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MRS ZACHARIAH K MATTHEWS, DONT DWR, REPORT DELIVERY

1823 PHELPS PL NORTHWEST WASHDC

THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE RECEIVED FOR YOU FROM PRESIDENT JOHNSON
AT HIS RANCH IN TEXAS.

QUOTE: DEAR MRS. MATTHEWS: IN THIS MOMENT OF SORROW, MRS.
JOHNSON AND I WANT YOU TO KNOW THAT OUR THOUGHTS AND OUR PRAYERS
ARE VERY MUCH WITH YOU. WE HAVE COME TO ADMIRE AND RESPECT
DR. MATTHEWS AND FEEL PRIVILEGED THAT YOUR GOVERNMENT CHOSE TO
SEND HIM TO US AS YOUR FIRST AMBASSADOR. HERE, AS ELSEWHERE
DURING A LIFETIME OF PUBLIC AND SOCIAL SERVICE, DR. MATTHEWS
MADE IMMEASUREABLE CONTRIBUTIONS TO PEACE AND INTERNATIONAL
UNDERSTANDING.

BOTH YOU AND AMBASSADOR MATTHEWS WILL BE LONG REMEMBERED AND WILL

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