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## Letter from a New Jersey Supporter to Geraldine Ferraro

Geraldine Ferraro

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August 16, 1984

WASHINGTON OFFICE

Ms. Geraldine Ferraro  
c/o Mondale/Ferraro Campaign  
2201 Wisconsin Avenue  
Washington, D.C. 20007

Dear Ms. Ferraro:

I support the Mondale/Ferraro ticket. More to the point, I want the defeat of Ronald Reagan very much. I am profoundly concerned, however, that your tendency to shoot from the hip may be perceived as flippancy, not worthy of the high office to which you aspire. Some of your recent remarks, which I choose not to repeat, nor beat to death, were calculated to elicit negative responses. I like your style and strong-mindedness. However, discipline is the keynote to successful delivery.

I want a Democratic victory in November. Please don't give the opposition any more fuel with which to diddle. You have to be more sensitive to the expectations of our multi-faceted society without being repressed. That's a tough feat. But you're in a tough position and everyone is watching. You're not yet the Queen. So, the old adage still applies, "Think before you speak."

Mr. Mondale is similarly afflicted. To him also, I send a letter.

Sincerely,

[REDACTED]

Assemblywoman, 17th District

*P.S. Consider this in the spirit it is intended. We (women & men) have a high level of anxiety. You are very important to us all.*

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