**The President was an overnight guest at the Fairmont Hotel, 1609 Ross Avenue, Dallas, Texas.**

*Note: The President was accompanied by members of the press throughout his visit to Texas.*

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<td>6:30</td>
<td>The President awoke.</td>
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<td>7:55</td>
<td>The President was greeted by Senator John G. Tower (R-Texas), Honorary Chairman of the Texas State President Ford Committee (PFC).</td>
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<td>7:59</td>
<td>The President and Senator Tower went to the offstage announcement area of the Gold Room.</td>
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<td>8:05</td>
<td>The President and Senator Tower went to the Gold Room.</td>
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<td>8:05</td>
<td>The President attended a Texas State PFC breakfast reception.</td>
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<td>8:06</td>
<td>The President was introduced by Senator Tower.</td>
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<td>8:07</td>
<td>The President addressed approximately 300 guests attending the reception.</td>
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<td>8:29</td>
<td>The President returned to his suite.</td>
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<td>9:14</td>
<td>The President went to the offstage announcement area of the International Ballroom.</td>
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<td>9:15</td>
<td>The President went to the podium in the International Ballroom.</td>
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<td>9:15</td>
<td>The President participated in his 30th Press Conference hosted by the Fort Worth-Dallas, Texas Chapter of Delta Chi professional journalism society.</td>
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<td>9:53</td>
<td>The President went to the Far East Room.</td>
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<td>9:53</td>
<td>The President participated in a photo opportunity with PFC delegates from the Dallas, Texas area. For a list of attendees, see APPENDIX &quot;A.&quot;</td>
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<td>10:03</td>
<td>The President returned to his suite.</td>
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| 12:03| 12:20 | The President motored from El Paso International Airport to the El Paso Civic Center, 1 Civic Center Plaza. He was accompanied by: Senator Tower, Mayor Henderson, Mrs. Malcolm (Beryl) Milburn, Campaign Director for the Texas State PFC.
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<td>The President was greeted by: Oliver Goodman, Executive Director of the El Paso Civic Center George W. Jones, President of the Texas Grain and Feed Association</td>
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<td>12:23</td>
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<td>The President, escorted by Mr. Jones, went to the holding room.</td>
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<td>The President, escorted by Mr. Jones, went to the offstage announcement area.</td>
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<td>12:36</td>
<td>1:21</td>
<td>The President attended the 78th Annual Convention of the Texas Grain and Feed Association.</td>
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<td>12:36</td>
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<td>The President, escorted by Mr. Jones, went to the platform in the auditorium. For a list of attendees, see APPENDIX &quot;C.&quot;</td>
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<td>12:36</td>
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<td>The President was introduced by Mr. Jones.</td>
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<td>12:37</td>
<td>12:47</td>
<td>The President addressed approximately 1,000 guests attending the convention.</td>
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<td>12:47</td>
<td>1:20</td>
<td>The President participated in a question and answer session with guests attending the convention.</td>
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<td>1:26</td>
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<td>The President went to the El Paso Room.</td>
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<td>1:26</td>
<td>1:45</td>
<td>The President attended a reception for Texas PFC staff and volunteers.</td>
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<td>1:30</td>
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<td>The President was introduced by Senator Tower.</td>
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<td>1:32</td>
<td>1:45</td>
<td>The President addressed approximately 500 guests attending the reception.</td>
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<td>1:55</td>
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<td>The President was presented with a 10 gallon hat and cowboy boots by Mayor Henderson.</td>
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<td>2:56</td>
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<td>The President went to the holding room.</td>
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<td>The President returned to his motorcade.</td>
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**PLACE DAY BEGAN**

**FAIRMONT HOTEL**

**DALLAS, TEXAS**

**TIME** **PHONE**

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<td>2:57</td>
<td>3:01</td>
<td>The President and Senator Tower motored from the El Paso Civic Center to War Memorial Plaza downtown El Paso.</td>
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<td>3:03</td>
<td>3:25</td>
<td>The President participated in the El Paso Bicentennial Commemoration honoring servicemen from El Paso, Texas who gave their lives in the service of their country.</td>
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| 3:03 | The President was greeted by:  
Mrs. Wayne (Janice) Windle, Bicentennial Chairman for El Paso, Texas  
Mrs. Mark (Magdelena) Barnes, Event Chairman for the El Paso Bicentennial Commemoration |
| 3:03 | The President, escorted by Mrs. Windle, went to the platform. For a list of platform guests, see APPENDIX "D." |
| 3:11 | The President participated in the unveiling of the dedication plaque for the War Memorial. He was assisted by:  
Mark Barnes, son of Magdelena Barnes  
Stanley Barnes, son of Magdelena Barnes |
| 3:14 | The President was introduced by Senator Tower. |
| 3:18 | 3:25 | The President addressed guests attending the ceremony. |
| 3:25 | The President returned to his motorcade. |
| 3:34 | 3:37 | The President motored from the War Memorial Plaza to El Paso Fire Department Station #11, Paisano and Santa Fe Road. He was accompanied by:  
Senator Tower  
Mayor Henderson |
| 3:37 | 3:39 | The President greeted firemen at the station. |
| 3:39 | The President returned to his motorcade. |
| 3:39 | 3:40 | The President and Mayor Henderson motored from El Paso Fire Department Station #11 to the El Paso Civic Center. |
| 3:45 | The President went to the holding room. |
| 4:08 | The President returned to his motorcade. |
**THE WHITE HOUSE**

**THE DAILY DIARY OF PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD**

**PLACE DAY BEGAN**

FAIRMONT HOTEL

**DATE (Mo., Day, Yr.)**

APRIL 10, 1976

**DALLAS, TEXAS**

**TIME DAY**

4:12 p.m. SATURDAY

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<td>The President motored from the El Paso Civic Center to El Paso International Airport. He was accompanied by: Senator Tower, Mayor Henderson, Mrs. Milburn.</td>
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<td>4:13</td>
<td>CST</td>
<td>The President flew by the &quot;Spirit of '76&quot; from El Paso International Airport to Amarillo Air Terminal, Amarillo, Texas. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX &quot;E.&quot; (Actual Flying time: 1 hour, 16 minutes)</td>
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<td>7:00</td>
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<td>The President was greeted by: John Drummond, Mayor (Amarillo, Texas), Robert G. Holt, Chairman of the PFC for the 13th District, Texas.</td>
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<td>7:02</td>
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<td>The President addressed the crowd gathered for his arrival.</td>
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<td>7:14</td>
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<td>The President participated in a question and answer session with members of the press.</td>
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<td>7:35</td>
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<td>The President returned to his motorcade.</td>
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<td>The President motored from the Amarillo Air Terminal to the Amarillo Hilton Inn, Lakeside. He was accompanied by: Senator Tower, Mr. Holt.</td>
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<td>7:44</td>
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<td>The President was greeted by Manager of the Amarillo Hilton Inn Arthur Lang.</td>
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<td>7:45</td>
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<td>The President went to his suite.</td>
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<td>7:56</td>
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<td>The President went to the reception room.</td>
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<td>7:56</td>
<td>8:14</td>
<td>The President attended a reception for approximately 55 guests hosted by the Amarillo, Texas PFC. For a list of attendees, see APPENDIX &quot;F.&quot;</td>
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<td>8:14</td>
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<td>The President went to the Grand Ballroom.</td>
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<td>8:14</td>
<td>8:17</td>
<td>The President greeted approximately 350 guests attending the Texas Panhandle's Lion's Convention banquet.</td>
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8:17p.m. SATURDAY

**TIME** | **ACTIVITY**
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8:17 | The President returned to his motorcade.
8:19 | The President and Senator Tower motored from the Amarillo Hilton Inn to the West Texas State University Fieldhouse, Canyon, Texas.
8:43 | The President was greeted by: 
J. Manly Bryan, Mayor (Canyon, Texas) 
Lloyd I. Watkins, President of West Texas State University 
The President, escorted by Mayor Bryan and Mr. Watkins, went to the offstage announcement area.
8:43 | The President went to the platform in the fieldhouse. For a list of platform guests, see APPENDIX "G."

8:43 | The President attended a Public Forum sponsored by West Texas State University.
8:53 | The President was introduced by Mr. Watkins.
8:55 | The President addressed approximately 3,800 persons attending the forum.
9:02 | The President participated in a question and answer session with guests attending the forum.
9:02 | The President was presented with a gift from West Texas State University by Mr. Watkins.
9:55 | The President returned to his motorcade.
9:56 | The President and Senator Tower motored from West Texas State University Fieldhouse to Amarillo Air Terminal.
10:38 | The President flew by the "Spirit of '76" from Amarillo Air Terminal to Andrews AFB, Maryland. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "H."

(Actual flying time: 2 hours, 31 minutes)

For a record of the President's activities after midnight, see the daily diary for April 11, 1976.
Appendix "A"

Attendance confirmed by
James B. Francis, Jr.
All present.
List may not be complete.

Photo Opportunity with PFC Delegates, Dallas, Texas

Fairmont Hotel
Far East Room
Dallas, Texas
April 10, 1976

The President

PFC Delegate-nominees

District 3
William A. (Bill) McKenzie
Trammell Crow
Enid W. Gray
Steve Bartlett

District 5
Paul W. Eggers
Ruth Nicholson
Jennie S. Foster
Kay Ballard

District 6
R.M. "Sharkey" Stovall
Peggy Dunlap Wilson
Sproesser Wynn
John N. Raney

District 24
John Whittington
Lorenzo G. "Brownie" Grevino
Shirlee Johnson
Franklin R. Sears
APPENDIX "A"

PASSENGER MANIFEST

AIR FORCE ONE 2700
MISSION 438
Dallas, TX to El Paso, Texas
10 Apr 1976 Dep: 11:12am Arr: 11:50am 1+38 550SM

The President
Senator John G. Tower (R-Texas)
Richard B. Cheney, Assistant
Robert T. Hartmann, Counsellor
Beryl Milburn, Campaign Director for the Texas State PFC
Terrance O'Donnell, Aide
Byron M. Cavaney, Jr., Director of the Presidential Advance Office
Ronald H. Nessen, Press Secretary
Rear Adm. William M. Lukash, Physician
Don Penny Schneider, Consultant
Capt. Charles Mead, Air Force Aide
William Fitz-Patrick, Photographer
Peter Kaye, Press Secretary for the President Ford Committee
Kathy Berger, Secretary to Mr. Cheney
Kay Clark, Secretary to Mr. Hartmann
SMS Abel Araiza, Stenographer
MSG Herbert Oldenburg, baggage handler
MSC Arturo Bautista, Valet

R. Keiser
E. Luzania
A. Williams
S. Harrison
H. Mentavlos
D. Henson
P. Ragland
G. Sorrells
T. Mikels

Harold Benedict, AP
Helen Thomas, UPI
John Duricka, AP Photo
Frank Cancellare, UPI Photo
John Mashek, USN & WR
Forrest Boyd, Mutual
Aldo Beckman, Chicago Tribune
Joe Conklin, CBS Radio Technician
Trammell Crow, President of Trammell Crow Real Estate, Dallas, Texas
Mrs. Trammell Crow and Texas PFC Finance Chairman
APPENDIX "c"

Attendance not confirmed.

78TH ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE TEXAS GRAIN AND FEED ASSOCIATION
El Paso Civic Center Auditorium
April 10, 1976

Platform Guests

Raymond R. Nolen, Executive Vice President of the Texas Grain and Feed Association

Senator John G. Tower (R-Texas)

Robert L. Parker, Second Vice President of the Texas Grain and Feed Association

George W. Jones, President of the Texas Grain and Feed Association

The President

Frank Hemmen, First Vice President of the Texas Grain and Feed Association
APPENDIX "D"

Attendance not confirmed.

DEDICATION OF THE WAR MEMORIAL PLAZA

El Paso, Texas
April 10, 1976

Platform Guests

Front Row:

Mrs. Robert W. Lee
William Sessions, U.S. District Judge, Western District of Texas, El Paso, Division
Mrs. Don S. Henderson
Robert W. Lee, Editor of the El Paso Herald Post and Master of Ceremonies
Mrs. Richard C. White
Fred Hervey, former Mayor of El Paso, Texas
Maj. Gen. C. J. Le Van, Commanding General, Fort Bliss, Texas
Senator John G. Tower (R-Texas)
Don S. Henderson, Mayor of El Paso, Texas
The President
Raul Lezama, Mayor of Juarez, Mexico
Mrs. Magdelena Barnes, President of The El Paso Chapter of Gold Star Mothers
Congressman Richard C. White (D-Texas)
Mrs. C. J. Levan
Mark Barnes, husband of Magdelena Barnes
Mrs. William Sessions

(For additional platform guests seated in Rows 2-4, see the file copy of the President's Diary.)
PASSENGER MANIFEST

APPENDIX "E"

AIR FORCE ONE 2700
MISSION 438
El Paso, Texas to Amarillo, Texas
10 April 1976 Dep: 4:40pm Arr: 6:55pm 1+15 360SM

The President
Senator John G. Tower (R-Texas)
Richard B. Cheney, Assistant
Robert T. Hartmann, Counsellor
Terrence O'Donnell, Aide
Byron M. Cavaney, Jr., Director of the Presidential Advance Office
John G. Carlson, Deputy Press Secretary
Larry Eastland, Staff Assistant, Advance Office
Rear Adm. William M. Lukash, Physician
Don Penny Schneider, Consultant
Capt. Charles Mead, Air Force Aide
William Fitzpatrick, Photographer
Peter Kaye, Press Secretary, President Ford Committee
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R. Keiser
E. Luzania
B. Coates
R. Bowers
D. Ciajak
R. Caughey
M. Mikelson
J. Williams
J. Piper
Howard Benedict, AP
Helen Thomas, UPI
John Duricka, AP Photo
Frank Cancellare, UPI Photo
Don Fulson, UPI Audio
Stephen Barber, London Daily Telegraph
Joe Conklin, CBS Radio Technician
Jerry Huff, Amarillo Globe
David Bowser, Amarillo Globe
Beryl Milburn, Campaign Director for the Texas State PFC
Trammell Crow, President of Trammell Crow Real Estate, Dallas, Texas
Mrs. Trammell Crow

Mrs. Trammell Crow and Texas PFC Finance Chairman
APPENDIX "F"
Attendance not confirmed.

RECEPTION HOSTED BY AMARILLO, TEXAS PRESIDENT FORD COMMITTEE
Amarillo Hilton Inn, Lakeside
April 10, 1976

The President
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Allison, Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Max Banks
Mr. David Barkley
Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Blake
Mr. George Bush, Jr.
Mr. Stephen Macomb Coon
Miss Theresa J. Elletson
Mr. Zack Fisher
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fletcher
Mr. and Mrs. Emmett H. Fuqua
Mr. Ralph Graham
Mr. Jim Grosuch
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Guil
Mrs. Lee Ann Hartin
Miss Judy Hatton
Mr. and Mrs. Jargo Johnson
Mr. and Mrs. John Kirchhoff
Mr. John Kirchhoff, Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Krister

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Mr. James Lance
Mrs. Joe Bob McCartt
Mr. Frank O'Brien
W. Gray
Mike McCinnis
Mrs. Wynelle Oaks
Roy Scott McCartt
Mr. Robert Prise
Mr. Robert T. Priddy
Mr. Michael Pyron
Mr. Don Reavis
Mr. Gary Riley
Mrs. Ruty C. Schiermeyer
Miss Sally Slover
Miss Peggy Smith
Mr. and Mrs. V.C. Sterquell
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Stevens
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sticksell
Mrs. Claudio Stravato
Mr. T.A. Sullivan
Mr. Raymond Tapp
Mr. and Mrs. L. Ray Vahue
Mrs. Jo Ann Weishart
Mr. and Mrs. Burk Whittenburg
APPENDIX "G"

Attendance not confirmed.

PUBLIC FORUM

West Texas State University Fieldhouse
West Texas State University
Canyon Texas
April 10, 1976

Platform Guests

Senator John G. Tower (R-Texas)
The President
Dr. Lloyd I. Watkins, President of West Texas State University
J. Manley Bryan, Mayor of Canyon Texas

Audience

Paul Thomas, Student Body President, West Texas State University
Sheral Strecker, Miss West Texas State University
APPENDIX "H"

PASSENGER MANIFEST

AIR FORCE ONE 2700
MISSION 438
Amarillo, TX to Andrews AFB, Washington, D.C.
10 April 1976 Dep: 10:38pm Arr: 2:09 am 2 +31 1410SM

The President

Senator John G. Tower (R-Texas)
Robert D. "Bob" Price, former Congressman (R-Texas); 1976 Republican
candidate for Congress
Richard B. Cheney, Assistant
Robert T. Hartmann, Counsellor
Ronald H. Neesen, Press Secretary
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