

Gerald R. Ford Presidential Library
White House Photographs
December 23, 1975

This database was created by Library staff and indexes all photographs taken by the Ford White House photographers related to this subject. Use the search capabilities in your PDF reader to locate key words within this index. Please note that clicking on the link in the "Roll #" field will display a 200 dpi JPEG image of the contact sheet (1:1 images of the 35 mm negatives). Gerald Ford is always abbreviated "GRF" in the "Names" field. If the "Geographic" field is blank, the photo was taken within the White House complex. The date on the contact sheet image is the date the roll of film was processed, not the date the photographs were taken.

All photographs taken by the White House photographers are in the public domain and reproductions (600 dpi scans or photographic prints) of individual images may be purchased and used without copyright restriction. Please include the roll and frame numbers when contacting the Library staff about a specific photo (e.g., A1422-10).

To view photo listings for other dates, to learn more about this project or other Library holdings, or to contact an archivist, please visit the [White House Photographic Collection page](#)

[View President Ford's Daily Diary \(activities log\) for this day](#)

Roll #	Frames	Tone	Subject - Proper	Subject - Generic	Names	Geographic	Location	Photographer
A7764	3-4	Color	White House Christmas Decorations	fruit centerpieces on table, Christmas decorations			State Dining Room	Fitz-Patrick
A7764	5-6	Color	White House Christmas Decorations	fruit and fern arrangements on mantelpiece			State Dining Room	Fitz-Patrick
A7764	7-9	Color	White House Christmas Decorations	gingerbread house			State Dining Room	Fitz-Patrick
A7764	10-11	Color	White House Christmas Decorations	fruit arrangement on marble table			State Dining Room	Fitz-Patrick
A7764	12-14	Color	White House Christmas Decorations; Residence	decorated Christmas tree in front of window, ornaments			Second Floor - West Sitting Hall	Fitz-Patrick
A7764	15-16	Color	Plastering White House Walls	plastering wall	Unidentified work Men		unidentified room	Fitz-Patrick
A7765	3-4	Color	White House Christmas Decorations	fir arrangement on mantle, clock			Red Room	Fitz-Patrick
A7765	5-8	Color	White House Christmas Tree; Ornaments	tea table ornament at foot of decorated Christmas tree			Blue Room	Fitz-Patrick
A7765	8-9	Color	White House Christmas Tree; Ornaments	rocking horse ornament at foot of decorated Christmas tree			Blue Room	Fitz-Patrick

Roll #	Frames	Tone	Subject - Proper	Subject - Generic	Names	Geographic	Location	Photographer
A7765	10-12	Color	White House Christmas Decorations	gold sculpture, mirror, apple and fern arrangement on mantle			Blue Room	Fitz-Patrick
A7765	13-16	Color	White House Christmas Tree; Ornaments	Santa on Train ornament at foot of decorated Christmas tree			Blue Room	Fitz-Patrick
A7765	17-19	Color	White House Christmas Tree; Ornaments	decorated Christmas tree			Blue Room	Fitz-Patrick
A7765	20-23	Color	White House Christmas Decorations	apple and holly arrangements on mantle and table			Green Room	Fitz-Patrick
A7765	24-27	Color	White House Christmas Decorations	flower, pine cone and fir arrangement on mantle, in front of mirror			State Dining Room	Fitz-Patrick
A7765	28-32	Color	White House Christmas Decorations	close up of creche			State Dining Room	Fitz-Patrick
A7765	33	Color	White House Christmas Decorations	man examines ferns on Christmas camel	Unidentified Staff		Cross Hall	Fitz-Patrick
A7765	34-35	Color	White House Christmas Decorations	apples and greens arrangements on either side of a gold clock with reclining figure on gold and marble table below gold mirror			State Dining Room	Fitz-Patrick
A7778	3-12	BW	Departure for Family Christmas Trip to Vail, Colorado - Chesapeake Bay Retriever; Pet Golden Retriever	GRF walking dogs on leash to Marine One; stop at awning for BF and press; walk across grass; close up GRF smiling, entering copter, holding Riva (Jack's dog, traded for one of Liberty's puppies); various angles and distances; all not in every frame	GRF, Liberty, Jack Ford's puppy Riva; Marsh; Betty Ford; Media; Cheney, O'Donnell, Pontius		South Lawn/South Driveway	Kennerly
A7778	13-19	BW	Departure for Family Christmas Trip to Vail, Colorado - Chesapeake Bay Retriever; Pet Golden Retriever	debark helicopter, BF with Liberty on leash, GRF carries puppie; handshaking, walking, boarding Air Force One; GRF waves from top, holding puppy; all not in every frame	GRF, Liberty, Jack Ford's puppy Riva; Betty Ford; Cheney, Scowcroft, Pontius, Gen. Wm. A. Brown Jr.	Andrews Air Force Base, MD	Andrews Air Force Base	Kennerly

Roll #	Frames	Tone	Subject - Proper	Subject - Generic	Names	Geographic	Location	Photographer
A7778	20-29	BW	Arrival for Family Christmas Trip in Vail, Colorado - Chesapeake Bay Retriever; Pet Golden Retriever	descending Air Force One ramp, handshaking, dogs on leash); various angles and distances; all not in every frame	GRF, Liberty, Jack Ford's puppy Riva, Betty Ford; Pontius;Cheney, Scowcroft; Mayor Larry Kozisek, James Spelman, Lawrence Aubert	Grand Junction CO	Walker Field	Kennerly
A7778	30-34	BW	Arrival for Family Christmas Trip in Vail, Colorado - Chesapeake Bay Retriever; Pet Golden Retriever	standing on ranch land, Riva on leash, helicopter; various angles and distances; all not in every frame	GRF, Mr. & Mrs. William Nottingham, Jack Ford's puppy	Avon, CO	Nottingham Ranch Helipad	Kennerly
A7778	35-36	BW	Family Christmas Trip in Vail, Colorado - Pet Golden Retriever	BF passes puppy Misty to Susan, outdoors, arriving; GRF inside donning ski gear	Betty Ford, Susan Ford, Misty	Vail, CO	Presidential Vacation Residence - Richard Bass Residence-Living Room	Kennerly
A7783	2-6	BW	Family Christmas Trip to Vail, Colorado - Date may not be correct	shots of First Couple GRF & BF standing together outside; GRF & Susan; GRF and others; all not in every frame	GRF, Betty Ford; Susan Ford; Others		Outside Presidential Vacation Residence - Richard Bass Residence	Kennerly
A7783	7-9	BW	Family Christmas Trip to Vail, Colorado - Date may not be correct	standing, talking; ski attire; Susan in frame 8 only	GRF, Unidentified Man and Woman; Susan Ford		Near ski slope	Kennerly
A7783	10	BW	Family Christmas Trip to Vail, Colorado - Date may not be correct	standing, talking; close up	GRF, Susan Ford		Near ski slope	Kennerly
A7784	1-5	BW	Flight from Andrews Air Force base to Vail Colorado - Christmas Trip to Vail	working on plane	GRF, Cheney		President's Cabin - Air Force One	Kennerly
A7784	6-7	BW	Flight from Andrews Air Force base to Vail Colorado - Christmas Trip to Vail; Pilots in Cockpit	Defense Secretary Don Rumsfeld's son, Nicholas, visits the pilots in the cockpit; controls shown	Air Force One Pilots, Crew, Nicholas Rumsfeld		Air Force One	Kennerly
A7784	8	BW	Flight from Andrews Air Force base to Vail Colorado - Christmas Trip to Vail	sitting on plane	Joyce Rumsfeld(?) or Unidentified Female Secretary		President's Cabin - Air Force One	Kennerly
A7784	9-10	BW	Flight from Andrews Air Force base to Vail Colorado - Christmas Trip to Vail	holding up Christmas tie, reading card; sitting by phone at working area, reading magazine	GRF		President's Cabin - Air Force One	Kennerly

Roll #	Frames	Tone	Subject - Proper	Subject - Generic	Names	Geographic	Location	Photographer
A7784	11-28	BW	Flight from Andrews Air Force base to Vail Colorado - Christmas Trip to Vail; Pet Golden Retriever	GRF seated at desk, watching dogs play; BF watches Riva laying at her shoeless feet; all not in every frame	GRF, Liberty, Jack Ford's puppy Riva; Betty Ford		President's Cabin - Air Force One	Kennerly
A7784	29	BW	Aboard Air Force One Enroute to Vail, CO	sitting by typewriter on plane; headphones, magazine	Joyce Rumsfeld(?) or Unidentified Female Secretary		Air Force One	Kennerly
A7785	14-17	BW	Depart Family Christmas Trip to Vail, Colorado	standing on ranch land, helicopter; various angles and distances; all not in every frame	GRF, Betty Ford, Mr. & Mrs. William Nottingham, Pontius, briefcase, Others, helicopter	Avon, CO	Nottingham Ranch Helipad	Kennerly
A7785	18-19	BW	Depart Family Christmas Trip to Vail, Colorado	shots of ground, western plateaus taken from helicopter; shadow of copter on ground		Avon, CO	Helicopter	Kennerly
A7785	20	BW	Flight to Walker Field; Departure from Family Christmas Trip to Vail, Colorado	seated together on plane	Steve Ford, Jack Ford		Helicopter	Kennerly
A7785	21-22	BW	Flight to Walker Field; Departure from Family Christmas Trip to Vail, Colorado - President's Personal Photographer; National Security Advisor	Kennerly sneaks up behind Scowcroft trying to scare him, who is sitting with eyes closed by window	Kennerly, Scowcroft		Air Force One	Kennerly
A7785	25-34	BW	Flight from Walker Field to Andrews Air Force Base Following Family Christmas Trip to Vail, Colorado	candids of persons in interior of plane; view of empty corridor, person sleeping in corridor; various angles and distances; all not in every frame	Unidentified persons		Air Force One	Kennerly
A7785	23-24	BW	Flight from Walker Field to Andrews Air Force Base Following Family Christmas Trip to Vail, Colorado	shots of ground, western plateaus			Air Force One	Kennerly
A7790	2-4	BW	Family Christmas Trip to Vail, Colorado	Aerial views		Vail, CO	Helicopter over Colorado	Kennerly
A7793	3A-7A	BW	Family Christmas Trip to Vail, Colorado - Arrival in Colorado; Pet Golden Retriever - There are two rolls of film on this contact sheet	walking with dogs on leashes on runway; handshaking	GRF, Liberty, Jack Ford's puppy Riva, Betty Ford; Pontius; Others	Grand Junction, CO	Tarmac-Walker Field	Kennerly
A7793	8A-12A	BW	Family Christmas Trip to Vail, Colorado; Pet Golden Retriever - There are two rolls of film on this contact sheet	Fords with dogs on leashes, standing around	GRF, Betty Ford, Liberty, Rivas, Mr. & Mrs. William Nottingham, Others	Avon, CO	Nottingham Ranch Helipad	Kennerly

Roll #	Frames	Tone	Subject - Proper	Subject - Generic	Names	Geographic	Location	Photographer
A7793	3A-6A	BW	There are two rolls of film on this contact sheet					Kennerly
A7793	7A-8A	BW	Enroute to Family Christmas Trip to Vail, Colorado - There are two rolls of film on this contact sheet	helicopters sitting on tarmac; aircraft		Grand Junction, CO	Tarmac-Walker Field	Kennerly
A7798	1-6	Color	Family Christmas Trip to Vail, Colorado; Miscellaneous Shots of Colorado	family in helicopter with open door; landscape shots from copter; various angles, distances and venues; all not in every frame		Vail, CO	Nottingham Ranch Helipad	Schumacher
A7977	3A-18A	Color	Family Christmas Trip to Vail, Colorado - Fondue Dinner at Holiday Inn	entering, handshaking, posing, standing, talking; Christmas tree, fur coat; various angles and distances; all not in every frame	GRF, Betty Ford, Lukash, Others	Vail, CO	Holiday Inn	Schumacher