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Dear Mrs. Ralston,

We've sent an autographed copy to Ross.

I have a close friend of what I presume is Ross' age living near him and conducting original research into the JFK assassination. This friend is taking his doctorate at Mayo in psychology. Before putting them in touch with each other, it seems like I should ask you, for, when they both have the same zip code, I wonder, especially with Ross' dad a doctor, whether it might intrude too much into Ross' possible studies. If you think it a good idea, let me know and I will. This young man is as fine a person as I have met in almost 58 years.

From what you and Ross' letter suggest, he may be interested in some of my work I've not been able to get printed or afford to print myself. There are four such books, one to be published commercially, in abridged form, this coming year. Two deal with the autopsy and what relates to it. If Ross is a medical student, they may interest him.

However, they are costly. For these two (POST MORTEM and POST MORTEM III- the second part is not yet completed), which exist in xerox editions only, we have to charge \$20.00 plus insurance costs (about \$1.00) and, in order to protect my literary rights, get the promise that no use will be made of permitted to be made of their contents.

The other two, for the few who want them, we sell under the same conditions, but generally as a unit, for which the cost is \$45.00. This work, also in two parts, but designed as a single work, with the appendix, comes to about 400,000 words. It is a very large work.

I do not know the extent of Ross' interest or what he can afford. However, I also considered it best not to tempt him, so I write you instead. There is no profit in these xerox editions for us.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg