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Dear Mr. Hubers,

There not only is no link between Oswald and Rrtine, there is no rational reason for even suspecting that there had been one.

Particularly because you are working on a doctoral thesis I warn you about the multitude of JFK assassination conspiracy theories and those who espouse them and believe deeply in them. BEWARE!

There is a word, perhaps an abbreviation, I cannot make out in your card, "... attempts of Costa Rica to deal with the assns(?) and drug business of the Iran-Contra event."

I doubt there is any real JFK- assassination connection of any kind.

The conspiracy theorists can be very persuasive but when you press them for fact you do not get fact at all.

And you sure could louse your dissertation up.

As Christic loused up that suit by listening to them. And not accepting a volunteered caution. Sheehan's "affidavit" was irrational! And he an experienced lawyer, too!

I think that any good dissertation on Iran-Contra could make a book so on this additional basis I encourage you to be extremely careful and your own <sup>devil's</sup> advocate.

There is a virtually unknown Reagan political operations - not drug-related - that I have some information of if t at interests you.

You are welcome to come up and go over it if you'd like or to check these dangerous theories out. We are about an hour from your address.

Good luck!

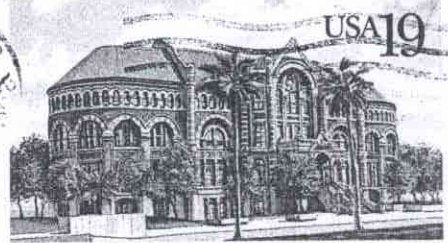
  
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In a sense you are also dealing with conspiracies. May I suggest that there is a vast difference between the existence of a conspiracy and identification of the alleged conspirators? You can't responsibly establish either a conspiracy or any identifications by theories, except in novels. And if you are dealing with conspiracy, remember that it does require overt acts, is not just talk.

Dear Harold Weisberg,

Hi. The people at Assassination Archives gave me your address. They were also helpful in research for a recently - approved Ph. D. dissertation on the attempts of Costa Rica to deal with the arms & drug business of the "Iran-Contra" event. Question: In any of your research, have you noted much or any links between Lee Harvey Oswald & Manuel Artime (U.S.-Cuban, died 1977). Thank You, Paul Huber

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