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Dear Mr. Peck,

I appreciate your thoughtful letter very much and thank you for it and for the beautiful view of the your city's harbor.

Mortal Error ~~is~~ is not factual, not correct, worse than a waste of time. If Donahur had done any research at all he'd have known the existing pictures prove his theory he pretends ~~is~~ fact is impossible. As I told him years before he got a publisher and a ghost to do the writing.

The media gave Posner all that attention because it had been telling the same lies for years and his book makes them look like other than liars.

You refer to his paperback. He is unable to make any <sup>well</sup> response to Case Open, so he makes a few childish cracks that are typically Posner in being untruthful. He says Case Open is the first of my books to be published commercially. Four were first printed commercially and unless there has been a reprint of Case Open of which I do not know in all there have been 13 printings of my books, commercially.

He just makes up what seems to serve his purposes and thanks to the dishonest media gets away with it.

You did not say that you are interested in my other books but in the event you are I enclose a list of them.

If you do order any books, please remit in US funds. We are in the country and conversion entails charges at two banks.

Thanks and best wishes,

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*(Personal & Confidential)*

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Dear Sir:

I found it refreshing and pleasing to see your book placed ALONGSIDE Possner's new money making paperback edition ( his foreward is equally unrelenting and a waste of time) in DUTHIE books here in Vancouver.

The upstairs part of this well known store had possners book also displayed separately with other current 'best' sellers.

Although I grant Possner due credit for some reasonable effort at research, I found his tone arrogant and not very objective or open minded. His two page illustration on Oswalds movements from the time of the shooting until he left the building ( perhaps bumping into newsman Robin McNeil?) is a waste of two pages on the movements of an alleged assassin that everyone is already familiar with!. He fired some shots, went downstairs and got a softdrink, collected his demened wits, then fled the building. Luckily enough Possner didn't mistake Billy Lovelady for Oswald.

The title of his book "Case Closed" did <sup>not</sup> even have a question mark beside it! At least he could have done that.

The 'smoke' from the grassy knoll was, POSSIBLY, a STEAM vent?? Good timing for the steam vent.

And poor deaf mute Ed Hoffman. IF he did in fact see what he said he saw, then he has my eternal respect and sympathy and may God grant him peace of mind and sanity for the rest of his days!!!

I guess, what it boils down to, after all the confus—ing, bewildering, contradictory, amateur and professional investigating is over and done with is that as you said at the end of the A&E show----'the sytem failed.'

I am not a researcher or an 'assassin nut', just an admirer of a President, who despite his flaws, brought a bit of hope and vision and energy to his country and the world!

Everything about his demise has become such a bizarre circus sideshow that it no longer matters to me how many shots there were, or who shot from where, etc. etc. but instead the fact that one question has never been addressed by ANY researcher anywhere to date and that is the 'secret service agents' seen both before and after the assassination around the 'grassy knoll' ( grassy slope). That to me, along with poorly conducted government investigations and the failure to thoroughly scrutinize and question all living witnesses ( even on polygraph) is what leaves me doubting people like Possner.

I guess that when any group wishes to knock off a President they dont want 'any loose ends' as Richard Widmark said many times in the movie the "Domino Principle."

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at least, after thirty painful years of both hopelessly amateur and a few seriously professional investigations, what it boils down to is that the system failed.....even IF Oswald was alone, a meticulously detailed investigation in 1964 might have done justice to the American people, democracy and the constitution of the United States. JFK would have enjoyed SEVEN DAYS IN MAY had he lived to see it. Possner's book, ill timed to make a buck and voraciously gobbled up by the media was an injustice to society.

Regards (and thanks!)  
T.E. Park.

P.S. Another book "Muted Innocence" about a secret service agent's years hitting Kennedy is preposterous!. It sells here for \$3.99 (cover) in used book bins.

As I'm sure many did) wrote an objective letter to Possner but got no reply.

In one TV interview of Possner, you could see that old "Reasonable Doubt" Life magazine of 1966 of Zapruder frames lying on a table. He's quite a researcher!

The real danger of Possner's book is that the media gave so much attention to the book of a single researcher.