

Wednesday, December 1, 1998

Dear Harold,

Of course, first things first! I hope with all my might that you and Lil are doing okay!!! I returned November 29 from my annual trek and found everything to be in order. This year, I took the long, scenic route via CA, WA to Minnesota and Chicago to Texas and back to Ma: gate after visiting my son and grandson in Brandon where I picked up my car! I had to skip visiting my little Mexican girlfriend in San Antonio since the immigration people were holding her up in Mexico. That made me very sad, but, she was on my answer machine when I got home. Seems the Mexican officials want la <sup>morcilla</sup> mordida (bribe) and she will be home when that is taken care of. I will visit her then!!! All went well on my trek but I had an interesting call on my answer machine from NY from Jones Harris who says he met you in 'the early days' and recently saw ~~you~~ on TV. He sends you his best regards!! He tried to steer me away from my avenue of approach and says the killing was a foreign stunt with U.S. cooperation and approval. He says, too, that the cover-up was necessary to avert <sup>waf</sup> war!!! It was a strange recall via my answer device

Lancer99 was a <sup>warm-</sup>over of Lancer98 with fewer and less <sup>o</sup>powerful speakers. Big deal about having a Kennedy family member there - a cousin Kerry Mc Carthy who added nil. Lancer is out for money and will fail soon; COPA is done for lack of funds!! I spent much pal-time with Hal Verb and he got a Lancer award. Lancer spent much time patting themselves on the back!!! Spent time, too, with Mary who looks and acts great!!!! I took her a Century Award I made up for the second century in a row - the first and only person to be so honored!! Also took her some grapefruit/cherry jelly. I took 2 one-pound jars, but, some yahoo in St. Paul - a fellow passenger - sought to help me with my luggage and tossed my duffle bag off the train onto the loading dock and smashed one jar!!! It happened very quickly!! I will have to replace it and send her another! She is quite a lady and deserves more recognition than she gets from Lancer!! I found Lancer99 to be more of a region and fewer power speakers. Instead of moving forward, Lancer did not move at all!! I found the female researcher who is expert in the documents I want and she feels she can help me once she has the formal request which will be easy since the judge in Dallas already received a legal request from me and all I have to do is copy that paper his reply and the replies of the Parkland and Dallas attorneys - well, I can ~~hope~~ hope!!!! Please excuse the rotten typing - I'm trying to do this in semi-darkness!! Hoping the best for you two!!!

All is well here and best wishes, etc.

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