

THE WHITE HOUSE

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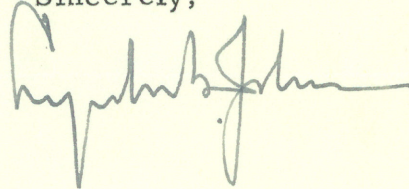
Dear Mr. and Mrs. Goodman:

Although no one can truly appreciate the utter desolation of parents who have lost a child - and particularly one just barely beginning adulthood - we are at least able to share some of the sorrow and grief. I am certain, however, that there must be some measure of comfort in the knowledge that your son, Andrew, lost his life in a cause that he believed in and which is truly significant in the affairs of mankind.

I can assure you that the Federal Government's efforts to apprehend those who are responsible for this terrible crime will be intensified, and I am confident they will be found.

Mrs. Johnson joins me in extending our deepest sympathy.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be "Lyndon B. Johnson", written in a cursive style.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Goodman
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