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Dear Mr. Craven,

Your 2/13 and enclosed copy of your book "The Carlos Confessions" did reach me although we have not been at Hyattstown since 1967.

A list of my books is enclosed, as you asked.

We are not far from Westminster but if your views are represented in any degree by this book or the content of your letter I'd rather not take time for the visit you want to make.

I'm getting to ~~all~~ to listen to idle theorizing or the crediting of what on the face can't be credited, the alleged confessions of an alleged CIA agent to his widow. Moreover, I believe that all this irresponsible outpouring can't serve a good purpose and frequently has been hurtful, whatever the intent of their authors, some of whom I know are quite genuine and serious.

You say you are a Delawarean. I was transplated from Wilmington about 1934. Much of my family is still there.

Sincerely,

2-13-79

Dear Mr. Weisberg,

Please accept a copy of my 1977 theories concerning the JFK assassination (or should we say the JFK Coup D'etat?) I have amended my theories slightly; I now believe that Generals Cabell and Walker and Admiral Raborn were the prime architects of Dealey Plaza and I am also convinced that Texan Howard Hughes must have acted in at least a subsidizing capacity (as well, of course, as H.L. Hunt.)

My personal assassinationist library includes over one hundred books, including your Whitewash series. I believe you are the chief authority in our field of endeavor, and I will never forget your warning us over a year ago that the House Assassinations Committee, because of its secret hearings, was merely another extension of the cover-up.

Though I am currently in New York on business, I reside in Delaware. I will be home next month to begin another book (more responsible than Carlos) on the assassination and its ramifications. I would like to receive a list of your self-published work to augment what I already have, as no researcher is completely armed without every word of Weisberg he can secure.

My girlfriend teaches school at Westminster, Maryland, and I will be visiting her next month. It would be one of the major moments of my life if I could meet with you personally. I would meet you anywhere you like at your convenience. Let me know if that is feasible.

If we meet I will tell you in detail of what a Dallas CIA agent's widow told me about the assassination. She claimed that her husband took her to the Killing Zone on 11-25-63 and pointed out to her where each of the assassins were positioned - the Depository, the roof of the Criminal Courts Building, the knoll, and the sewer. Unfortunately, I provided the HAC with this information last June and I'm certain she has been neutralized by now.

Well, back to my books. Please mail me a list of available literature and let me know if I may call you when I am at Western Maryland next month. Your ardent admirer,

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