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Dear Jerry, Dear Louise THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN....

M.L.
First of all my grateful thanks for your compassionate and thoughtful letter on the occasion of Lewis's sudden death. My son, Lee, and daughter, Louise Ellen, appreciated your letter fully as much as I did. We are taking things a day at a time, and hopefully will make it with God's help.

All three of us want you to know how very proud we are of you and the way in which you accepted unsought positions of great authority and responsibility and did the very best (and are doing) you knew how. God has indeed been good to allow us to have a man of your high caliber in a position of such great trust and importance. I cannot help but feel that your great contributions to the people of this nation will be better understood and more realistically appreciated in the future than they are now during this period of transition.

Whatever the future holds for you and Betty and your fine family, you can always look back on this period of your life with justifiable pride and the knowledge that you gave of your best.

Best personal regards.

Louise H. Chase
(Mrs. Lewis L.)

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