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THE WHITE HOUSE  
Office of the Press Secretary to Mrs. Ford

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Mrs. Ford will present three outstanding blind students with a \$500 Scholastic Achievement Award from Recording for the Blind on the State Floor at 3:30 p.m. Thursday, May 13.

Recording for the Blind is a voluntary organization that provides free, recorded textbooks for blind students throughout the Nation. The 1976 winners are Joanne T. Callahan, Steven R. Blow and Pamela F. Rotman.

Ms. Callahan, 22, from Brooklyn, New York, earned a B.A. from Radcliffe College in Latin American history and literature. Blow, 22, from Waverly, New York, will receive a B.A. in economics from Hamilton College in Clinton, New York. Both Ms. Callahan and Blow have been blind since birth.

Ms. Rotman, 20, from Chicago, Illinois, will graduate from the University of Illinois at Urbana with a B.A. in English and psychology. Ms. Rotman has been blind since age three.

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Press pickup at 3:25 P.M.

