

Mr. Les Payne
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Dear Les,

I've just had a visit from an old friend you met and may not remember, but I think you'll remember his apartment on West 81, just off Central Park, where you were with me once. His son is working on a book on which I could help him. While it is not on the subject of the King assassination, he is interested in it and the FBI's records on it. Because it would be so difficult and costly to copy mine he is going to buy them from the FBI.

While we were talking about this I remembered that you, on behalf of an organization, once expressed an interest in getting copies of mine to deposit in a black or largely black college.

Please let me know if you still have this interest because I think it will be possible for me to get those records for you when the son, David, is finished with them.

The father is Richard Gallen. I did mention this to them and they appeared to be agreeable. I told them of the interest you'd expressed.

Best wishes,

Harold