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Letter from a Filipino Supporter to Geraldine Ferraro

Geraldine Ferraro

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Dear Miss Geraldine Ferraro:

I am honored to introduce myself to your goodself as a retired lawyer, now 75, a Philippine guerrilla of World War II (insignificantly unrecognized), and a Filipino citizen with residence and postal address at Malaybalay, Bukidnon, Republic of the Philippines.

In this connection, however, I wish to inform that I am one of the listed VOA listeners (Ple. see xerox copy "A") who might ask questions as to how Americans live, work, and play. Even as such listed VOA listener, I do not, however, feel that I have any right to meddle or interfere with the internal affairs of other nations specifically in respect to the raging presidential battle now going on between President Reagan and Vice-Pres. George Bush on the one hand and Ex-Vice President Walter Mandale and your goodself for Vice-President on the other.

I am constrained, however, to send your goodself a xerox copy hereby enclosed of a rare clipping because of its great and far reaching significance on your involvment as the Vice-Presidential candidate of the Democratic Party.

This rare clipping was cut out of a Manila-based daily of August 16, 1970, and I had been keeping this along with many others that I have collected after World War II for their universal interest, appeal, and application and primarily for the purpose of compiling them into a solid publication for world release as soon as circumstances warrant.

In any event, the original of this clipping (Ple. see xerox copy "B") maybe obtainable directly from the undersigned at his mentioned address on or before Sept. 30, 1984, on the basis of an honorable "first come first served" agreement.

Perhaps it is not amiss to mention this capital town of Malaybalay where I reside is served by two international communication services as the: (1) Radio Communications of the Philippines (RCPI) and (2) Philippine Telephone and Telegraph Corp. (TELEFAST).

Thank you very much for your indulgence, I am, dear Madam

Very truly yours,

(Atty.)

ENCLS.: As stated.
Dear [Name]:

We appreciate your questions about life in the United States, and will consider them for future programs. If we do select one to answer on the Magazine Show, we will notify you in advance of the broadcast date and send you an illustrated book about the United States as our gift.

Of course, we cannot broadcast answers to all of the questions we receive, nor can we send out written replies to specific questions. If none of your questions is answered during the next few months, we invite you to submit new ones.

We are happy to include you among our listeners, and hope that you will continue to comment on our programs. The latest VOA program schedule is enclosed. If you already have the current schedule, you might want to give this one to a friend.

Thank you again for showing your interest in the Magazine Show.

Sincerely,

Walter Guthrie  
"Letters from Listeners"  
Magazine Show

Enclosure:  
As stated