

Longview, Texas

Nov. 29, 1963

Dear Mr. Ruby,

Like most of the American citizens I, too, have been watching with an unexpecting eye, the events of this past week. My heart, along with yours, grieves the terrible death of our late President John F. Kennedy. I can truly understand your sincere convictions to see the guilty person or persons punished for their destructive act.

But I am not writing to judge your act or to try to justify it. My only concern is for