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Dear Harv,

It has been a long time, a very long time, but I'm expecting to be there briefly in 10 days to 2 weeks. I want very much to see chrished friends, Jim and Jenifer White. Jenifer is not well.

These days I travel only when it is necessary. It is necessary for me to go to Dallas, which is half the fare out there. I would like to do a few things in L.A. and return via S.F.

I never hear from Hal any more, regretfully.

I can perhaps bump into Jim Eason at the station but I'd like very much to visit with you, Judy and Mike for a few hours - and see what kind of fine young man that very attractive kid has grown into.

Otherwise I have no plans for S.F.

In recent months I've also had to abandon the long hours. I should have several years ago. I had acute thrombophlebitis in both legs and thighs. The damage was serious and beyond repair before I was hospitalized. I make out pretty well but my physical capacity is not what it was.

I have no schedule for L.A. and S.F. because I do not know how long the work in Dallas will take.

The Whites have a small place so I'll probably stay overnight at a motel near them in Mill Valley. If you would care to let me know how to get in touch with you two friends in L.A. through whom I can be reached are Art Kevin (KMPC news) 761-3436 and Paul Wurtzel, 652-0231.

Loran Hall has asked me to stay with him, offered to meet me at the airport and even offered me the use of his second car in L.A. How's that for me having exposed him? Strange man, strange relationship coming from trust - his in me. His is to entertain you. At the hearing he spotted me, as far away from the witness chair as the room permitted. First he left it and walked over to greet me and then he asked that we have a sort of reunion, which took up the rest of the day, one in which only the elbows worked hard. This committee has been utterly irresponsible, totoally nutty and I've had to switch to opposing it. I still can't believe that any number of wrongs can make a right. So they don't like me. Last night I got graphic accounts of how it threw them all into a tizzy. I was unaware because I was not looking when Hall came up to me, from the back.

Kevin has been a friend since I first met you. Wurtzel is a Hellywood production man who has from time to time sent me checks to help pay the cost of my many FOIA suits. I think these will interest you. And that what I'm getting will blow your mind. FOIA makes an entire new journalism possible but the media is slow to pick it up-refused for years until Nader and I made the law stronger.

Looking forward,

