

Columbia Theological Seminary
Decatur, Georgia

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

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Mayor Ivan Allen, Jr.
City Hall
Atlanta 3, Georgia

Dear Ivan:

This is just a note to express my personal appreciation for your clear-cut and courageous statement concerning civil rights legislation before the committee of the United States Senate last week.

It is refreshing to have a Southern political leader make this kind of statement for a change, and I am proud of you for your stand.

Wishing you continued success and usefulness as a public servant and with personal esteem and every good wish, I am

Cordially yours,

Mac

J. McDowell Richards

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