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Dan and Jane Tolmach

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Dear Jane and Dan,

The time of the year's passing, which is for me always the season for rededication to a better future, was more trenchant this year because for the first time we can look back on 1984 instead of foreseeing it in some kind of Orwellian future. Thus, I view 1985 with even more than my usual confidence and optimism.

Your kindness in letting me have your thoughts and support during the holiday season meant a great deal to me -- adding to my feeling of the spirit of good will which I hope is the hallmark of 1985.

I thank you and wish you the very best for this new year.

Cordially,



Alan Cranston