

| THE WHITE HOUSE  |       | THE DAILY DIARY OF PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD |   |
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| PLACE DAY BEGAN  |       | DATE (Mo., Day, Yr.)                        |   |
| THE WHITE HOUSE  |       | DECEMBER 14, 1974                           |   |
| WASHINGTON, D.C. |       | TIME  | DAY   |
|                  |       | 7:05 a.m.                                   | SATURDAY  |
| TIME             |       | PHONE                                       | ACTIVITY  |
| In               | Out   | P=Placed<br>R=Rec'd                         |   |
| 7:05             |       |   | The President had breakfast.  |
| 7:40             |       |   | The President went to the Oval Office.  |
| 8:05             | 8:10  |   | The President met with his Counsellor, John O. Marsh, Jr.   |
| 8:10             | 8:35  |   | The President met with:<br>David A. Peterson, Chief, Central Intelligence Agency/Office of Current Intelligence (CIA/OCI)<br>White House Support Staff<br>Lt. Gen. Brent Scowcroft, Deputy Assistant for National Security Affairs  |
| 8:35             | 8:50  |   | The President met with his Assistant, Donald H. Rumsfeld.   |
| 9:00             | 9:30  |   | The President met with:<br>Robert T. Hartmann, Counsellor   |
| 9:15             | 9:30  |   | Mr. Marsh   |
| 9:15             | 9:30  |   | Richard B. Cheney, Consultant   |
| 9:15             | 9:30  |   | Ronald H. Nessen, Press Secretary   |
| 9:30             | 9:35  |   | The President met with:<br>Senator Strom Thurmond (R-South Carolina)<br>Mrs. Strom Thurmond<br>Nancy M. Thurmond, daughter<br>Julia G. Thurmond, daughter<br>J. Strom Thurmond, Jr., son<br>Maria Fernandez, maid for Senator and Mrs. Thurmond<br>Kimi Woo, maid for Senator and Mrs. Thurmond |
| 9:35             | 11:22 |   | The President met with:<br>James R. Schlesinger, Secretary of Defense   |
| 9:35             | 10:25 |   | Henry A. Kissinger, Secretary of State  |
| 9:35             | 11:10 |   | Roy L. Ash, Director of the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) and Assistant for Management and Budget   |
| 9:35             | 11:10 |   | Lt. Gen. Scowcroft  |
| 11:22            |       |   | The President went to the Diplomatic Reception Room.  |
| 11:25            |       |   | The President went to the South Grounds of the White House.   |

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|                     |                    |                     | <p>The President was greeted by:<br/>Guillermo Sevilla-Sacasa, Ambassador from Nicaragua to the U.S. and Dean of the Diplomatic Corps<br/>Francois de La Gorce, Minister of the French Embassy in Washington, D.C.<br/>Earl L. Butz, Secretary of Agriculture<br/>James T. Lynn, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)<br/>John A. Scali, Ambassador from the U.S. to the United Nations (UN)<br/>Mary Louise Smith, Chairman of the Republican National Committee (RNC)<br/>Members of the White House staff<br/>Members of the press</p> <p>The President bade farewell to the crowd gathered for his departure.</p> |
| 11:28               | 11:35              |                     | <p>The President flew by helicopter from the South Grounds to Andrews AFB, Maryland. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "A."</u></p>   |
| <u>EST</u><br>11:42 | <u>AST</u><br>4:40 |                     | <p>The President flew by the "Spirit of '76" from Andrews AFB to Lamentin Airport, Martinique, French West Indies. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "B."</u></p> <p>(Actual flying time: 3 hours, 58 minutes)</p>  |
| 11:47               | 11:53              | P                   | The President talked with the First Lady.   |
| 4:45                | 5:06               |                     | <p>The President participated in ceremonies in honor of his arrival.<br/>Members of the press</p>   |
| 4:45                |                    |                     | <p>The President was greeted by:<br/>Valery Giscard d'Estaing, President of France<br/>Mrs. Valery Giscard d'Estaing<br/>Jacques Kosciusko-Morizet, Ambassador from France to the U.S.<br/>Gen. Guy Mery, Chief of the President's Military Staff, France<br/>Jean-Paul Angles, Chief of Protocol for France<br/>Maj. Francois Vallat, Presidential Military Staff, France</p>  |

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|      |       |                     | The President and President Giscard d'Estaing reviewed the troops.   |
| 4:58 |       |                     | The President addressed the crowd gathered for his arrival.  |
| 5:08 |       |                     | The President, escorted by President Giscard d'Estaing, went to his helicopter.  |
| 5:10 | 5:14  |                     | The President flew by helicopter from the Lametin Airport to the Meridien Hotel. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "A."</u>  |
| 5:18 |       |                     | The President went to the entrance of the hotel. He was accompanied by Foreign Minister of France Jean Sauvagnargues.  |
| 5:18 |       |                     | The President and Foreign Minister Sauvagnargues were greeted by Meridien Hotel General Manager Eugene Auer.   |
| 5:20 |       |                     | The President, escorted by Foreign Minister Sauvagnargues and Mr. Auer, went to his suite.   |
| 5:20 |       |                     | The President bade farewell to Foreign Minister Sauvagnargues and Mr. Auer.  |
| 7:58 |       |                     | The President went to the Hotel boat landing.  |
| 8:03 |       |                     | The President boarded the French Presidential yacht.   |
| 8:03 | 8:19  |                     | The President cruised from the Meredian Hotel boat landing to the Fort de France boat landing.   |
| 8:23 |       |                     | The President went to his motorcade.   |
| 8:23 | 8:32  |                     | The President motored from the Fort de France boat landing to the Prefect's Residence.   |
| 8:32 | 11:17 |                     | The President attended a dinner hosted by President and Mrs. Giscard d'Estaing in his honor. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "C."</u><br>Members of the press, in/out |
| 8:32 |       |                     | The President was greeted by President and Mrs. Giscard d'Estaing.   |

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| In    | Out   |                              |  |
| 8:34  |       |                              | The Presidential party, escorted by Mr. Angles, went to the terrace.   |
| 8:35  | 8:50  |                              | The President greeted dinner guests.   |
| 8:50  |       |                              | The President, accompanied by President and Mrs. Giscard d'Estaing, went to the dining room.   |
| 8:50  |       |                              | The Presidential party had dinner.   |
| 10:14 |       |                              | The President, accompanied by President and Mrs. Giscard d'Estaing, returned to the terrace.   |
| 10:14 | 10:57 |                              | The Presidential party attended a performance of Martinique folk ballets performed by a local dance troupe.  |
| 10:57 |       |                              | The President went to the porch. He was accompanied by:<br>President Giscard d'Estaing<br>Foreign Minister Sauvagnargues<br>Jean-Pierre Fourcade, Minister of Finance and<br>Economic Affairs for France<br>Secretary Kissinger<br>William E. Simon, Secretary of the Treasury |
| 10:57 | 11:15 |                              | The President met with:<br>President Giscard d'Estaing<br>Foreign Minister Sauvagnargues<br>Mr. Fourcade<br>Secretary Kissinger<br>Secretary Simon   |
| 11:15 |       |                              | The President, escorted by President and Mrs. Giscard d'Estaing, went to the vestibule.  |
|       |       |                              | The President bade farewell to President and Mrs. Giscard d'Estaing.   |
| 11:17 |       |                              | The President returned to his motorcade.   |
| 11:19 | 11:24 |                              | The President motored from the Prefect's Residence to the Fort de France boat landing.   |
|       |       |                              | The President returned to the French Presidential yacht. He was accompanied by President and Mrs. Giscard d'Estaing.   |

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| In    | Out   |                                  |   |
| 11:27 | 11:44 |                                  | <p>The Presidential party cruised from the Fort de France boat landing to the Meridian Hotel boat landing.</p> <p>The President bade goodnight to President and Mrs. Giscard d'Estaing.</p> |
| 11:48 |       |                                  | <p>The President returned to his suite.</p>   |

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HELICOPTER PASSENGER MANIFEST

December 14, 1975

FROM: South Grounds, The White House

TO: Andrews AFB, Maryland

The President

Henry A. Kissinger, Secretary of State

Robert T. Hartmann, Counsellor

Lt. Gen. Brent Scowcroft, Deputy Assistant for National Security Affairs

Ronald H. Nessen, Press Secretary

Richard B. Cheney, Consultant

David H. Kennerly, Personal Photographer

Terrence O'Donnell, Aide

Rear Adm. William M. Lukash, Physician

Maj. Gen. Richard Lawson, Military Assistant

FROM: Lamentin Airport, Martinique, French West Indies

TO: Meridien Hotel

The President

Secretary Kissinger

William E. Simon, Secretary of the Treasury

Lt. Col. Robert Blake, Air Force Aide

Rear Adm. Lukash

Jean Sauvagnargues, Foreign Minister of France

## PASSENGER MANIFEST

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Andrews AFB, Washington DC to Martinique

14 Dec 1974 Dep: 11:45am Arr: 4:45pm 4+00 1760SM

1. THE PRESIDENT
2. Secretary Henry A. Kissinger, Secretary of State
3. Secretary William E. Simon, Secretary of the Treasury
4. Asst Sec Arthur Hartman, Assistant Secretary of State for European Affairs
5. Under Sec Jack F. Bennett, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Monetary Affairs
6. Mr. Robert Hartmann, Counsellor
7. Mr. Kenneth Rush, Ambassador of the U.S. to France
8. Mr. Ron Nessen, Press Secretary
9. Mr. Richard Cheney, Consultant
10. Mr. Helmut Sonnenfeldt, Counselor of the Department of State
11. LtGen Brent Scowcroft, Deputy Assistant for National Security Affairs
12. MGen Richard L. Lawson, Military Assistant to the President
13. Mr. William Henkel, Special Assistant
14. RAdm William M. Lukash, Physician
15. Mr. Terrence O'Donnell, Aide
16. Mr. Milton Friedman, Assistant Editor
17. Mr. David Gompert, Special Assistant to Secretary Kissinger
18. Mr. David H. Kemmerly, Personal Photographer
19. Miss Nell Yates, Staff Assistant
20. Miss Jackie Hill
21. Mr. A. Denis Clift, Senior Staff Member, NATIONAL Security Council
22. Miss Judy Morton, Secretary, Editorial Office
23. MSgt Herbert G. Oldenburg, baggage handler
24. MSgt M. A. Collins, stenographer
25. SDCM Z. T. Monzon, steward
26. Mr. H. Stuart Knight
27. Mr. Richard E. Keiser
28. Mr. James M. Highet
29. Mr. Dale L. June
30. Mr. Charles W. Rochner USSS
31. Mr. Franz Schwarm
32. Mr. Gary A. Sorrels
33. Mr. Wayne E. Welch
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DINNER HOSTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF FRANCE VALERY GISCARD D'ESTAING

The Prefect's Residence  
Martinique, French West Indies  
December 14, 1974

A list of guests attending the dinner was not available for inclusion in the President's diary.