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We are Americans of different faiths. Helping somebody who needs help, however, is not a matter of religion.

It is a belief in Man, and in Man's right to survive.

We, the members of the Non-Sectarian Community Committee, believe that all the thousands of immigrants who seek a new life in Israel have that right.

And it is in that cause, and in that belief, that we have volunteered to help.

The need to help is greater than ever. Not only in Israel but in other lands where the plight of Jews grows more ominous each day.

The people of Israel have helped us when they could. But resources are stretched to the breaking point.

We believe that in all the 25 years of the Non-Sectarian Community Committee our obligation has never been greater. Nor our opportunities more promising.

We believe that the humanitarian cause for which we speak has a major claim on the sympathy and generosity of all Americans.

We ask you, whatever your faith, to join us in one of history's great efforts to redeem a people.

We ask you to give increased support to the 1970 United Jewish Appeal Campaign, and to the UJA's Israel Emergency Fund.

Billy Graham  
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Thursday  
July 29, 1971

Dear Herb,

I have your letter regarding the Perot visit. I'm delighted with what happened. Perot and party are in Rome now, to be home tomorrow. Tom Weiser will not be home until speak from Monday. I'm sure they will be in touch with me shortly after they return.

Though I'll know more after I speak with them, your approach was perfect. If as you say, he was "won over", I think what you have in mind is in order.

Should anything develop that would be helpful to you as a result of my conversations with them, I will be in touch.

It's an excellent idea for you to visit him in November. If you should like me to set up the specifics or to join you, I'll be glad to.

Meanwhile, & it seems to me that the way he reacts to Teddy's proposal regarding Jerusalem ought to give us a good hint about his feelings.

I'll be at the C&WF meeting in November in Pittsburgh, perhaps we can talk then.

SAM

H. ROSS PEROT  
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August 4, 1971

Dear Herbert,

Thanks for everything!

Ross and I had a great time on our visit to the Canal. Meeting General Sharon was a special privilege. I will let Rabbi Besser know that Texas hospitality stands in second place compared to yours.

Please let me know when you plan to be in the United States. We would like to return your hospitality.

Sincerely,



Ross

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