorably impressed by their decorum, courteous manner and apparent intelligence.

For the good of our Republic, we certainly hope you do not retire.

Yours very truly,



Commander

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\* Fred Shermer and Mr. Weinberg

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The Honorable J. Edgar Hoover  
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Federal Bureau of Investigation  
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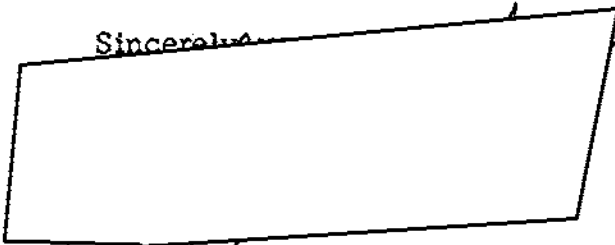
Dear Mr. Hoover:

I read with great interest the newspaper releases detailing Ramsey Clark's criticisms of you in his forthcoming book.

I do not know the man, but this action stamps him as a sub-standard American by all of my measuring statistics. I would like to apologize for a sick individual; and I sincerely want you to know that I represent, I hope, a substantial portion of basic American people, all of whom admire and support your fearlessness in administering one of the most difficult assignments in the world.

I would also like to say that it has been my privilege to have known your Special Agents in Charge in the State of Hawaii for the past twenty years, and I have the greatest of respect for all FBI executives assigned to our state.

Sincerely,



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November 17, 1970

Secretary John Mitchell  
Department of Justice  
Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover--I read your response to Ramsey Clark's attack on you and I agree with you one hundred percent and beg you not to resign or let politics enter the workings of the F-B-I, we are all depending on the F-B-I to free the police so that they

can eventually do their work--

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I have prepared myself for this day and ask you please appoint me as the ambassador of love from the Justice department to go around and talk to the people about the F-B-I, the F-I-A and the police have ~~XXX~~ helped me do my work ever since the death of president Kennedy--

DIRECTOR'S CONTROVERSY WITH RAMSEY CLARK

I believe that the death of the president was carefully planned to alienate the minorities from all law enforcement so that they could be used by people who "PROTECT" them from the F-B-I and the police--I knew all this was to happen in November of 1963 and have worked to save lives ever since that time--I want to save lives of our law enforcement

people and the people who hate and fear them--

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Mr. Hoover, I wonder if you have any idea how much the minorities dislike the way they

have been downgraded by the people who say that they are "FOR" the minorities, in

every case in order to give them jobs, they want to downgrade the system, say that the

minorities are stupid or imply this, that they can't do the things that Anglo-Saxon

Protestant can do-- this is nonsense, any person given a break can learn just as well

as any other if he has the necessary motives and discipline so that he knows how to

use his talents--

the government has tried to get several people to be their spokesmen but I am the only

one who can truly talk for all sides, I am poor, on welfare, have been in the jails,

been arrested 12 times in order to get my research done, I have lived as a middle class

housewife, belonged to union once, am another and an American my background

is a school dropout and I made every mistake if the book-- Once-- but was smart enough to

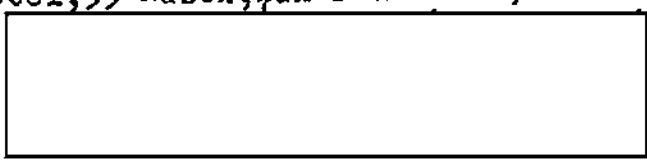
use my mistakes to learn what not to do--

If you try to say things, you are on the defensive, nobody can put me on the defensive

because what I have done was done for love of my country and the people there in--

Please, may I help?--

Gerisouthworth, Ambassador Hotel, 55 Mason, San Francisco, California



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THE HONORABLE J. EDGAR HOOVER  
DIRECTOR - FBI, WASH., D.C.

SIR:

Ramsay Clark

CONGRATULATIONS - AGAIN !!

TONIGHT, THE FORT WORTH STAR-TELEGRAM (A GOOD PAPER) HAD YOUR REBUTTAL TO RAMSEY CLARK. (ON PAGE 1.) IT WAS TERRIFIC !!

ALSO, I SINCERELY HOPE THAT MILLIONS OF PEOPLE READ YOUR "MESSAGE" ON THANKSGIVING IN THE NOV. FBI BULLETIN. IF MORE PEOPLE WOULD START THINKING THAT WAY, MAYBE IT WON'T BE TURNED INTO A "ROMAN HOLIDAY" !!

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Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for your letter of November 20th.

Communications such as yours are most encouraging, and you may be sure I am indeed grateful for your support.

I certainly appreciate your good wishes and hope the holiday season proves an enjoyable one for you.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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Nov 20, 1970.

Mr. Edger G. Hoover  
Director F. B. I.  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I would like to take the opportunity to sincerely congratulate you very much upon the manner which you recently spoken out against former Attorney General Ramsey Clark.

Mr. Clark long a critic of the "status quo" and everything that stands for respect and descency and a radical left wing liberal who have much damage to laws of Nation and I believe severe damage to security of the United States.

As a 36 yr old citizen of American Greek descent and as a veteran I sincerely wish you the best of health, and very best wishes for happy holidays, and want you to know I admire what you stand for to halt menacing communist left wing movement going on in U.S. A.

Respectfully submitted,



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Mr. EDGER G. Hoover  
DIRECTOR F. B. I.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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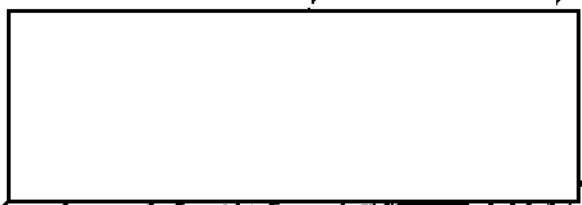
DEAR SIR:

I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THE OPPORTUNITY TO SINCERLY CONGRATULATE YOU VERY MUCH UPON THE MANNER WHICH YOU RECENTLY SPOKE OUT AGAINST FORMER ATTORNEY GENERAL RAMSEY CLARK.

MR. CLARK LONG A CRITIC OF THE "STATUS QUO" AND EVERYTHING THAT STANDS FOR RESPECT AND DESECENCY AND A RADICAL LEFT WING LIBERAL WHO HAVE MUCH DAMAGE TO LAWS OF NATION AND I BELIEVE SEVERE DAMAGE TO SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES.

AS A 36 YR OLD CITIZEN OF AMERICAN GREEK DESCENT AND AS A VETERAN I SINCERLY WISH YOU THE BEST OF HEALTH, AND VERY BEST WISHES FOR HAPPY HOLIDAYS, AND WANT YOU TO KNOW I ADMIRE WHAT YOU STAND FOR TO HALT METVACING COMMUNIST LEFT WING MOVEMENT GOING ON IN U.S.A.

Respectfully submitted,



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Dear Mr. Hoover:

I was so happy to see you speak out and give your opinion. It just seems like most everyone in public office lately turns into jelly fish, usually when asked a opinion they have no comment and when the speech is done they have said nothing.

Years ago maybe in Roosevelts day or Truman you had respect for the men in public office but I think the country is going haywire and I feel very sad.

I went thru a very frightening experience and this really scared me.

My husband went to Reno for a divorce & he is fairly wealthy I got upset and went to a lawyer I didn't know, he told me I had to act fast & sign many copies, 5 blank copies and two with writing on. My mother was with me and at the time I was suffering from a nervous breakdown. I hurriedly signed, my mother said maybe you better not sign so I showed her the copy & neither her nor I could make anything put of it. He also on the same day demanded 500.00 & 500.00 in the future. Months went by & I finally realized I made a big mistake he keep insisting I take \$2500 & sign off so does my husbands lawyer, and another lawyer from my hometown kept calling me up all hours to sign off for 2500.00. I got frightened & I told Att Leon Fox Jr of Morristown I didn't want him to be my lawyer because I knew something wrong was done. I know I shouldnt have signed those copies but I believed him and he took advantage of the situation.

When you have no money there's not much you can do.

I asked the local judge in Morristown to have Mr Fox sent the copies.

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I asked the Penna Bar Ass to have him send the copies not no one wants to help & I never recieved a copy of any copies. 80

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Its pretty frightening when you go to a lawyer & there's no one else to go to and he takes away your right as a wife. 6 DEC 1 1970

Please don't reveal this to my lawyer because believe me I don't have any means to fight him, but I hope you to can remember when you could have faith in humanity

Good for you,

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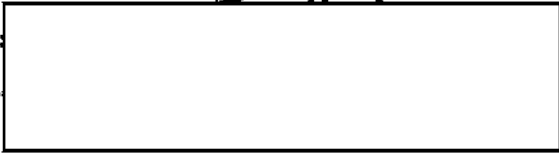
TO : Mr. Bishop *TSB*

DATE: November 27, 1970

FROM : G. E. Malmfeldt *gjm*

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Director's Controversy With Ramsey Clark

This is to recommend no acknowledgment of the attached letter from since it does not appear any useful purpose would be served in doing so.

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is not identifiable in Bufiles. She expresses support of Mr. Hoover in speaking out and giving his opinion since it appears to her that everyone in public office has turned into "jellyfish." Her main purpose in writing, however, seems to be to express her loss of confidence in all public officials. She indicates she has gone through a frightening experience involving divorce from her husband. She states that since he was quite wealthy, he went to Reno to obtain the divorce. She indicates she was suffering from a nervous breakdown at the time and obtained the services of a lawyer she did not know. She believes that this attorney, the judge and others involved in the divorce suit did not have her best interests at heart.

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RECOMMENDATION:

That this communication not be acknowledged.

Enclosure  
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- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Bishop - Enclosure
- 1 - Mr. Malmfeldt

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Years ago maybe in Roosevelts day or Truman you had respect for the men in public office but I think the Country is going haywire and I feel very sad. DIRECTOR'S CONTROVERSY WITH RAMSEY CLARK

I went thru a very frightening experience and this really scared me.

My husband wants to Oens for a divorce + he is fairly wealthy I got upset and went to a lawyer I didnt know, he told me I had to act fast + sign many copies + 3 blank copies and two with writing on. My mother was with me the time I was suffering from a nervous break down. I hurriedly

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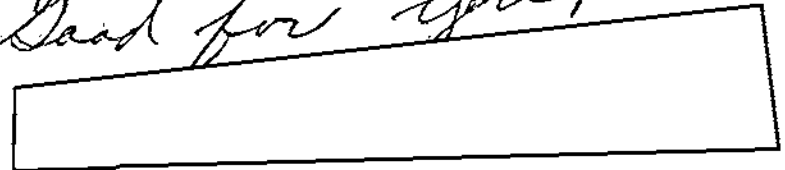
signed, my mother said maybe you better not sign so I showed her the copy + neither her nor I could make anything out of it. Months later also on the same day demanded 500.00 + 500.00 in the future. Months later my + I finally realized I made a big mistake he keep insisting I take \$2500 + sign off so does my husband lawyer, and another lawyer from my hometown kept calling me up all hours to sign off for 250000. I got frightened + I told att Leon Fox Jr of Morristown I didnt want him to be my lawyer because I knew something wrong was done. I know now I shouldnt have signed those copies but I believed him. and he took advantage of the situation.

When you have no money there is not much you can do. I asked the local judge in Morristown to have Mr Fox sent the copies. I asked the Penna Bar Ass to have him send the copies but no one wants to help. + I never received a copy of any copies. Its pretty frightening when you

go to a lawyer + there's no one else to go to and he takes away your right as a wife.

Please don't reveal this to my lawyer because believe me I don't have any means to fight him, but I hope you to con remember when you could have faith in humanity

Good for you,



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November 27, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

I have received your communication of November 18th and want to thank you for your thoughtfulness. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

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Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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Nov 18, 1970

J. Edgar Hoover  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

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Its people like Ramsey Clark, Earl Warren etc. that have encouraged crime so much that people have lost respect for so called justice in America.

Yours truly

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*J. Edgar Hoover  
Washington, D.C.*

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CRIME RECORDS DIVISION NOVEMBER 19, 1970

RE: QUOTATION FROM FORMER PRESIDENT JOHNSON CONCERNING RAMSEY CLARK

By letter of November 17, 1970, referred to August 17, 1970, "Newsweek" quotation from former President Johnson concerning Ramsey Clark reading as follows:

"Ramsey is so dumb he wouldn't arrest Stokely Carmichael until he was on the White House lawn with a grenade in one hand and the pin in his mouth."

This quotation is correct and is contained on Page 26 of the August 17, 1970, issue of "Newsweek" (copy attached).

Enclosure

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Nov. 17, 1970

*M. J. Hoover*  
*7/11/1970*

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
The FBI  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

It made my day today to wake up and read your well-timed comments on Ramsey Clark, that lackluster liberal attorney general who never really was.

As if this political chameleon didn't do enough damage while he was in office, he now tries to gloss over his own ineptness by gouging those who have done their job well.

I think Ramsey's abilities were best summed up by President Johnson, as quoted in the Aug. 17 Newsweek:

"Ramsey is so dumb he wouldn't arrest Stokely Carmichael until he was on the White House lawn with a grenade in one hand and the pin in his mouth."

Ramsey falls into the pitfall of the old adage: "A great name degrades, rather than exalts, those unworthy to bear it."

My continued best wishes on the way you run the FBI.

Sincerely

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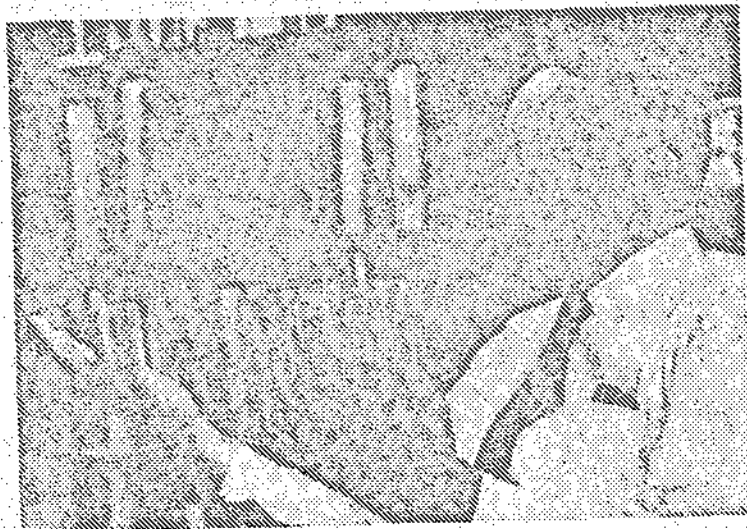
It always happens around now, roughly midway between Presidential elections. First, the suits are seized with the dizzying idea that the ins might actually be beaten. ("Nixon," a Democratic National Committee pro announced on schedule last week, "is vulnerable.") Next comes the distinctly less intoxicating roll call of the known contenders. (Muskie? He doesn't protect McGovern? Dubs, Teddy? Not after Chappaquiddick. Hubert? What-again?) And thus begins the quadrennial hunt for the dark horse—some hitherto unheralded deliverer who

Attorney General and now is in private practice in Washington. Clark's passionate concern for civil liberties came to irritate his old boss ("Ramsey," LEJ once snorted, "is so dumb he wouldn't arrest Stokesly Carrichael until he was on the White House lawn with a grenade in one hand and the pin in his mouth"), and Mr. Nixon rinde him a campaign issue with telling effect. But that same streak has made Clark a hero among those liberals who share his fear that America may be drifting into a climate of repression; new-left publicist Jack Newfield, profiling Clark recently for New York magazine, compared him successively to Gary Cooper, Will Rogers, Abraham Lincoln and St. Francis and wound up

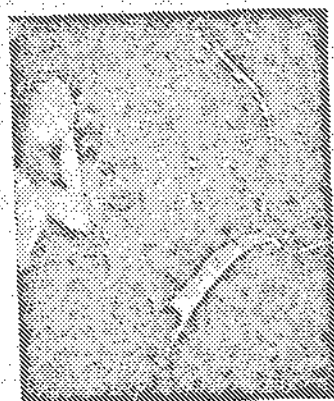
"I love being a senator. I am not in the Presidential game." He agrees nevertheless that the '72 ticket is up in the air, and one party pro says, "Fritz is a dark horse now. But the way things are, he could get a lot lighter as time goes by."  
\* JOHN W. GARDNER, 58, who, like Clark, served in the Johnson Cabinet (as Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare) and who now chairs the Urban Coalition. In his various incarnations as an academic, a philanthropist, a Cabinet minister and now as a pleader for the American city, Gardner has been one of those public sages whose speeches and policy papers regularly stab the nation's conscience—and then are filed and forgotten. This has not been lost on him; he is



Clark: Saving stickers



Gardner: Public sage in search of a platform



Mondale: Getting lighter

can outgrin Ike, outstump Truman, out-dazzle FDB and outpoll a comfortably sitting President.

Dark horses seldom materialize and almost never win. But they do keep political-bull sessions in business during the off-season—and it is a measure of the particular desperation of the Democrats in this off-season that the talk has got very nearly obsessive. The Christian Science Monitor polled 99 top party leaders last week and found 84% of them wistfully wishing for a new face—to only 33 more or less satisfied with the old ones. Some of the names they have been kicking around are already familiar: Iowa's Sen. Harold Hughes (Newsweek, March 2), who is much admired in the party's liberal wing for his peace politics and his crazy-faced machismo; Indiana's Sen. Birch Bayh, who was off in California last week professing modesty ("I have twenty hours of work a day to be a better senator") and acting like a candidate; and New York's Mayor John V. Lindsay, who is not a Democrat at all but who might convert, to the go-says say, for a shot at the White House. And lately some new names have edged into the Democracy's shop talk.

\* RAMSEY CLARK, 42, the grunt, roiled-edged Texan who served briefly and not entirely happily as Lyndon Johnson's

nominating him for "cheriff for justice" if not President. Clark says he is merely speaking out for peace and common decency, "and if the by-product is all this talk, well—so be it. . . I am flattered." He knows that, in an era disposed to law and order, the odds do not favor a civil libertarian. But in his desk he keeps a bumper-sticker sent him recently by a *Kaffeklatsch* of fans, mostly professional academics, in North Carolina. It says: RAMSEY CLARK FOR PRESIDENT IN 1972.

\* WALTER F. MONDALE, 42, who succeeded to Hubert Humphrey's Senate seat in Minnesota and who (with Oklahoma's Sen. Fred Harris) co-managed Humphrey's 1968 run for the Presidential nomination. Party pros have long been attracted by Mondale's young, cool, intelligent good looks, and he has come off well this year running well-publicized hearings into the plight of migrant farm workers and the erratic progress of school desegregation in the South. Among friends, Ed Muskie once called Mondale the ablest young senator he'd seen in years; a number of pundits, among them the New Republic's "FRB" and columnist Revue's Lyne and Robert Novak, called Mondale a "son of a gun" of Presidential caliber. The senator himself, true to the code of the dark horse, declares any interest in the White House

currently trying to organize a national citizens' lobby, known tentatively as Common Cause, to agitate for the public weal in more direct and more political ways than the coalition can. "I have absolutely no political ambitions," Gardner said last week, and his Republican registration is a complication. But his recent speeches have taken on a Presidential timbre, and his new organization—given anything like the 400,000 members he envisions for it—might be an ideal springboard. The White House, in any event, has begun a file on Gardner as a potential opponent in 1972. A Democratic committee hand agreed, "Gardner's on the list." He thought for a moment. "Hell," he added. "Everybody's on it."

The Secretary's Wife

Once upon a time, the name Romney was magic in Michigan. In three consecutive terms as governor, George Romney built a solid reputation for aggressive, man-to-man administration while putting Romney-seek Republican moderates in charge of the state COE apparatus for the first time in decades. But times have changed and the magic has faded. At the least it proved to be an increasingly nontransferable quality. Romney's points will be used to

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Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for the letter of November 18th from

you, [Redacted]

It was thoughtful of

you to write and I certainly appreciate your support.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

November 18, 1970

Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I agree with you that Ramsay  
Clark is a "jellyfish".

If I ever have an opportunity  
I will tell him in person MYSELF

Respectfully Yours,



*C. Parsons*  
MR. TOLSON ✓  
MR. SULLIVAN ✓  
MR. MOHR ✓  
MR. BISHOP ✓  
MR. BRENNAN, C.D. ✓  
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EDGAR HOOVER  
DIRECTOR  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

DEAR SIR:

I AGREE WITH YOU THAT

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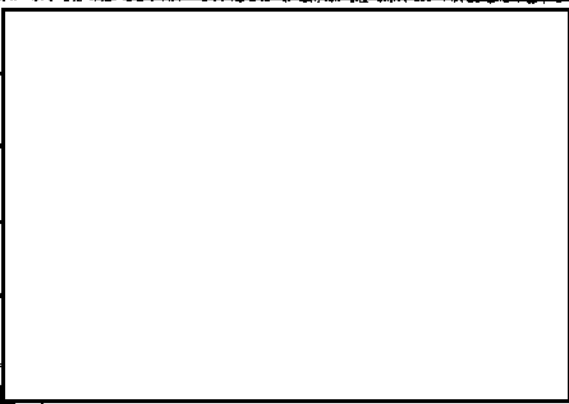
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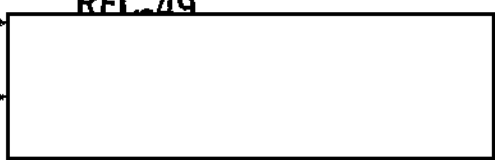
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November 24, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

I have received your letter of November 18th and want you to know I deeply appreciate your kind remarks and expression of support. Communications such as yours are most encouraging and mean a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Bufiles disclose one prior outgoing to [Redacted] dated 12/28/64 in reply to his favorable comments concerning a news article about the Bureau.

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover,  
Director,  
Federal Bureau of Investigation,  
Justice Department,  
Washington, DC.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I want to commend you for your courage in expressing so forthrightly your views about the Robert Kennedy and Ramsey Clark's regimes.

Unfortunately some, who have been in high position and have done so little, feel impelled to criticise afterwards and when they no longer have any responsibility. Mr. Clark had his chance and I believe should now be quiet.

I, too, am interested in reducing crime and at present am hopeful of grants through the National Institute of Law Enforcement (ILEA) for work with schools and universities. Much needs to be done.

An admirer.



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Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for the note on your letter of November 18th to the Editor of the "Milwaukee Sentinel." Your kind sentiments and support are most encouraging and it is my hope our future efforts will continue to merit your approval.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Clintonville, Wisconsin  
November 18, 1970

To the Editor  
Milwaukee Sentinel  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Dear Sir:

After reading Ramsey Clark's remarks about J. Edgar Hoover in the Sentinel this morning, I thank God that J. Edgar Hoover and NOT Ramsey Clark is at the head of the FBI. And that, too, "is the understatement of this or any other year."

Very truly yours,

(Do not use my name--  
just sign me -----100% American

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cc: Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

God bless you, Mr. Hoover! I hope you're at the helm for many years to come. We need you!

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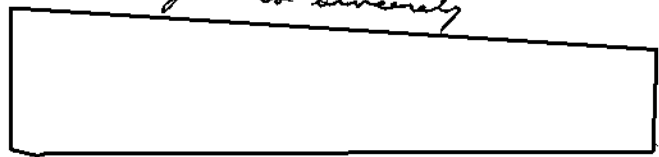
You have criticized Robert Kennedy

& Ramsey Clark.

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As Mr. Robert Kennedy cannot defend himself will you all Ramsey Clark space in the FBI Bulletin to defend then late Roberts Kennedy, or himself?

DIRECTOR'S CONTROVERSY Trusting you will consider this,  
WITH RAMSEY CLARK  
I am  
Yours sincerely



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19 November '70

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
 The F B I  
 Washington, D.C.

*DIRECTOR'S CONTROVERSY WITH RAMSEY CLARK*

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I do hope this support of you against Ramsey Clark will come before your scrutiny.

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About '52, a German exchange student at U. of Cincinnati, replied to my query as to what he noted distinctive in the U.S.A. from W. Germany, thus: "Your wooden houses, and your nickel coin-drops for unprotected, street vendors for daily newspapers. The farther eastward you go in Europe the more hazardous such a dependence upon common honesty would become."

I note that automat street pickups of the daily papers (the Cin'ti P-T-S especially) now chain coin receptacle and the receptacle to a post. But there is still the opportunity to drop a nickel instead of a dime. Now:

Recently, I saw a little boy hurrying home along Burns Avenue, obviously worried I asked him what his bother might be. "I've lost the dime Dad gave me to pick up a P-T-S." I scrounged around and found his dime. When he came back with another dime, I gave it to him.

Several times, purchasing a 'BIC' ball-point at the drugstore rack, I found it ran out of fluid too soon. Now I note that 'BIC' ball points are inclosed in tough plastic. How come? youngsters imagine to buy one, and then, in an open rack, substitute their nearly exhausted pen in the rack for a fresh one? That is not like the 'common honesty' of '52 noted by Henning Clewing of Hannover, W. Germany. How come?

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I cannot condemn mistakes- repetitive even - of your organization. I have said so to Tom Wilson (retired FBI agent). Despite your mistake - quite un-Constitutional - at the time of the LITTLE ROCK business, I have to believe that you are loyal, and not warped toward Cheka, OGPU, or any other anathema to free men. I do think, as 'overview' from a quiet citizens aerie, that you have guarded against the disorder beneath, to the neglect of wrong 'orders' from above. But Ramsey Clark's attack upon you corrects that guess.

I have much more to say, if you can discriminate between 'prediction', 'warning' and 'threat.'

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Yours for a righteously triumphant America,

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No acknowledgment necessary. Files disclose correspondent has been described as a chronic letterwriter and also as apparently having a mental problem.

*John J. Tolson*

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20 November '70

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
 Director, the F B I  
 Washington, D.C.

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Dear Mr. Hoover:

My letter of yesterday to you is like the popular song of years ago - "The song is ended, but the melody lingers on."

As I wrote, "I have much more to say" - the melody of yesterday's letter lingering on. And, like the little tad on the shoulders of his circus-aerialist mother: "I can't wait, Mama." (The mother's reply - "You should have told Mama sooner.")

Well. Here goes, Mr. Hoover.

I risk your displeasure, which, from experience, I might be excused from fearing. But, as the doctor summoned at past midnight during W W II to repair a nearly severed finger tendon, commanded: "Make a fist, even if it severs the tendon. We've got to know whether we can let it heal, or must stitch it."

Whatever the degree of risk, I have to know.

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Politicians, particularly, are properly concerned with their 'public image'

Now with Ramsey Clark attacking your administration of the proper F B I, it is your turn, like a politician, to be concerned with your 'public image.' I am only one mirror of the image.

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Properly (and in my experience) the F B I is as stonily 'no comment' as the Sphinx. Devilishly smart interviewers can force exposure of 'top drawer' 'classified' information, which, exposed, can cancel their good effect.

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Your outfit is an instrument of 'law' - ordered law. A delegate authority (within prescribed limits) of an orderly 'society.'

There are many likely definitions of 'law'. On the walls of the College of Law at the Berkeley Campus, Alonzo Taft building here at U. of C., the Court House for Hamilton County, OH. Then there is Justice Louis Brandeis' definition: "The tolerable accommodation of conflicting interests."

My definition: "Law is by agreement." Not the tolerable accommodation of conflicting interests.

Directors Controversy With Ramsey Clark

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Immediately two objections to my definition appear:

- (1) "There are two kinds of people - the good and the bad. And the 'good' decide which is which."
- (2) The marauding tiger has an interest conflicting with a circle of spear-men protecting Mowgli.

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Here lies our mutual confrontation - yours and mine, against the 'tigers.'

The ultimate issue, of course, is survival - for men in agreement against a marauding tiger (be it a Mao-te-Tsung 'paper tiger' or other). Or the starving tiger, inept at catching other prey, and, in desperation, seeking the easier prey of human children venturing about and without the secure confines of a 'community.' That is the deep tale of Mowgli in Kipling's 'JUNGLE BOOK' - and, again, the National Geographic picturing of a circle of Malaysian primitive spearmen closing in upon a berserk man-eating tiger.

If but one of the encircling spearmen 'chickened' out of the 'agreement' the berserk tiger would have probed 'paper' (like my boyhood recess game of 'bull-in-a-ring') and escaped. The hunt would then have had to start all over again.

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My experience with the agents of your proper organization despite, I count you can spell out the 'nitty-gritty' of this philosophy of human orderliness.

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The social criminal imagines he can outwit the imagination of the delegate policing of genial society. The F B I hopes to have a better and preventive imagination. But it doesn't always work out that way. The F B I is not 100% effective. Nor can it be. Lest it be a Cheka, or an OGPU, or a Gestapo, its work must be 'post facto.'

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What one man may imagine, another 'damn fool' will implement into crime: robbery, mayhem, assassination. Society - freedom - essential freedom continually leaves open a broad 'no-man's-land' for crime.

As for myself, I think I can correctly assert that I am ignorant of the 'law'. I don't need any 'by-laws' or 'ordinances' or 'code of ethics' (for independent piano teachers or senators). About the only regulations imposed upon me are the traffic lights at intersections. Otherwise, nobody bothers me, nor I others.

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At this moment, practically every developed and proven tenet for congenial human association is being called into question, cleverly quibbled about, and persuasively attacked. For what purpose?

Not for improvement, correction of mistakes amounting to moral hypocrisy; not for obliteration in the name of a fresh and 'relevant' 'start' all over again.

No. It is vast scheming to gain total power by those of no discernment who go to the extreme of destructiveness to place that millennial power into hands of which they are dupes.

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From your seat of authority and information collecting, you see it one way. I see it closer up, and first hand. "It walks in my front door."

I do not mean my opening my front door to Carrol ('Tuffy') Hamilton of the White House staff of the S.S. and Mr. Lutz of the local F B I office: Quite surely because of my telegram to the captain of the White House S.S. protecting LBJ, quote: "You must double the protection of the President. We cannot endure another assassination."

By the book, that telegram was a 'back-handed' threat, and a matter for investigation. By the book, that placed me amongst the 26,000 threats upon the life of LBJ. That is why my final sentence of my letter yesterday said: "If you can discriminate between 'prediction', 'warning', and 'threat'."

The occasion of that telegram was a surprising expression from two solid citizens of Wyoming the day after LBJ's 1964 election. Maybe I 'extrapolated' - read too much between the lines. But subsequent events render the telegram 'clairvoyant.'

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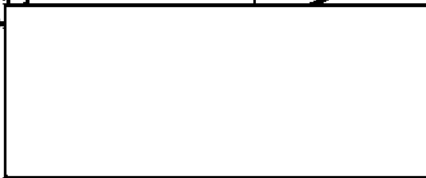
Well, Mr. Hoover, you are at this moment 'on the spot'. I don't like it. Not because I like all that your F B I have done, but because Ramsey Clark, when and since being Constitutionally above you, has deserved my disapprobation.

Yours for a righteously triumphant America,

November 25, 1970

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Dear

I have received your communication of November 18th and want to thank you for your generous comments. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Bufiles disclose prior correspondence, last outgoing 12-14-68 in reply to his letter praising the Bureau's work.

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J. Edgar Hoover, Esquire  
Justice Department Building  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I have written you on a couple of previous occasions commending you on the work which you so efficiently performed for so many years.

Over the radio night before last I heard some news broadcaster refer to the comment which Ramsey Clark had made about you and your organization and then, in yesterday's morning paper I noted your reply.

As far back as 1968 I came to the same conclusion about Clark that you did and I wrote him on June 17, 1968, and herewith enclose a copy of my letter to him.

In my opinion he is the last man in this country in a position to criticize your work.

Yours very truly,

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June 17, 1968

The Honorable Ramsey Clark  
Attorney General of the United States  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Attorney General:

I have read with amazement and disgust your so-called "Security Memorandum", issued to department heads, as reported by Allen and Scott in the Sarasota HERALD-TRIBUNE of Wednesday, June Twelfth.

Your memorandum is quoted as having instructed heads of government departments and agencies, after lie-in situations have developed and the leaders have had requests, notice, and demand to vacate, "the government officials are instructed that the 'use of stretchers and wheel chairs can help insure use of minimum force'". Since when did the law enforcement arm of the Federal Government - a great Government for which thousands of Americans have died - find it necessary to stoop to this low level to preserve law and order?

It is one of the most asinine bits of government procedure that I have ever seen and if you are the author of it, in my opinion, you are not competent to be the Attorney General of the United States. Having followed in the press the actions of the White House and the State Department over the last few years, it is just possible that you are only the scrivener of this document and that its source comes from elsewhere.

This is just another evidence that we need a change in administration.

I have been a Democrat during my entire life and heretofore I have tried to follow the admonition which former Governor Amond, of Virginia, is reputed to have made in referring to leaving the Democratic party, when he said that "the only sane and constructive course is to remain in the house of our fathers - even though the roof leaks and there may be bats in the belfry, rats in the

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The Honorable Ramsey Clark

June 17, 1968

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pantry, a cockroach waltz in the kitchen, and skunks in the parlor"; but I now find myself about to depart from that course.

I am a smalltown lawyer, seventy-four years of age and during my youth served as a combat soldier in World War I; and I want no appointive job from the Government and, therefore, am in the happy position of being able to say what I think.

Yours truly,



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Dear

Thank you for your letter of November 17th, with enclosure. It was thoughtful of you to write and furnish me your views and I am certainly grateful for your generous comments concerning my administration of the FBI. Your support means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: There is no record of correspondent in Bufiles. Address per local directory. Enclosed was an article quoting the Director regarding Clark.

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San Francisco, Ca. Nov. 17, 1970.

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover.

Dear Mr. Hoover. It pleased me very much to read the enclosed article- it expresses the feelings I have had about Ramsey Clark ever since he was in office, and I want to thank you for speaking out.

I am also glad that you mentioned the affair with Robert Kennedy- it sounded like something he would do- break down the standards for the sole purpose of gaining political power.

This breaking down the standards and qualifications for civil service jobs, and for government and state and city jobs is destroying the image of the civil servant, just as the educational system of the country has lost the respect because of what has been going on over the last few years.

What a field day some of the politicians would if they could just find one way to crack the F.B.I.- but it is one organization that is beyond them- so they attack J.Edgar Hoover instead.

Thanks again for putting a name on Clark.

I wish more public people would speak out, as you have done, and as Mr. Agnew is doing so well. Regarding Mr. Agnew- when he first became a public figure there were so many having fun at his expense, but it became very "unfunny" when he bit back- that was a "no fair"- and some still can not understand it.

Sincerely



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Clark: 'A Jellyfish'

San Francisco EXAMINER

November 17, 1970

# Hoover Strikes Back

WASHINGTON — (UPI) — FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover says Ramsey Clark was the worst attorney general he has seen in his 45 years as the country's top lawman. He said Clark was "like a jellyfish . . . a softie."

In an interview with reporter Ken Clawson of the Washington Post — the first personal interview Hoover has granted in years — the FBI director also said he did not speak to another attorney general, Robert Kennedy, for the last six months Kennedy was in office because Kennedy tried to force him to lower FBI standards to hire more Negro agents.

But Hoover said, "At least Kennedy stuck by his guns, even when he was wrong."

## 'You Never Knew'

"If ever there was a worse attorney general, it was Ramsey Clark. You never knew which way he was going to flop on an issue."

Hoover said Clark was not like his father, former Supreme Court Justice Tom Clark, who Hoover said, was a "good, strong man."

Hoover praised the present

attorney general, John Mitchell, as an "honest, sincere and very human man." And he said Chief Justice Warren Burger was "an excellent chief justice."

Hoover's criticism of Clark was prompted by charges in Clark's new book, "Crime in America," that Hoover's "self-centered concern for his own reputation" had led the FBI into a glory-seeking role rather than effective crime control.

## RFK Was First

Clark said Kennedy was the first attorney general to have a "commitment to control of organized crime." He said that led to conflict between Kennedy and the FBI because "the FBI so coveted personal credit that it will sacrifice even effective crime control before it will share the glory of its exploits."

Hoover denied in the Post interview there was ever any trouble with Kennedy over organized crime.

"But there was trouble," Hoover added. "The trouble was that Kennedy wanted to

loosen up our standards and qualifications; to discard the requirement that agents hold degrees in law or accounting. He even wanted to discard the bachelor's degree as a requirement.

## 'No Prejudices'

"In short, he wanted more Negro agents."

Hoover said he refused, but Kennedy brought up the subject "half a dozen times."

"I told him, 'Now Bobby, I have no prejudices. The FBI has Negro agents, Indian agents, Chinese agents and all kinds of other agents. Anyone who can meet the qualifications can have a job, and I'll have it no other way.'"

Hoover said he told Kennedy if he didn't like it, "Why don't you get another director?" He said he went to the White House "right afterwards" to tell President Lyndon Johnson about the confrontation, and he quoted Johnson as saying, "Stand by your guns."

"I didn't speak to Bobby Kennedy the last six months he was in office," Hoover said.

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Dear Captain [redacted]

The kind letter from your wife and you to the Attorney General has been referred to the FBI and was received on November 23rd. Communications such as yours are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI means a great deal to me. My associates share my gratitude for your generous remarks.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles disclose nothing unfavorable regarding correspondent. Captain [redacted] is on the mailing list to receive the FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin.

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18 November, 1970

Attorney General John Mitchell  
Dept. of Justice  
Washington, D. C.

Ramsey Clark

Dear Sir:

My senior citizens, are for leaving Director Hoover and the F.B.I. alone and out of politics. They have done a great job from the Lindberg Case to present date, and it looks as though Mr. Clark wants publicity to sell a book. How cheap can one get, at his country's expense, to discredit a man and an organization?

The F.B.I. is the one U. S. Agency that Americans can trust without question and respect the leadership of J. Edgar Hoover. Please, Mr. President, do not make the F.B.I. a political football like most State and local Police Agencies. I spent over 40 years in Law Enforcing and feel that, as an expert, I know what I'm talking about. The F.B.I. is the greatest!

Yours truly,

[Redacted Signature]

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P.S. We like your wife's style and love her for it.

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Boston, Massachusetts 02108

Dear [Redacted]

On November 23rd I received your letter and want to thank you for your support of my administration of the FBI. Communications such as yours are most encouraging, and you may be sure I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles disclose [Redacted] was Assistant District Attorney for the Northern District of Massachusetts and we have had prior cordial relations with him. Director sent him an autographed photograph in April, 1942. He is also the former Postmaster in Boston.

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Dear Mr. Hoover: -

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You may recall I was Postmaster of Boston, and later Regional Director of the New England Region in the P. O. D. I retired a few months ago and returned to my law practice, and am enjoying my renewed contacts with old clients. I have always been a supporter of you and your most outstanding good work. I hope you will stay on as head of the F. B. I. until you personally feel you should retire.

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With my best regards

Sincerely

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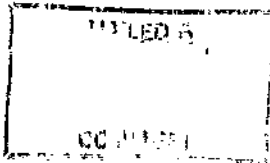


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Dear

Your letter of November 23rd, with enclosure, has been received and I certainly appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing and furnishing me your views. I am indeed grateful for your generous comments concerning my work and your staunch support means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover



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NOTE: There is no record of correspondent in Bufiles. He enclosed a copy of a letter he addressed to the Editor of the "Virginian-Pilot" in response to critical comments of the Director appearing in the television and news media in that area in connection with the Director's remarks regarding Clark.

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J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

Ramsy Clark

It would appear that if you "burp" in the presence of the news media they will take said "burp" and play it, photograph it, write about it, examine it, and attempt to read ulterior motives into it. Of course at your age said "burp" is sure to be taken as a sign of a weak heart or feeble mentality.

The news media has been having a "field day" with your retort to Mr. Clark's attack. Just think sir, you uttered a few sentences and they've been hitting at them for almost a week straight. What a tribute to a great man, they have nothing in your personal or professional life to criticize and thus must resort to twisting and distorting your simple defense to Mr. Clark's ridiculous attack.

Keep up the good work Mr. Hoover, your country needs you now more than ever. Other than the FBI, I know of no other government agency I would feel safe to report subversive activities to. There are a lot of folks in this country who have lost confidence in every federal law enforcement agency except the FBI. That's both a tribute and a botch. A tribute to you sir and a botch on Mr. Clark, Mr. Kennedy and their ilk. More power to you sir and to the only bureau the bureaucrats seek to gut and destroy.

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Yours Truly,

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Editor  
Virginian-Pilot  
150 W. Brambleton Ave.  
Norfolk, Va. 23704

Dear Sir,

TV News 18 November; Virginian-Pilot editorial 19 November; Political cartoon and syndicated column 23 November...J. Edgar Hoover should retire because he's been deified but is in reality only a tin god.

When will you left wing "knee-jerks" learn, the public is no longer buying your foolish efforts to turn this country into the United Socialistic States of America? Every person who stands for something looks to someone as the epitome of his beliefs. When it comes to a clean life, decency and effective law enforcement some of us "right wing extremists" look to Mr. Hoover while some of you "moderates" in the news media look to Mr. Kennedy and Mr. Clark. The news media is not the majority of America and seldom does it reflect the majority. Given the choice of believing Mr. Hoover or Mr. Clark I have no doubt that Mr. Hoover would receive a mandate from the grateful people of this country.

How can you continue to think the public is so stupid as to buy your reasoning that when Mr. Clark attacks Mr. Hoover it's the truth. But when Mr. Hoover responds, he's not keeping his place and is entering the ring of politics. Why don't you drop the news altogether and put out 40 pages of the funneys, you obviously believe your reading public's mentality hasn't progressed beyond that point.

Yours Truly,

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November 30, 1970

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Chief Security Officer  
Chowan College  
Murfreesboro, North Carolina 27855

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Dear [Redacted]

I have received your communication of November 19th and appreciate the interest which prompted you to furnish me your views. Your support of my administration of the FBI is most encouraging and you may be sure I am grateful for your thoughtfulness in writing.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: [Redacted] is on the mailing list to receive the Uniform Crime Reports and Law Enforcement Bulletins. The critical editorial from the "Virginia-Pilot" does not merit any attention and is purposely being ignored.

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OFFICE OF THE  
Chief Security Officer

19 November 1970

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
U. S. Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C.

*Ramsey Clark*

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I am enclosing a clipping from the Virginian - Pilot Editorial page that appeared in the issue dated today. I have enclosed my reply to the Editor concerning this article.

I would like for you to know that you have and will continue to have my unqualified support in your efforts to rid this nation of that element that seek to destroy it. I cannot understand a newspaper that can criticize someone for doing his job to the best of his ability.

The freedom that the newspaper exercised in so vehemently condemning you is one that you have so diligently sought to protect over the years. The Editor of the Virginian - Pilot conveniently forgot this.

Again, I would like you to know that I support you.

Sincerely yours,



CHOWAN COLLEGE SECURITY BUREAU  
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# Ol' Man Hoover, He Jus' Keeps Rollin'

In May of 1924 an obscure official named J. Edgar Hoover was appointed director of the fledgling Federal Bureau of Investigation and charged with cleaning up the mess that had been left by the Harding Administration scandals.

Calvin Coolidge was President of the United States. Charles Evans Hughes was Secretary of State, Andrew W. Mellon was Secretary of the Treasury, and Harlan F. Stone was Attorney General.

After more than 46 years, Mr. Hoover remains as director of the FBI. He is serving with — under would not be the proper word — his eighth President and sixteenth Attorney General. There have been a dozen Secretaries of State and a dozen Secretaries of the Treasury. And so on.

Others come and go in Washing-

ton. But J. Edgar Hoover stays. The deification of Mr. Hoover started in the 'Thirties, when G-Men were publicized to counteract the headlines received by celebrated gangsters like John Dillinger, Pretty Boy Floyd, Baby Face Nelson, and the rest. (The historically minded may note that Mr. Hoover was first listed in the 1934-35 edition of *Who's Who in America*.) Mr. Hoover was the exemplar of the good law man and the agents of the FBI were held to the high standards he set for them. As the FBI changed from chasing bank robbers to chasing Communists, in the eyes of the general public, and as the word "un-American" came into popular usage, the notion that it is un-American to criticize J. Edgar Hoover also attained currency in the United States.

Mr. Hoover became an institution, sacrosanct, someone who was above and beyond criticism, who spoke from his own Mt. Sinai from time to time. (Only those who were beyond the pale ventured to suggest that Mr. Hoover was reflecting upon his own ability to do the job whenever he reported another increase in the crime rates or issued another statement about the extent of subversion in the U.S.) Even the President of the United States seemed to think that the director of the FBI had to be conciliated like a foreign power.

It is not surprising that Mr. Hoover started to think of himself in the same way. Where he had previously sought to avoid controversy, and indeed made that the cornerstone of his career and the first principle of the agency he guided and shaped, he began to enter into the arena of politics. He dueled with Martin Luther King and Robert Kennedy over wiretaps. He invited parody as a public figure—most notably the famous Art Buchwald column maintaining there really wasn't a J. Edgar Hoover, but a number of persons had played the part through the years.

Mr. Hoover has come, sadly, to confuse the FBI with his own vanity and to act in a fashion that only undermines the reputation that he — and the FBI — have built together. Thus, when former Attorney General Ramsey Clark suggested that Mr. Hoover's "self-centered concern for his own reputation" had hampered the FBI's work, Mr. Hoover responded this week by calling Mr. Clark a "jellyfish" and a "softie" and saying that he was the worst Attorney General he had encountered in 45 years. Mr. Hoover's intemperate remarks go a long way to proving the truth of what Mr. Clark had to say.

The cart is before the horse, plainly. Mr. Hoover has been in office too long. He ought to retire. Or be retired.

## Librarians' Revenge

From The Washington Post

In an advertisement now appearing in assorted magazines, American Motors, a car company, explains that "we made the Javelin the hairiest looking sporty car in America, even at the risk of scaring some people off." The ad then lays out rubber for the Javelin's new features—a 401 CID 4-barrel V-8 engine, a twin-canopy roof and a rear spoiler lip, an instrument panel curved like a cockpit that "may make you feel more like a pilot than a driver." The pitch closes with, "We may lose a few librarians for customers, but we think we'll gain a few enthusiasts."

At last count, the United States is served by about 75,000 librarians. We do not know all of them, but a good many of those we do know have been seen at times to swing, groove, get it all together, let loose, or otherwise act in ways not incompatible with driving a hairy sports car. Moreover, the chests of male librarians we have seen at the beach were endowed with as much hair as on chests of males in other professions, including car makers and advertising sloganeers. For other and more factual examples of librarians' spirit, few can forget how they stood up as a group to Senator Joseph McCarthy in the early 1950s or, last July, against IRS investigators peering at records of public libraries to see who was borrowing books on explosives, revolution, and other "dangerous" subjects.

The point, of course, suggested by American Motors and their ad agency—Wells, Rich, Greene—is not missed: librarians are mousey, creaking, fusty creeps who flip only on occasions such as a first edition of Willa Cather's "My Antonia" showing up. Thus, how can they appreciate the Javelin, the hairiest looking sporty car in America? According to this week's Advertising Age, librarians are upset at this allusion to a false image. Some have written in protest to American Motors; others are protesting in a more crucial way, as in the letter from a New Jersey librarian who told AM that he was in the market for a new car: "I've been thinking of buying a car in the Javelin class. I agree completely with your ad, i.e., you have lost this librarian as a customer."

Now, with the battle at its hottest, American Motors officials are making peace proposals, promising "to rectify the stereotype image" to which the librarians object. Perhaps the company will take out a corrective ad; after all, as American Motors says frankly, "If you had to compete with GM, Ford, and Chrysler, what would you do?" Well, for one thing you might begin by not talking about the customers you intend to spare away.

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# CHOWAN COLLEGE

MURFREESBORO, NORTH CAROLINA 27855

19 November 1970

Editor  
Virginian - Pilot Newspaper  
Norfolk, Virginia

Sir:

I have just completed reading your editorial concerning Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation. You have maligned a very great and good man.

I would call your attention to the fact that Mr. Ramsey Clark initiated the controversy that has appeared recently in the news media. Mr. Hoover is entitled to his opinion and he stated it.

I disagreed with the tenor that was used in referring to Mr. Hoover's professional and personal qualifications. Mr. Hoover is still the exemplar of the good lawman and the agents of the FBI are held in the highest esteem.

It is apparent by the text and tone of this editorial that it was written by one who has little or no knowledge of the duties of the law-enforcement professional.

The terminology of "un-American, institution, sacrosanct, Mt. Sinai, etc." are the cheap adjectives of a mud-slinging junior journalist.

The facts stand thusly: Mr. Hoover has molded the FBI into a law enforcement agency that is reknown for its abilities. He has not compromised the high standards of his organization. He has not resorted to petty politics to settle personality conflicts. He maintained his personal integrity and dedication to sound moral and ethical standards.

I object to the choice of adjectives used in your editorial. I objected to your selected and biased use of history. I object to your final conclusion.

This editorial has served no good purpose and I cannot for the life of me understand the motivations of a newspaper editor of allowing his paper to become a sounding board for a clash of personalities. Mr. Hoover is entitled to the highest respect for his contribution to the safe-keeping of this nation's heritage. He deserves no less.

Sincerely yours,

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CHIEF SECURITY OFFICER  
CHOWAN COLLEGE SECURITY BUREAU  
MURFREESBORO, NORTH CAROLINA 27855

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ENCLOSURE

December 1, 1970

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Dear

Thank you for your letter of November 23rd.

It was indeed thoughtful of you to write and comment as you did concerning my work. Communications such as yours are most encouraging, and your kind sentiments and support certainly mean a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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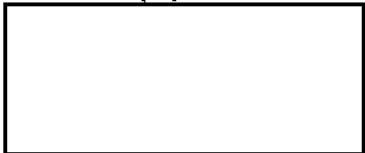
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Dear Mr. Hoover

I do not write much but nothing has stir me to get out my pen and paper as Mr. Ramsey Clark attack on a great man like you. I should not say anything about him but when his father retire to make him attorney general I felt he might follow in his father foot steps. How wrong I was. I do not know rany F. B. I men but I have alway love the F. B. I and the way they work and you Mr Hoover How you ever build the F. B. I up to what it is I will never understand. How any body after what you have done for this country can criticize you has got to be crazy. Please excuse the way I am talking It is not my way but Mr Hoover I love this country and I do not like the way things are going and it worried me when I know that there are few if any men like you left and if we get men like Mr Clark in control where will we end, I say to Mr Clark or anywhere else who would criticize you let him show he can do for this country what you have then he might have the right to criticize you. I want to say to you Mr Hoover that you are a great American You can be proud of the job you and your men have done. Thank God for a attorney general like Mr Stone who gave you that job in 1924 the year I was born and if I rember right Herbert Hoover and seem like someone else his name was same as a baseball team owner. Help you get job. They were smart men. Anyway Mr Hoover from the bottom of my heart I say thank you for a job you can be proud of. I am very proud of the F. B. I and of you. I want to wish you the best of everything that this life can offer. May God bless you always.

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DEAR MR HOOVER



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I DO NOT WRITE MUCH BUT NOTHING HAS STIR ME TO GET OUT MY PEN AND PAPER AS MR RAMSEY CLARK ATTACK ON A GREAT MAN LIKE YOU. I SHOULD NOT SAY ANYTHING ABOUT HIM BUT WHEN HIS FATHER RETIRE TO MAKE HIM ATTORNEY GENERAL I FELT HE MIGHT FOLLOWER IN HIS FATHER FOOT STEPS HOW WRONG I WAS. I DO NOT KNOW ANY F.B.I MEN BUT I HAVE ALWAYS LOVE THE F.B.I AND THE WAY THEY WORK AND YOU MR HOOVER HOW YOU EVER BUILD THE F.B.I UP TO WHAT IS IT I WILL NEVER UNDERSTAND, HOW ANY BODY AFTER WHAT YOU HAVE DONE FOR THIS COUNTRY CAN CRITICIZE YOU HAS GOT TO BE CRAZY. PLEASE EXCUSE THE WAY I AM TALKING IT IS NOT MY WAY BUT MR HOOVER I LOVE THIS COUNTRY AND I DO NOT LIKE THE WAY THINGS ARE GOING AND IT WORRIED ME WHEN I KNOW THAT THERE ARE FEW IF ANY MEN LIKE YOU LEFT AND IF WE GET MEN LIKE MR CLARK IN CONTROL WHERE WILL WE END, I SAY TO MR CLARK OR ANYONE ELSE WHO WOULD CRITICIZE YOU LET HIM SHOW HE CAN DO FOR THIS COUNTRY WHAT YOU HAVE THEN HE MIGHT HAVE THE RIGHT TO CRITICIZE YOU. I WANT TO SAY TO YOU MR HOOVER THAT YOU ARE A GREAT AMERICAN

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STONE WHO GAVE YOU THAT JOB IN 1924 THE YEAR I  
WAS BORN AND IF I REMBER RIGHT HERBERT HOOVER  
AND SEEM LIKE SOME ONE ELSE HIS NAME WAS SAME  
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WERE SMART MEN, ANYWAY MR HOOVER FROM THE  
BOTTOM OF MY HEART I SAY THANK YOU FOR A JOB  
YOU CAN BE PROUD OF, I AM VERY PROUD OF THE FBI  
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(~~THE~~) EVERYTHING THAT THIS LIFE CAN OFFER,  
MAY GOD BLESS YOU ALWAYS,

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IN MY HEART

December 1, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

On November 25th I received the communication from you and your husband and want to thank you for sending me the newspaper clipping. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my direction of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

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Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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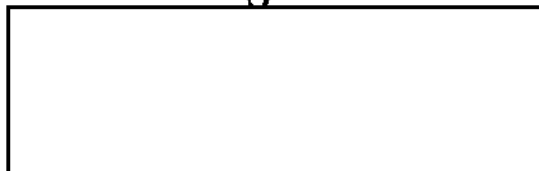
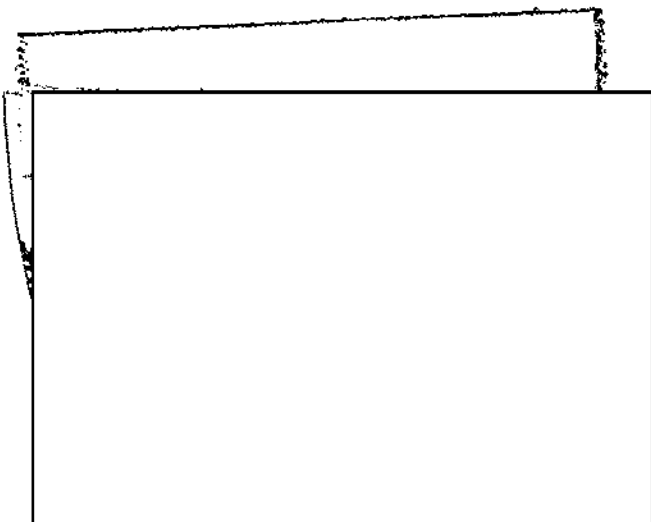
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Mr. J E. Hoover;

Ramsey CLARK

We have wanted to say Thank You for a long time & never knew how. - After seeing this article in the paper - it gives us a chance - to say a big Thank You - which is very small indeed for all you've done - Can only pray there are some men coming up in this country - who have some of the feeling - dedication & ability that you have, & love of country as you & we have



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# Great American

Few Americans have served their nation with greater dedication and loyalty than J. Edgar Hoover, who has been director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation under eight consecutive presidents.

It is highly regrettable, therefore, that Hoover should now find himself in the position of having to defend his actions against an attack by former Attorney General Ramsey Clark, who asserted in a new book that the FBI director was more concerned with his own reputation than with the battle against organized crime.

We do not think it necessary to comment on the inflammatory personal accusations traded by these two gentlemen in recent days. But we do believe it is our duty to point out that no single man has done more to fight

crime in the history of this nation than J. Edgar Hoover.

In reply to Clark's charge that Hoover had a falling out with the late Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy over the FBI's alleged laxity in the struggle against organized crime, Hoover quite rightly pointed out that in that period the FBI did not have the legal weapons it now possesses to pursue the struggle.

We doubt that Hoover, who has given so much of his life, his time and his efforts to protecting the security of the United States, needs any defense. But in the current circumstance we think it important for the record that we declare our renewed confidence in him and his monumental achievements on behalf of this country.

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Dear [Redacted]

I have received your letter of November 21st and want to thank you for the interest which prompted you to furnish your views. Your kind sentiments and generous remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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Hon. J. Edgar Hoover  
Bureau of the F.B.I.  
Washington D.C.

Nov 21 - 1970

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I enjoyed reading in the liberal press your statement concerning Mr. Ramsey Clark.

To Day I listened to "Face the Nation " T.V.s Broadcast of Mr. Clark defending himself about this blast, and his viewpoint on matters concerning this country in which we live.

I view Mr. Clark with scorn and feel that he is a product of this permissive Liberalism theory that has developed in our land.

I feel the younger set who object to the so called establishment (some of them) in condeming it is because of the momentum that Liberalism is doing to our United States.

Also I feel that you must remain in your post as long as you can and be tough because this institution is about the only one left in our land that is not infiltrated with communism conspiracy. I dread to see a change that might take place when a replacement for you comes up.

I have read your book "Masters of Deciet" and other information you have written from time to time in various conservative publications

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I believe in you and pray for you and the work you are

I am, [redacted]

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Hon. J. Edgar Hoover  
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Dear [Redacted]

I received your letter on November 25th and want you to know I very much appreciate your kind remarks and expression of support. Communications such as yours are most encouraging and mean a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles.

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Mr. Edgar J. Hoover  
 Federal Bureau of Investigation  
 Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I like your description of Ramsay Clark. It fits him to a "T".

It appears as though Clark hopes to cover up his disgusting performance as Attorney General by attacking you.

My family, relatives and friends greatly appreciate your long devoted service which has benefited us all.

Kindest regards.

Respectfully yours,



cc: Pres. Nixon

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Dear

I have received your communication of November 23rd, with enclosure, and want to thank you for your thoughtfulness. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: is on the Special Correspondents List. He is a former Special Agent who EOD 9-9-40 and retired 9-12-69.

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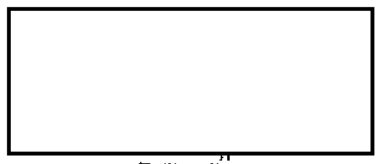
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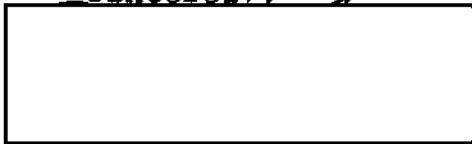
Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Ninth & Pennsylvania Avenue  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Enclosed is a copy of a letter I have  
sent to Mr. Ramsey Clark.

The recent attacks made by Mr. Clark  
on you personally, and on the Federal Bureau of  
Investigation, are contemptibly outrageous.  
I want you to know that I wholeheartedly support  
you and will consider any attack upon you as a  
personal attack on me and all FBI Agents.

Sincerely,



*Former Agent*

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PHONE 379-9521

November 23, 1970

Mr. Ramsey Clark  
Former U. S. Attorney General  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Clark:

Relative to your attacks on J. Edgar Hoover, may I simply advise you that every traitor, racketeer and soft-bellied "do gooder" in this country must be overwhelmed with you as their spokesman.

In contrast, greater research on your part would have revealed to you that law enforcement holds Mr. Hoover in high esteem and will be forever indebted to him for what he has done and is still doing for police officers in this country, as well as throughout the world.

Mr. Hoover and his associates can proudly point to today's achievements in the fight against crime and subversion, as well as achievements recorded in the past.

Sincerely,



Former FBI Agent

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AIRMAIL

Lieutenant Colonel C. A. Williamson,  
USA (Retired)  
Pacific Architects and Engineers, Inc.  
APO San Francisco 96215

Dear Colonel Williamson:

I received your letter on November 25th and want you to know I very much appreciate your kind remarks and expression of support. Communications such as yours are indeed encouraging and mean a great deal to me.

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Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Bufiles disclose no prior correspondence and no derogatory information concerning correspondent.

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Pacific Architects & Engineers, Inc.  
APO San Francisco 96215  
17 November 1970

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Your remarks about former Attorney General Ramsey Clark were quoted on Armed Forces Radio Vietnam today. I couldn't agree with you more. What you said needed to be said a long time ago.

With the possible exception of the late Robert Kennedy, Clark was the only Attorney General who was soft on crime. He publicly opposed capital punishment, he would have appeared as a defense witness at the trial of Yippie Jerry Rubin and the other members of the infamous Chicago Eight, had Judge Hoffman not wisely ruled that he had nothing to contribute, and now he has volunteered to defend one of the leaders in the campus violence at Kent State University.

Ex-President Johnson's only reason for appointing so poor a choice was the fact that it would result in his father, Tom Clark, resigning his appointment to the Supreme Court, thereby creating a vacancy he could fill with his friend Abe Fortas.

My reason for writing this letter: You are certain to receive a lot of mail on this subject, and I want to register my opinion as being on the side of Mr. Law and Order.

Respectfully yours,

*C. A. Williamson* U.S.  
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World Travel Incorporated  
414 10th Street  
Des Moines, Iowa 50309

Dear [Redacted box]

I have received your letter of November 17th, with enclosure, and very much appreciate your thoughtfulness in furnishing me a copy of the newspaper with the article concerning your recent talk. Your kind remarks and expression of support mean a great deal to my associates and me.

In view of your interest, I am enclosing material you may not have had an opportunity to read relating to some of the organizations involved in fomenting much of the unrest existing in our Nation today.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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Enclosures (4)  
The Red University  
Study in Marxist Revolutionary Violence: SDS, 1962-69  
Director's testimony 3-5-70 re Black Panthers, racial, extremist and communist groups  
Modern-Day Campus Attilas or The SDS in Action

NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles and there is no record of his book, "Four Years Behind the Iron Curtain." Enclosure to his letter is a copy of the October 28, 1970, issue of the Nassau Guardian printed in Nassau, Bahamas, which contains an article concerning a talk given by correspondent before Nassau Rotary Club. The Director and the FBI are not mentioned.

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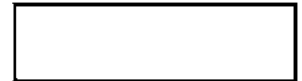
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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

While I have never had the pleasure of meeting you, the F.B.I. under your most capable direction has always had my deepest respect.

It was most interesting to read in today's Des Moines Register your opinion of Ramsey Clark. I think many Americans will agree with you.

Returning to Des Moines after serving four consecutive years behind the Iron Curtain for the State Department, I have never stopped blasting Communism from the lecture platform. I have added to that blast a book entitled, "Four Years Behind the Iron Curtain," which is presently being published by Vantage Press, New York. The devastating evils of Communism combined with the terror I saw behind the Iron Curtain will, I sincerely hope, open the eyes of some Americans.

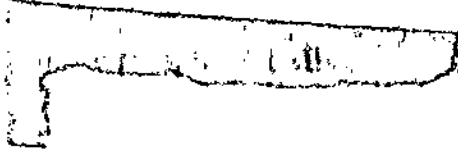
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Enclosed is the Nassau Guardian which carried my recent lecture on the front page. The paper made a misquote in saying that all the problems we have in the United States today are Communist inspired and planned. I am sure in my speech that I said many of the problems are Communist inspired.

You have my best wishes and be assured that I will continue to fight Communism as long as God allows me to live.

Respectfully yours,

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French war ship Captain Le Sans (inset)

## Open To Public Friday

### French Warship On Visit

The French warship "Protet" will be open to the public on Friday from 10 A.M. until sunset at Nassau until Saturday. A special party for women, children and single or widowed is being held at the Royal Barge on Friday, October 27.

The ship's captain, Le Sans, will command several French vessels and will arrive at Nassau with the Allied Command at the

approach and the Western Allied Command in the Atlantic at Norfolk, Virginia.

In 1966, he became assistant commander in the Atlantic Command in Chief of the Navy.

In 1940, Captain Le Sans entered the French Naval Academy and joined the First French Naval Flotilla as a gunnery officer on the Corvette "Rondeau" in the North Atlantic and Pacific Oceans.

In 1944, as a result of his distinguished service in the Atlantic, he was awarded the Legion of Honour.

French Allied Command in the Caribbean.

When he was in Europe, he was one of the first to be assigned to the Atlantic Command in Chief of the Navy.

In 1941, he took command in addition of the Corvette "Toucan" and with his ship took part in several operations against enemy coastal traffic.

## Bacardi Resumes Operation

License to resume production of rum from Bacardi and Company, great Caribbean Rum, was started in the United Kingdom on Monday morning, the beginning of the company's return to normal operations following the devastating fire which swept through the main rum storage area last night, according to a statement issued.

Monday's shipment was the first since the blaze destroyed about 100,000 gallons of rum and the estimated 25 million worth of rum in the circulating system of the area.

The rum was stored in Nassau on the U.S. Wharves in the Centre-Kingston and in a variety of other rum storage areas, as well as in a rum storage area in the Bahamas, where it was stored in several areas.

According to a statement issued by Bacardi, the rum was stored in several areas in the Bahamas, where it was stored in several areas.

## Health Minister Resigns

# Thompson Now Centres In Flash Cabinet Rebellion

### Front Page Editorial

## Leadership Crisis?

Mr. Robert H. Thompson, Minister of Education and Culture, resigned as Minister of Health on Tuesday, October 21, during the annual convention of the Progressive Political Party. Over the weekend, the Minister of Health, Mr. Robert H. Thompson, resigned as Minister of Health.

"I have not been informed of the resignation, Mr. Thompson said at the P.P.P. convention but I'm confident that things will work out very shortly. It's a question of how the right thing at the right time."

"We have not a few minutes to them, and unless things change in another few days, these people who are our best will have something to say in one way or another."

"Whether it will be by resignation or what I can't say, but there are a few men in there and they will have something to say in one way or another. I can't say what form it will take."

Yesterday, October 27, Mr. Curtis McMillan, Minister of Education, resigned as Minister of Health to the assembly.

So in their days the government of the Bahamas has had two Cabinet ministers.

And for accuracy of Mr. Mace's reported statement, we are informed.

It seems likely, therefore, that there is a resignation of other cabinet ministers, will be further demonstrated in the next few days. Mr. Phillips, a strong supporter of the present government of the P.P.P.

The crisis of leadership which this state of affairs has created is at the best of times, not easy for any country. Certainly it may be fatal to the Bahamas as a state of the future if allowed to continue, and it will be a tragedy if it does.

The Bahamas Association of P.P.P. Leaders, the first of the officials

By BILL COLP

Development Minister Jeffrey Thompson, resigned that night in the face of a cabinet rebellion. He had been in the cabinet since 1968, and had been a member of the cabinet since 1968. He had been a member of the cabinet since 1968, and had been a member of the cabinet since 1968.

Mr. Thompson, it should be noted, has a long record of service to the country, and has been a member of the cabinet since 1968.

And it is widely speculated that Mr. Thompson, publicly indicated as a Pindick supporter but recognized by many as a centrist, will be the next to go.

Yes, I have heard that too, Mr. Thompson acknowledged, looking for Mr. Highbury Park home on Tuesday but refused to confirm or deny it.

He would like the character of the government to change, he said, but he would like to see the government change in one way or another. I can't say what form it will take.

Mr. Mace's reported statement, we are informed, is a resignation of other cabinet ministers, will be further demonstrated in the next few days.



DR. CURTIS McMILLAN  
drove in his bid

"The resignation order which I received is that I should resign from the cabinet," he commented. "When he says that, I think it is a resignation of other cabinet ministers, will be further demonstrated in the next few days."

The Bahamas Association of P.P.P. Leaders, the first of the officials

The Bahamas Association of P.P.P. Leaders, the first of the officials



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Dear [Redacted]

I have received your letter of November 17th and appreciate the interest which prompted you to furnish your views. Your generous remark about my direction of the FBI is appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Bufiles contain nothing identifiable regarding correspondent.

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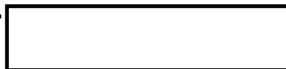
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J. Edgar Hoover: -

Dear Sir: -

I read and see T.V. I am 100% with your views of that Damn #2 Red of our U.S. The #1 Red Earl Warren who was and to me still is. He being #1 red Sure did carry out all rules for reds. Clarkes Father wasn't to good but I won't class him in the red class. But #1 Warren Castro's Cousin. I still think what a mistake that Luther King was shot instead of our #1 red warren.

Keep up the good work as in the past. Give em Hell the no good reds. As the saying goes only good reds are dead one's. True. How long before the devil will take them?

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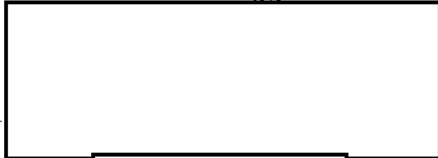
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Dear

Your letter was received on November 30th and I want to thank you for your thoughtfulness. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of the work of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

I am very pleased to learn of your son's interest in this Bureau and I am enclosing some material about our work which I hope he will enjoy reading.

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Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosures (3)  
Know Your FBI  
The Story of the Federal Bureau of Investigation  
99 Facts About the FBI

NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles.

JBT:jkm (3)

- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
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- Brennan, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
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NOVEMBER 24, 1970

J. EDGAR HOOVER  
 FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
 WASHINGTON, D.C.

Ramsey Clark

DEAR MR. HOOVER:

I FEEL COMPELLED TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR PATRIOTIC LEADERSHIP OF THE FBI THROUGH THESE MANY YEARS. I BELIEVE THE BAD PUBLICITY YOU'VE RECEIVED FROM MR. CLARK IS UNWARRANTED. HAD MORE PEOPLE WORRIED ABOUT THE COMMUNIST IN OUR COUNTRY, AS YOU HAVE, I THINK OUR COUNTRY WOULD BE A BETTER PLACE TO LIVE.

OUR NINE-YEAR-OLD SON IS VERY INTERESTED IN POLICE WORK, AND I HOPE HE CAN BECOME A MEMBER OF THE FBI SOMEDAY.

YOURS TRULY,

[Redacted]

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[Redacted]

Dear [Redacted]

Your letter of November 22nd has been received and I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing. Communications such as yours are most encouraging and your support of my position certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: There is no record of correspondent in Bufiles.

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- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
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- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
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- Brennan, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
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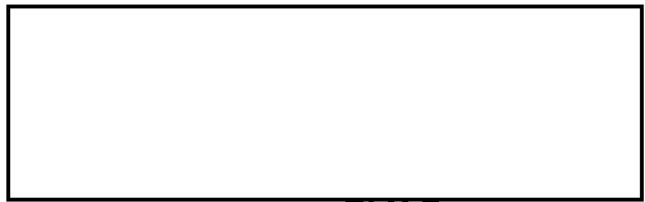
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The Honorable, J. Edgar Hoover:

Please stick to your guns ( as you always have ) with this Ramsey Clark Cluck. Too bad we do not have many more men in office of your ability, we sure could have used them in the last 46 years. If this above mentioned Cluck claims he is so brilliant ( as he does ) he should know he does not have to talk about himself, as a very good portion of the public are only too eager to do that for him, and not in a kind manor. He could look back to when he was 14 years old, and thought how uneducated his father was, only to be amazed when he was 18 at how brilliant his father became in four short years.

Respectfully

I am,



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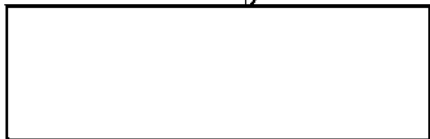
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Dear

I have received your letter of November 21st and want you to know I deeply appreciate your kind remarks and expression of support. Communications such as yours are most encouraging and mean a great deal to me.

In view of your interest, I am enclosing material you may not have had an opportunity to read relating to the work of this Bureau.

MAILED 6  
COMM-FBI

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosures (5)  
The Red University  
The Inside Story of Organized Crime and How You Can Help Smash It  
A Study in Marxist Revolutionary Violence: SDS, 1962-69  
Modern-Day Campus Attilas or The SDS in Action  
1971 FBI Appropriation

NOTE: Bufiles contain no record of correspondent.

MSR:jfh (3)

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November 21, 1970



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Mr. Mohr	
Mr. Bishop	
Mr. Casper	
Mr. Callahan	
Mr. Conrad	
Mr. DeLoach	
Mr. Evans	
Mr. Gale	
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Mr. Trotter	
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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
F.B.I. Building  
Washington, D.C.

Ramsy Clark

Dear Sir:

At the present time I am a freshman at Ithaca College. Several days ago, I read an article from "The Washington Post" about your dislike for Attorney General Ramsey Clark. In this article you made three points for combating crime which I agreed with very strongly. Also I liked the way in which you clarified the issue of wire-tapping. By giving the number of wiretaps in use and the reason why they are used, I think you illustrated that the F.B.I. isn't the monster that many people make it out to be.

These three areas for crime prevention were Law Enforcement, The Courts, and the Prison system. All of these things have to be improved in some way in order to cope with the tremendous rise in crime. Espically in dealing with organized crime which in my opinion is this countries biggest enemy at this time.

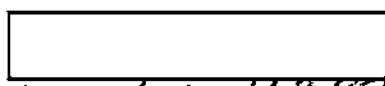
As you believe, I also believe that the presence of capital punishment is a great deterrant for lowering major crimes. If a criminal knows that he will be paroled in a number of years after committing a serious crime, this is not helping to lower the rise in crime but is helping crime grow.

I thank you for taking the time to read this letter.

Yours Truly

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Dear

On November 27th I received your letter and appreciate the interest which prompted you to furnish your views. Also, your kind remarks about my direction of the FBI are most encouraging and I hope my endeavors will continue to merit your support.

With respect to your question, it would not be proper for me, as the head of a Federal investigative agency, to comment on it.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover



NOTE: Our files contain no record of correspondent.

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- Mr. Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Mohr \_\_\_\_\_ b6
- Mr. Bishop \_\_\_\_\_ b7C
- Mr. Brennan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Callahan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Casper \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Conrad \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Felt \_\_\_\_\_
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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
 Federal Bureau of Investigation  
 Washington, D.C.

My dear Mr. Hoover:

I have been reading in the Atlanta paper about the remarks made about you by Ramsey Clark. I notice with special interest that you are reported to have said that Ramsey Clark is a "jelly fish" and, generally, just about as poor an attorney General as we have had in Washington.

This is being written to congratulate you and to express my heartfelt thanks for your having spoken out in this instance.

I am aware of your quiet and dignified demeanor on the job up there, and few will deny that your pattern of conduct has been appropriate thru your long period of service. However, as the younger generation is fond of saying, times have changed. Today we have the media of radio and television communicating anything and everything they think has any news value. This goes on almost instantly, throughout the day and almost all night, so that if the news is missed on one broadcast, it is sure to be seen and/or heard on another. Now, as you well know, all of the material that fills the air and the tube is, properly speaking, not news but trash in part, news in part, and propaganda in substantial part.

In this situation, news people have nothing to sell when there is no really newsworthy news available. Like any body else who runs out of something to sell, the media can, and do manufacture something to sell, under the label of news. This gives rise to the trash referred to above, also gives the media the opportunity to make hay for their favorite propaganda line. Pursuing this course, they find no thing nor no body too low down, too trashy, nor too insignificant to, in some way, become the subject-matter of so called news.

If all is peaceful and quiet, the media will start something, patterning somewhat along the line of "let's you and him fight."

There was a time, in your youth and mine, when means of communication largely confined the instant spread of trash and propaganda. But as suggested, today the tube and the air can be saturated with derogatory innuendoes and slurs instantly, and sustained sufficiently to assassinate the finest person, institution, or custom. Thus, we have the current attempts to downgrade our military including military schools, our police, our best public servants, and our institutions and time tested institutions and customs.

What are you going to do about it, tuck tail and run?

No sir. Those of us who can get to and at the media have got to start batting down these shabby people and their lowdown slanderous efforts. The public, as thoughtful people know, has quite low resistance to trash and propaganda. And since the country has gone off into the never never land of destroyed voter qualifications, we have the sorry spectacle of the least informed and qualified in our society wielding heavy vote power. Now if our informed and our top people sit quietly and fail to bat down the likes of

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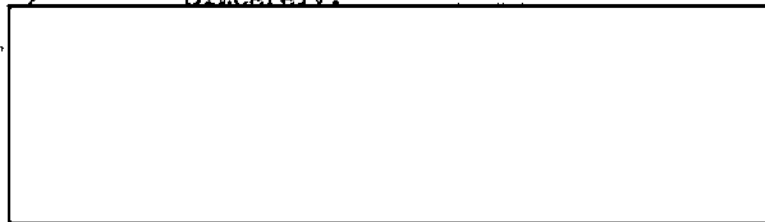
Ramsey Clark, the Bobby Kennedys, the pinks, the punks and the out and out Reds, revolutionaries and traitors, then they will surely destroy our country.

Right thinking people have fallen in behind V.P. Agnew, the vast majority of whom never heard of him before he was elected, only because he showed a grasp of things that are tearing down our country and did not hesitate to speak out against them. In this connection, I am of the opinion that when you lowered the boom on Ramsey Clark, and pegged that squirt Bobby Kennedy the other day, you rallied the people in this country behind you who have long suspected the poor caliber of both.

I do hope you will not hesitate to speak up, loud and clear, and get these people who have been sniping at the FBI off your back.

You don't have to answer this question but if you would, I would like to know how it is possible for a country school teacher to take a minor government job in 1933, continue on the government payroll in one capacity or another, then in the mid 1960's be worth, by his own admission, seven million dollars. Qualified observers said his net worth was more like fifteen million. Can one save this much out of a government salary in 30 to 32 years? If not, how did Lyndon Johnson manage it? After income taxes, that is?

Sincerely,



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Dear

I have received your letter of November 21st and want to thank you for your thoughtfulness in writing. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my direction of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Our files disclose nothing unfavorable regarding correspondents

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Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. DeLoach	b6
Mr. Callahan	b7C
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
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Mr. Rosen	_____
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Mr. Walters	_____
Mr. Soyars	_____
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Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

Dear Chief:

Your exchange of "civilities" with Ramsey Clark properly leaves him second best.

Really, there is no second. Your historic work as Director of the FBI speaks with the authority of the "Moving Finger" --

"The Moving Finger writes; and  
 having writ, moves on;  
 Nor all your piety nor wit  
 Shall lure it back to cancel  
 half a line,  
 Nor all your tears wash out a  
 word of it."

With Admiration,

Mr J Edgar Hoover  
Director, FBI  
Washington DC



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December 2, 1970

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Marshall and Isley Bank  
770 North Water Street  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53201

Dear [Redacted]

You were certainly thoughtful to write on November 25th and I deeply appreciate your kind remarks and expression of support. Letters such as yours are indeed encouraging and mean a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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1 - Milwaukee - Enclosure

NOTE: Bufiles disclose one prior letter to [Redacted] dated 11-17-61 in reply to his letter complimentary of a Special Agent.

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# MARSHALL & ILSLEY BANK

MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53201

November 25, 1970

MAIN OFFICE  
770 NORTH WATER ST.  
276-7700  
BRANCH OFFICE  
2020 W. WISCONSIN AVE.  
933-4430

*RW*  
Ramsey Clark

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C. 20535

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Over the past twenty years I have worked closely with the men of your Milwaukee office. Knowing the men as I have has been a very rewarding experience. I am very happy to say that almost all Milwaukeeans feel as I do. It is very obvious that both the caliber of the men and the caliber of their work has reflected your great leadership of this organization.

With this preface I want to take this opportunity to commend you personally for the stand you have taken in regard to the irresponsible remarks made by Mr. Clark. I think Mr. Clark would benefit greatly if he would read, and heed the last paragraph of your message in the current "Law Enforcement Bulletin".

Sincerely,



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Dear [Redacted]

On November 27th I received your letter and want to thank you for your thoughtfulness in writing. Your generous remarks are most encouraging and your support of my direction of the FBI means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles disclose prior correspondence with [Redacted] in November, 1964, acknowledging his complimentary remarks about the FBI and the Director.

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J. Edgar Hoover, FBI Chief  
Washington, D. C.

*Malcolm*

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Hooray for your accurate one word description of Ramsey Clark. Even I had found him to be a weak Attorney General. "Jelly fish" was the right word for this man.

There are millions of us who have nothing but praise for you and your entire staff in looking after and defending the rights of us good citizens who believe in the law and in its enforcement.

There are certain elements in our society trying to belittle you and your fine work, but they will not succeed. I salute you as a great man.

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Sincerely,

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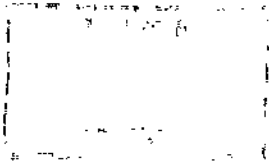
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25 Ascan Avenue  
Forest Hills, New York 11375

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Dear [Redacted]

I have received your letter of November 26th and want you to know I deeply appreciate your thoughtfulness and kind remarks. Expressions of support such as yours are indeed encouraging and mean a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover



NOTE: On basis of available information, correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles.

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November 26, 1970

Hon JJ Edgar Hoover  
Director, F.B.I.  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover--

I, and all my friends, associates & family have long admired you and the F.B.I. - especially in the realistic work you have done in confronting the Communist & other subversive menace to our country.

Congratulations & continue the good work. I agree with you 100%. Ramsey Clark is an incredible stinking fool. It is incredible that such a person was actually an Attorney General!

Feel free to use this letter as support--to President Nixon--or to any other. I hope you continued another 40 years!

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Nov. 26, 1970

Hon J. Edgar Hoover  
Director, F. B. I.  
Washington, D. C.

Ramsey Clark

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Brennan CD	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Walters	_____
Mr. Soyars	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

Dear Mr. Hoover -

I, and all my friends, associates + family have long admired you and the F.B.I. especially in the realistic work you have done in confronting the Communist + other subversive menaces to our Country.

Congratulations + Continue the

good work. I agree with you 100%.

Ramsey Clark is an incredible stinking fool.

It is incredible that such a person was actually an Attorney General!

Feel free to use this letter as supporting CORRESPONDENCE

- to President Nixon - or to any other. I hope you continue another 40 years!

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November 25, 1970

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Dear

I have received your letter of November 18th and want to thank you for your generous comments. Your kind sentiments and remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

MAILED 24  
NOV 27 1970  
COMM-FBI

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J. Edgar Hoover Testifies  
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*JHK*

NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles.

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- Soyars \_\_\_\_\_
- Tele. Rm. \_\_\_\_\_
- Holmes \_\_\_\_\_
- Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

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*[Handwritten initials]*

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Nov 18/70

My dear Mr Hoover:

After hearing the news, regarding your fracas with Ramsey Clark it got me to laughing. About 2 years ago while Mr. Clark was still our Attorney General he said something which got me incensed, as an American, I finally wrote him and called him a, "Jelly Fish."

He never had the courtesy to answer as one American to another.

It is amusing that you think as I do. Keep up your wonderful work & I pray God you will keep your health & stay @ the head of the F.B.I.

Respectfully

[Redacted signature box]

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*1 DC: klm  
11-24-70*

*Mr J. Edgar Hoover  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Pennsylvania + 9 St, N. W.  
Washington, D.C.*

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11-25-70*



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November 25, 1970

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

MAILED 24  
NOV 27 1970  
COMM-FBI

*Wolfs*

*msr*

NOTE: Bufiles contain no record of correspondent.

MSR:alr (3)

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*Gene*

*TEB/A*

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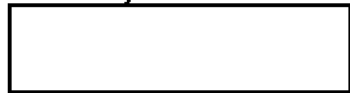
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Nov. 15, 1970



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Dear Mr Hoover,

This is the first letter like this that I have ever written, but I just wanted you to know that I stand behind you 100% concerning Mr Ramsey Clark.

I would also like to take this oppontunity to thank you for serving our wonderful country so faithfully & diligently against communism and crime.

In fact I personally think it will be a tragic day for our country if you ever retire. I simply can't think of anyone who could replace you.

Thank you for not lowering the standard or qualification for our F.B.I. men. I am just a housewife and I realize how busy you are, so perhaps your secretary could convey this message to you. Thank you.

Sincerely,



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*Rec. 11-25-70  
MSR: al*

*1 cc: klm  
11-25-70*

*Mr J. Edgar Hoover  
506 old Post office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20535*

*Jhm*

Nov 15, 1970

[Redacted]

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November 25, 1970

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Dear

Thank you for your letter of November 17th. I am certainly grateful for your support. Communications such as yours are most encouraging and you may be sure I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

MAILED 24  
NOV 27 1970  
COMM-FBI

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- Holmes \_\_\_\_\_
- Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

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*J. Edgar Hoover*  
*John*  
*REK*

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

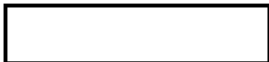
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11-24  
J. Edgar Hoover  
F.B.I.  
Wash. D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover--

As one of your staunch admirer's  
I was pleased to read your reported  
comment that former Attorney  
General Ramsey Clark was a  
"Jelly-fish". I agree.

My only fault to find with you is that you don't  
speak out often enough.



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11-24-70  
REK/ [signature]  
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MR. TOLSON \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. SULLIVAN \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. MOHR \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. BISHOP \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. BRENNAN, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. CALLAHAN \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. CASPER \_\_\_\_\_  
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MR. ROSEN \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. TAVEL \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. WALTERS \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. SOYARS \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. JONES \_\_\_\_\_  
TELE. ROOM \_\_\_\_\_  
MISS HOLMES \_\_\_\_\_  
MRS. METCALF \_\_\_\_\_  
MISS GANDY \_\_\_\_\_

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11-17-70

J. EDGAR HOOVER

F.B.I  
WASH, DC

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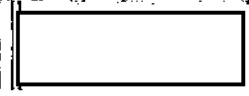
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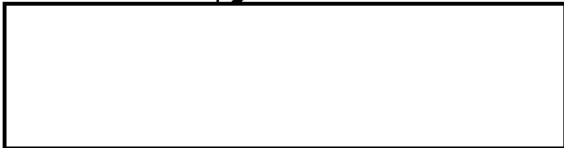
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November 25, 1970

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Dear

Thank you for your letter which was received on November 23rd. Your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me and I am indeed grateful for your kind sentiments and generous remarks.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

MAILED 24  
NOV 27 1970  
COMM-FBI

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NOTE: has sent birthday and Anniversary greetings for the past several years which have been acknowledged.

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- Toison \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Bishop \_\_\_\_\_
- Brennan, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
- Callahan \_\_\_\_\_
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- Soyars \_\_\_\_\_
- Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_
- Holmes \_\_\_\_\_
- Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

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*REK*



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Wednesday

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Ordinarily I send a card on your birthday Jan. first, but now I'm impelled to add my voice to hundreds of other grateful people.

I deeply resent any criticism toward you.

As I've written before, where would any of us be without your constant vigilance?

I can only hope & pray, dear God, in His everlasting & infinite goodness, will watch over, protect, bless & Keep you in His care for always & I also pray you wont pay attention to such unfounded & ridiculous statements

Most sincerely



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*11-25-70*

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Wednesday

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November 27, 1970

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Dear

I have received your communication of November 19th and want to thank you for your thoughtfulness. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and the support of your family and you of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

MAILED 24  
NOV 27 1970  
COMM-FBI

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- Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

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Nov 19th

Dear Sir-

You are to be congratulated on your remarks about Ramsey Clark, his public image at the time he was Attorney General was very poor - and still is. Recently in a Playboy article he compared your annual budget to the Bureau of Prison budget, any thinking person would understand the difference in the two budgets, this article in Playboy was extremely misleading to the public--

My family has long admired you and will continue to do so.

I know you will get many letter about your remarks, We do not like to bother you with mail-but in this case we must make our feelings know to you God bless you.

Sincerely

[Redacted signature]

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1 cc: Ken  
11-25-70

M. J. Edgar Hoover  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Wash. D.C.

ass/mml  
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11/27/70

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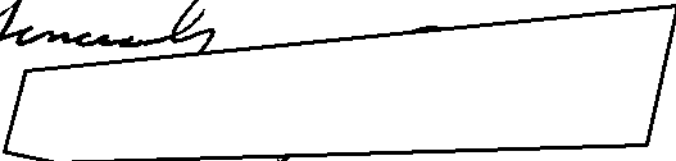
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God bless you —

Sincerely



November 25, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for the kind communication of November 19th from your wife and you. It was certainly thoughtful of you to write and comment as you did concerning my administration of the FBI and I am indeed grateful for your support.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

MAILED 24  
NOV 27 1970  
COMM-FBI

*VIP*

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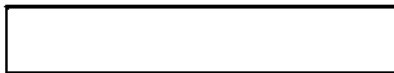


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Dear Mr. Hoover:

My wife and I wish to thank you for serving our country so unselfishly for so many years. We also feel like you regarding Ramsey Clark & Bobbie Kennedy.

Thank you, thank you!



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Rtk: jmb*

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- Mr. Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Mr. Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
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Ramsey Clark

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11-19-70

**THANK-U-GR**

In recognition of the good you have done

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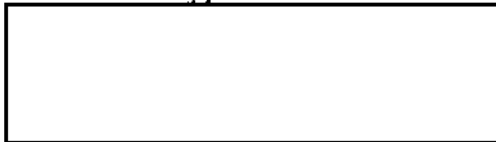
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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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MAILED 24  
NOV 27 1970  
COMM-FBI

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*MSR*  
*TEBR*

*BY*

- Tolson \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
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Dear Sir.

I have heard much about you and Clark. I say, stick buy your guns. (please) I am proud, too know that you are director of the F.B.I. Hope you are for many years to come. If or when you are replaced, I hope a person will conserve your ideas. I respect you.

Thanks



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*J. Edgar Hoover  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington D.C.*

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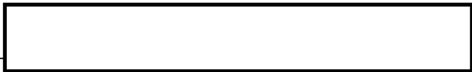
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Dear

Your communication was received on November 20th and I want to thank you for your generous comments. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

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J. Edgar Hoover

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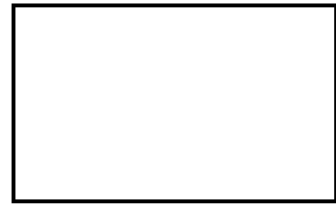
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Dear J. Edgar Hoover

I have bin reading a lot lately about the book that Mr. Ramsey Clark has written and some of the things that he has said about you. Altho I have not read the book. and do not intend to. Want you to know that it rubs me the wrong way. I want you to know that their is no one that I can think of that is more dedicated than you to our wonderfull country. Belive me I am not alone. in my thinking. Almost everyone I know feel the same. You and our F. B. I. have done an unbeliveable wonderfull job. Please belive me Mr. Hoover their are millions of. people like me that belive in you. Dont let it get you down. I hope you never retire. Our country need you and our wonderfull dedicated FBI. The only thing that I can say is Thank you for a job more than well done

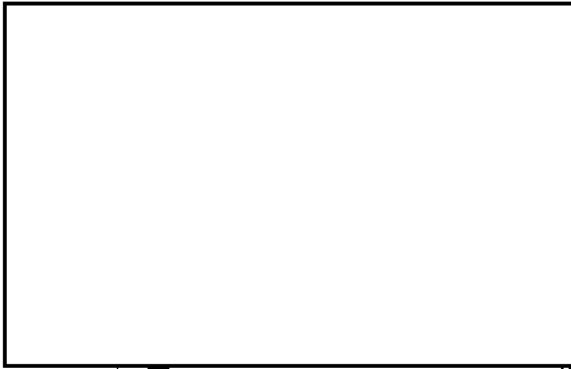
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MR. J-EDGAR-HOOVER

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Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Brennan	_____
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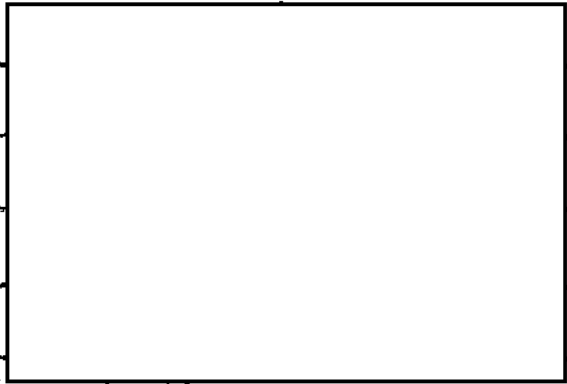
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Ramsay Clark

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Respectfully Yours

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November 27, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

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I have received your communication of November 20th and want to thank you for your thoughtfulness. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOV 27 1970  
COMM-FBI

NOTE: Bufiles contain nothing identifiable regarding correspondent.

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
 Director  
 Federal Bureau of Investigation  
 Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover;

Ramsy Clark

In light of recent accounts in the press about you and your department, I am compelled to write to you and tell you my feelings on this and other subjects.

To begin with, I feel that you and your Bureau, are doing a terrific job, and wouldn't want it changed to conform to any ideas that may be of a liberal nature. There is too much liberalism in this country today, and I believe this is the root of a lot of the problems we now face. Mr. Hoover, I feel that you should take a hard and fast stand against these people or groups of people who seek to discredit you and the Bureau. I can't see where "diversification" or anything that alludes to that will succeed in doing anything more than giving in to these factions.

I can't hope to tell you, how to run your business, you have been doing just fine. I admire the way you stand up to all criticism and prove your adversaries wrong every time. Please Mr. Hoover, keep up the good work, and don't allow any one break down the respect there is for you and your department.

Respectfully and Fraternally yours



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November 25, 1970

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Dear

I received your communication on November 23rd and want to thank you for your generous comments. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J Edgar Hoover

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18 November 1970

Dear Mr. Hoover,

Ever since I can remember, you have been the symbol of law, order, and what is right. Can your critics claim as much?

Thank you

Sincerely,



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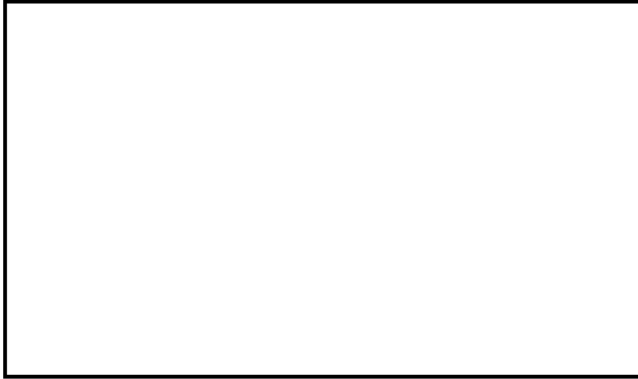
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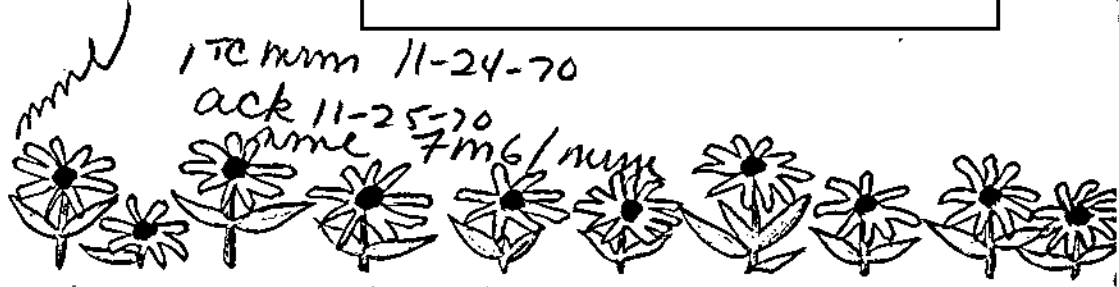


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November 27, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

I have received your letter of November 19th on behalf of the East Tennessee Chapter of the Society of Former Special Agents of the FBI and want to thank you for your thoughtfulness. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me. Please convey my appreciation to your members.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: [Redacted] is on the Special Correspondents' List and is a former SA who EOD 1-15-40 and retired 7-22-65.

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November 19, 1970

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- Mr. Sullivan ✓ b6
- Mr. Mohr ✓ b7C
- Mr. DeLoach ✓
- Mr. Brennan CD
- Mr. Callahan
- Mr. Casper
- Mr. Conrad
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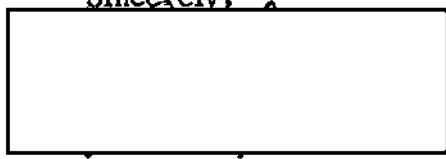
Honorable J. Edgar Hoover  
 Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation  
 U. S. Department of Justice  
 Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

On behalf of the East Tennessee Chapter of former FBI agents, we wish to applaud your comments concerning Mr. Ramsey Clark and advise you of our endorsement and support in this matter. It seems that he has become the darling of the liberal left wing in this country and is receiving far more publicity from certain elements of the news media than he ever received as Attorney General.

With kindest, personal regards.

Sincerely,



Chairman

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November 25, 1970

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Dear

I have received your letter of November 17th and want to thank you for your generous comments. Your kind sentiments and remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

I am pleased that your children and you have read my book, "Masters of Deceit," and found it to be of value.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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COMM-FBI

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NOTE: Bufiles disclose prior correspondence with last outgoing 6-24-70 in response to his letter commending the Director.

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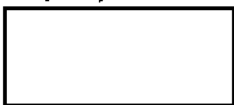
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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- MR. TOLSON \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. SULLIVAN \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. MOHR \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. BISHOP \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. BRENNAN, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. CALLAHAN \_\_\_\_\_ b6
- MR. CASPER \_\_\_\_\_ b7C
- MR. CONRAD \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. FELT \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. GALE \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. ROSEN \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. TAVEL \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. WALTERS \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. SOYARS \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. JONES \_\_\_\_\_
- TELE. ROOM \_\_\_\_\_
- MISS HOLMES \_\_\_\_\_
- MRS. METCALF \_\_\_\_\_
- MISS GANDY \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Mr. Hoover,

I want you to know that you are tops in our family and I am sure millions of families in America. I am going to write a letter to the (Voice of People) Column in the Chicago Tribune, and recommend that High school children be given a copy of your wonderful book (Masters of Deceit) so when they arrive in college they won't be easy prey for radical Marxist Professors. I have a Daughter teaching in a christian Day school in Honolulu, and a son in the Air Force who were exposed to that fine book, and could not be sold a bill of goods. Thanks for calling Ramsey Clark a Jellyfish. I might add. So is his old man, who never merited the Supreme Court appointment on his record. Thanks again and may our good Lord watch over you and keep you. America needs you more than ever. I thank you sincerely.

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*Ramsay Clark*

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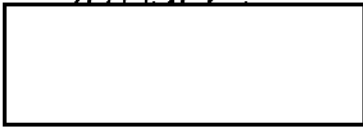
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EX-115

November 25, 1970

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62-113877-125

Honorable Robert F. Finnell  
Mayor  
120 South Bradford Avenue  
Placentia, California 92670

My dear Mayor:

I have received your letter of November 17th and want you to know I deeply appreciate your kind remarks and expression of support. Communications such as yours are indeed encouraging and mean a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Mr. Finnell is a former Bureau employee who EOD 1-9-50 and resigned 5-29-59 while serving in the Director's Office.

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NOV 27 1970  
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The People Are The City

Mr. Tolson  
Mr. Sullivan

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Mayor  
ROBERT F. FINNELL  
City Administrator  
EDWIN T. POWELL



Councilmen  
ROBERT P. LANGER  
RICHARD A. DEMMER  
L. JACK GOMEZ  
JOHN O. TYNES

120 South Bradford Avenue - Placentia, California 92670 - Telephone (714) 528-1146

November 17, 1970

The Honorable J. Edgar Hoover  
Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation  
United States Department of Justice  
9th and Pennsylvania Avenue, Northwest  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I have just read the newspaper account of the scurrilous personal attack made upon you by the former Attorney General Ramsay Clark.

I want to assure you that the overwhelming majority of the American citizens recognize and appreciate the personal sacrifices and dedication that you have shown to your country over the past half century of service. I wish you and the Bureau continued success in protecting our great country within the constitutional limits that you must and do observe.

Sincerely,

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*Robert F. Finnell*  
ROBERT F. FINNELL

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EX-112

November 25, 1970

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Honorable Fred W. Nicol  
Judge  
Sixth Judicial Circuit  
Tuscaloosa, Alabama 35401

My dear Judge:

Thank you for your letter of November 17th.

It was certainly thoughtful of you to write and comment as you did. I am indeed grateful for your support which means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Mr. Nicol is a former Special Agent who EOD 7/1/35 and resigned 5/23/38. His services were satisfactory. We have had prior correspondence with him and our last outgoing was 4/17/64.

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Mr. Tolson  
Mr. Sullivan  
Mr. [unclear]

STATE OF ALABAMA  
SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
TUSCALOOSA, ALABAMA 35401

FRED W. NICOL  
JUDGE  
JIMMIE R. BLACK  
COURT REPORTER  
C. W. (SANDY) SANDERS  
SHERIFF

November 17, 1970

TELEPHONES  
758-9730  
759-5176

J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I am simply delighted at your characterization of Ramsey Clark and Robert Kennedy as carried in today's Tuscaloosa News and I feel sure your local agents here will send you copies!

With sincere best wishes and kindest regards.

Sincerely yours,

*Fred Nicol*  
Fred W. Nicol

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November 25, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for your letter of November 17th in which you expressed your support of my activities. Communications such as yours are most encouraging, and you may be sure I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Bufiles disclose prior correspondence with [Redacted], last outgoing dated 4-3-69 sending him reprint material on communism.

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November 17, 1970

Hon. J. Edward Hoover,  
Director, F. B. I.,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Mr. Ramsay Clark's occupation of the office of Attorney General emitted an odor that offended the nostrils of conservative and law-abiding elements throughout the land.

Your criticism of this worthy was both commendable and restrained.

Mr. Clark's attitude was inimical of the interests of the public and sympathetic to the criminal element.

Many millions of our citizens, including the writer, are hopeful that you will remain as Director of the F.B.I. for many years. They are most grateful for your efforts on their behalf.

Sincerely,



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DIRECTOR'S CONTROVERSY WITH RAMSAY CLARK

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November 24, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

I have received your letter of November 17th and want to thank you for your generous comments. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: On basis of available information, correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles.

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J. Edgar Hoover Testifies  
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November 17, 1970

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D.C.

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Dear Mr. Hoover,

*o'clock*

My heartiest congratulations on socking it to old Ramsey. He has been in dire need of it for a long time. Could you possible say a few words about his old man as well? Maybe in your next book.

I hope you live to be 150 and remain Director during the entire period. It may be that some of the extreme Radiclibs do not properly appreciate your efforts in their behalf, but the great majority of Americans do. It does not go without notice by us that everytime the FBI makes a significant arrest of a subversive, the papers are full of letters calling for your removal. You always hit them where it hurts.

I am also writing to President Nixon and Attorney General Mitchell to express my sentiments about your outstanding work. Good luck and many more years of continued success.

Sincerely,

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November 30, 1970

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Dear [Redacted]

I received the communication from you and your family on November 23rd and want to thank you for your generous comments. Your support of my administration of the FBI is most encouraging and certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles disclose prior cordial correspondence with [Redacted] our last outgoing, 12/4/69, was in reply to his complimentary letter. He is a former member of the John Birch Society.

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Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for your letter of November 17th.

It was certainly thoughtful of you to write and comment as you did concerning my work. I am indeed grateful for your kind sentiments and staunch support.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: [Redacted] is on the Special Correspondents List.

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- Tele. Room ✓
- Miss Holmes ✓
- Miss Gandy ✓

November 17, 1970

Hon. J. Edgar Hoover,  
Director,  
Federal Bureau of Investigation,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir: *Director's Press Conference*

May I as an admirer of several years, congratulate you on your response to the politically motivated remarks made about you by Ramsey Clarke.

Isn't it amazing Mr. Hoover, that one as inept as the former attorney general should single you out because of the fine job you have done for America?

It can only lead one to believe that this man still has political aspirations and as such, he will appeal to the troublemakers and ultra-liberal groups by coming out with a statement attacking you.

I hope, sir, that if Mr. Clarke does aspire to a higher office in the future, he will be turned away. At best, he should satisfy himself with a job as a small town attorney.

Good job, Mr. Hoover, and please know that there are many of us that still thank the Lord for the many years you have devoted to us. And I hope that if you feel fit, you will continue for many years to come.

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Very Best Regards,



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Dear

I received your letter of November 17th and want you to know I appreciate your kind remarks and expression of support. Communications such as yours are encouraging and mean a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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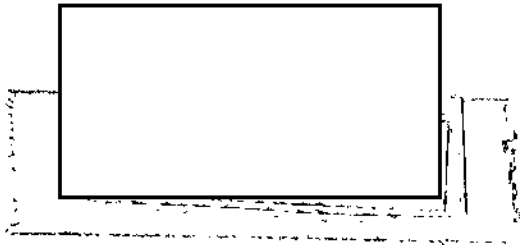
Dear Sir

Just to let you know that everyone, like Clark, doesn't have bad things to say about the F.B.I. and all its men.

Am only going by the stories one reads in the newspapers of the very fine work your ment have done.

Keep up the good work, Chief you are now and have been for years "The Best"

Respectfully



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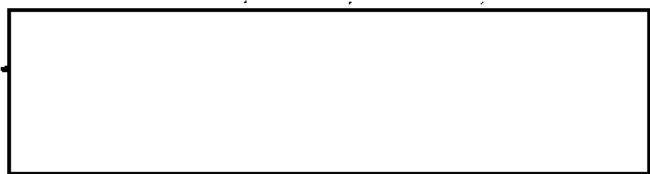
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Nov. 17, 1966

J. Edgar Hoover Controversy with  
Ramsey Clark  
Dear Sir

Just to let you know that everyone, like Clark, doesn't have bad things to say about the F.B.I. and all its men.

Am only going by the stories one reads in the newspapers of the very fine work your men have done.

Keep up the good work, Chief you are now and have been for years "The Best"

Respectfully



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Dear

Thank you for your letter of November 17th. It was certainly thoughtful of you to write and furnish me your views. I am indeed grateful for your support and in view of your interest, I am enclosing material regarding some of the groups seeking to foment unrest in our Nation which you may not have had an opportunity to read.

Your generous offer of assistance is appreciated. If you have information that you feel may be of help to the FBI, please communicate with Mr. John F. Malone, the Assistant Director in Charge of our office located at 201 East 69th Street, New York, New York 10021.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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**Enclosures (3)**

An Open Letter to College Students  
A Study in Marxist Revolutionary Violence: SDS  
Director's Testimony 3/5/70 re Black Panthers, racial, extremist and communist groups

1 - New York - Enclosure

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
 Director  
 Federal Bureau of Investigation  
 Washington, D.C. 20020

Dear Mr. Hoover:

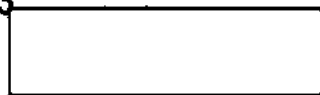
Congratulations and bravo!

I listened with much interest to your well spoken reply to the dangerous ideas and attitudes of Mr. Ramsey Clark. As a college senior I am well acquainted with the type of permissiveness that is bred from such rhetoric. Not only does Mr. Clark encourage (by implication if not by direct word) the violent dissent that a former attorney general is supposed to disapprove of but he gives lawless groups a sense of legitimacy when they have a high government official who does not condemn them. I wonder if Mr. Clark realizes the danger he is doing to our country by not flatly criticizing the destructive minority of students. No, I never thought much of Ramsey Clark as an attorney general either and I like him even less now, as I expect he is pushing his candidacy for high office. We are indeed fortunate in having John Mitchell, a lawman who believes in the simple principle that when a law is violated the perpetrator must be apprehended and tried in a court of law. It has long been my feeling that those who condone violence are more dangerous than those who cause it.

Another part of the newspaper I approved of was your criticism of many of the nation's colleges. Many times I have had to sit through classes where all of our country's institutions (and especially the FBI) were berated. My objections to such lessons were put down by the professor telling me that I was brainwashed. I consider myself a free thinking patriot and individual. My respect for the FBI goes back to the time when, as a child, I went through the exciting experience of touring its building. It is comforting to know that the organization which you have effectively headed for many years keeps a close watch on radical campus groups. For many years I have watched these groups with alarm and I have saved most of the publications and leaflets which they have put out. If you feel that this material has any use to the FBI let me know and it is yours. It is important that each citizen does his best in helping the law enforcement authorities. If the American people don't cooperate with their friends then by their own fault they someday will have to cope with their enemies. Then it will be too late.

Thank you for your attention and good luck in your work ahead.

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270-01 Hillside Avenue  
New Hyde Park, New York 11040

Dear [Redacted]

I received your communication on November 23rd and want to thank you for your thoughtfulness. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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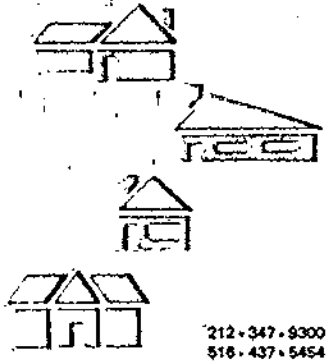
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REAL ESTATE  
 270-01 HILLSIDE AVENUE  
 NEW HYDE PARK, N. Y. 11040



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November 17, 1970

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J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
 Federal Bureau of Investigation  
 Washington, D.C.

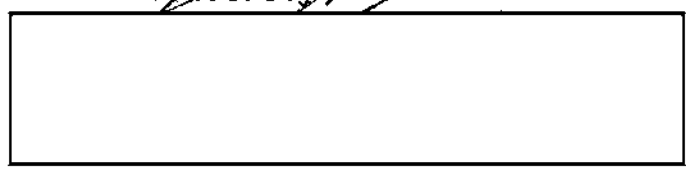
Dear Mr. Hoover:

A quick note of appreciation for your many years of dedication and devotion to common sense and your country.

Hurrah to your recent comments on Clark and Kennedy. I am sure this note represents a lot of hurrahs throughout the land from folks who are tired of jellyfish and permissiveness.

Good Health and Best Wishes.

Sincerely,



JHM/jmp

*Directors Controversy with Ramsey Clark*

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NEW HYDE PARK CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
 NEW YORK STATE ASSOCIATION OF REAL ESTATE BOARDS

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Dear [Redacted]

I have received your letter of November 17th and appreciate the interest which prompted you to furnish your views. Your thoughtful sentiments and generous remarks regarding my administration of the FBI are indeed encouraging. It is hoped my efforts will continue to merit your support.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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This is my second letter in 70 years to a Public Official -  
The first to Sen. Williams of Delaware



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Mr J Edgar Hoover

Dear Sir:

Just read the evening paper about what Ramsey  
Clark had to say about you --

As a citizen of these United States for 70 years,  
& a vetran of World War I - would like to thank you for what  
you have stood for & your able & efficient handling of your  
duties. The country is in one hell of a shape as it is but  
without your organization I doubt personally - if we would have  
any country left.

I only hope & pray that your health will hold on so  
you can continue to serve so my grandchildren will benefit by your  
organization.

Respectfully yours,



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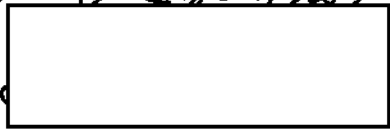
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Disputed Controversy with Ramsey Clark

This is my second letter in 70 years to a Public Office. The first to the Office of Delaware

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Mr J Edgar Hoover:

Dear Sir:

Just read the evening paper about what Ramsey Clark had to say about you - as a citizen of these United States for 70 years, a veteran of world war 1. I would like to thank you for what you have stood for & your able & efficient handling of your duties.

The country is in one hell of a shape as it is but without your organization I don't seriously - if we would have any country left.

I only hope & pray that your health will hold out so you can continue to serve up my grand children will benefit by your organization  
Respectfully yours



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November 25, 1970

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Lindenwood Drug Company  
6903 Lansdowne  
St. Louis, Missouri 63109

Dear [Redacted]

Thank you for the support expressed in your letter of November 17th. Communications such as yours are most encouraging, and you may be sure I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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MR. SULLIVAN ✓  
MR. MOHR ✓  
MR. BISHOP ✓  
MR. BRENNAN, C.D. ✓  
MR. CALLAHAN \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. CASPER \_\_\_\_\_  
MR. CONRAD \_\_\_\_\_  
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TELE. ROOM \_\_\_\_\_  
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MISS GANDY \_\_\_\_\_

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Dear J. Edgar Hoover,

In regards to your clash  
with Ramsey Clark - don't waste  
too many words on him. He isn't  
worth it.

Ramsey Clark isn't fit to  
tie your shoe laces.

I have faith that the Good Lord sends us  
the right man at the right time. I thank God we  
still have you at the head of our country's security.

God bless you always

Sincerely

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Director's Controversy  
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LINDENWOOD DRUG COMPANY

6903 LANSDOWNE

ST. LOUIS, MO. 63109

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11-17-70

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God bless you always  
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November 25, 1970

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Dear

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Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles. He sent two post cards to the Director, both of which are favorable. One concerns the Director's recent comments concerning Ramsey Clark and the other makes reference to the Director's alleged public statement regarding Mr. Harriman. The latter cannot be identified in Bufiles.

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 ✓ MR. MOHR \_\_\_\_\_  
 MR. BISHOP \_\_\_\_\_  
 MR. BRENNAN, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_  
 MR. CALAHAN \_\_\_\_\_  
 MR. CASPER \_\_\_\_\_  
 MR. CONRAD \_\_\_\_\_  
 MR. FELT \_\_\_\_\_  
 MR. GALE \_\_\_\_\_  
 MR. ROSEN \_\_\_\_\_  
 MR. TAVEL \_\_\_\_\_  
 MR. WALTERS \_\_\_\_\_  
 MR. SOYARS \_\_\_\_\_  
 MR. JONES \_\_\_\_\_  
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 MRS. METCALF \_\_\_\_\_ b7C  
 MISS GANDY \_\_\_\_\_

Mr. Hoover,

Clark is a shining example of why the country is infested with radicals of every category. Lack of enforcement. You are 100 per cent right about him. The people are with you.



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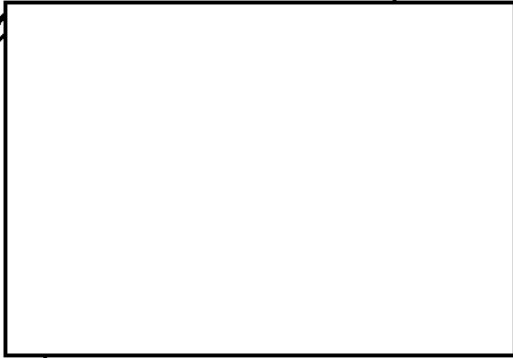
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Dear [Redacted]

On November 23rd I received your letter and very much appreciate your support for my administration of the FBI. Communications such as yours are most encouraging and you may be sure I am grateful for your kind sentiment and your thoughtfulness in writing.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: We wrote [Redacted] in December, 1964, acknowledging his Thank-You Note to Director.

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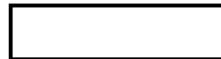
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God bless! --Where with you Mr. Hoover!

Respectfully:-



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P. S I often wished, I where priveleged to be an F. B. I. agent.

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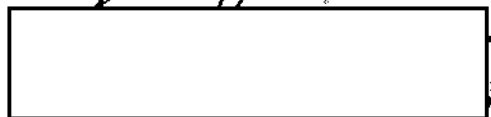
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# Hoover Interview Surprises Aides

**Chicago Tribune Press Service**  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 17—After refusing to see reporters for six years, J. Edgar Hoover gave a newsmen 15 minutes to get to his office yesterday for a rare interview.

Aides to the Federal Bureau of Investigation chief, in discussing the interview today, said "It surprised us."

Hoover acted after United Press International put a story on its wire carrying a Ramsey Clark criticism of the 73-year-old FBI director. Clark was Hoover's boss when he was attorney general from 1967 to 1969.

### 'Credit Coveted'

In his new book, "Crime in America," which U.P.I. quoted, Clark writes:

"The FBI has so coveted

### 'WORSE THAN BOBBY'

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personal credit that it will sacrifice even effective crime control before it will share the glory of its exploits. This has been a petty and easily characterizable caused by the excessive domination of a single man, J. Edgar Hoover, and his self-centered concern for his reputation and that of the FBI.

In the interview, Hoover called Clark a "jellyfish. . ."

## Steal 54 Etruscan Statuettes in Italy

PIESSE, Italy, Nov. 17 (AP)—Thieves stole 54 Etruscan bronze statuettes worth \$37,000 to \$42,000 from the museum of this ancient hill town overlooking Florence, police said.



J. Edgar Hoover



Ramsey Clark

suitie" and the worst attorney general that he has encountered in 45 years as FBI director. Hoover said that Clark was even a worse attorney general than Robert F. Kennedy.

The FBI chief has confessed that he did not speak to Kennedy in Kennedy's last six months at the Justice Department.

### Liberal Paper Called

Ken W. Clawson of the Washington Post said today that one of Hoover's aides called him yesterday morning and told him "the boss wants to see you if you can get over here in 15 minutes."

Clawson made it and at the outset of the interview asked Hoover if there were any ground rules. Clawson said Hoover replied:

"You just ask the questions, and I will answer them."

The FBI chief had never before granted an interview to the Washington Post, a paper he considers too liberal. Clawson said that the FBI chief

made clear that he still hates the paper.

### Clark a Liberal

Clark, however, is a liberal, and FBI aides and Justice Department officials speculated that this was the main factor in Hoover selecting the Post for the interview.

The interview last 2 1/2 hours. Clawson said at least two hours was spent by Hoover talking about himself.

Clark, at a press conference

in New York city today, said Hoover was "emitted to his opinion" but Clark again criticized the FBI director for holding onto an "ideology of a different time."

Hoover praised John Mitchell, the present attorney general, as "very human."

### 'New Leader Needed'

Clark said that he thought that the FBI needed new leadership.

Hoover aides said that the last interview the aging FBI director granted was to a group of women reporters on Nov. 12, 1964. They described Clawson's success as "a matter of timing." Clawson recently had been trying, thru various channels, to see Hoover. The FBI director had turned him down in a letter not long ago, saying that he saw no hope for an interview in the foreseeable future.

Hoover was back to his usual ways today. Requests for interviews were being turned down again in favor of working on congressional testimony covering FBI appropriations.



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Dear

Your letter of November 18th, with enclosure, has been received and it was indeed thoughtful of you to write and comment as you did concerning my work. I certainly appreciate your support.

In reply to your inquiry, it would be inappropriate for me, as the head of a strictly investigative agency of the Federal Government, to comment on a matter under consideration by the United States Supreme Court.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles reveal one prior outgoing to correspondent, 3-2-67, in reply to his inquiry regarding Martin Luther King. Address per prior correspondence and current directory. He enclosed a news clipping concerning a brief filed with the Supreme Court by the Justice Department seeking to affirm the conviction of Cassius Clay.

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Dear Mr Hoover

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You are a truly great American and patriot and I salute you! You gave a very good characterization of former Atty Gen Clark but I'd like to add my opinion of him, too. He's a educated idiot.

Do you folks intend to put Cassius Clay in the pen or will this clown continue to flaunt the law?

Good Luck



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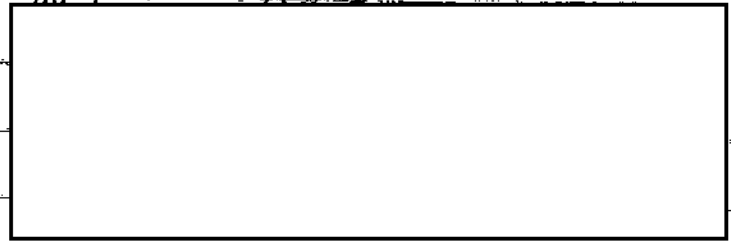
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## Justice Asks Clay Conviction

WASHINGTON. — (UPI) — The Justice Department asked the Supreme Court Monday to affirm the conviction of former heavyweight boxing champion Cassius Clay for refusing induction in the Army.

In a legal brief filed with the court, the Justice Department said there was no valid ground for overturning the conviction now that lower courts have ruled federal wiretaps involving Clay did not taint the evidence that brought conviction.

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Dear

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I have received the note of November 18th from you and your husband and want you to know I deeply appreciate your expression of support. Such communications are indeed encouraging and mean a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Bufiles disclose one prior outgoing to [Redacted] dated 7/8/70 in reply to her letter concerning Bureau offices in New York being picketed.

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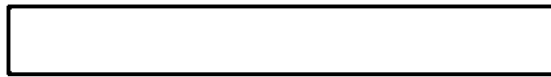
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Mr Hoover,

We just Heard Ramsey Clark on a News program  
& we Heartily agree with your Analysis of Him.

Coordially



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Mr. J. E. Hoover  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington DC

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On November 23rd I received your letter and want to thank you for your generous comments. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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Sarasota Fla Nov 18 1970

Hon J. Edgar Hoover,

F.B.I. Washington DC.

Dear Sir,

Ramsey Clark

I was quite pleased with your press conference yesterday in reference to Ramsey Clarke. You put forth some pertinent facts that was needed to be said a long time ago. You are absolutely right and when you say he is a "jellyfish". Even that is an understatement. But I know you could have used some more descriptive adjectives in a different setting.

I have often thought that Ramsey Clarke should be tried for treason. He is a disgrace to his father and to the nation. I hope that your voice will never be silenced.

Very truly yours

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Dear Mr. [Redacted]

Thank you for your letter of November 18th in which you expressed your support of my activities. Communications such as yours are most encouraging, and you may be sure I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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November 18, 1970

Dear Mr. Hoover :

My compliments and my thanks. Thanks for your great service for so long for your country. Thanks for telling that amiable jerk to get lost. I've wondered, from time to time, how men like Ramsey Clark insinuate themselves into high office by appointment, and for some goofy reason start taking themselves seriously. Likewise, from time to time, wondering why people take such presuming jerks seriously.

All good wishes, and thanks again.

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Sincerely,



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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
 The Federal Bureau of Investigation  
 Washington, D. C.

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November 18, 1970

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover,  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
U. S. Department of Justice  
Washington, D. C. 20535

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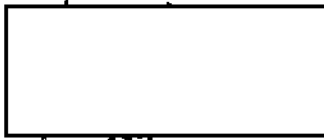
Last night I read in The Houston Chronicle newspaper your comments on Ramsey Clark, Bobby Kennedy, our radical professors, college administrators, relationship of crime to punishment, etc.

Agreeing so completely with everything you said, I would be remiss if I did not take the time to tell you how heartily I support your views and, more importantly, your actions. My feelings are shared, I know, by the vast majority of Americans, in spite of the shrill and strident voices of the liberal press and the do-gooders who seem completely unwilling to face reality and work diligently to obtain more permissiveness which, if permitted, can only spell the downfall of our great Country.

As only one citizen of our Nation--and I know I speak for many--I want to say how grateful I am for the outstanding service you have rendered and to express my sincere hope that you will continue your stand on these vital issues which confront us.

Mr. Hoover, I thank you.

Very truly yours,



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United States Senator John Tower  
United States Senator-Elect Lloyd Bentsen

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Dear [Redacted]

On November 23rd I received your letter and appreciate the interest which prompted you to furnish your views and suggestion. Your support of my position is encouraging to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J Edgar Hoover

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
11-18-70

- MR. TOLSON \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. SULLIVAN \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. MOHR \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. BISHOP \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. BRENNAN, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. CALLAHAN \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. CASPER \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. CONRAD \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. FELT \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. GALE \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. ROSEN \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. TAVEL \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. WALTERS \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. SOYARS \_\_\_\_\_
- MR. JONES \_\_\_\_\_
- TELE. ROOM \_\_\_\_\_
- MISS HOLMES \_\_\_\_\_
- MRS. METCALF \_\_\_\_\_
- MISS GANDY \_\_\_\_\_

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I pretty well share your opinion of Mssrs. Clark & Kennedy, Sir, but I do humbly suggest that you consider apologizing to all jellyfish--that was a rather harsh thing you said about them!

Sincerely & Gratefully,



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From the desk of

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Director controversy with Ramsey Clark  
Sincerely & gratefully,

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Dear [Redacted]

*J.E.*

Thank you for the support expressed in your communication of November 18th. It was thoughtful of you to write and I appreciate your best wishes.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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*J*

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Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Bishop	✓
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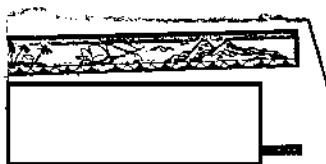
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Sincerely

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*Directors Controversy with  
Ramsey Clark*

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*Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director of F. B. I.  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D. C.*

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OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

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## 'Inner City Mother Goose'

# Teacher Suspended Over Book

By Jim Wood  
Education Writer

The teachers union is going into court to fight for a South San Francisco teacher suspended for loaning a 12 year old student a copy of "The Inner City Mother Goose."

The book -- including cockroaches, rats and dope as part of the realities of city ghetto life -- has been attacked by school officials as obscene.

James Lynch, president of the South San Francisco Federation of Teachers, says the only thing obscene in the book are the conditions of life it portrays.

### 'The Word'

Lynch said one obscene word is used, however, a 12-letter Anglo-Saxon term referring to incest. The noun is so commonly employed in some urban neighborhoods that it is known among inner-city teachers as "The Word."

The teacher, Clark Natwick, was suspended for 30 days by the South San Francisco Board of Trustees with the union charges: "the intention of dismissing him within those 30 days."

Speaking for the union, Lynch said Natwick "has been looked on with distavor by the administration and by certain members of the community because he actively opposed the Vietnam war and attempted (last year) to

make it possible for students to protest the Vietnam war."

### To the D.A.

The State Education Code makes it illegal for teachers to utter obscene words in class but many districts employ texts in which obscenities are included.

Board member Leo Eserini said that he could not comment on the suspension or on the book because the issue was a personnel matter and was in the hands of the district attorney.

Lynch said that the protest over "The Inner City Mother Goose" came to the surface in September when a parent in the presence of two administrators "vehemently berated" Natwick for loaning the book to her 12 year old son.

Lynch said the mother was so upset by the book that she said she had burned it.

### No Indication

A few days after the meeting, Natwick asked one of the administrators if further ac-

tion was planned and the administrator gave no indication that any was planned, Lynch said.

Then at the end of October, Natwick learned of the suspension and further learned that the district hoped to dismiss him. He said that he had never been given a chance to defend himself or explain his actions.

"Such procedure displays a gross lack of human concern for the individual," Lynch commented. "It also demonstrates an ~~unconcern~~ of the book in question, which is recommended by Ramsey Clark, former United States Attorney General.

### To Court

"The questionable manner in which this suspension occurred has caused many teachers to be apprehensive about their relations with the board," he said.

The union has taken the

matter to the San Mateo Superior Court, seeking an end to the suspension and to prevent the board from dismissing Natwick.

"The American Federation of Teachers will do everything in its power to obtain a just solution to this case and to end the state of fear created by Mr. Natwick's suspension," Lynch promised.

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Dear

On November 24th I received your letter in which you expressed your support of my administration of the FBI. Communications such as yours are most encouraging, and you may be sure I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

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Wed., Mon. 18, 1970

Dear Mr. Hoover,

I've sent my letter this way to give a lift to your busy schedule. Although My letter is very serious, I thought if I could bring a smile to your lips in this troubled day & age, it would please me very much.

Wednesday, Nov. 18, 1970

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I guess I am what you would call an average American housewife. I have three children: two girls - 11yr., 9yr., and a son 5 yer. My husband is a real estate salesman with 12 years Naval experience, including two tours of duty in Vietnam. Needless to say, he is a patriotic American who loves and respects his flag and country and everything they both stand for. We are members of the Church of Christ and feel it is our responsibility, duty to give our children the best Christian training possible. I've told you all this to give you an idea of who we are and how we think.

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But somehow, supporting you and your men was not enough -- we had to let you know. We hope our support will strengthen your stamina and enlarge your courage to continue the fight against America's enemies -- wherever you might find them: whether they are in the streets, members of Black Panthers, on the campuses, ex-office holders such as Mr. Clark, on the Supreme Court, or on the advisory staff of the President, if it's possible you would ever find enemies that high.

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*Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director  
FBI Building  
Washington, D. C.*

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Hon. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
FBI  
Wash D. C.

Ramsey Clark

Dear Mr. Hoover,

My wife and I join the millions of Americans who support the dedicated purposes of your Bureau and we wish to add our comments to the countless letters you receive expressing support of your work.

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Sincerely

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NOTE YOU BELIEVE IN CLARK  
YOU'LL BE KEPT IN THE DARK"  
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Hon. J. EDGAR HOOVER

F. B. I.

WASH. D. C.

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DIRECTOR  
FBI  
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Sincerely

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"IF YOU BELIEVE IN CLARK  
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November 27, 1970

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Dear

I have received your communication of November 23rd, with enclosures, and want to thank you for your thoughtfulness. Your kind remarks are most encouraging and your support of my administration of the FBI certainly means a great deal to me.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: is on the Special Correspondents List.

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November 23, 1970

Personal

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Enclosed, for your information, is a copy of a letter I have just written to Mr. Ramsey Clark. I also enclose a copy of the excerpt I happened to see, in the New England Journal of Medicine. In addition, a copy of a commencement address given by Dr. E. A. Walker at Pennsylvania State University in June 1970, reprinted by the Great Western Savings Association; I think it is excellent.

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With sincere and warmest regards,

975 HOUGH AVENUE  
LAFAYETTE, CALIFORNIA 94549

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*Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington D.C.*

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DIRECTOR  
*D.M.*

TRUE COPY

November 20, 1970

Personal & Confidential

Mr. Ramsey Clark  
Former Attorney General  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Clark:

Since I do not know your address, I am sending this to Washington D. C. for forwarding.

Your uncalled for attack upon Mr. J. Edgar Hoover is not worthy of anyone who would call himself a real American, dedicated to the principles on which this nation was founded.

Long before Mr. Hoover had any comments to make about you (which you provoked by writing and declaring what you did), I, a mere citizen, watched from the side-lines while you were attorney general. My impression is simply this; your service to this country was not, by and large, in the best interest of the nation as a whole. You gave -----and still give ----aid and comfort to the enemy, to organized (and unorganized) crime. True, we must correct socio-economic conditions- so far as possible. With this I agree, and Mr. Hoover has recognized this for a long time. But we must also face the hard facts of a permissive society, of Congresses, Legislatures, etc. which have chosen to give away money (very often to get the votes of constituents) and have created large segments of society that simply expect hand-outs and don't want to work. It took Congress a mighty long time to get crime-control legislation through recently; the election pressure and public opinion took the upper hand. The politicians dragged their feet.

From all I could see, you did very little to control crime; no, I think you gave criminals the idea that they had a safe haven. Mr. Hoover, on the other hand, deserves the highest honors this nation can bestow. Thank God for his hand at the helm of the F.B.I. ! Perhaps the enclosed excerpt (N.E.J.M., 283; 1115, 11/12/70) might enlighten you. I, just a plain citizen, give all honor to Mr. J. Edgar Hoover.

Yours very truly

[Redacted Signature]

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P.S. - Exactly what are your current motives and who is backing you?

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 975 HOUGH AVENUE  
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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
 Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation  
 Washington, D. C. Director's Controversy with  
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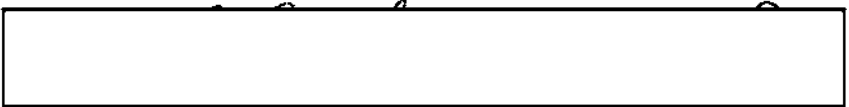
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November 27, 1970

Honorable [redacted]

The Birmingham News  
Post Office Box 2553  
Birmingham, Alabama 35202

Dear [redacted]

*Ramsay Clark*

I have seen the editorial entitled "Clark vs. Hoover" and the accompanying cartoon which appeared in the November 19th issue of your paper. It was good of you to bring this information to the attention of your readers and I want you to know that my associates and I appreciate your comments. Your support is indeed gratifying and I hope our efforts will continue to merit your approval.

Sincerely yours,

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J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: We have maintained cordial relations with this paper. Our last outgoing to [redacted] was January 8, 1969.

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November 19th., 1970

The Hon. J. Edgar Hoover, Director,  
 The Federal Bureau of Investigation,  
 The United States Department of Justice,  
 Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:-

I am sorry to see the attacks upon you currently being made by Ramsay Clark, the SORRIEST EXCUSE we ever had for Attorney-General of these United States of America.

I have long been deeply concerned over the Communist mebace to this Nation, and over the rotting of the moral and spiritual fibre of this Nation. Through all of these years you have, by the great Grace of God, stood so boldly for Christianity, for Decency, for Patriotism of the most genuine kind that Ramsay Clark only gives still further evidence of his moral and spiritual rottenness by singling you out for these attacks.

I am one of thousands who thank God for YOU- for the GREAT WORK that you continue to do so well- and who will stand by you on through the end itself.

Gratefully, yours,

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