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Mrs. Dean Plea to Ford Seeks Aid 1974
for Husband

Washington, Sept. 9 (AP) - Mrs. John W. Dean 3d called on President Ford Monday [9 Sep] to demonstrate the same compassion for her husband that Mr. Ford showed in pardoning Richard M. Nixon.

She urged Mr. Ford not to overlook those who are "suffering because they told the truth."

Her husband, who was Mr. Nixon's prime accuser in the Watergate scandal, entered prison last week to begin serving a one-to-four year term following his confession to a charge of obstruction of justice.

In her statement, she said those who have cooperated in the investigations "are also suffering because they told the truth — which is something we have yet to hear from Mr. Nixon. "Why didn't Mr. Nixon have to pay at least the price of truth for his pardon?"