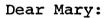
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November 30, 1976



Your kind message is deeply appreciated.

Long after the hard work and hurried pace of the campaign are forgotten, I will remember the generous encouragement and goodwill which were extended to me and my entire family by our fellow Americans. It has been a tremendous honor to serve the people of our great country, and I will never forget this wonderful privilege.

Mrs Ford and I thank you from our hearts for your friendship, and send you our warmest good wishes for the future.

Sincere/1

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