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Dear Jim,

Again news about what that monster Livingstone says he'll have in his book about Mary. In not writing her I do not indicate the belief that she is anything but the strong and durable person she is. Rather is it that I have no way of knowing how she and/or Buck may be when they'd get what I could send. And I'm a bit uneasy because she has not told me whatever Livingstone was up to when he went to see her again not long ago. Mary knows I've made a complaint to the local states attorney.

I do not know why my source, who I believe loves Mary, did not tell me that he had told her. Perhaps he did and did not tell me. But he has been so immersed in what he has been doing he has forgotten to do several things he told me he would.
(about David Lifton)

Rog or Feinsman told me that about a month ago Livingstone told him that in his book he says that Mary was or is CIA and that she ran Lifton as her agent.

Knowing this Mary still may want to do nothing. But I think that as I once suggested to her she should consider speaking to the law firm for which she worked. If she does it should be remembered that Livingstone cast it as part of the conspiracy to kill JFK in letters we have. It might also be considered that perhaps Texas has, like Maryland, articles in its code that can be ^{used} ~~sued~~ instead of a civil action for libel.

It is hard for me to believe that any publisher would publish this for which there can be no support in fact.

But a month ago is two months after Harry was due to hand his ms. in and by then it should have been read by the publisher.

It is absolutely sickening that anyone could bring himself to say such terrible things about a woman who to the best of my knowledge ever hurt anyone.

Thanks to Tami for the nice card.

And your daughter is welcome to come for any
more plants I'll can spare.

Our best,

