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POOL REPORT

Dinner at the Holiday Inn.

The Ford family had fondue dinner in a semi-private dining room at the Holiday Inn, with their old Vail friends, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown and their five children, the Ted Kindel family and the Willy Bogner family and Susan's date, Brian McCartney, a member of the Vail Ski Patrol.

Your pool saw the Fords only going and coming. During dinner they were separated from newsmen by a wrought iron door, Secret Service Agents and the fifty foot width of a cocktail lounge. On the way in, Ford said to newsmen, "Good evening, how are you?" On the way out the President and First Lady chatted with hotel guests in the lobby. Ford said to a couple of young men, "how are you fellas?" Mrs. Ford said that dinner had been "delicious." Departing she told a group of children, "a Merry Christmas to you."

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