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NO GREATER LOVE SPONSORS A CELEBRATION OF FREEDOM FOR
ROBERT POLHILL AND FRANK REED, FORMER HOSTAGES IN
LEBANON

DATE: Thursday, July 26, 1990
TIME: 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.
PLACE: Room SD 192
Dirksen Senate Office Building
First and Constitution Avenue, NE
SPONSOR: No Greater Love

WASHINGTON, D.C.--A reception celebrating the freedom of
Robert Polhill and Frank Reed will be held in Room 192
of the Dirksen Senate Office Building on July 26, 1990
from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Robert Polhill was held hostage in Lebanon for 39 months
and was released on April 22; Frank Reed was held
hostage for 44 months and was released on May 2.
Honorary hosts for the reception are Senator Robert
Dole, Senator Edward M. Kennedy and Senator Daniel P.
Moynihan, all members of the No Greater Love National
Advisory Council.

Carmella LaSpada, CEO of No Greater Love, said, "The
purpose of this reception is to offer Members of
Congress and government officials an opportunity to
personally welcome home these two former hostages."

Among the guests are three AFL-CIO union officials whose
unions are supporters of No Greater Love's hostage
projects: Jake West, President, International
Association of Iron Workers, Edward Carlough, President,
International Association of Sheet Metal Workers and
William DuVal, President, International Brotherhood of

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A national non profit tax-exempt humanitarian organization, founded in 1971.

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Painters and Allied Trades. Invited guests include members of Congress, Ambassadors of Algeria and Lebanon and government officials, former hostages in Lebanon and in Iran, and the families of hostages Thomas Sutherland, who has been held captive in Lebanon since June 8, 1985, and Joseph Cicippio, who has been held captive in Lebanon since September 12, 1987.

No Greater Love is America's only organization devoted to providing programs of friendship and care for the families of Americans who died in war or by acts of terrorism. It also serves as a support group for the families of the hostages. This national, non-profit, non-political humanitarian organization was founded in 1971.

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Sen. William S. Cohen	Sen. Steve Symms
Sen. Kent Conrad	Sen. John Warner
Sen. Alan Cranston	Sen. Pete Wilson
Sen. Alfonse D'Amato	OTHER VIP ACCEPTANCES:
Sen. Robert J. Dole	H. E. Abderrahmane Bensid Ambassador of Algeria
Sen. Jim Exon	Steiman Rassi, Counselor Embassy of Lebanon
Rep. Hamilton Fish	The Honorable Michael Stone Secretary of the Army
Sen. Charles Grassley	The Honorable Elizabeth Tamposi Assistant Secretary for Consular Affairs Department of State
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Sen. George Mitchell	
Sen. Daniel P. Moynihan	
Sen. F. H. Murkowski	
Rep. Richard Neal	
Sen. Sam Nunn	
Sen. Claiborne Pell	

HOSTAGES IN LEBANON

Americans

Terry Anderson - kidnapped March 16, 1985
Thomas Sutherland - kidnapped June 9, 1985
Joseph Cicippio - kidnapped September 12, 1986
Edward Tracy - kidnapped October 21, 1986
Alann Steen - kidnapped January 24, 1987
Jesse Turner - kidnapped January 24, 1987

British

Alec Collett - kidnapped March 25, 1985
Jack Mann - kidnapped May 12, 1989
John McCarthy - kidnapped May 12, 1989
Terry Waite - kidnapped January 20, 1987

Irish

Brian Keenan - kidnapped April 11, 1986

Italian

Alberto Molinari - kidnapped September 11, 1985

Swiss

Emmanuel Christen - kidnapped October 6, 1989
Elio Enriquez - kidnapped October 6, 1989

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Judge John Sirica James Stewart
Roger Staubach* James Strawn
U.S. Senator Strom Thurmond
Johnny Unitas*
U.S. Senator John Warner
John West Mort Walker
Alfred Whitehead
*Past NCL Presidents



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MEMORANDUM

TO:
FROM: Carmella LaSpada
DATE: July 25, 1990
RE: Reception for Robert Polhill and Frank Reed

Per our conversation, here's the information on the program segment of the reception for Robert Polhill and Frank Reed. The Senator's remarks need only be about a minute. The segment should begin at 6:30 and last about 20 minutes.

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Terry Anderson*

"This Land is Your Land" Lisa Rich
Welcome (one minute) Carmella LaSpada
Remarks Sen. Robert Dole
Sen. Edward Kennedy
Sen. Daniel Moynihan
Introduction of Special Guests
A Toast (one minute) Ed Carlough, President,
International Association
of Sheet Metal Workers
Jake West, President,
International Association
of Iron Workers
Remarks Ferial Polhill,
wife of Robert Polhill
Frank Reed
Jim Cantrell
Ric Herrera
Michael Johnson
Roger Vaughan
Remarks *Peggy Say message - Claud Lewis, Hearst.*
John Murray, brother-in-law of
hostage Thomas Sutherland
Tom Cicippio, brother of
hostage Joe Cicippio
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THE ONLY ORGANIZATION IN THE
COUNTRY PROVIDING PROGRAMS
OF FRIENDSHIP AND CARE FOR
FAMILIES OF THE AMERICANS
WHO DIED IN SERVICE TO OUR
COUNTRY, BY ACTS OF TERRORISM
IN PURSUIT OF PEACE

"Tomorrow"

apply to welcome home.

SENATOR BOB DOLE
REMARKS AT
'NO GREATER LOVE' RECEPTION
ROBERT POLHILL/FRANK REED
JULY 26, 1990

IT'S A PLEASURE TO WELCOME
TO THE U.S. CAPITOL ROBERT
POLHILL AND FRANK REED. THIS
IS A DAY WE HAVE LONG

WAITED FOR, AND A DAY THAT,
DEEP INSIDE, WE ALL KNEW
WOULD COME. AND IT IS AN
OCCASION OF JOY AS WE
CELEBRATE YOUR FREEDOM.
YOU WERE IN THE THOUGHTS
AND PRAYERS OF AMERICANS
EVERY DAY YOU WERE HELD
CAPTIVE, AND FEW OF US WILL
FORGET THE JOY WE FELT WHEN

YOU WERE RELEASED.

BUT OUR JOY TODAY IS
TEMPERED BY OUR GRAVE
CONCERN FOR THE SIX
AMERICANS WHO REMAIN IN
THE HANDS OF TERRORISTS.
AND I KNOW THAT NO ONE IN
THIS ROOM WILL REST UNTIL
EACH AND EVERY ONE RETURNS
TO AMERICAN SOIL. LIBERTY IS

A FUNDAMENTAL HUMAN RIGHT.
THEY DESERVE THEIR FREEDOM.
JUSTICE DEMANDS IT. WE
DEMAND IT.

ONCE AGAIN, WE APPEAL TO
THOSE WHO HOLD OUR
AMERICAN CAPTIVES TO LET
THEM GO. THEIR CONTINUED
CAPTIVITY SERVES NO USEFUL
PURPOSE AND FORWARDS NO

CAUSE. AND TO THOSE WHO
HAVE BEEN HELPFUL IN PREVIOUS
RELEASES, AND WHO CONTINUE
TO SEEK FREEDOM FOR
HOSTAGES, WE OFFER OUR
SINCEREST THANKS.

I KNOW MY COLLEAGUES
JOIN ME IN WELCOMING ROBERT
AND FRANK. I WISH YOU BOTH
WELL, AND I SALUTE THE

WONDERFUL HUMANITARIAN
WORK OF 'NO GREATER LOVE,'
WHICH CONTINUES TO PROVIDE
STRENGTH TO THOSE WHO
BRAVELY WAIT FOR THEIR LOVED
ONES TO RETURN HOME.
THANK YOU.

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SCHEDULE FOR THURSDAY, JULY 26

Mary Baker

8:45-9:45	White House	House/Senate Leadership mtg. re: budget (Oval Office)	4:00	S-230	PHOTO w/Liu Kao-Tsai (AI) and PHOTO w/Tu Dao & Chad Bryan from wichita; Neil Stolar & Julie Williamson, interns from U.S.-Baltic Foundation; Eric Rice; Mrs. Kathy Vrbas & 2 sons from Atwood, KS, (David)
10:00-10:15	White House	Signing Ceremony f/the ADA			
11:00	S-230	mtg. w/Randy Brown - Iowa (Jo-Anne)			
11:30	S-230	telephone meeting w/Western Fuels Assoc. - Garden City (Greg)	4:30-6:30	S-230	reception in honor of Dr. Narva
12:15	Willard Hotel, Grant Suite, 2nd Floor	<u>SPEAK</u> - Forum 101 Series: (Capital Legislative Services)	5:30-7:30	SD-192	DROP BY "No Greater Love" reception (you are an honorary co-host w/Senators Kennedy & Moynihan) honoring released hostages Frank Reed & Robert Polhill (program is from 6:30-6:50)
1:30	S-230	Campaign Finance Reform meeting			
3:30	S-230	mtg. w/Prime Minister of Latvia, Ivars Godmania, and Foreign Minister, Janis Jurkans (AI) (OVER)	5:00-7:00	SH-216	DROP BY reception hosted by the Consortium f/Citizens w/Disabilities to celebrate the ADA

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