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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 17, 1974

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

DAVID C. HOOPES

FROM:

JERRY H. JONES



The President made the following notation on the briefing paper for the performance of the Mormon Tabernacle Choir on Saturday, September 14:

-- I should write Pres. Kimball and thank, etc.

Please prepare a suggested response in coordination with Roland Elliott.

Thank you.

cc: Al Haig

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Dear President Kimball:

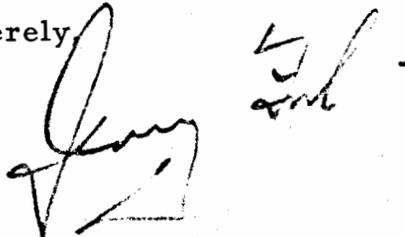
Betty and I enjoyed your company last Saturday evening during the Salt Lake Mormon Tabernacle Choir concert. We also appreciate your thoughtfulness in presenting the Choir's recording of "The Great 'Messiah' Choruses" by Handel. It will be a proud addition to our collection.

Not only was the music uplifting and inspirational, but also your presence there with so many other fine members of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints made it a special evening we will long remember. Your fine spirit and encouragement and many courtesies are genuinely appreciated.

As you know, I expect to address the students at Brigham Young University on October 2. While I know you may be very busy that week preparing for the Church's General Conference, I hope we can visit briefly in your Salt Lake office that morning before I go on to Provo.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Spencer W. Kimball". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "S".

President Spencer W. Kimball  
The Church of Jesus Christ  
of Latter-day Saints  
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