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## Letter from a Connecticut Supporter to Geraldine Ferraro

Geraldine Ferraro

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Connecticut [REDACTED]

Dear Congresswoman Ferraro,

I am writing to congratulate you on this milestone achievement, both for women and the United States of America. As many people have played key roles in history, so are you now, not only because you are a woman, but because as Mr. Mondale stated, you are a woman who symbolizes the "American dream" so well. Fortunately, this is a country of dreamers, dreamers who are also doers. I could sense from your acceptance speech that you are a dreamer/doer. You can carry out your goals, not only for your congressional district, but for the entire nation, from Huntington, Connecticut to San Francisco, California.

I am a nineteen year-old sophomore political science major attending Gettysburg College in Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, and am planning to attend law school. This November, I will be able to vote for the first time in a presidential election. Recently, in my American history class, I wrote a paper entitled, Abigail Adams: A Woman Ahead of Her Time. You are another Abigail Adams. You share her strength, her courage, her confidence and presence, her newness in an age which needs excitement and innovation, her boldness, and perhaps most important of all - her love of family and feeling of great pride for the United States.

I admire you. You are as the beacon atop Lady Liberty's torch, lighting the way for this country. Again, I give you my sincerest congratulations for this wonderful accomplishment.

Below are two lines from the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta, The Mikado. I wish them for you and Mr. Mondale during your campaign and the election in November.

May all good fortune prosper you. May you succeed in all you do...  
With joyous shout and ringing cheer - Inaugurate their new career!

With highest regard  
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