

Dear Jim,

10/6/77

This time last week I had expected to be flying past you this afternoon on my way from LA to Seattle.

Two of the more important doctors in the JFK examination in Dallas, Perry and Carrico, had left there by this past June when I was hoping to interview them again.

They had both gone to Seattle. I wrote them asking them to consider giving me an affidavit for use in the spectro FOIA case and got a friendly response from Perry.

When I was asked to speak at a small Wisconsin college part of my fare was paid and the honorarium would take care of the rest so I arranged to see Perry this evening and planned to resume where I left off in June.

Not until about 5 a.m. last Friday morning did I hear from the one I wanted most to see that he was out of town on location and would be all this week. The other friend had to be out of town only two days. ~~but~~

Under the circumstances I returned home after speaking. I did not want to lay around or see sights in either LA or Seattle for five or six days and invest all that money for a brief visit with the doctors.

This merely brings to mind my intention of writing you on a number of occasions just to let you know that you are both very much in our minds and hopes.

There is no need to respond with all that keeps you busy.

We hope with you both,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Harold".