

See separate file, Davis, John H

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Mr. John H. Davis  
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Dear Mr. Davis,

I'm surprised and, frankly, a bit disappointed in you.

After all the time I spent, without compensation asked for, desired or offered, trying to help you, after making all that I made available to you, you have not seen fit to send me a copy of your book.

Can it be that you fear your book cannot survive a critical reading?

Not that I'd say or do anything after reading it.

I haven't even bothered to get Scheim's.

Or Belin's.

Scheim and Belin exaggerate beyond reason. I hope you do not.

That allegedly secret Hoover report he claims was withheld from the Warren Commission was not a report, was not withheld from it and did not say or mean what Scheim says it does. It was not previously unknown, as I'm told he said, and, in fact, I used it years ago in FOIA litigation.

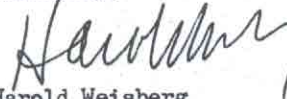
Aside from this it does not mean that Hoover stated there was an Oswald imposter in Mexico.

So, I don't wonder why he didn't want access to what, as you know, anyone has access to.

The alleged association between Marcello and Ferrie is enormously overblown. If one really existed at all. Jack Wasserman told me that he authorized Ferrie's employment on the case by G. Wray Gill. I thought you ~~got~~ got a copy of that file. (In fact, however, I do not know what you got. I did not keep track of what Amy copied for you.)

Sorry about my worse typing. Recovering from eye surgery.

Sincerely,

  
Harold Weisberg