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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 6, 1980

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: ANNE WEXLER *AW*

SUBJECT: MEDAL OF FREEDOM CEREMONY, MONDAY, JUNE 9, 1980
11:30 A.M., SOUTH LAWN

As you know, Tennessee Williams will be present Monday, June 9 to receive the Medal of Freedom, along with his sister, Rose, and brother, Dakin. You should also know that Williams' mother passed away last Saturday after a long illness. I am sure expressions of sympathy would be much appreciated.

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1. IT IS A GREAT PRIVILEGE TO HAVE HAD CHARLES BROWN FISK,
2. THE WINNER OF THE BACH INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIONS,
3. PLAYING THE INTRODUCTORY MOVEMENT OF BACH'S ITALIAN CONCERTO FOR US.
4. THIS IS THE WORLD'S FIRST MAJOR COMPETITION DEVOTED EXCLUSIVELY TO BACH,
5. AND SINCE IT WAS BEGUN IN 1959,
6. IT HAS ENCOURAGED A WHOLE GENERATION OF MUSICIANS ↗
7. TO INCLUDE SOME OF THE MOST CHALLENGING & EXCITING MUSIC ↗
8. IN THEIR REPERTOIRES. //
9. THE PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL OF FREEDOM
10. IS THE HIGHEST CIVILIAN AWARD GIVEN BY OUR GOVERNMENT.
11. THE MEDAL WAS FIRST PRESENTED BY PRESIDENT TRUMAN
12. TO HONOR ESPECIALLY MERITORIOUS NON-MILITARY CONTRIBUTIONS
13. TO NATIONAL SECURITY & WORLD PEACE DURING THE "WORLD WAR II" PERIOD. /

*MLK Jr.
Jonas Salk
Arthur Goldberg*

1. OVER THE YEARS THE QUALIFICATIONS WERE BROADENED
2. TO INCLUDE CULTURAL & OTHER SIGNIFICANT PUBLIC & PRIVATE ENDEAVORS.
3. PAST RECIPIENTS HAVE INCLUDED
4. MANY OF THE GREATEST COMPOSERS, WRITERS, SCIENTISTS,
PERFORMING & VISUAL ARTISTS,
RELIGIOUS & MORAL LEADERS OF OUR TIME --
5. APPROPRIATELY COVERING THE WIDE RANGE OF ACTIVITIES ↗
6. THAT A FREE PEOPLE RIGHTLY CONSIDER TO BE ↗
7. INVALUABLE CONTRIBUTIONS TO OUR NATIONAL LIFE,
8. AND TO THE PEACE & CULTURAL ENRICHMENT OF ALL PEOPLE. /

1. THE MEN & WOMEN TO BE HONORED HERE TODAY REFLECT THAT BROAD RANGE --
2. AN AUTHOR & AN ARCHBISHOP,
3. AN ADMIRAL & AN ACTOR WHO CAME TO SYMBOLIZE
THE SPIRIT OF AMERICAN INDIVIDUALISM,
4. A BIOLOGIST & A BIRDWATCHER,
5. A DRAMATIST & A DANCER,
6. A PHOTOGRAPHER, A POET & A PRESIDENT,
7. A COLORATURA & A CIVIL RIGHTS LEADER & A SENATOR FROM MINNESOTA
WHOSE ENTHUSIASM & COMPASSION INSPIRED A GENERATION.

1. THEIR WIDELY DIFFERING STYLES & CAREERS ARE UNITED BY ONE THING --
2. THEIR PASSIONATE COMMITMENT TO THEIR OWN COVICTIONS.
3. THEY HAVE ENRICHED OUR LIVES
4. BY BROADENING THE SCOPE OF OUR VISION 7
AND DEEPENING OUR UNDERSTANDING.
5. THEY HAVE, IN THEIR VARYING WAYS,
6. AROUSED OUR RIGHTFUL INDIGNATION
AT INJUSTICE, INDIFFERENCE & IGNORANCE.
7. THEY HAVE MADE US LOOK UP TO THE BIRD IN FLIGHT,
DOWN INTO THE DEPTHS OF THE OCEAN,
AND INWARD TO PROBE THE CRUELTY, COMEDY,
COURAGE & COMPASSION
OF THE HUMAN HEART. /

1. THE REST OF US HAVE NOT ALWAYS COME UP TO THE HIGH STANDARDS THEY HAVE SET,
2. BUT BECAUSE OF THEM
3. OUR NATION IS A LITTLE MORE SECURE,
A LITTLE LESS CARELESS,
A LITTLE MORE LITERATE,
A LITTLE MORE LOVING
THAN WE MIGHT OTHERWISE HAVE BEEN. //
4. I WILL READ THE NAMES & CITATIONS IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER:

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1. ROBERT PENN WARREN.
2. ROBERT PENN WARREN EXCELS AS A POET, NOVELIST,
LITERARY CRITIC, & TEACHER.
3. HIS TEXTBOOKS HELPED TO TRANSFORM
THE TEACHING OF LITERATURE & WRITING IN THE UNITED STATES.
4. AS A LITERARY CRAFTSMAN & A COMMITTED HUMANIST
5. ROBERT PENN WARREN HAS UNDERTAKEN A LIFELONG QUEST
FOR SELFKNOWLEDGE & MORAL VISION
6. WHICH HAS ESTABLISHED HIM
7. AS ONE OF AMERICA'S GREATEST MEN OF LETTERS.

1. JOHN WAYNE.
2. JOHN WAYNE WAS BOTH AN EXAMPLE & A SYMBOL
3. OF TRUE AMERICAN GRIT & DETERMINATION.
4. THROUGH HIS COUNTLESS FILM ROLES,
5. "THE DUKE" STILL LEADS MILLIONS ON HEROIC ADVENTURES
ON BEHALF OF FAIRNESS & JUSTICE.
6. HE EMBODIES THE ENDURING AMERICAN VALUES
7. OF INDIVIDUALISM,
RELENTLESS BRAVERY,
AND PERSEVERANCE IN PURSUIT OF WHAT IS RIGHT.
8. HE WAS THE QUINTESSENTIAL PATRIOT,
9. AND WILL ESPECIALLY BE REMEMBERED
10. WHENEVER OUR NATION FACES A CHALLENGE
CALLING FOR STEADFAST COURAGE.

1. EUDORA WELTY.
2. EUDORA WELTY'S FICTION,
3. WITH ITS STRONG SENSE OF PLACE & TRIUMPHANT COMIC SPIRIT,
4. ILLUMINATES THE HUMAN CONDITION.
5. HER PHOTOGRAPHS OF THE SOUTH DURING THE DEPRESSION
REVEAL A RARE ARTISTIC SENSIBILITY.
6. HER CRITICAL ESSAYS EXPLORE MIND & HEART,
LITERARY & ORAL TRADITION,
LANGUAGE & LIFE
WITH UNSURPASSED BEAUTY.
7. THROUGH PHOTOGRAPHY, ESSAYS, & FICTION,
8. EUDORA WELTY HAS ENRICHED OUR LIVES
9. AND SHOWN US THE WONDER OF HUMAN EXPERIENCE.

1. TENNESSEE WILLIAMS.
2. TENNESSEE WILLIAMS HAS SHAPED THE HISTORY OF MODERN AMERICAN THEATER
3. THROUGH PLAYS WHICH RANGE FROM PASSIONATE TRAGEDIES
TO LYRICAL COMEDIES.
4. HIS MASTERPIECES DRAMATIZE THE ETERNAL CONFLICTS
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LOVE & DESPAIR
THROUGH THE UNITY OF REALITY & POETRY.
5. TENNESSEE WILLIAMS SHOWS US
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[The winner of the Bach competition will be supplied by Gretchen Poston on Monday morning.]

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Presidential Medal of Freedom

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It is a great privilege to have had Charles Brown Fiske ^{boy}
of ~~Waltham, Massachusetts,~~ the winner of the Bach International
Competitions, playing The Introductory Movement of Bach's Italian Concerto for us. This is the
world's first major competition devoted exclusively to Bach,
and since it was begun in 1959 has encouraged a whole generation
of musicians to include some of the most challenging and
exciting music in their repertoires. _____ is
at the beginning of a promising career, a fitting start for
a ceremony recognizing outstanding men and women in the midst
of long careers of service, and, in some cases posthumously
honoring a lifetime of contributions.

The Presidential Medal of Freedom is the highest civilian
award given by our government. The medal was first presented
by President Truman to honor especially meritorious non-military
contributions to national security and world peace during the

World War II period. Over the years the qualifications were broadened to include cultural and other significant public and private endeavors. Past recipients have included many of the greatest composers, writers, scientists, performing and visual artists, religious and moral leaders of our time -- appropriately covering the wide range of activities that a free people rightly consider to be invaluable contributions to our national life, and to the peace and cultural enrichment of all people.

The men and women to be honored here today reflect that broad range -- an author and an archbishop, an admiral and an actor who came to symbolize the spirit of American individualism, a biologist and a birdwatcher, a dramatist and a dancer, a photographer, a poet and a President, a coloratura and a civil rights leader and a Senator from Minnesota whose enthusiasm and compassion inspired a generation.

Their widely differing styles and careers are united by one thing -- their passionate commitment to their deeply felt *own*

convictions. They have enriched our lives by broadening the scope of our vision and deepening our understanding. They have, in their varying ways, aroused our rightful ^{indignation} anger at injustice, indifference and ignorance. They have made us look up to the bird in flight, down into the depths of the ocean, and inward to probe the cruelty, comedy, courage and compassion of the human heart. ^{The rest of us} We have not always come up to the high standards they have set, but because of them our nation is a ^{little more secure, a} little less careless, a little more literate, a little more loving than we might otherwise have been.

I will read the names and citations in alphabetical order:

ANSEL ADAMS

At one with the power of the American landscape, and renowned for the patient skill and timeless beauty of his work, photographer Ansel Adams has been visionary in his

efforts to preserve this country's wild and scenic areas, both on film and on Earth. Drawn to the beauty of nature's monuments, he is regarded by environmentalists as a monument himself, and by photographers as a national institution. It is through his foresight and fortitude that so much of America has been saved for future Americans.

RACHEL CARSON

Never silent herself in the face of destructive trends, Rachel Carson fed a spring of awareness across America and beyond. A biologist with a gentle, clear voice, she welcomed her audiences to her love of the sea, while with an equally clear determined voice she warned Americans of the dangers human beings themselves pose for their own environment. Always concerned, always eloquent, she created a tide of environmental consciousness that has ^{never} not ebbed.

LUCIA CHASE

Ballerina Lucia Chase has been a one-woman show,

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devoting her lifework to sustaining the vitality of American dance. A dancer and ballet director both, she has interpreted roles and created them, and in every instance she has served to inspire the young, entertain ^{us all} the old and win for American talent its rightful place on the international stage of dance.

BEVERLY SILLS GREENOUGH

Beverly Sills has captured with her voice every note of human feeling, and with her superb dramatic talent projected them out to us with ringing clarity. Through her many and diverse roles, she tells and retells opera's intensely heightened stories of human folly, goodness, pain and triumph. She has touched and delighted audiences throughout the world as a performer, as a recording artist, and now as a producer -- and of all her arts she is a master.

HUBERT H. HUMPHREY

Hubert H. Humphrey awed us with the scope of his
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knowledge; he inspired us with the depth of his sympathy; he moved us with his passion for social justice; he delighted us with his joyous love of his fellow human beings. He brought honor and enthusiasm to everything he did. He ennobled the political process.

ARCHBISHOP IAKOVOS

Greek Orthodox Archbishop Iakovos has long put into practice what he has preached. As a progressive religious leader concerned with human rights and the ecumenical movement, he has marched with Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. *to help blend two streams of religious conviction.* and has met with the Pope. As the Primate of the Greek Orthodox Church of North and South America concerned with his congregation, he has given guidance to millions.

LYNDON BAINES JOHNSON

Lyndon B. Johnson cared deeply about our country, its citizens, and the condition of their lives. He knew well

how to translate concern into action, and action into a national agenda. He did more than any American of his time to break the chains of injustice, illiteracy, poverty and sickness. We are a greater society because President Johnson lived among us and worked for us, *et c.*

CLARENCE M. MITCHELL, JR.

Clarence M. Mitchell, Jr., for decades waged in the halls of Congress a stubborn, resourceful and historic campaign for social justice. The integrity of this "101st Senator" earned him the respect of friends and adversaries alike. His brilliant advocacy helped translate into law the protests and aspirations of millions consigned too long to second-class citizenship. The hard-won fruits of his labors have made America a better and stronger nation.

ROGER TORY PETERSON

Roger Tory Peterson has achieved distinction as a consummate painter, writer, teacher and scientist. As an unabashed

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lover of birds and a distinguished ornithologist, he has furthered the study, appreciation and protection of birds the world over. And he has done more. He has impassioned thousands of Americans, and has awakened in millions across this land, a fondness for nature's other two-legged creatures.

ADMIRAL H. G. RICKOVER, U.S. NAVY

Admiral Rickover exemplifies the American belief that freedom and responsibility are inseparable; the duty of the citizen is to contribute his best to the Nation's welfare and defense. *He harnessed atomic power for peace.* His successful development and application of nuclear propulsion revolutionized naval warfare. The performance of our nuclear fleet over more than a quarter of a century is proof of his well-known commitment to excellence. This Nation's first civilian electric utility reactor, which he designed and developed in the 1950's, is the technological forerunner of nearly all utility reactors subsequently built in this country. A keen observer of

mankind, he has not hesitated to measure publicly the actions of government, industry, the professions, and our schools against the standard of responsibility.

ROBERT PENN WARREN

Robert Penn Warren excels as a poet, novelist, literary critic, and teacher. His textbooks, ^{helped to} ~~written with~~ Cleanth Brooks, transformed the teaching of literature and writing in the United States. As a literary craftsman and a committed humanist Robert Penn Warren has undertaken a lifelong quest for selfknowledge and moral vision which has established him as one of America's greatest men of letters, ~~of the 20th Century.~~

JOHN WAYNE

John Wayne was both an example and a symbol of true American grit and determination. Through his countless film roles, "The Duke" still leads millions on heroic

adventures on behalf of fairness and justice. He embodies the enduring American values of individualism, relentless bravery and perseverance in pursuit of what is right. He was the quintessential patriot, and will especially be remembered whenever our Nation faces a challenge calling for steadfast courage.

EUDORA WELTY

Eudora Welty's fiction, with its strong sense of place and triumphant comic spirit, illuminates the human condition. Her photographs of the South during the Depression reveal a rare artistic sensibility. Her critical essays explore mind and heart, literary and oral tradition, language and life with unsurpassed beauty. Through photography, essays, and fiction, Eudora Welty has enriched our lives and shown us the wonder of human experience.

TENNESSEE WILLIAMS

Tennessee Williams has shaped the history of modern American

theater through plays which range from passionate tragedies to lyrical comedies. His masterpieces dramatize the eternal conflicts between body and soul, youth and death, love and despair through the unity of reality and poetry. Tennessee Williams shows us that the truly heroic in life or art is human compassion.

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15. THE ACTIONS OF GOVERNMENT, INDUSTRY, THE PROFESSIONS, & OUR SCHOOLS
AGAINST THE STANDARD OF RESPONSIBILITY.

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1. ROBERT PENN WARREN.
2. ROBERT PENN WARREN EXCELS AS A POET, NOVELIST,
LITERARY CRITIC, & TEACHER.
3. HIS TEXTBOOKS HELPED TO TRANSFORM
THE TEACHING OF LITERATURE & WRITING IN THE UNITED STATES.
4. AS A LITERARY CRAFTSMAN & A COMMITTED HUMANIST
5. ROBERT PENN WARREN HAS UNDERTAKEN A LIFELONG QUEST
FOR SELFKNOWLEDGE & MORAL VISION
6. WHICH HAS ESTABLISHED HIM
7. AS ONE OF AMERICA'S GREATEST MEN OF LETTERS.

1. JOHN WAYNE.
2. JOHN WAYNE WAS BOTH AN EXAMPLE & A SYMBOL
3. OF TRUE AMERICAN GRIT & DETERMINATION.
4. THROUGH HIS COUNTLESS FILM ROLES,
5. "THE DUKE" STILL LEADS MILLIONS ON HEROIC ADVENTURES
ON BEHALF OF FAIRNESS & JUSTICE.
6. HE EMBODIES THE ENDURING AMERICAN VALUES OF INDIVIDUALISM,
RELENTLESS BRAVERY, AND PERSEVERANCE IN PURSUIT OF WHAT IS RIGHT.
8. HE WAS THE QUINTESSENTIAL PATRIOT,
9. AND WILL ESPECIALLY BE REMEMBERED
10. WHENEVER OUR NATION FACES A CHALLENGE
CALLING FOR STEADFAST COURAGE.

1. EUDORA WELTY.
2. EUDORA WELTY'S FICTION,
3. WITH ITS STRONG SENSE OF PLACE & TRIUMPHANT COMIC SPIRIT,
4. ILLUMINATES THE HUMAN CONDITION.
5. HER PHOTOGRAPHS OF THE SOUTH DURING THE DEPRESSION
REVEAL A RARE ARTISTIC SENSIBILITY.
6. HER CRITICAL ESSAYS EXPLORE MIND & HEART,
LITERARY & ORAL TRADITION,
LANGUAGE & LIFE
WITH UNSURPASSED BEAUTY.
7. THROUGH PHOTOGRAPHY, ESSAYS, & FICTION,
8. EUDORA WELTY HAS ENRICHED OUR LIVES
9. AND SHOWN US THE WONDER OF HUMAN EXPERIENCE.

1. TENNESSEE WILLIAMS.
2. TENNESSEE WILLIAMS HAS SHAPED THE HISTORY OF MODERN AMERICAN THEATER
3. THROUGH PLAYS WHICH RANGE FROM PASSIONATE TRAGEDIES
TO LYRICAL COMEDIES.
4. HIS MASTERPIECES DRAMATIZE THE ETERNAL CONFLICTS
BETWEEN BODY & SOUL,
YOUTH & DEATH,
LOVE & DESPAIR
THROUGH THE UNITY OF REALITY & POETRY.
5. TENNESSEE WILLIAMS SHOWS US
6. THAT THE TRULY HEROIC IN LIFE OR ART
IS HUMAN COMPASSION.
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11:30 PM

MEDAL OF FREEDOM

Monday, June 9, 1980

11:30 a.m.

(THE PRESIDENT)

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INVITATION



*The President and Mrs. Carter
request the pleasure of your company
at the presentation of
The Presidential Medal of Freedom
The White House
on Monday, June 9, 1980
at eleven-thirty o'clock
Luncheon to follow*

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THE UNITED STATES ARMY BAND

"PERSHING'S OWN"

Colonel Eugene W. Allen, Leader and Commander

THE UNITED STATES ARMY CHORUS

Captain Frank G. Dubuy conducting

STOUTHEARTED MEN.....Sigmund Romberg
arr. Samuel Loboda

HALLELUJAH!.....Vincent Youmans-Leo Robin-Cliff Grey
arr. Joseph Wilcox Jenkins

FREEDOM from "Shenandoah".....Gary Geld-Peter Udell
arr. Roger Nelson

IF.....David Gates
arr. Roger Nelson

SHALL WE GATHER AT THE RIVER.....Traditional
arr. Aaron Copland

AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL.....Samuel A. Ward-Katherine Lee Bates
arr. Barry Drewes

THIS IS MY COUNTRY.....Al Jacobs

BATTLE HYMN OF THE REPUBLIC.....Will Steffe

CITATIONS

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MEDAL OF FREEDOM CITATION FOR ANSEL ADAMS

At one with the power of the American landscape, and renowned for the patient skill and timeless beauty of his work, photographer Ansel Adams has been visionary in his efforts to preserve this country's wild and scenic areas, both on film and on Earth. Drawn to the beauty of nature's monuments, he is regarded by environmentalists as a monument himself, and by photographers as a national institution. It is through his foresight and fortitude that so much of America has been saved for future Americans.

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MEDAL OF FREEDOM CITATION FOR RACHEL CARSON

Never silent herself in the face of destructive trends, Rachel Carson fed a spring of awareness across America and beyond. A biologist with a gentle, clear voice, she welcomed her audiences to her love of the sea, while with an equally clear, determined voice, she warned Americans of the dangers human beings themselves pose for their own environment. Always concerned, always eloquent, she created a tide of environmental consciousness that has not ebbed.

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MEDAL OF FREEDOM CITATION FOR LUCIA CHASE

Ballerina Lucia Chase has been a one-woman show, devoting her lifework to sustaining the vitality of American dance. A dancer and ballet director both, she has interpreted roles and created them, and in every instance she has served to inspire the young, entertain the old and win for American talent its rightful place on the international stage of dance.

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MEDAL OF FREEDOM CITATION FOR HUBERT H. HUMPHREY

Hubert H. Humphrey awed us with the scope of his knowledge; he inspired us with the depth of his sympathy; he moved us with his passion for social justice; he delighted us with his joyous love of his fellow human beings. He brought honor and enthusiasm to everything he did. He ennobled the political process.

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MEDAL OF FREEDOM CITATION FOR ARCHBISHOP IAKOVOS

Greek Orthodox Archbishop Iakovos has long put into practice what he has preached. As a progressive religious leader concerned with human rights and the ecumenical movement, he has marched with Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., and has met with the Pope. As the Primate of the Greek Orthodox Church of North and South America concerned with his congregation, he has given guidance to millions.

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MEDAL OF FREEDOM CITATION FOR LYNDON BAINES JOHNSON

Lyndon B. Johnson cared deeply about our country, its citizens, and the condition of their lives. He knew well how to translate concern into action, and action into a national agenda. He did more than any American of his time to break the chains of injustice, illiteracy, poverty and sickness. We are a greater society because President Johnson lived among us and worked for us.

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MEDAL OF FREEDOM CITATION FOR CLARENCE M. MITCHELL, JR.

Clarence M. Mitchell, Jr., for decades waged in the halls of Congress a stubborn, resourceful and historic campaign for social justice. The integrity of this "101st Senator" earned him the respect of friends and adversaries alike. His brilliant advocacy helped translate into law the protests and aspirations of millions consigned too long to second-class citizenship. The hard-won fruits of his labors have made America a better and stronger nation.

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MEDAL OF FREEDOM CITATION FOR ROGER TORY PETERSON

As consummate painter, writer, teacher and scientist, Roger Tory Peterson has earned many a feather for his cap. An unabashed lover of birds and a distinguished ornithologist, he has furthered the study, appreciation and protection of birds the world over. And he has done more. He has impassioned thousands of Americans, and has awakened in millions across this land, a fondness for nature's other two-legged creatures.

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MEDAL OF FREEDOM CITATION FOR HYMAN RICKOVER

Admiral Rickover exemplifies the American belief that freedom and responsibility are inseparable; the duty of the citizen is to contribute his best to the Nation's welfare and defense. His successful development and application of nuclear propulsion revolutionized naval warfare. The performance of our nuclear fleet over more than a quarter of a century is proof of his well-known commitment to excellence. This Nation's first civilian electric utility reactor, which he designed and developed in the 1950's, is the technological forerunner of nearly all utility reactors subsequently built in this country. A keen observer of mankind, he has not hesitated to measure publicly the actions of government, industry, the professions, and our schools against the standard of responsibility.

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MEDAL OF FREEDOM CITATION FOR BEVERLY SILLS

Beverly Sills has captured with her voice every note of human feeling, and with her superb dramatic talent projected them out to us with ringing clarity. Through her many and diverse roles, she tells and retells opera's intensely heightened stories of human folly, goodness, pain and triumph. She has touched and delighted audiences throughout the world as a performer, as a recording artist, and now as a producer -- and of all her arts she is a master.

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MEDAL OF FREEDOM CITATION FOR ROBERT PENN WARREN

Robert Penn Warren excels as a poet, novelist, literary critic, and teacher. His textbooks, written with Cleanth Brooks, transformed the teaching of literature and writing in the United States. As a literary craftsman and a committed humanist, Robert Penn Warren has undertaken a lifelong quest for self-knowledge and moral vision which has established him as one of America's greatest men of letters of the 20th Century.

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MEDAL OF FREEDOM CITATION FOR JOHN WAYNE

John Wayne was both an example and a symbol of true American grit and determination. Through his countless film roles, "The Duke" still leads millions on heroic adventures on behalf of fairness and justice. He embodies the enduring American values of individualism, relentless bravery and perseverance in pursuit of what is right. He was the quintessential patriot, and will especially be remembered whenever our Nation faces a challenge calling for standfast courage.

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MEDAL OF FREEDOM CITATION FOR EUDORA WELTY

Eudora Welty's fiction, with its strong sense of place and triumphant comic spirit, illuminates the human condition. Her photographs of the South during the Depression reveal a rare artistic sensibility. Her critical essays explore mind and heart, literary and oral tradition, language and life with unsurpassed beauty. Through photography, essays and fiction, Eudora Welty has enriched our lives and shown us the wonder of human experience.

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MEDAL OF FREEDOM CITATION FOR TENNESSEE WILLIAMS

Tennessee Williams has shaped the history of modern American theater through plays which range from passionate tragedies to lyrical comedies. His masterpieces dramatize the eternal conflicts between body and soul, youth and death, love and despair through the unity of reality and poetry. Tennessee Williams shows us that the truly heroic in life or art is human compassion.

GUEST LISTS

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GUEST LIST FOR ANSEL ADAMS

Mrs. Virginia Adams
Dr. and Mrs. Michael Adams
 Matthew and Sarah
Mrs. Anne Adams Helms
 Virginia, Allison and Sylvia
Mr. and Mrs. James Alinder
Mr. William A. Turnage
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lunn
Senator and Mrs. Alan Cranston
Congressman Leon E. Panetta

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GUEST LIST FOR RACHEL CARSON

Mrs. Burnet Davis
Bob Hines
Shirley Briggs
Mrs. Virginia Kings
Susan Reich
Roger Christie

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GUEST LIST FOR LUCIA CHASE

The Reverend and Mrs. Donald R. Morris
Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Vallinder, III
Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Ewing
 Caroline
Mr. and Mrs. James Borynack
Mr. and Mrs. Roger Stevens
The Honorable and Mrs. Livingston Biddle
The Honorable and Mrs. William Blair, Jr.
Mrs. George A. Garrett

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GUEST LIST FOR HUBERT H. HUMPHREY (Mrs. Humphrey)

The Honorable and Mrs. Hubert H. Humphrey, III
Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Humphrey
Mr. and Mrs. Douglas S. Humphrey
Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Solomonson
Mrs. Frances H. Howard
Ms. Anne Howard
Mr. and Mrs. William R. Howard
Mrs. Fern Baynes
Mrs. Harriet Humphrey

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GUEST LIST FOR ARCHBISHOP IAKOVOS

Mr. and Mrs. Andre Mentzelopoulos
Mrs. Virginia Hallas
Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Daoussis
Mr. Peter T. Kourides
Mr. Chris Demetriades
Rev. George J. Bacopulos
Mr. Alexander Papamarkou
His Excellency Metropolitan Silas

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GUEST LIST FOR LYNDON BAINES JOHNSON (Mrs. Johnson)

Mrs. Charles Engelhard
Mr. and Mrs. Donald S. Thomas
Mr. and Mrs. George R. Brown
The Honorable and Mrs. Charles Robb
Lucinda and Catherine
Ms. Luci Baines Johnson
Lyndon and Nicole
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Krim
Mr. and Mrs. Lew Wasserman

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GUEST LIST FOR CLARENCE M. MITCHELL, JR.

Congressman Parren J. Mitchell
Mrs. Juanita J. Mitchell
Senator Clarence M. Mitchell, III
Dr. and Mrs. Keiffer J. Mitchell
Councilman and Mrs. Michael B. Mitchell
Mr. and Mrs. George D. Mitchell
Karleen Downs Berthel
Anna Mae Gittings
George A. Mitchell
Rose E. Grady
Marian J. Brodie
Benjamin Hooks and Mrs. Hooks
Ms. Mildred Bond Roxborough
Ms. Althea Simmons
J. Francis Pohlhaus
Ms. Evelyn W. Harvey

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GUEST LIST FOR ROGER TORY PETERSON

Tory C. Peterson
Lee A. Peterson
Linda Westervelt
Miriam Westervelt
Paul Brooks
The Honorable and Mrs. Elliot Richardson
Lars-Eric Lindblad
Robert L. Lewin
Dr. Joseph Hickey
Dr. John Grandy
Victor Emmanuel

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GUEST LIST FOR ADMIRAL HYMAN G. RICKOVER

Mrs. H. G. Rickover
Mrs. Peter Bednowicz
Mrs. Irving Berman

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GUEST LIST FOR BEVERLY SILLS

Mrs. Morris Silverman
Miss Muffy Greenough
Dr. and Mrs. Sidney H. Silverman
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sills
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thomasset
Mr. and Mrs. Peter Greenough
Mrs. Marjorie Samuel

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GUEST LIST FOR ROBERT PENN WARREN

Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Penn Warren
Miss Rosanna Warren
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Erskine
Mrs. Milton Starr
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bernstein
Mr. William Ferris
Mrs. Robert Penn Warren

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GUEST LIST FOR JOHN WAYNE

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wayne
Mr. and Mrs. Donald LaCava
Mr. Patrick J. Wayne
Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Nunoz
Miss Aissa Maria Wayne
Mr. John Ethan Wayne
Miss Marissa C. Wayne
Mr. and Mrs. Morris Mirkin
Mrs. Carmela Pallette
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sinatra
Mr. Arturo McGowan
Mr. James B. Wabel
Mr. and Mrs. Augusto de la Torre
Marcela
The Honorable and Mrs. John Warner
Miss Maureen O'Hara
Mrs. John Wayne

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GUEST LIST FOR EUDORA WELTY

Mr. and Mrs. Nash K. Burger
Mr. and Mrs. John A. Prince
Mr. Reynolds Price
Mr. Walter Clemons
Mrs. Diarmuid C. Russell
Miss Charlotte Capers
Mr. and Mrs. William Jay Smith

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GUEST LIST FOR TENNESSEE WILLIAMS

Rose Williams
Maureen Stapleton
Geraldine Page
Milton Goldman
Mitch Douglas
Kate Muldaur
Heberto Padilla
Robert M. Carson

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EXTRA NAMES FROM ANNE WEXLER

Dr. Robert L. Hardesty
Mr. Carl Holman
Harry McPherson
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Johnson
Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Athens

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MENU - MEDAL OF FREEDOM LUNCHEON

Pate of Duckling in Golden Crust
Sauce Cumberland

Filet of Mountain Trout filled with Salmon
Fleurons
Artichoke Hearts Forestiere

White Chocolate Mousse
with Fresh Raspberries
Champagne Lady Fingers

BV Pinot Chardonnay

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Each recipient of the Medal of Freedom award will be assigned a military social aide as an escort for the entire proceeding. Each will be greeted upon entering the North Portico and escorted to the Green Room. The aides will have been briefed in detail prior to this concerning each step in the presentation. A briefing will take place in the Green Room with the recipients including an actual demonstration so each is fully prepared for the ceremony.

At 11:20 AM, THE PRESIDENT and MRS. CARTER and the Vice President and Mrs. Mondale will arrive Green Room to greet honorees. They will be lined up in alphabetical order and form a procession out to the South Lawn via the South Portico stairs where they will be announced individually upon reaching the rear of the seating area. They are then escorted to designated seats. The Vice President and Mrs. Mondale and THE PRESIDENT and MRS. CARTER are then announced and escorted up the center aisle - the Vice President and Mrs. Mondale and MRS. CARTER to reserved seats and THE PRESIDENT to a seat on the stage.

At this time the winner of the Bach Competition will enter the stage and perform a three minute selection. At the conclusion of this performance, THE PRESIDENT walks over to the podium and makes remarks, proceeding with the presentations. THE PRESIDENT reads the actual citation to the recipient. A social aide who will have escorted that person to the podium hands the medal to THE PRESIDENT who in turn places it around the neck of the recipient. Another aide will be standing behind the recipient to snap the ribbon in place.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 29, 1980

MEMORANDUM FOR: THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. CARTER
FROM: GRETCHEN POSTON *GP*
SUBJECT: Scenario for Ceremony and Lunch for
Awarding Medal of Freedom, Monday,
June 9, 1980, 11:30 a.m.

11:00 AM Guests arrive Southwest Gate and are directed
to seating on South Lawn.
(Army Chorus begins program.)

Recipients of Medal of Freedom arrive North-
west Gate, proceed to North Portico and are
escorted to Green Room.

Family members with them are escorted to
South Lawn for seating via East Garden Room.

11:20 AM THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. CARTER and the Vice President
and Mrs. Mondale arrive Green Room to greet honorees.

Procession to South Lawn down South Portico
stairs begins in the following order:

Ansel Adams
Rachel Carson (Roger Christie)
Lucia Chase
Hubert H. Humphrey (Mrs. Humphrey)
Archbishop Iakovos
Lyndon B. Johnson (Mrs. Johnson)
Clarence Mitchell, Jr.
Roger Tory Peterson
Admiral Hyman Rickover
Beverly Sills
Robert Penn Warren
John Wayne (Mrs. Wayne)
Eudora Welty
Tennessee Williams
The Vice President and Mrs. Mondale
THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. CARTER

Honorees are announced and escorted to stage for designated seating.

The Vice President and Mrs. Mondale are announced and escorted to reserved seats.

THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. CARTER are announced.
(Honors played.)

MRS. CARTER is escorted to reserved seat.

THE PRESIDENT proceeds to stage by stairs at stage right and is seated.

Winner of Bach Competition proceeds to stage at stage left and plays three-minute selection.

THE PRESIDENT proceeds to podium to begin presentation of Medals of Freedom.

12 Noon At conclusion of ceremony, MRS. CARTER proceeds to podium and invites guests into Residence for luncheon.

THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. CARTER lead recession to South Portico. They depart for living quarters.

Honorees and guests proceed to South Portico stairs to pick up escort cards.

Honorees and guests proceed up stairs through Green Room to East Room where they mix and mingle for 15 minutes while aperitifs are served.

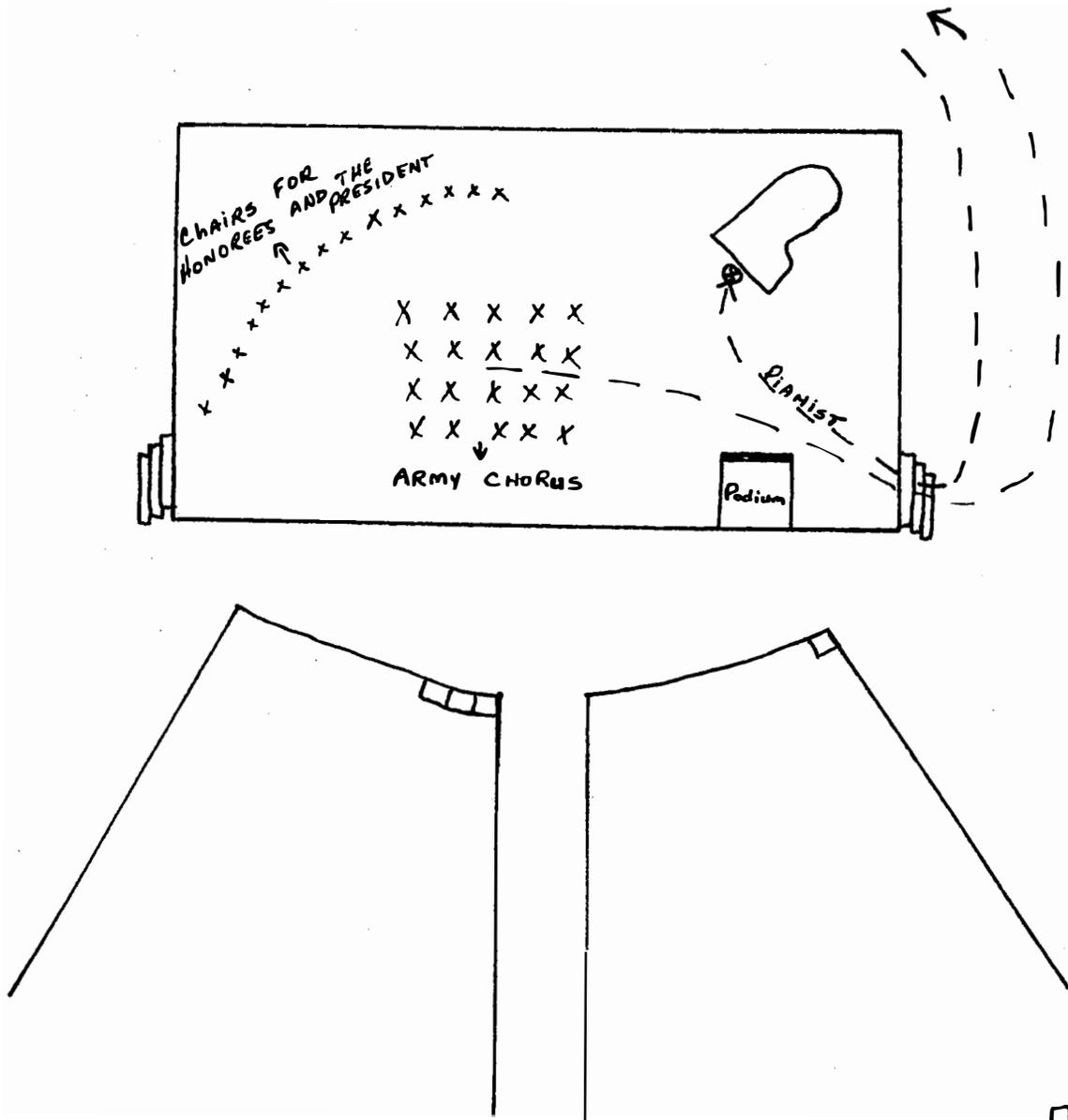
12:15 PM THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. CARTER arrive State Floor and proceed to East Room for receiving line with the Vice President and Mrs. Mondale.

Guests proceed through receiving line and through Green Room to assigned rooms for seating for lunch.
(USMC Orchestra playing in Main Foyer.)
(Strolling Strings playing in lower Cross Hall-stationary.)

12:30 PM THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. CARTER and the Vice President and Mrs. Mondale are escorted to seats for lunch.

Luncheon served.

1:30 PM All guests depart Residence.



□ - RESERVED SEATS

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June 3, 1980

MEMORANDUM TO: THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. CARTER
FROM: GRETCHEN POSTON *lp*
SUBJECT: RAIN PLAN - SCENARIO FOR CEREMONY
AND LUNCH FOR AWARDING MEDAL OF
FREEDOM, MONDAY, JUNE 9, 1980,
11:30 AM.

11:00 AM

Guests arrive Southwest Gate and are directed to the East Room via East Garden Room.
(USMC Orchestra playing in Main Foyer.)
Escort cards picked up at top of stairway.

Recipients of Medal of Freedom arrive Northwest Gate, proceed to North Portico and are escorted to Red Room.

Family members with them are escorted to East Room for seating.

11:20 AM

THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. CARTER and the Vice President and Mrs. Mondale arrive Red Room to greet honorees.

Procession to East Room down Cross Hall begins in the following order:

Ansel Adams
Rachel Carson (Roger Christie)
Lucia Chase
Hubert H. Humphrey (Mrs. Humphrey)
Archbishop Iakovos
Lyndon B. Johnson (Mrs. Johnson)
Clarence Mitchell, Jr.
Roger Tory Peterson
Admiral Hyman Rickover
Beverly Sills
Robert Penn Warren
John Wayne (Mrs. Wayne)
Eudora Welty
Tennessee Williams
The Vice President and Mrs. Mondale
THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. CARTER

Honorees are announced and escorted to platform on North wall of East Room (see diagram) for designated seating.

The Vice President and Mrs. Mondale are announced and escorted to reserved seats.

THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. CARTER are announced.
(Honors played.)

MRS. CARTER is escorted to reserved seat.

THE PRESIDENT proceeds to platform and is seated.

Winner of Bach Competition proceeds to platform and plays three-minute selection.

THE PRESIDENT proceeds to podium to begin presentation of Medals of Freedom.

12 Noon

At conclusion of ceremony, MRS. CARTER proceeds to podium and invites guests to lunch.

THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. CARTER and the Vice President and Mrs. Mondale depart East Room and take positions under Seal for receiving line.

Guests are directed from East Room out to Cross Hall where aperitifs will be served as they wait to go through receiving line. They then proceed to assigned rooms for lunch.

12:15 PM

THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. CARTER and the Vice President and Mrs. Mondale are escorted to seats for lunch.

(Strolling Strings playing in lower Cross Hall-stationary.)

Luncheon served.

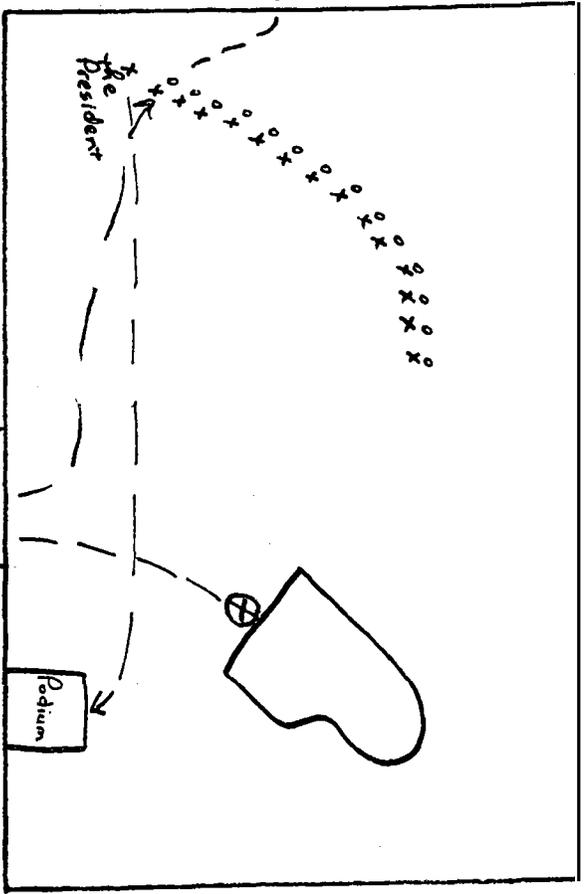
1:30 PM

All guests depart Residence.

CROSS HALL
the V.P. + Mrs. Mondale
the President + Mrs. Carter

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Mr. Mondale
the V.P.
Mrs. Carter



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BACKGROUND
BACH COMPETITION

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The Bach Competitions were founded in 1959 by Mrs. Raissa Tselentis Chadwell, a noted pedagogue in Washington, D.C., specializing in the clavier works of Johann Sebastian Bach. Pianists between the ages of 18 to 30 are eligible to compete, and play an assigned repertoire of Bach's compositions before a panel of judges. Within a few years the Competitions had become so renowned within musical and critical circles that the number of contestants from the United States, Europe and Asia increased to require three full days of competitions. The number of sponsors who contributed prizes likewise grew until today they total \$9,000 in cash prizes and include appearances with two major symphony orchestras, solo recitals and a two month study sojourn in West Germany. In the 21 years of the Competitions, over 800 musicians have participated and the winners, while predominantly American, have also included natives of Japan, Canada, France, Austria, Germany and other countries throughout the world. The judges are chosen from amongst the foremost musicians and musical scholars of our time.

The Competitions this year will be held at Lisner Auditorium on June 6, 7 and 8. Already 61 contestants have been entered, of whom the large majority are from the United States. The finals take place in the afternoon of Sunday, June 8, at which the three top contestants are chosen.

The winner of this Competition is invited to perform a selection on the program at the Medal of Freedom presentation.

SEATING

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The luncheon after the Medal of Freedom ceremony will be seated in the following fashion:

State Dining Room - 130 persons

Blue Room - 50 persons

Diplomatic
Reception Room - 40 persons

China Room - 30 persons