

Dear Joe, This note and the exceptional response to our mailing on Post Mortem explain why I can respond to your 11/18/75 in more detail. However, these is this generality I have found dependable: use registered mail, with a return receipt. The regulations are strict on it, requiring the keepings of a written chain of possession. I have had no reason to believe registered mail was tampered with. Moreover, my relations with our local post office indicate that the probability of intrusion at this end are so slight ignore them. Especially now when the volume of our mail is enormous....I follow the general rule that those who would intrude know anyway and there is no reason to worry about what they know that I or others know, particularly when as I have done, copies are deposited elsewhere. Thanks and best,

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Davis, Oklahoma 73030
November 18, 1975

Harold Weisberg
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Dear Harold:

Thank you for the notice on your new book. Please send me "POST MORTEM: JFK Assassination cover-up smashed!" You will find enclosed the money order for \$10.75 in payment for that book. Your efforts have been very much appreciated by me. In fact, it is people like you who may still save our sad republic.

While the typewriter is in front of me, allow me the digression to go into some items of possible use to your work.

First, believe it or not, I'm in the most "right-wing" county in "right-wing" America and not even the San Diego area can come close. The Kluxers here are almost revered. The John Birchers run the school districts. The local FBI and the local Army Intelligence, made up of retired enlisted men and officers, pretty near dictate as to who will teach and who will be the city managers.

Now I had one significant piece of intelligence on the JFK tragedy several years ago which made considerable difference in the research on the cover-up. ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ Some ramifications of this item need to be in researchers hands such as yours. I hesitate to put it in a letter for I assume that your mail is well tapped for items such as I have. (About one year ago I learned of the ^{new} development.)

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(In the full knowledge that this missile ~~XXXX~~ be intercepted I have taken the safeguard to have notified several people and ~~organizations~~ organizations of the general nature of the item and at least three well scattered individuals of the specific nature of the item. Maybe sometime in the near future you and I will find a safe way to exchange this information....(Today's TV news concerning the FBI suggesting suicide to Martin Luther King no longer surprizes me but as the Teacher in Ecclesiastes noted long ago: "Great wisdom(knowledge) brings with it great sadness.") You knew of these things for a long time. I suspected these matters for possibly as long a time. You were an intelligence analyst. I was in Corps and Army G2 intelligence in the Great War. I'm a farmer and not used to writing. Furthermore, I'm typing this quickly.)

Say, are you familiar with the Dallas "Iconoclast"? You are frequently mentioned in its pages often alluding to the JFK affair.

Also, with reference to Oswald in Minsk...I thought that Oswald ^{had} worked in an electronics factory in a small suburban area outside of Minsk proper. Of course, Minsk in 1963 was about the size of Dallas at that time, roughly about $\frac{1}{2}$ million bewildered souls. Hence my reference to a country town. As to ~~Oswald's IQ~~ Oswald's IQ, Dr. Renatus Hartogs was way off. Oswald's knowledge of Russian (with Polish accent) and writing indicated a rather high order of intelligence. The Polish accent, by the way, could have been assimilated since the area "a mile or two" to the west of Minsk approaches the Polish border. SEND A NOTE, PLEASE.

Sincerely, *Joe Zeleniak*
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P.S. As soon as my personal finances improve I'll send for your book *Frame-Up*.

But in the meantime I'll order the "Post Mortem, etc" for now.

Do you still have damaged or marked copies of "Oswald in New Orleans" left? I understand that new copies are out of print.

P.P.S. It's late at night, ran out of stamps, hence the "odd" assortment on the return envelope.