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Dr. Hector P. Garcia
3024 Morgan Street
Corpus Christi, Texas

My dear Friend:

Hector:

We have had eight wonderful and successful weeks campaigning all across the nation. Now we are heading home to spend the final week among our friends who mean the most. Lady Bird and I want to see you, and I hope we will when we are in your vicinity.

I hope that you will be working -- for me -- to win the victory in Texas on November 8. The Democratic ticket is winning nationally and Texas will win with it. We have made great strides this year toward ending the prejudice against our region and state. I believe we are on the threshold of new influence and opportunity -- and a Texas-sized majority for the "Texan's ticket" will open the door to the future for the goals we have so long sought.

You know my gratitude for all you have done. You have my thanks in advance for your efforts between now and Election Day which will bring us the greatest victory of all.

Won't you and your family help all you can now. I'll be grateful.

Sincerely your friend,

A large, stylized handwritten signature of Lyndon B. Johnson, written in dark ink. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.
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