



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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May 1, 1964

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN FITZGERALD
KENNEDY, NOVEMBER 22, 1963, DALLAS, TEXAS

On May 1, 1964, the Dallas Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation received the following quoted letter from Mrs. MARK E. MARTIN in an envelope postmarked April 30, 1964, at Hominy, Oklahoma, and bearing a return address of Box 566, Hominy, Oklahoma:

"To Whom It May Concern:

"In long and detailed conversations with my children and myself, Mrs. Ruth Paine made a number of interesting points in regard to her association with Marina Oswald and related to us certain facts of interest concerning the 'transparencies' and the 'Russian babybook' in which the note linking Oswald to the Walker shooting was allegedly found.

"Since this time, we have had contact with another observer who during a conversation with Mrs. Paine was told contradictory stories by her.

"Mrs. Paine is no doubt wise in adopting conflicting stories with which to feed the average citizen. One wonders, however, if her policy is either consistent or wise in regard to her testimony before the Warren Commission?

"Sincerely,
Mrs. Mark E. Martin and Children
Hominy, Oklahoma
4/30/64

"cc: 25"

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MAY 2 1964

Re: ASSASSINATION BY PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY
KENNEDY, NOVEMBER 22, 1963, DALLAS, TEXAS

Also on May 1, 1964, the following quoted letter from Mrs. MARK E. MARTIN was received by the Dallas Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, postmarked at Hominy, Oklahoma, on April 29, 1964, and bearing a return address of Box 566, Hominy, Oklahoma 74035:

"The Citizen, Represent Mr. Hoover

"Why does J. Edgar Hoover brand the Revill report as false? Was Mr. Hoover in Dallas on November 22, 1963? If not, how can he state categorically that FBI agent Joe Hosty did NOT have a witnessed conversation with Dallas police Lt. Jack Revill on that day?

"The FBI kept a DETAILED dossier on Oswald including a report on his rifle purchase in March 1963, and his trip to Mexico in September 1963. The FBI was also aware Oswald held employment in the Texas Schoolbook Depository Building, a half-empty warehouse on the route of the Presidential motorcade.

"For these reasons we suggest History will find Mr. Hoover's current behavior reprehensible. The question is not: Did the FBI suffer a tragic error in judgment on November 22, 1963? The question is: Was this error by accident or design?

"We are prepared to work many, many years over this question.

"Asking a remembrance of our work in your prayers,

"Sincerely,

"Mrs. Mark E. Martin and Children
Hominy, Oklahoma
4/25/64

"cc: 100 Europe, Asia, Americas, Anzac Countries"



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