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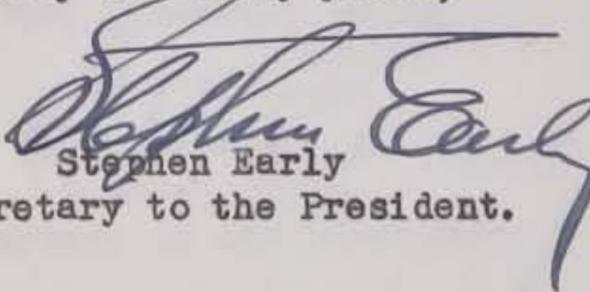
February 21, 1940.

My dear Miss Tully:

Before the President left he asked me to write you and say that he hoped you could attend the annual services to be held at St. John's Church, Lafayette Square, on Monday morning, March fourth, at ten thirty o'clock.

This anniversary service was begun on March 4, 1933, and the President feels that it has been of great benefit to all those who have attended.

Very sincerely yours,



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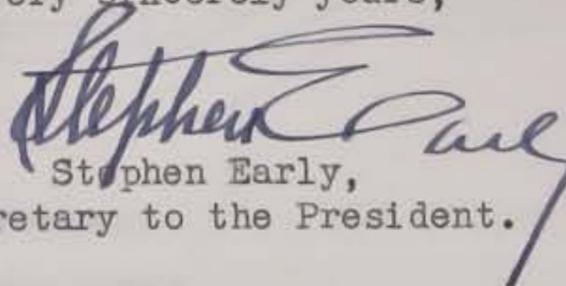
January 10, 1941.

My dear Miss Tully:

The President has asked me to write you and say that he hopes very much you can attend the annual services to be held at St. John's Church, Lafayette Square, on Monday morning, January twentieth, at ten thirty o'clock.

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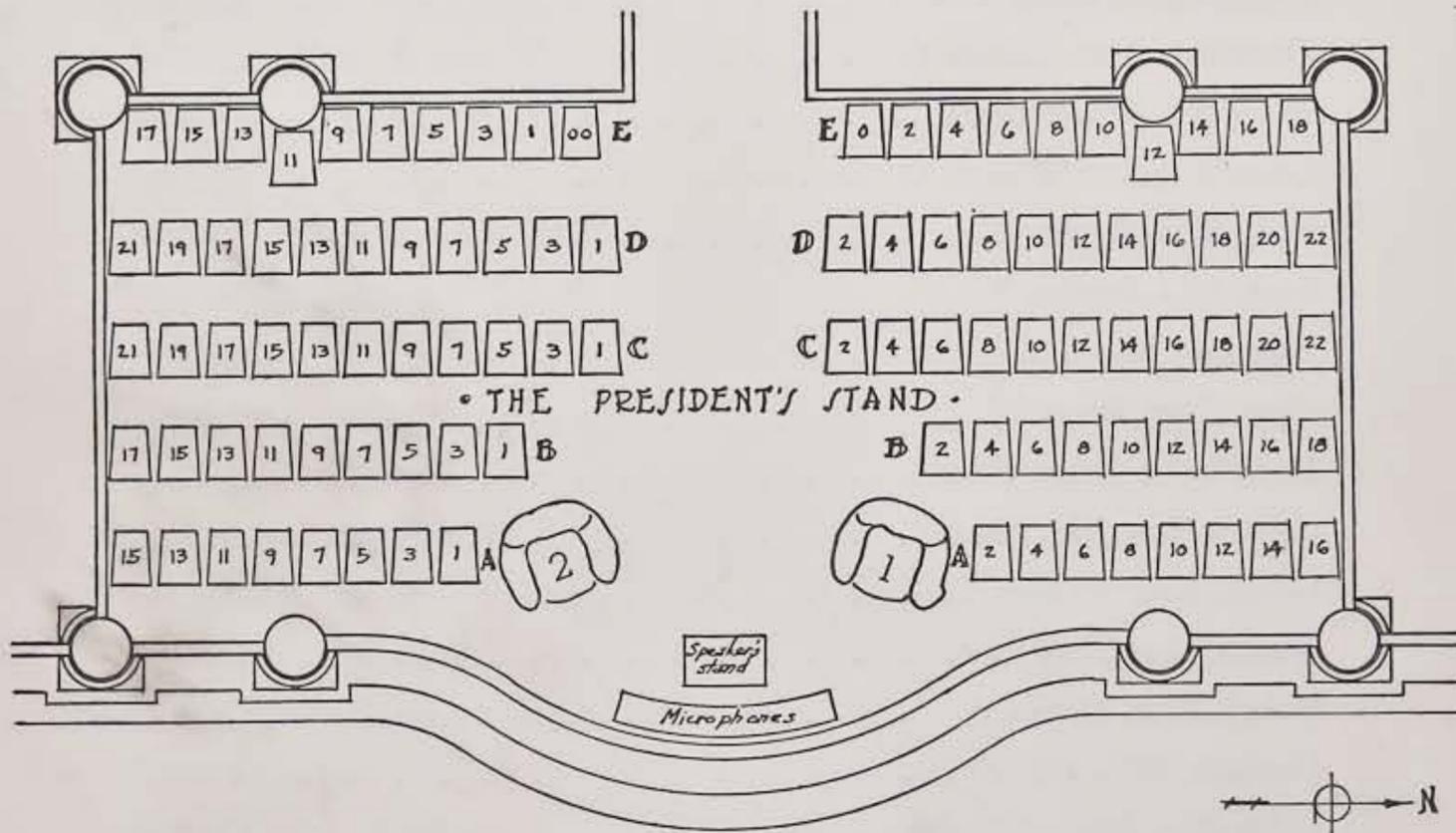
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The White House

Please reply.

Diagram of Seating on President's Platform



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ORDER OF
 ST. JOHN'S CHURCH
 MONDAY, JANUARY 20,
 10:30 A. M.



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THE ORDER OF SERVICE
at
ST. JOHN'S CHURCH
MONDAY, JANUARY 20, 1941
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before
THE INAUGURATION
of
FRANKLIN DELANO ROOSEVELT
as
PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

The Order of Service

Processional Hymn—445, "O God, Our Help in Ages Past."

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| O GOD, our help in ages past,
Our hope for years to come,
Our shelter from the stormy blast
And our eternal home: | 4 A thousand ages in thy sight
Are like an evening gone;
Short as the watch that ends the night
Before the rising sun. |
| 2 Under the shadow of thy throne
Thy saints have dwelt secure;
Sufficient is thine arm alone,
And our defence is sure. | 5 Time, like an ever-rolling stream,
Bears all its sons away;
They fly, forgotten, as a dream
Dies at the opening day. |
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Or earth received her frame,
From everlasting thou art God,
To endless years the same. | 6 O God, our help in ages past
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Be thou our Guide while life shall last,
And our eternal home. Amen. |

¶ *The Minister shall begin the Service by reading the following Sentences of Scripture.*

¶ We have heard with our ears, O God, our fathers have told us what thou hast done in their time of old:

For they gat not the land in possession through their own sword, neither was it their own arm that helped them; But thy right hand, and thine arm, and the light of thy countenance;

Thou art my King, O God. *Psalm xliiv*

¶ *Then the Minister shall say,*

LET us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God.

A General Confession.

¶ *To be said by the whole Congregation, after the Minister, all kneeling.*

ALMIGHTY and most merciful Father; We have erred, and strayed from thy ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against thy holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; And we have done those things which we ought not to have done; And there is no health in us. But thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Spare thou those, O God, who confess their faults. Restore thou those who are penitent; According to thy promises declared unto mankind In Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake; That we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life, To the glory of thy holy Name. Amen.

The Declaration of Absolution, or Remission of Sins.

¶ *To be made by the Priest alone, standing; the People still kneeling.*

The Almighty and merciful Lord grant you Absolution and Remission of all your sins, true repentance, amendment of life, and the grace and consolation of his Holy Spirit. Amen.

¶ *Then the Minister shall kneel, and say the Lord's Prayer; the People still kneeling, and repeating it with him.*

OUR FATHER, who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name, Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, On earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, But deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

¶ *Then likewise he shall say,*

O Lord, open thou our lips.

Answer. And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.

¶ *Here, all standing up, the Minister shall say,*

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

Answer. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Minister. Praise ye the Lord.

Answer. The Lord's Name be praised.

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¶ Then shall follow the Psalm, read responsively.

Psalm 20. *Exaudiat te Dominus*

The Lord hear thee in the day of trouble; the Name of the God of Jacob defend thee:
Send thee help from the sanctuary, and strengthen thee out of Sion:
Remember all thy offerings, and accept thy burnt-sacrifice:
Grant thee thy heart's desire, and fulfil all thy mind.

We will rejoice in thy salvation, and triumph in the Name of the Lord our God: the Lord perform all thy petitions.

Now know I that the Lord helpeth his anointed, and will hear him from his holy heaven, even with the wholesome strength of his right hand.

Some put their trust in chariots, and some in horses; but we will remember the Name of the Lord our God.

Save, Lord; and hear us, O King of heaven, when we call upon thee.

GLORY be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

¶ Then shall be read the Lesson—II Kings 6:8-17

Hymn—427, "My Country, 'Tis of Thee."

MY country, 'tis of thee,
Sweet land of liberty,

Of thee I sing;
Land where my fathers died,
Land of the pilgrims' pride,
From every mountain side
Let freedom ring.

2 My native country, thee,
Land of the noble free,
Thy name I love;
I love thy rocks and rills,
Thy woods and templed hills;
My heart with rapture thrills
Like that above.

3 Let music swell the breeze,
And ring from all the trees
Sweet freedom's song:
Let mortal tongues awake;
Let all that breathe partake;
Let rocks their silence break,
The sound prolong.

4 Our fathers' God, to thee,
Author of liberty,
To thee we sing:
Long may our land be bright
With freedom's holy light;
Protect us by thy might,
Great God, our King. Amen.

¶ And after that, these Prayers following, the People devoutly kneeling;
the Minister first pronouncing.

The Lord be with you.

Answer. And with thy spirit.

Minister. Let us pray.

O Lord, show thy mercy upon us.

Answer. And grant us thy salvation.

Minister. O God, make clean our hearts within us.

Answer. And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.

For Our Country.

ALMIGHTY God, who hast given us this good land for our heritage; We humbly beseech thee that we may always prove ourselves a people mindful of thy favour and glad to do thy will. Bless our land with honourable industry, sound learning, and pure manners. Save us from violence, discord, and confusion; from pride and arrogance, and from every evil way. Defend our liberties, and fashion into one united people the multitudes brought hither out of many kindreds and tongues. Endue with the spirit of wisdom those to whom in thy Name we entrust the authority of government, that there may be justice and peace at home, and that, through obedience to thy law, we may show forth thy praise among the nations of the earth. In the time of prosperity, fill our hearts with thankfulness, and in the day of trouble, suffer not our trust in thee to fail; all which we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*For the President of the United States,
and all in Civil Authority.*

O LORD, our heavenly Father, the high and mighty Ruler of the universe, who dost from thy throne behold all the dwellers upon earth; Most heartily we beseech thee, with thy favour to behold and bless thy servant, Franklin, THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, and all others in authority; and so replenish them with the grace of thy Holy Spirit, that they may always incline to thy will, and walk in thy way. Endue them plenteously with heavenly gifts; grant them in health and prosperity long to live; and finally, after this life, to attain everlasting joy and felicity; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

For Social Justice.

ALMIGHTY God, who hast created man in thine own image; Grant us grace fearlessly to contend against evil, and to make no peace with oppression; and, that we may reverently use our freedom, help us to employ it in the maintenance of justice among men and nations, to the glory of thy holy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

For the Family of Nations.

ALMIGHTY God, our heavenly Father, guide, we beseech thee, the Nations of the world into the way of justice and truth, and establish among them that peace which is the fruit of righteousness, that they may become the Kingdom of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. *Amen.*

In the Morning.

ALMIGHTY God, who alone gavest us the breath of life, and alone canst keep alive in us the holy desires thou dost impart; We beseech thee, for thy compassion's sake, to sanctify all our thoughts and endeavours; that we may neither begin an action without a pure intention nor continue it without thy blessing. And grant that, having the eyes of the mind opened to behold things invisible and unseen, we may in heart be inspired by thy wisdom, and in work be upheld by thy strength, and in the end be accepted of thee as thy faithful servants; through Jesus Christ our Saviour. *Amen.*

The Blessing.

Unto God's gracious mercy and protection we commit you.

The Lord bless you, and keep you. The Lord make his face to shine upon you, and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up his countenance upon you, and give you peace, both now and evermore. *Amen.*

Recessional Hymn—441, "Faith of Our Fathers."

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| <p>FAITH of our fathers! living still
In spite of dungeon, fire and sword:
O how our hearts beat high with joy,
Whene'er we hear that glorious word:
Faith of our fathers, holy faith!
We will be true to thee till death.</p> <p>2 Our fathers, chained in prisons dark,
Were still in heart and conscience free:
How sweet would be their children's fate,
If they, like them, could die for thee!
Faith of our fathers, holy faith!
We will be true to thee till death.</p> | <p>3 Faith of our fathers! faith and prayer
Shall keep our country true to thee;
And through the truth that comes from
God,
Our land shall then indeed be free.
Faith of our fathers, holy faith!
We will be true to thee till death.</p> <p>4 Faith of our fathers! we will love
Both friend and foe in all our strife:
And preach thee, too, as love knows how,
By kindly deeds and virtuous life.
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CLERGY

THE REV. FRANK R. WILSON, Rector of St. James' Church, Hyde Park, New York.

THE REV. HOWARD S. WILKINSON, Rector of St. Thomas' Church, Washington, D. C.

THE REV. C. LESLIE GLENN, Rector of St. John's Church, Washington, D. C.

MR. ARTHUR HOWES, Organist and Choirmaster.

STEPHEN T. EARLY

7704 MORNINGSIDE DRIVE

WASHINGTON

December 20, 1941

Dear Grace:

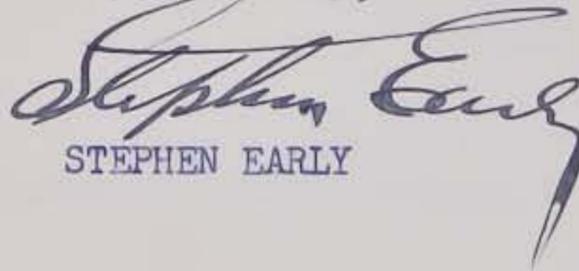
Everything that Christmas stands for is menaced this year by the evil forces aligned against us.

It's difficult, therefore, to say Merry Christmas. But memories of old and tested friends come anew with each arrival of this only Holiday of its kind. They blot out and rise above our troubles -- even war.

So, to you and yours,

A MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Very sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Stephen Early", with a long, sweeping flourish extending downwards and to the right.

STEPHEN EARLY

Miss Grace Tully,
Cathedral Mansions,
3000 Connecticut Avenue,
Washington, D. C.

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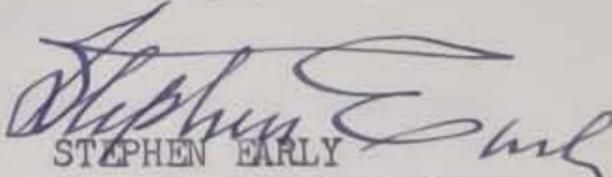
November 23, 1942

Dear Grace:

Because of the deeper significance of the spiritual aspects of Thanksgiving Day this year, the President will have a special Thanksgiving service in the East Room of the White House at eleven o'clock on the morning of Thanksgiving Day, next Thursday, November twenty-sixth.

The President has asked me to write to you and to say that he will be greatly pleased if you can be present. The President feels that the nation, as well as those who participate with him in person, will find inspiration and guidance in such a service.

Sincerely yours,



STEPHEN EARLY
Secretary to the President

Miss Grace G. Tully
The White House

FRANCE

Miss Grace G. Tully
will please present this card at
The White House
November 26, 1942
at 11 o'clock a.m.

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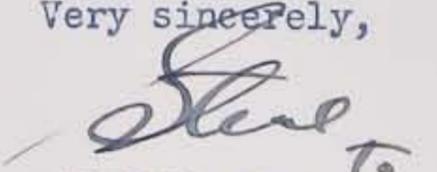
HAPPY NEW YEAR

Once again friends exchange these greetings, shake hands and move on, knowing they cannot make this festival of 1942 the Christmas we would like to have.

Nevertheless, we move on -- on sea and land, at home and abroad --- move on to make the Christmases of Tomorrow richer in Happiness, Love and Promise.

Surely the Christmases of Tomorrow will be ours to enjoy. In that certainty it is right for us to carry on -- and with that assurance we can say, now as before, "Merry Christmas -- Happy New Year".

Very sincerely,


STEPHEN EARLY ^{T.} _{U.}

Miss Grace Tully,
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December 25, 1942

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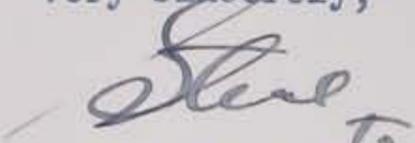
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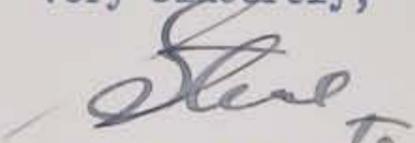
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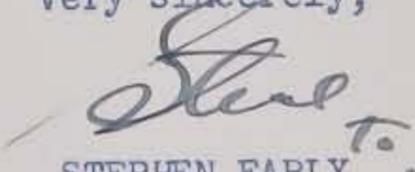
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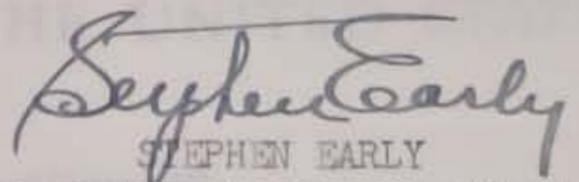
Dear Miss Tully:

The President, in accordance with annual custom, will attend a service of intercession at St. John's Church, Lafayette Square, at 10:30 A.M. on Thursday, March fourth next.

It is the desire of the President to have, besides members of his official family, certain friends join with him in this service which annually since 1933 has been a source of help and inspiration to all who have taken part. He has asked me to invite you to attend.

At the request of the Secret Service I am asking you to regard this information concerning the President's attendance at the service as strictly confidential.

Very sincerely yours,


STEPHEN EARLY

Secretary to the President

Miss Grace G. Tully
The White House

PLEASE REPLY.

Miss Grace G. Tully
will please present this card at
St. John's Church
March 4, 1943
at 10:30 o'clock a.m.

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THE ORDER OF SERVICE

at

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

THURSDAY, MARCH 4, 1943

10:30 A. M.

ON THE TENTH ANNIVERSARY
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Processional Hymn—445.

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Minister. Praise ye the Lord.

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Psalm 27. Dominus illuminatio.

THE Lord is my light and my salvation; whom then shall I fear? The Lord is the strength of my life; of whom then shall I be afraid?

When the wicked, even mine enemies and my foes, came upon me to eat up my flesh, they stumbled and fell.

Though an host of men were laid against me, yet shall not my heart be afraid; and though there rose up war against me, yet will I put my trust in him.

One thing have I desired of the Lord, which I will require; even that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to behold the fair beauty of the Lord, and to visit his temple.

For in the time of trouble he shall hide me in his tabernacle; yea, in the secret place of his dwelling shall he hide me, and set me up upon a rock of stone.

And now shall he lift up mine head above mine enemies round about me.

Therefore will I offer in his dwelling an oblation, with great gladness: I will sing and speak praises unto the Lord.

Hearken unto my voice, O Lord, when I cry unto thee; have mercy upon me, and hear me.

My heart hath talked of thee, Seek ye my face: Thy face, Lord, will I seek.

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GLORY be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

¶ Then shall be read the Lesson—Isaiah 40:13-15, 21-31.

Hymn—427.

MY country, 'tis of thee,
Sweet land of liberty,
Of thee I sing;
Land where my fathers died,
Land of the pilgrims' pride,
From every mountain side
Let freedom ring.

3 Let music swell the breeze,
And ring from all the trees
Sweet freedom's song:
Let mortal tongues awake;
Let all that breathe partake;
Let rocks their silence break,
The sound prolong.

2 My native country, thee,
Land of the noble free,
Thy name I love;
I love thy rocks and rills,
Thy woods and templed hills;
My heart with rapture thrills
Like that above.

4 Our fathers' God, to Thee,
Author of liberty,
To Thee we sing:
Long may our land be bright
With freedom's holy light;
Protect us by Thy might,
Great God, our King. Amen.

¶ And after that, these Prayers following, the People devoutly kneeling;
the Minister first pronouncing.

The Lord be with you.

Answer. And with thy spirit.

Minister. Let us pray.

O Lord, show thy mercy upon us.

Answer. And grant us thy salvation.

Minister. O God, make clean our hearts within us.

Answer. And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.

For Peace.

O GOD, who art the author of peace and lover of concord, in knowledge of whom standeth our eternal life, whose service is perfect freedom; Defend us thy humble servants in all assaults of our enemies; that we, surely trusting in thy defence, may not fear the power of any adversaries, through the might of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

For the President of the United States,
and all in Civil Authority.

O LORD, our heavenly Father, the high and mighty Ruler of the universe, who dost from thy throne behold all the dwellers upon earth; Most heartily we beseech thee, with thy favour to behold and bless thy servant, FRANKLIN, THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, and all others in authority; and so replenish them with the grace of thy Holy Spirit, that they may always incline to thy will, and walk in thy way. Endue them plenteously with heavenly gifts; grant them in health and prosperity long to live; and finally, after this life, to attain everlasting joy and felicity; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

For Social Justice.

ALMIGHTY God, who hast created man in thine own image; Grant us grace fearlessly to contend against evil, and to make no peace with oppression; and, that we may reverently use our freedom, help us to employ it in the maintenance of justice among men and nations, to the glory of thy holy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

¶ Here followeth the Anthem.

The Omnipotence

Franz Schubert

Great is Jehovah, the Lord, For Heaven and Earth testify to His great pow'r!
'Tis heard in the fierce raging storm, In the torrent's loud thundering roar; 'Tis
heard in the rustling of leaves in the forest, Seen in the waving of golden fields,
In loveliest flowers' gaudy array, 'Tis seen in myriad stars of heaven, Fierce it
sounds in the thunder's loud roll, and flames in the lightning's brightly quivering
flash. Yet clearer thy throbbing heart to thee proclaims Jehovah's pow'r, The
Lord God Almighty. Look thou praying to Heav'n, and hope for grace and
for mercy.

For All in the Service of Our Country.

O ALMIGHTY Lord God, who neither slumberest nor sleepest; Protect and assist, we beseech Thee, all those who at home or abroad, by land, by sea, or in the air, are serving this country, that they, being armed with Thy defence, may be preserved evermore in all perils; and being filled with wisdom and girded with strength, may do their duty to Thy honour and glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

For Our Enemies.

MOST loving Father, who by Thy Son Jesus Christ hast taught us to love our enemies and to pray for them, we beseech Thee, give to those who are now our enemies the light of Thy Holy Spirit. Grant that they and we, being enlightened in conscience and cleansed from every sin, may know and do Thy will, and so be changed from foes to friends united in Thy service; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Memorial Days.

ALMIGHTY God, our heavenly Father, in whose hands are the living and the dead; We give thee thanks for all those thy servants who have laid down their lives in the service of our country. Grant to them thy mercy and the light of thy presence, that the good work which thou hast begun in them may be perfected; through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord. *Amen.*

For the Family of Nations.

ALMIGHTY God, our heavenly Father, guide, we beseech thee, the Nations of the world into the way of justice and truth, and establish among them that peace which is the fruit of righteousness, that they may become the Kingdom of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. *Amen.*

The Blessing.

Recessional Hymn—415.

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| ETERNAL Father! Strong to save,
Whose arm hath bound the restless wave,
Who bidd'st the mighty ocean deep
Its own appointed limits keep:
O hear us when we cry to Thee
For those in peril on the sea! | 3 Most Holy Spirit! Who didst brood
Upon the chaos dark and rude,
And bid its angry tumult cease,
And give, for wild confusion, peace;
O hear us when we cry to Thee
For those in peril on the sea! |
| 2 O Christ! Whose voice the waters heard
And hushed their raging at Thy word,
Who walked'st on the foaming deep,
And calm amidst its rage didst sleep;
O hear us when we cry to Thee
For those in peril on the sea! | 4 O Trinity of love and power!
Our brethren shield in danger's hour;
From rock and tempest, fire and foe,
Protect them wheresoe'er they go;
Thus evermore shall rise to Thee
Glad hymns of praise from land and
sea. <i>Amen.</i> |

CLERGY

LIEUT. FRANK R. WILSON, (Chaplains Corps) USNR, Rector-on-leave, St. James' Church, Hyde Park, N. Y.

THE REV. JOHN G. MAGEE, Minister-in-Charge, St. John's Church, Washington, D. C.

THE REV. HOWARD A. JOHNSON, Curate, St. John's Church, Washington, D. C.

MR. WESLEY I. STEELE, Assistant Organist and Choirmaster.

STEPHEN T. EARLY

7704 MORNINGSIDE DRIVE

WASHINGTON

Dear Grace:

Christmas this year -- without peace on earth, minus loved ones at home, empty in many ways -- is yet a great and joyous occasion for us.

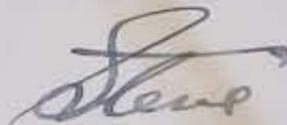
Victory is certain and much nearer this Christmas. With victory will come a new and more lasting peace on earth -- a better world. That, too, is certain.

And so, to old friends and new:

A Merry Christmas

A Happy, Victorious New Year

Very sincerely,



STEPHEN EARLY

Miss Grace Tully,
2000 Connecticut Avenue, N.W.,
Washington, D. C.

Christmas - 1943

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

January 13, 1945

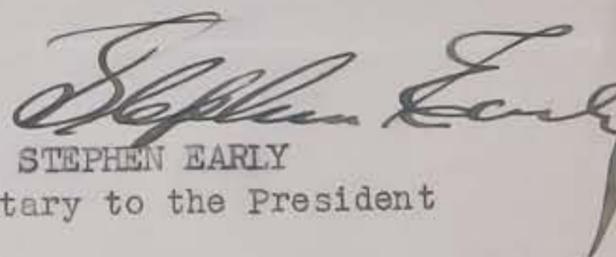
Dear Miss Tully:

The President has asked me to invite you to attend a service of intercession in the East Room of the White House at 10:00 A.M. on Saturday, January twentieth next.

These services have been a source of inspiration in years past, and so the President is desirous of having, besides members of his official family, certain friends join with him again this year on the occasion of his fourth inauguration.

May I renew the request made last year that you regard this information concerning the service as strictly confidential. I know I shall have your cooperation.

Very sincerely yours,



STEPHEN EARLY
Secretary to the President

Miss Grace G. Tully
The White House

PLEASE REPLY

THE WHITE HOUSE

Miss Grace G. Tully
The White House

Miss Grace Tully,
2000 Connecticut Avenue, N.W.,
Washington, D.C.

PS: My
love and
creations to
my adopted
Mother.
S.S.

STEPHEN T. EARLY

7704 MORNINGSIDE DRIVE

WASHINGTON

Christmas 1945

Dear Grace:

This is the first Christmas in many years where such things as reminiscences take away so much of the happiness -- so much of everything that made the Christmases of past years so welcome -- so joyous.

Time marches on. But thoughts of Time turn backwards just now. They are monopolized by thoughts of old and very precious friendships.

And, so, I think of you and wish you a MERY CHRISTMAS -- a NEW YEAR of greater happiness than has been possible for a long, long time.

Very sincerely,



STEPHEN EARLY

Miss Grace Tully,
2000 Connecticut Avenue, N.W.,
Washington, D.C.

*PS: My
love and
greetings to
my adopted
Mother. S.E.*

STEPHEN T. EARLY

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WASHINGTON

Xmas, '46.

Dear "Mother" Dully:-

Times and other factors of life -- as we used to know 'em -- may have changed. But other -- and possibly better -- conditions remain steadfastly firm, including old friendships, the good times we had together, with all the memories of those days. And so it is that my thoughts turn to you, Grace, Paula, "Brother" and Alice. The Dully family contributed much to the overall portrait -- that which framed so many years of life -- from Albany, and way stations, to Washington. Remember Roscoe, I do. That's where I met "Brother" and partook of his prescription. There was another -- a most distinguished man -- who enjoyed that visit. He was the "Guest of Honor" -- I just one of his helpers. The times have changed. But, I have no doubt but that he still is an Honor Guest in his new home. And, may his address be ours again.

A merry, merry Xmas. To you
and yours.
Steve



Mrs. Alice Lee Tully,
Cathedral Mansions Pentas,
3000 Connecticut Ave., N.W.,
Washington,
D.C.

any other
great fun and don't spoil
the whole trip for me -
Affectionately,
Gracious



Christmas Greetings

Grace: This
old soul hopes
you will get a
skin full - raise
hell & have a
Merry Xmas S.F.

Dear [unclear]

My friend Gus
reports no success on his
mission to Gin 3. I again
send you the enclosed and
if there is any more nonsense
about it, let me say here
and now that you and I
have played our last game
of gin rummy, bridge or
any other game - It has been
great fun and don't spoil
the whole trip for me -

Affectionately,
Gracious

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Wednesday

Dear Stephen:—

My friend Gus reports no success on his mission to Gin 3. I again send you the enclosed and if there is any more nonsense about it, let me say here and now that you and I have played our last game of gin rummy, bridge or any other game — It has been great fun and don't spoil the whole trip for me —

Affectionately,
Ernie

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Grace

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