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President Gerald Ford
The White House
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Dear Mr. President:

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All of us will also benefit from observing the spectacular comeback you made in almost pulling out victory. How much easier it would have been to quit when the odds looked to be so against you.

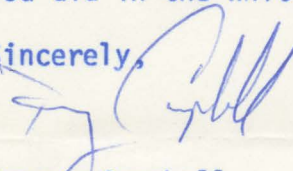
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As I told you then, I am proud that my son -- Ben, age 2 -- will be able to remember that he was born during your administration.

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