

Blaisdell Hotel
Honolulu, Hawaii
December 10, 1963

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The Honorable Robert F. Kennedy
Attorney General of The United States
Washington, D.C.

*Assassination of President
John F. Kennedy*

Dear Sir:

I dashed off a note to you November 23rd when I was mad as hell about the assassination of President Kennedy. In my haste I inadvertently omitted the name of one of the men whom I believe to be a prime suspect on the team that perpetrated that dastardly crime. His name is Dan Smoot. Of course I know that you know about that rascal but I also know that you have a lot of things to think about and I want to make damn certain that in the turmoil he is not overlooked. He was once an FBI agent and will be slick but I hope there are still men in the FBI who are just a little slicker than he. I, along with millions of other Americans, do not believe the story that has thus far been revealed and I believe there are good reasons for not making all the details public. Details should not be revealed till all the facts are known beyond doubt.

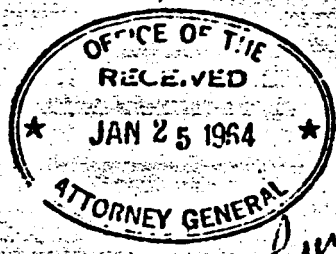
To back up what I said about Carl McIntire, I am enclosing a recent column by Drew Pearson. I don't know what you think of Mr. Pearson but he does not preach hate and defiance and tell the people that their Government and churches are honeycombed with communists and he has long occupied a large space in Who's Who in America. Drew omitted one important fact about that mad man, McIntire, and that is that he was instrumental in importing one of Australia's outcasts (kicked out of the Medical Profession), Fred C. Schwarz. What is the matter with our people? Why do they listen to and donate money to keep a program on the air that poisons their minds against everything that decent people hold dear. Evidently they think he belongs to a respectable, organized religious organization. He belongs to nothing but Carl McIntire. He was kicked out of the Presbyterian Church for disobedience and defiance of Church Law.

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Respectfully yours,

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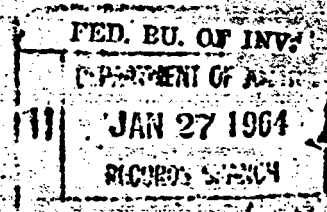
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