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How Pat Nixon Is Feeling

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Pat Nixon suffered a feeling of shame just after her husband resigned the presidency, but she now feels secure that he made a great contribution to the nation, a family friend said yesterday.

Rabbi Baruck Korff said in an interview that Mrs. Nixon, who will be 63 March 16, has stayed up many sleepless nights with her husband and grown closer to him. She has "suffered a lot and aged" since last August 9 when they moved out of

the White House, he said.

"At first, in the beginning, there was more a feeling of shame on Pat's part," Rabbi Korff said.

But, he added, now she feels "secure in the belief that her husband's contribu-

tion to the nation is among the brightest to the presidency . . . (and) secure in the feeling that he has contributed to the destiny of the nation."

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