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SENATOR HUMPHREY -- TELEPHONE MESSAGE
TO STEELWORKERS CONVENTION IN ATLANTIC CITY
(Aboard the Happy Warrior)

✓ Dave, it is so good to be able to make this
phone call and to say hello to you and all my
good friends at the Steelworkers Convention in
Atlantic City.

I was just commenting to your Jim O'Brien,
who is accompanying me, that I knew well that the
fine delegates assembled there in Atlantic City
were going to come back to their home states,
such as Indiana - where we are today, and go all
the way with HHH & LBJ.

You summed it up yourself Dave when ~~opening~~ you opened
the convention. You pointed out that the issues can
be ^{clearly} simply stated. There is no doubt about it --
they are ~~peace~~ ^{business} and pay checks. and peace

Of course, everybody including our opponents
are allegedly for these, but the difference shows
when we talk about how to promote them. Most
Americans and most Members of Congress, Republicans
and Democrats alike, are for legislation that will
help achieve these fine ^{goals} ~~ends.~~ But not Senator Goldwater.

Whether manpower retraining or area redevelopment,
minimum wage or tax reduction, union members and
Members of Congress know what is good for America.
But not Senator Goldwater.

From the United Nations to foreign aid, the
Test Ban Treaty or ^{expanded foreign} ~~reciprocal~~ trade, most union
members, most Members of Congress, most Americans --
Republicans and Democrats alike -- know what is healthy
for America, but not Senator Goldwater.

It is certainly true that the American people have a choice, and your splendid gathering witnessed it yesterday. Wasn't that a magnificent address President Johnson delivered to you! What an expression of faith in the positive approach, the emphasis on the challenges we will meet and conquer, the stress on our greatness and strength. *Recall to National unity & Prosperity* This is the democratic way, this the American dream, this is, *Promises the pledge* if you will, the Johnson-Humphrey team.

We are a happy party and we welcome the high spirited, hard fighting, enthusiastic support of the United Steelworkers -- and frankly we need it.

Already in this campaign I have seen Steelworkers

hard at work in Youngstown and Akron, Little Rock, *Evansville*, and Kansas City. They *believe* ~~now~~ we are going to win and we *believe* ~~now~~ we are going to win. So when you

adjourn your convention let's all get back to work

and make *sure that we win* it a big victory.



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