

THE WHITE HOUSE		THE DAILY DIARY OF PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD	
PLACE DAY BEGAN		DATE (Mo., Day, Yr.)	
THE WHITE HOUSE		JULY 3, 1976	
WASHINGTON, D.C.		TIME	DAY
		7:08 a.m. SATURDAY	
TIME		PHONE	ACTIVITY
In	Out	P=Placed R=Rec'd	
7:08			The President had breakfast.
7:42			The President went to the doctor's office.
7:47			The President went to the Oval Office.
9:00	9:30		The President met with his Assistant, Richard B. Cheney.
9:08	9:10	P	The President talked with Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger.
9:35	9:45		The President met with: Robert C. Orben, Special Assistant Douglas J. Smith, Staff Assistant
10:00	10:05		The President met with Mr. Cheney.
10:01	10:15	P	The President talked with the First Lady.
10:10			The President went to the Cabinet Room. He was accompanied by his Consultant, Don Penny Schneider.
10:10?	10:15?		The President met with a group of entertainers performing in the "Let Freedom Ring Again" Bicentennial program at the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts on July 3, 1976. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "A."</u>
10:15?	11:00?		The President met with Mr. Schneider.
11:00			The President returned to the Oval Office.
11:06			The President returned to the Cabinet Room.
11:06	12:30		The President participated in a meeting to discuss S. 391, Federal Coal Leasing Amendments Act of 1975. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "B."</u>
12:30			The President returned to the Oval Office.
12:41			The President went to the South Grounds of the White House.
12:42	12:59		The President motored from the South Grounds to Burning Tree Country Club, Burdet and River Roads, Bethesda, Maryland.

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12:59	4:57		The President played golf with: Bob Hope, comedian Billy Kilmer, quarterback for the Washington Redskins professional football team Rusty Tillman, linebacker for the Washington Redskins professional football team
4:57			The President returned to his motorcade.
4:57	5:20		The President motored from Burning Tree Country Club to the South Grounds of the White House.
5:22			The President returned to the Oval Office.
6:14			The President returned to the second floor Residence.
6:19	6:22	R	The President talked with Secretary Kissinger.
6:32			The President had dinner.
7:10	7:22		The President met with: John O. Marsh, Jr., Counsellor Mr. Cheney
7:28	7:31	P	The President talked with James T. Lynn, Director of the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) and Assistant for Management and Budget.
7:31			The President returned to the South Grounds of the White House.
7:31	7:36		The President and the First Lady motored from the South Grounds to the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts.
7:36	10:01		The President and the First Lady participated in an "Honor America" program sponsored by the American Historic and Cultural Society.
7:39			The President and the First Lady were greeted by: J. Willard Marriott, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Marriott Corporation, Bethesda, Maryland and Chairman of the American Historical and Cultural Society, Incorporated Mrs. J. Willard Marriott

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7:40			The Presidential party went to the African Room.
7:40	7:55		The President and the First Lady attended a reception for program performers, Members of Congress, members of the Diplomatic Corps and members of the American Historical Cultural Society, Incorporated.
7:55			The President and the First Lady, escorted by Mr. and Mr. Marriott went to the offstage announcement area.
8:01			The President and the First Lady went to the stage in the Concert Hall. For a list of platform guest, see <u>APPENDIX "C."</u>
			The President and the First Lady participated in the Bicentennial program "Let Freedom Ring Again."
			The President was introduced by Mr. Hope.
8:12	8:19		The President addressed guests attending the program.
8:19			The President and the First Lady, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Marriott went to the Presidential Box. For a list of guests seated in the Presidential Box, see <u>APPENDIX "D."</u>
			The Presidential party attended a performance by the Mormon Tabernacle Choir.
10:01			The President and the First Lady returned to their motorcade. Enroute, they greeted entertainers attending a reception in the Kennedy Center Blue Room.
10:01	10:05		The President and the First Lady motored from the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts to the South Grounds of the White House.
10:09			The President went to the Diplomatic Reception Room.
10:09	10:13		The President met with: Mr. Cheney Mr. Marsh James H. Cavanaugh, Deputy Assistant for Domestic Affairs
10:13			The President returned to the second floor Residence.

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10:48	11:04		The President met with Mr. Cheney.
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APPENDIX "A"

Attendance confirmed by
Barbara Earp. All present.

MEETING WITH ENTERTAINERS PERFORMING IN "LET FREEDOM RING AGAIN"

The Cabinet Room

July 3, 1976

The President

O.J. Simpson, former football player

Mrs. O.J. Simpson

Jason Simpson, son

Orintha Simpson, daughter

Annette Funicello, actress (Mrs. Jack Gilardi)

Jack Gilardi

Gina Gilard, daughter

Jack Gilardi, son

Princess Pale Moon

Michael J. Farrell, Director of the White House Visitors Office

APPENDIX "B"

Attendance confirmed by
Cameron Derby. All present.

MEETING TO DISCUSS S. 319, FEDERAL COAL LEASING AMENDMENTS ACT OF 1975

The Cabinet Room
Saturday, July 3, 1976

The President

Thomas S. Kleppe, Secretary of the Interior

James M. Cannon III, Executive Director of the Domestic Council and
Assistant for Domestic Affairs

James T. Lynn, Director of the Office of Management and Budget (OMB)
and Assistant for Management and Budget

Frank G. Zarb, Administrator of the Federal Energy Administration

John O. Marsh, Jr., Counsellor

James H. Cavanaugh, Deputy Assistant for Domestic Affairs

William F. Gorog, Deputy Assistant for Economic Affairs

John A. Busterud, Member of the Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ)

Alvin L. Alm, Assistant Administrator for Planning and Management,
Environmental Protection Agency

James L. Mitchell II, Associate Director of the OMB, Natural Resources,
Energy, and Science

Philip W. Buchen, Counsel

APPENDIX "C"

Attendance not confirmed.

"LET FREEDOM RING AGAIN" BICENTENNIAL PROGRAM

Concert Hall
John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts
July 3, 1976

Platform Guests:

J. Willard Marriott, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the
Marriott Corporation, Bethesda, Maryland and Chairman of the
American Historical and Cultural Society, Inc.

Mrs. J. Willard Marriott

The First Lady

The President

Art Linkletter

Rev. William F. "Billy" Graham, President of the Billy Graham
Evangelistic Association

Bob Hope, Comedian

APPENDIX "D"

Attendance not confirmed.

"LET FREEDOM RING AGAIN" BICENTENNIAL PROGRAM

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Presidential Box Guests:

Mrs. J. Willard Marriott

Spencer W. Kimball, President of the Church of Christ of Latter-day
Saints

The First Lady

The President

Mrs. Spencer W. Kimball

J. Willard Marriott, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Marriott
Corporation, Bethesda, Maryland

Back Row

James E. Brown, Aerospace Group Executive for Thiokol Corporation,
Promontory, Utah

Mrs. Ezra Taft Benson

Jay Dee Harris, Owner of Harris Truck and Equipment Company, Tremonton,
Utah

Mrs. James E. Brown

Ezra Taft Benson, President of the Council of Twelve, The Church of
Christ of Latter-day Saints

Mrs. Jay Dee Harris