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THE WHITE HOUSE  
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Mrs. Ford will be greeting members of The Adams Chronicles television series today, April 7 at 3:00 P.M. in the Map Room at the White House. She will be presented with a John Quincy Adams Medal commemorating the series, as well as two books, Jack Shepherd's The Adams Chronicles, and The Book of Abigail and John, a collection of Adams family letters.

Participating in the ceremony will be Ms. Virginia Kassel, creator and executive producer of "Chronicles," Leora Dana, who plays Abigail Adams from middle age to old age, and Joseph T. Downer, Executive Vice President of Atlantic Richfield.

The Adams Chronicles, a 13-week series which traces the story of the Adams family through four generations and 150 years of American history, premiered on January 20, 1976. It was made possible by grants from the National Endowment for the Humanities, The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, and Atlantic Richfield Company.

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