### THE WHITE HOUSE

**THE DAILY DIARY OF PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD**

**PLACE DAY BEGAN**

HUNTINGTON-SHERATON INN

PASADENA, CALIFORNIA

**DATE (Mo., Day, Yr.)**

OCTOBER 24, 1976

**TIME**

7:41 a.m. SUNDAY

**ACTIVITY**

The President was an overnight guest at the Porteous Cottage, Huntington-Sheraton Inn, 1401 South Oak Knoll, Pasadena, California.

Note: The President was accompanied by members of the press throughout his visit to California.

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7:41 7:51 P The President talked with the First Lady.

8:42 The President went to the Georgian Room.

8:42 9:16 The President attended a reception for members of the California Republican Golden Circle who have donated a minimum of $1,000 to the Republican party. For a list of attendees, see APPENDIX "A."

9:00 9:03 The President addressed approximately 75 guests attending the reception.

9:18 The President returned to the Porteous Cottage.

9:20 The President went to his motorcade.

9:21 9:33 The President motored from the Huntington-Sheraton Inn to the San Gabriel Mission Church, San Gabriel, California. He was accompanied by:

- Congressman John H. Rousselet (R-California)
- Mrs. John H. Rousselet
- Leon W. Parma, President of Lyon Electric Company, San Diego, California and member of the President Ford Committee (PFC) Campaign Steering Committee

The President was greeted by:

- Father Leo Mattecheck, Pastor of San Gabriel Mission
- Father Bernard O’Connor, Claretin Provincial of the San Gabriel Mission
- Michael Falabrino, Mayor of San Gabriel, California

9:32 The President, escorted by Father Mattecheck, went to his pew.

9:32 10:34 The President attended worship services at the San Gabriel Mission Church.
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<td>The President, escorted by Father O’Conner and Father Mattecheck toured an exhibit on other California missions. The President returned to his motorcade.</td>
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<td>10:51</td>
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<td>The President motored from the San Gabriel Mission Church to the Huntington-Sheraton Inn.</td>
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<td>The President returned to the Porteous Cottage.</td>
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<td>The President went to an offstage announcement area of the Viennese Room.</td>
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<td>11:22</td>
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<td>The President attended a reception for California state PFC staff and volunteers.</td>
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<td>11:22</td>
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<td>The President went to the platform in the Viennese Room. Enroute, The President was greeted by: Congressman Rousselot Mrs. Rousselot Congressman Carlos J. Moorehead (R-California) Mrs. Carlos J. Moorehead</td>
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<td>11:24</td>
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<td>The President greeted approximately 600 guests attending the reception.</td>
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<td>The President returned to the Porteous Cottage.</td>
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<td>The President returned to his motorcade.</td>
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<td>1:07</td>
<td>2:15</td>
<td>The President motored from the Huntington-Sheraton Inn to the Fountain Valley Recreation Center, Fountain Valley, California. He was accompanied by Mr. Parme. The President participated in a campaign rally.</td>
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<td>2:16</td>
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<td>The President went to the speaker’s platform. For a list of platform guests, see APPENDIX “B.” The President was introduced by actor John Wayne.</td>
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<td>2:20</td>
<td>2:40</td>
<td>The President addressed the crowd gathered for his visit.</td>
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<td>The President went to the adjacent stage.</td>
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<td>2:49</td>
<td>The President greeted entertainers participating in the campaign rally.</td>
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<td>3:56</td>
<td>The President returned to his motorcade.</td>
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<td>5:23</td>
<td>The President motored from the Fountain Valley Recreation Center to the studios of KABC-TV, 4151 Prospect Avenue, Los Angeles, California. He was accompanied by Mr. Wayne.</td>
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<td>5:30</td>
<td>The President was greeted by: James Taylor, Assistant Program Director, KABC-TV Charles Snyder, Executive Producer, KABC-TV</td>
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<td>6:00</td>
<td>The President went to dressing room #18,</td>
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<td>The President met with his son, Steve.</td>
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<td>The President participated in an interview with: Steve Ford Edith S. Green, Co-Chairman, Citizens for Ford, PFC and former Congresswoman (D-Oregon) Joe Garagiola, sportscaster for the National Broadcasting Company (NBC) and former professional baseball player</td>
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<td>7:08</td>
<td>The President motored from the studios of KABC-TV to Hollywood-Burbank Airport, Hollywood, California. He was accompanied by: Steve Ford Mr. Garagiola</td>
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<td>7:14</td>
<td>The President flew by the &quot;Spirit of '76&quot; from Hollywood-Burbank Airport to Lindberg Field, San Diego, California. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX &quot;C.&quot;</td>
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<td>7:08</td>
<td>The President met with: Mrs. Green Mr. Garagiola Richard B. Cheney, Assistant</td>
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| 7:14 | 7:25  | The President met with: Don Penny Schneider, Consultant  
|      |       |          | Ronald H. Nessen, Press Secretary |
| 7:16 | 7:23  | The "Spirit of '76" arrived at Lindberg Field.  
| 7:30 |       | The President was greeted by: Pete Wilson, Mayor (R-San Diego, California)  
|      |       | Congressman Bob Wilson (R-California)  
|      |       | Congressman Clair W. Burgener (R-California)  
| 7:36 | 8:02  | The President went to his motorcade.  
| 8:02 | 8:53  | The President participated in a campaign rally.  
| 8:02 |       | The President went to the speaker's platform. For a list of platform guests, see APPENDIX "D."  
| 8:17 | 8:33  | The President was introduced by Congressman Wilson.  
| 8:35 |       | The President addressed the crowd gathered for his visit.  
| 8:53 |       | The President greeted entertainers and celebrities participating in the campaign rally.  
| 9:15 |       | The President returned to his motorcade.  
| ?    |       | The President participated in a question and answer session with members of the press.  
|      |       | The President was greeted by: R. Earl Holding, owner of the Little America Westgate Plaza Hotel  
<p>|      |       | Mrs. R. Earl Holding continued |</p>
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|      |       | George Hochflizer, Manager of the Little America Westgate Plaza Hotel  
|      |       | Mrs. George Hochflizer  
|      |       | The President went to his suite.  
|      |       | The President talked with the First Lady.  
|      |       | The President was an overnight guest at the Little America Westgate Plaza Hotel, San Diego, California.  

SY/EJ 12/10/76
CALIFORNIA REPUBLICAN GOLDEN CIRCLE RECEPTION

Georgian Room
Huntington-Sheraton Inn
Pasadena, California
October 24, 1976

A list of guests attending the reception was not available for inclusion in the President's diary.
APPENDIX "B"

CAMPAIGN RALLY

FOUNTAIN VALLEY RECREATION CENTER
Fountain Valley
October 24, 1976

A list of platform guests participating in the campaign rally was not available for inclusion in the President's diary.
APPENDIX "C"

PASSENGER MANIFEST

AIR FORCE ONE #2700
MISSION 1230 Hollywood-Burbank, California to San Diego, California
24 October 1976 Dep: 7:08pm arr: 7:30pm +22 130SM

The President
Robert T. Hartmann, Counsellor
Leon W. Parma, President of Lyon Electric Co., San Diego, California and
Member of the President Ford Committee (PFC) Campaign Steering Committee
Joe Garagiola, sportscaster for NBC and former professional baseball player
Richard B. Cheney, Assistant
Edith S. Green, Co-Chairman, Citizens for Ford, PFC and former Cong. (O-Oregon)
Terrence O'Donnell, Aide
Byron M. Cavaney, Jr., Special Assistant
Ronald H. Nessen, Press Secretary
Rear Adm. William M. Lukash, Physician
Capt. Charles R. Mead, Air Force Aide
Col. Leonard Riley, Commanding Officer, White House Communications Agency
Lt. Gen. Brent Scowcroft, Assistant for National Security Affairs
Stuart K. Spencer, Deputy Chairman for Political Affairs, PFC
David H. Kennerly, Personal Photographer
Don Penny Schneider, Consultant
N. James Field, Jr., Associate Director of the Presidential Personnel Office
Patrick H. Butler, Associate Editor
Nellie L. Yates, Staff Assistant
Kathie Berger, Secretary to Mr. Cheney
Eva Brantley, Secretary, Advance Office
Wilma Hall, Secretary, NSC
Jeannie Bull, Secretary, Advance Office
Marilyn Meinking, Secretary, Editorial Office
MSG Herbert Oldenburg, baggage handler
MSCS Arturo Bautista, valet
SDCM Zosimo Monzon, steward
SOT Patricia Jones, stenographer

J. Keiser
J. Merchant
A. Buskirk
R. Johnston
L. DalPorto
C. Smith
F. Lawman
J. Pavlick
R. Melvyn
Frank Cormier, AP
Richard Growald, UPI
Peter Bregg, AP Photo
Frank Cancler, UPI Photo
Pat Eloyan, Newsday
Bob Pierpoint, CBS Correspondent
Al Bargmanian, CBS Film Crew
Ton Novak, CBS Film Crew
CAMPAIGN RALLY

Grossmont Shopping Center
La Mesa, California
October 24, 1976

Platform Guests

John Stull, State Senator (R-California)
Jack Schrade, State Senator (R-California)
Congressman Clair W. Burgener (R-California)
Congressman Bob Wilson (R-California)

Podium

Paul Fordem, Mayor of La Mesa, California
The President
Pete Wilson, Mayor of San Diego, California

Back Row

Velma Farmer, San Diego, California President Ford Committee
Robert Thornberg, Republican State Central Committee of California
Johnny Grant, radio personality, San Diego, California, Master of Ceremonies
Rev. Robert Mayo, invocation
Al Anderson, San Diego, California President Ford Committee
Maggie Mazur, San Diego, California President Ford Committee