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Bebe's Girl Wants 1973 Him to Testify

Key Biscayne, Fla.

Jane Lucke, presidential confidant Charles G. (Bebe) Rebozo's steady date for the past ten years, says they never discuss politics and usually spend their evenings watching television or playing an "idiot card game."

"Politics is not my bag," says Mrs. Lucke, 38. "Bebe and I don't discuss politics."

However, the gray-haired, blue-eyed mother of two sons says she believes Rebozo should testify before the Senate Watergate committee and clear things up about the \$100,000 cash contribution he received from billionaire Howard Hughes and kept for three years.

Sources close to the committee have said it is studying Rebozo's bank records in an effort to trace the money. The White House has said Rebozo accepted the \$100,000 from a Hughes attorney "as a potential campaign contribution" but that it wasn't used and was returned to Hughes last spring.

"My friend is smart and he wouldn't do anything illegal or immoral," Mrs. Lucke said. She doubted Rebozo would testify.

Mrs. Lucke works as a legal secretary for Thomas Wakefield, Rebozo's attorney and an officer of the Key Biscayne Bank and Trust Co. which Rebozo heads.

She says Rebozo, 61, visits her a couple of times a week at the home she shares with her mother in Key Biscayne.

Their "idiot card game" is Spite and Malice, in which the stakes can go as high as \$1 a night, Mrs. Lucke says.

Mrs. Lucke, twice divorced, described herself as a "package deal — I come with a mother and two sons."

She says she had heard about Rebozo's reputation as a ladies' man but "that was before my time. Although I can see why. He's warm and charming."

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Bebe Rebozo and Jane Lucke at a zoo party in December 1969

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