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Dear Harold,

Received your letter of 10/19 and have been busy on the show and not had much time to write. I've collected a few articles, although nowhere near as much has been written on the 26th Anniversary as the 25th. Articles include topics such as Ruby's gun being up for sale, a review of Jim Marr's book CROSSFIRE, an article on the Book Depository Museum and an article on the latest computer game where you try to save JFK from being assassinated (it was only a matter of time).

I read Jim Marr's book. There were some interesting things I hadn't heard before, but I didn't like the fact that he had no point of view. He puts forth all these different theories that may or may not be true. For someone not acquainted with all of this, they'd be left totally confused. I also read the book Groden co-authored. I suppose you've seen the autopsy photos he printed and I'm curious whether you agree with the back of the head shots having a matte line where another person's head has been superimposed over the wound Dallas doctors saw in the occipital area.

I agree with you on Garrison's book. I don't think it's an honest accounting of what went on during the Shaw trial. Garrison makes out like everything known about the JFK case was something he discovered.

In answer to your question, yes, I have bought a house. It's not far from where I used to live. My feeling was why pay rent to someone else. Owning is a much better situation -- except when things start to break and you have to take care of it yourself.

Congratulations on Baltimore fine baseball season. Cincinnati had it a bit rougher. A lot of injuries and the cloud of the Pete Rose scandal ruined the season. I don't hold out much for the Reds until Marge Schott sells the team.

Hope you and your wife are well and had a nice Thanksgiving. Here's wishing you happy holidays and a happy New Year.

Best,

Robert