

Conclusion/Outline Epigram? Rankin's statement re: Oswald as agent had to be dispelled. Yes, this will be very suitable.

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Setting out what That there were two conspiracies. Using the government's own documents it is clear beyond question that officialdom-- President Johnson, the Warren Commission, the FBI, the Secret Service the Navy and the CIA conspired to foist off on the American public a counterfeit solution to the assassination of President John F. Kennedy. While they all conspired, to one degree or another, to hide the truth that Kennedy was a victim of a conspiracy, it does not follow any of them were guilty of the original sin---the planning and execution of JFK's murder. The Who and the Why. Those who actually conspired to kill the president.

P. Need to add text here. Point that after 40 years no researcher can responsibly and truthfully answer definitively answer these questions. But there are questions galore that can be unearthed out of the massive official records on the assassination that the Commission ignored and failed in its solemn obligation to explore. Something like this Suggest what is to follow. . .

P Establish national policy over the weekend. This was worked out by President Johnson, FBI Director Hoover, and Nicholas deB. Katzenbach, the Acting Attorney General who was acting as stand-in for the dead president's brother, Robert F. Kennedy. Katzenbach memo of November 25th (actually written on Sunday evening) was the articulated national policy. K was acting on behalf of the dead president's brother, Robert F. Kennedy, who was comforting the grieving family. The two most crucial and determining developments over that tragic weekend that gave rise to the K memo were Oswald's own murder at the hands of Jack Ruby, the owner of several strip joints in Dallas, on Sunday and the alarming revelations from the CIA and FBI about Oswald's real and alleged Mexico City activities. K memo carried with it all the persuasive force of articulated national policy, except that it was held by only a few at the very top of government and not enunciated for public consumption.

P. On the day after the assassination, Johnson had a meeting with John McCone, the Director of the Central Intelligence Agency. The DCI briefed the president on Oswald's Mexico City activities that included Oswald's alleged visit to the Soviet Embassy on October 1, 1963, when he reportedly met with Valery Kostikov, the CIA's suspected KGB assassination expert for the Western Hemisphere. Later that same day Johnson spoke with Hoover to learn what the FBI knew about Oswald, the man charged with Kennedy's murder. The director's news could not have been reassuring. Hoover related to LBJ that FBI Dallas had received a tape from the CIA of an intercepted phone conversation and a surveillance photo of a man reputed to be Oswald entering the Soviet Embassy in Mexico City on October 1, 1963. The director admitted that the evidence against Oswald, the man Hoover had already settled on as the sole assailant in the case,

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