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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

DINNER IN HONOR OF
HIS MAJESTY HUSSEIN I
KING OF THE HASHEMITE KINGDOM OF JORDAN

August 16, 1974

8:00 p. m.

Dress: Black Tie ... long dresses for the ladies

Arrival:

- 8:00 p. m. ... at North Portico Entrance .. King Hussein and Queen Alia and Ambassador and Mrs. Catto
- You and Mrs. Ford will greet
- Photo coverage of greeting

Yellow Oval Room Group:

- Secretary and Mrs. Kissinger, American Ambassador Thomas R. Pickering, Prime Minister and Mrs. Zayd Rifai, and Foreign Ambassador and Mrs. Abdullah Salah will assemble just prior to the 8:00 p. m. arrival of King Hussein and Queen Alia and Ambassador and Mrs. Catto
- Color Guard will request permission to remove Colors at approximately 8:10 p. m. ... all guests except King Hussein and Queen Alia will depart at this time

Grand Entrance:

- Approximately 8:12 p. m. ... descend Grand Staircase preceded by Color Guard
- Pause at foot of staircase for official photograph (King Hussein to your right ... Queen Alia to your left ... then Mrs Ford)



- Color Guard reforms and procession moves to red carpet facing East Room ... pause for fanfare, Ruffles and Flourishes, and announcement ... take receiving line positions (King Hussein to your right; then Mrs. Ford; then Queen Alia)
- Follow Color Guard into East Room when "Hail to the Chief" is played

Receiving Line:

- Take position just inside door of East Room ... Ambassador Catto will present your guests
- After receiving line, follow guests into State Dining Room

Dinner:

- Round tables and rectangular Head Table
- Strolling Strings will play during dessert
- No press coverage of dinner; toasts will be piped to the press ... transcripts will be released to the press

After Dinner:

- 10:00 p. m. ... guests proceed to parlors for coffee, liqueurs and cigars. You and Mrs. Ford will escort King Hussein and Queen Alia to the Blue Room where you will visit informally with your guests.
- Press will be permitted to cover the event for remainder of the evening.

Dancing:

- 10:05 p. m. ... after-dinner guests will be escorted to the State Floor. You, Mrs. Ford, King Hussein and Queen Alia (King Hussein to your right; then Mrs. Ford; then Queen Alia) will receive the after-dinner guests from a position in the Grand Hall between the Blue Room and Green Room doors -- guests will proceed to the East Room.



- There will be dancing in the East Room -- music will be provided by Howard Devron's Orchestra

Departure:

- You and Mrs. Ford, Ambassador and Mrs. Catto escort King Hussein and Queen Alia to the North Portico.
- You and Mrs. Ford are escorted to your Home.
- There will be champagne and dancing for the guests who remain.

NOTES:

- Lists of the dinner and after-dinner guests are attached. (Tab A)
- A suggested toast is attached. (Tab B)
- There will not be interpreters -- King Hussein and Queen Alia speak English.
- Military Social Aides will be present.
- The United States Navy Band will be playing on the South Portico as your dinner guests arrive.
- A Marine Harpist will be playing in the Diplomatic Reception Room as your after-dinner guests arrive.



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August 15, 1974

TO: POLICE FORCE

FROM: HELEN SMITH

Would you please clear the following at the N. W. Gate tonight at about 9:15 pm?
They will be going to the West Press Office. Thank you.

Vera Glaser	Knight Newspapers
Wauhillau LaHay	Scripps-Howard
Isabelle Shelton	Star
Jeanette Smythe	Post
Naomi Nover	
Sarah McClendon	El Paso Times
Ann Wood	New York News
Kandy Stroud	WWD
Fay Wells	Storer Broadcasting
Clare Crawford	People Magazine
Lillian Levy	
Marie Ridder	Ridder Newspapers
Jane Whittmore	Newsweek
Bonnie Angelo	Time
Julie Moon	U. S. Asian News
Linda Charlton	New York Times
Winnie McLendon	
Sue Peterson	CBS
Garnet Stackleberg	West Palm Beach Life
Marlene Cimmons	L. A. Times
Trude Feldman	
Malvina Stephenson	Tulsa World Newspapers
James Teicher	Inter-Collegiate Press and Orlando Centennial Star
Bill Gilday	Washington Post
plus 3 press covering King Hussein	



Could you also reserve a few parking spaces on West Executive Ave. for those press in long dresses?
Thank you.

FACT SHEET

Event State Dinner honoring King Hussein
 Group _____
 Contact _____ Phone _____
 Number of guests: Total 110 Women x Men x Children _____
 Date/Time August 16, 1974 - 8:00 p. m.
 Place State Floor Entrances Dipl. Rec. Room (Guests)
 Principals involved Pres. and Mrs. Ford North Portico (King Hussein & Queen Ali
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 Remarks required yes
 Background _____

REQUIREMENTS

Social: Guest list yes
 Invitations yes Programs NO Menus yes
 Refreshments State Dinner Format
 Entertainment Howard Devron's Orchestra (After-Dinner Dancing)
 Decorations/flowers yes
 Music yes
 Social Aides yes
 Dress Black Tie Coat check yes
 Other _____

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 Photographers _____
 TV Crews _____
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Technical
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 Recording yes
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 Transportation by car
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Project Co-ordinator Pat Howard Phone 2927

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Dinner will be served in the State Dining Room where there will be a Head Table and eleven round tables covered with white organdy over yellow cloths. The Johnson china, vermeil flatwear and Morgantown crystal will be used. Vermeil, three-candle centerpieces with flowers decorate each table. Flowers used in the arrangements include blue delphiniums and cornflowers, and yellow chrysanthemums, the University of Michigan colors.

Tonight's menu includes:

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Paillettes Dorees
Roast Sirloin of Beef Bordelaise
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Artichokes St. Germain
Bibb Lettuce Salad
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Mousse au Chocolat

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THE WHITE HOUSE
EXCHANGE OF TOASTS
BETWEEN THE PRESIDENT
AND
KING HUSSEIN BIN TALAL

STATE DINING ROOM

9:51 P.M. EDT

THE PRESIDENT: Your Majesties, Mr. Prime Minister and Mrs. Zaid Rifai, honorable guests:

May I, Your Majesty, on behalf of all of us here and on behalf of all of us in America, wish you a very, very warm welcome on this occasion.

And may I say on a very personal note that it is a great honor and privilege for me to have you as the first Chief of State to visit our country during the new Administration.

During the fine tenure of your being head of your country, we have had, as I recollect, some five national Administrations in the United States, some Democrat and some Republican, but during this period of time there have been some changes. Those changes I will make a comment or two about subsequently, but we, regardless of the Administration in the United States, have never changed our view concerning yourself and your country, and we are proud of our long friendship and association.

Those changes that have taken place -- and there are some changes in recent months -- have been encouraging because they seem to have opened the door to progress for peace. They seem to have given us all hope that there will be greater improvement as we move ahead. Those changes, I think, in many respects can be attributed to you because of your courage, the great risks that you have taken during your lifetime and your superb understanding of the problems of the Middle East and your desire to work for peace for all peoples.

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There has been progress in this process of change. More recently we can see it in the two disengagements that have taken place in the last few months, in the continuing consultation in the diplomatic area; and speaking of the diplomatic, may I say that for myself and our country, I pledge on behalf of the American people, full support for the continuing diplomatic initiatives which are so essential for the goals that we seek.

Those goals, those hopes, of course, are the peace on a just, on a permanent basis that have for so many years, many centuries, eluded all of those in that area and the world at large, but it seems to me that as we look ahead, with the foundation that has been built, that with your continuing leadership, your continuing effort, with your continuing courage and with the cooperation of ourselves and many others, we can achieve what has been the hope and aspirations of people throughout the world, as well as in the Middle East.

And if I might, in closing, may I congratulate you on your leadership, your dedication, your wisdom and your cooperation. You have set an example for all of us to follow and to use as a guidepost for people not only in the Middle East but elsewhere.

So, may I ask that all join with me in a tribute to His Majesty and to the Kingdom of Jordan.

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KING HUSSEIN: Mr. President, Mrs. Ford, my good friends:

It is a source of pride to me, sir, that over the years, the many years that have passed, I have been a firm believer in the great mutual benefits of relations that have happily developed, not only between my country and the United States, but recently in the period of change that you so kindly refer to between many countries in our part of the world and the United States of America.

To me, it has been an honor to have visited this great Nation's capital many times, to have found friendship, understanding, sympathy, not only for myself, but for my country and for a common cause to which I am proud to say we have always been dedicated, the cause of an honorable, just peace.

On this visit, sir, I am most proud to convey to you and to Mrs. Ford the feelings of not only my wife and those who have accompanied me from Jordan, but my government and the people of Jordan, the wishes to you, sir, for every future success. I am sure these are the feelings of all in the United States and the very many throughout the world.

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(JORDAN)

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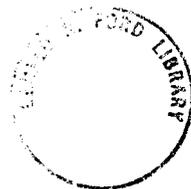
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END (10:05 P.M. EDT)



DINNER AT THE WHITE HOUSE

Friday, August 16, 1974

at eight o'clock

The President and Mrs. Ford

His Majesty Hussein I, King of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan
and Her Majesty Queen Alia

His Excellency The Prime Minister of the Hashemite Kingdom of
Jordan and Mrs. Rifai

His Excellency The Ambassador of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan
and Mrs. Salah

Brigadier General and Mrs. Aboud Salem
Commander, Royal Jordanian Air Force

His Excellency Yanal Hikmat
Chief of Royal Protocol

Mr. Ali Ghandour
Director General of the Royal Jordanian Airlines

Dr. Samir Farraj
Private Physician to His Majesty

Mr. Jamil Nazif
Director of the Prime Minister's Office

Mr. and Mrs. Riad Sabri
Counselor, Embassy of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan

General and Mrs. Shafiq Jumean
Military, Naval and Air Attache, Embassy of the
Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan

Major Badir Zaza
Aide-de-Camp to His Majesty

The Speaker & Mrs. Albert

The Secretary of State & Mrs. Kissinger

The Secretary of the Treasury & Mrs. Simon

The Secretary of Defense & Mrs. Schlesinger

The Secretary of Commerce & Mrs. Dent

Hon. & Mrs. Dean Burch
Counsellor to the President

Hon. & Mrs. Kenneth Rush
Counsellor to the President

Hon. & Mrs. Robert T. Hartmann
Counsellor to the President

Hon. John O. Marsh, Jr.
Counsellor to the President

Senator & Mrs. George D. Aiken (Vermont)

Senator & Mrs. John L. McClellan (Arkansas)

Senator & Mrs. J. William Fulbright (Arkansas)

Senator & Mrs. Milton R. Young (North Dakota)

Senator & Mrs. Robert C. Byrd (West Virginia)

Senator & Mrs. Hugh Scott (Pennsylvania)

Rep. & Mrs. George H. Mahon (Texas)

Rep. & Mrs. Elford A. Cederberg (Michigan)

Rep. & Mrs. Peter H. B. Frelinghuysen (New Jersey)

Rep. & Mrs. John J. Rhodes (Arizona)

Rep. & Mrs. William E. Minshall (Ohio)

Rep. & Mrs. John J. McFall (California)

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Deputy Secretary of State

Hon. William P. Clements, Jr.
Deputy Secretary of Defense

Hon. & Mrs. Daniel S. Parker
Admr., Agency for International Development

Hon. & Mrs. Joseph J. Sisco
Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs



Hon. & Mrs. Ellsworth Bunker
Ambassador at Large

Hon. & Mrs. Robert S. McNamara
Pres., Int'l. Bank for Reconstruction and Development

Hon. Thomas R. Pickering
U. S. Ambassador to Jordan

Hon. & Mrs. Henry E. Catto, Jr.
Chief of Protocol

General & Mrs. Alexander M. Haig, Jr.
Assistant to the President

Hon. & Mrs. William E. Timmons
Assistant to the President for Legislative Affairs

Maj. Gen. & Mrs. Brent Scowcroft
Deputy Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs

Hon. & Mrs. Carlyle E. Maw
Under Secretary of State for Coordinating Security Assistance Programs

Hon. & Mrs. L. Dean Brown
Deputy Under Secretary of State for Management

Hon. & Mrs. Alfred L. Atherton, Jr.
Assistant Secy. of State for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs

Hon. & Mrs. Robert F. Ellsworth
Assistant Secy. of Defense for International Security Affairs

Miss Jennie Bason
Raleigh, North Carolina (guest of Mr. Jack Ford)

Hon. & Mrs. Lucius D. Battle
Pres., Middle East Institute, Washington, D. C.

Mr. Gardner Britt
Escort of Miss Susan Ford

Hon. & Mrs. George Bush
Chmn., Republican National Committee

Mr. & Mrs. Douglas Cornell
Mrs.--Helen Thomas, UPI

Mr. Edward J. Daley
Chmn., World Airways, Inc., Oakland, California

Dr. & Mrs. John H. Davis
Chmn., American Near East Refugee Aid, Washington, D. C.

Mr. & Mrs. Thomas M. DeFrank
Newsweek

Mr. Jack Ford

Miss Susan Ford

Mr. & Mrs. John Herbers
New York Times

Mr. Carroll Kilpatrick
The Washington Post

Mr. & Mrs. James H. Kimberly
Honorary Jordanian Consul, Centreville, Maryland

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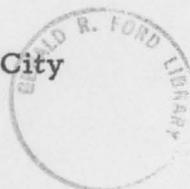
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Chmn., The Chase Manhattan Bank, New York City

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Seal Harbor, Maine (daughter of David Rockefeller)

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Chmn., The Boeing Company, Seattle, Washington



Friday, August 16, 1974
at ten o'clock

Rep. & Mrs. Bill Alexander
Arkansas

Rep. & Mrs. Bill Archer
Texas

Rep. & Mrs. Thomas L. Ashley
Ohio

Rep. David R. Bowen
Mississippi

Mr. & Mrs. William Burke
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New York

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Rep. & Mrs. David Towell
Nevada

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Tennessee



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HOWARD DEVRON AND HIS ORCHESTRA

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THE POPULARITY OF THE ORCHESTRA IN THE WASHINGTON AREA NECESSITATED THE ADDITION OF MORE AND MORE MEN TO PROVIDE THE SAME DANCABLE MUSIC IN THE DEVRON STYLE SO THAT THIS MUSIC IS NOW HEARD IN MANY PLACES ON THE SAME NIGHT IN WASHINGTON, RICHMOND, BALTIMORE, CHARLOTTESVILLE... ETC.

HOWARD DEVRON HAILS FROM CALIFORNIA WHERE HE ATTENDED COLLEGE BEFORE GETTING INTERESTED IN SERIOUS PIANO STUDY. CHICAGO BECKONED FOR THE FINAL TOUCHES OF HIS MUSICAL EDUCATION AND FROM THEN ON IT WAS ONLY NATURAL THAT HE BECAME PIANIST-ARRANGER FOR SEVERAL NAME BANDS, FINALLY ARRIVING IN WASHINGTON, D. C. WHERE HE SETTLED, PLAYING AT THE MAYFLOWER, WARDMAN-PARK (NOW CALLED SHERATON-PARK) AND THE CARLTON HOTELS.

THE EXPERIENCES HOWARD DEVRON HAS HAD IN THE FIELD OF THE "SOCIETY ORCHESTRA" LEADER ARE QUITE UNUSUAL AND MANY FRIENDS HAVE URGED HIM TO WRITE A BOOK COVERING THE TOPIC. HE INSISTS THAT IT WILL BE DONE WHEN THE PRESSURE OF PLAYING WITH HIS MANY ORCHESTRAS HAS DIMINISHED... THIS WILL NOT BE IN THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE FOR THE POPULARITY THAT THE ORCHESTRAS HAVE GAINED DEMANDS MORE OF HIS TIME THAN EVER BEFORE.

BESIDES PLAYING FOR THE WHITE HOUSE, LEADING SOCIAL FUNCTIONS, SOCIETY FIGURES AND MOST OF THE EMBASSIES, THIS DANCE BAND PLAYS FOR COLLEGE PROMS, DEBUTANTE PARTIES AND DANCES WHERE THE "YOUNG MUSIC" IS DESIRED.

THE HOWARD DEVRON ORCHESTRA PLAYS FOR ALL DANCERS (AND LISTENERS) WITH THE ASSURANCE THAT THESE MUSICIANS CAN FEEL THE MOOD OF ANY PARTY AND THEREBY PRODUCE THE HAPPIEST, DANCABLE MUSIC POSSIBLE.

OCTOBER, 1971, HOWARD DEVRON WAS SELECTED TO BECOME THE DIRECTOR OF MUSIC AND ENTERTAINMENT AT THE SHOREHAM AMERICANA HOTEL. HIS MANY ORCHESTRAS NOW PROVIDE THE HOTEL WITH FULL COVERAGE OF ANY REQUIREMENTS IN THIS REALM.

DURING JANUARY OF 1973 THE HOWARD DEVRON ORCHESTRA WAS SELECTED TO PLAY WITH OTHER NAME BANDS FOR THE PRESIDENTIAL INAUGURAL BALL. THIS MADE A TOTAL OF SIX CONSECUTIVE APPEARANCES OF THIS TYPE.



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Friday, Aug. 16, 1974
Re Dinner honoring His Majesty Hussein I

Press wishing to cover State Dining Room
before guests arrive tonight will be met in
Press Lobby at about 7:30 p.m.

Press wishing to cover arrival will be met
about 7:45 p.m.

White silk crepe w/ white
maribou feathers encircling
neckline + ~~cut~~ sleeves.

Slightly raised waistline
w/ gathers at waist - long
to floor -

This is a dress she selected
herself from rack
Wed - not esp designed
for her



7:30 writing, photo coverage
of state dining room

7:45 writing, photo coverage
of ^{son's} arrival at north port
get front hall set up

8:12 photo, writers in
grand hall

8:40 ^{dining room}
everyone to press room

9:15 writers to family theatre
for toasts, photoqs
in press room

after toasts, writers in
pools upstairs

photo pool as dancing
begins



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King Hussein
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Secy. of State
Mrs. Rifai
Amb. Pickering

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Mr. Sisco
Dr. Davis
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Mrs. Timmons
HE Yanal Hikmat
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Mr. Cornell
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Mr. Parker
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Mr. Daley
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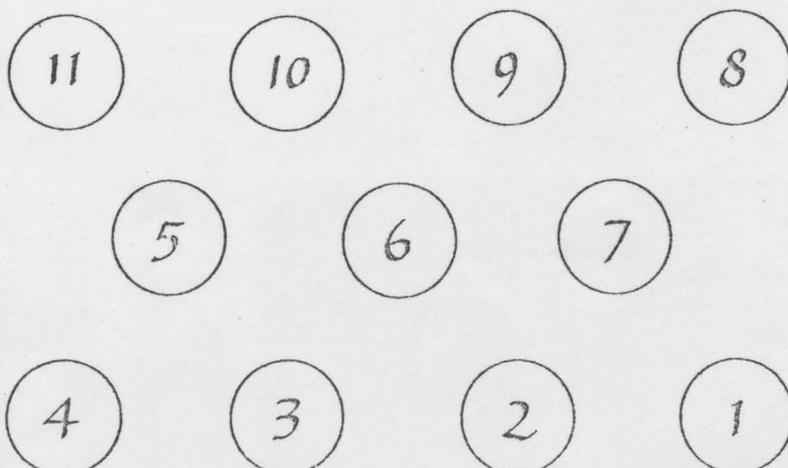
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