

May 11, 1976

Office of the White House Press Secretary

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NOTICE TO THE PRESS

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12:30 p. m.

Greet Multiple Sclerosis Mother and Father  
of the Year.

The Rose Garden

Mrs. Sharon Van Meter, MS Mother of the Year

The President

Mr. Ralph M. Rikard, MS Father of the Year

Also present were Mrs. Van Meter's husband, Michael and their children Amy, 8 and Clarke, 11; and Mr. Rikard's wife, Ruth and their children Randi, 15 and Rosanna, 18, and Ensign Ralph Rikard, Jr., with his wife, Lee Ann. Amy introduced the President to the Mystery Sleuth, symbol of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society's READ-a-thon.

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