

**George Bush
for President.**

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Mr. Richard W. Salmons, Jr.
Washington and Lee University
1980 Mock Republican Convention
P.O. Box 1559
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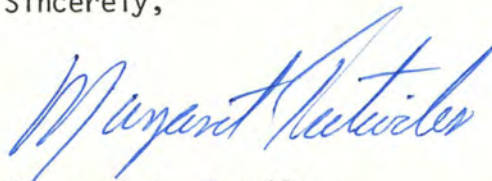
Dear Mr. Salmons,

Due to the fact that Ambassador Bush is traveling constantly, he has asked that I respond to your request of November 26 for him to participate in your Mock Convention.

Unfortunately, Ambassador Bush is going to have to regret the dates in January and February because of previous campaign commitments. However, he would like to keep the March dates open. If I can be of any further assistance to you on this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me in Ambassador Bush's office.

Ambassador Bush wants you to know how much he appreciates your thoughtfulness of him and sends you his very best wishes.

Sincerely,



Margaret D. Tutwiler
Scheduler