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REMARKS BY SENATOR HUBERT H. HUMPHREY

Father, Husband, friend, Democrat
Great American.
RHODE ISLAND STATE DEMOCRATIC FUNDRAISER

① Born on St. Patrick Day - Italian Parents -
WARWICK, RHODE ISLAND
JANUARY 23, 1976
BOLAI BULL HOUND - NOT BAD -

- Charles Rieley - St. Chairman

- Phil ^{NOLE} Nole - Governor

- Sen. Pastore - Cong. Eddie Beard

- Sen. ^{clayton} Pell - Cong. Fredrick St. Herman

- wife, Elena - Elaina

② John Pastore - The Horatio Alger of R.I. Politics

St. Legislator, asst Atty Genl
Lt. Gov
Governor

U.S. Senator since 1950

Last election 68% of vote

40 years of
Public Service

Joe Garofalo
GAROFALO



THE REPUBLICAN BALANCE SHEET

JOBS :

1968: 3.6%

1976: 8.3% AND
1975 AVERAGE 8.5%

AND MORE FORD JOB VETOES EXPECTED!

INFLATION:

1968: 4.5%

1975: 9.1% FOR CONSUMER PRICES

SINCE 1972 CONSUMER PRICES UP 30%, AND
REAL PURCHASING POWER FALLEN BY 5.4%.

THE WAR AGAINST POVERTY:

1960s: 15 MILLION AMERICANS

WORKED THEIR WAY OUT OF
POVERTY.

SINCE 1970: PROGRESS
REVERSED. IN 1974:
1.3 MILLION ADDED TO
POVERTY ROLLS.

ECONOMIC EXPANSION:

AFTER STEADY GROWTH IN THE 1960s, THE 1970s HAVE SEEN A
SERIOUS SETBACK. BY THE END OF THIS DECADE THE GOP RECESSION
WILL HAVE COST AMERICA \$1.5 TRILLION AS A RESULT OF IDLE
FACTORIES AND UNEMPLOYED MEN AND WOMEN. - 97000 Per Man

HOUSING:

IN THE LAST TWO YEARS, WE'VE BEEN CONSTRUCTING 12% FEWER HOUSES THAN THE AVERAGE OF 1961-68. THIS IS HALF THE HOMES ACTUALLY NEEDED. THE NUMBER OF HOUSING UNITS CONSTRUCTED IN 1975 WAS 45% BELOW THE LEVEL IN 1972.

GoP Housing Program - 'The Indians would never had a Tree Fee'

THE REPUBLICAN LEADERS:

PROMISE BALANCED BUDGETS AND HAVE THE HIGHEST BUDGET DEFICITS SINCE WORLD WAR II.

PROMISE JOBS - THE WORK ETHIC - AND HAVE THE HIGHEST UNEMPLOYMENT SINCE THE GREAT DEPRESSION.

PROMISE A STABLE DOLLAR - AND HAVE THE HIGHEST INFLATION IN OUR HISTORY. - + Devalued our dollar twice

PROMISE FREE ENTERPRISE - AND HAVE PUT ON MORE RULES AND REGULATIONS THAN EVER BEFORE. + 10,000 Business failures

PROMISE PROSPERITY - AND HAVE THE LONGEST AND MOST COSTLY RECESSION SINCE THE HOOVER DEPRESSION.

PROMISE GOOD GOVERNMENT - AND ARE GUILTY OF MORE MISMANAGEMENT AND OUTRIGHT CORRUPTION THAN ANYTIME SINCE GRANT AND HARDING.

PROMISE LAW AND ORDER - AND PRESIDE OVER THE HIGHEST CRIME RECORD IN OUR HISTORY.

BUT THEY SAY "FORD IS A NICE MAN" - AND SO HE IS - BUT SO IS MY UNCLE FRED, AND HE SHOULDN'T BE PRESIDENT. WE ARE NOT DEALING WITH A QUESTION OF WHETHER OR NOT THE PRESIDENT IS FRIENDLY - WE ARE TALKING POLICIES AND PROGRAMS.

FORD - CENTER
Everything is up-side down - what should be up, like jobs, is down; what should be down, like prices, is up!

NOW LISTEN TO REAGAN - \$90 BILLION BUDGET CUT --
AND TODAY HE SAYS IF THE STATES DON'T PROVIDE FOR
THE POOR, THE UNEMPLOYED, THE HANDICAPPED, THE
STUDENTS, "YOU CAN VOTE WITH YOUR FEET--YOU CAN
MOVE ELSEWHERE."

WE WILL WIN THE PRESIDENCY IN 1976, NOT BECAUSE
WE HAVE INSTANT MIRACLE CURES, BUT BECAUSE WE
CARE--WE DARE--WE PIONEER - *we try.*

SPIRITUAL CRISIS--

FDR: NEW DEAL

HST: FAIR DEAL

JFK: NEW FRONTIER

LBJ: GREAT SOCIETY

BE TRUE TO OURSELVES

DEMOCRATIC PROGRAM:

Give American workers an opportunity for a job

yes "WORK--JOBS--CONSTRUCT, BUILD--GIVE AMERICA A CHANCE TO GO TO WORK."

Give American business a chance to produce

YES, FDR: "THE COUNTRY NEEDS BOLD, PERSISTENT EXPERIMENTATION. IT IS COMMON SENSE TO TAKE A METHOD AND TRY IT. IF IT FAILS, ADMIT IT FRANKLY AND TRY ANOTHER. BUT ABOVE ALL TRY SOMETHING."

I like Republicans

NOW, DON'T GET ME WRONG: "I LIKE REPUBLICANS, I HAVE GROWN UP WITH THEM, WORKED WITH THEM, AND WOULD TRUST THEM WITH ANYTHING IN THE WORLD--EXCEPT PUBLIC OFFICE." (ADLAI STEVENSON)

IN 1960, JOHN KENNEDY DESCRIBED HIS RACE AGAINST RICHARD NIXON IN THESE WORDS:

Race between the comfortable + the concerned "THIS IS A RACE NOT MERELY BETWEEN TWO PARTIES..."

IT IS A RACE BETWEEN THE COMFORTABLE AND THE

CONCERNED / THOSE WHO ARE WILLING TO SIT AND LIE AT ANCHOR, AND THOSE WHO WANT TO GO FORWARD. THIS

COUNTRY HAS DEVELOPED AS IT IS BECAUSE IN OTHER

GREAT PERIODS OF CRISIS WE HAVE CHOSEN TO GO FORWARD."

THESE WORDS HAVE NOT LOST THEIR MEANING.

THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY HAS THE WILL TO MOVE
AMERICA FORWARD. WE CANNOT AFFORD TO STAY ANCHORED
TO THE POLITICS OF COOLIDGE, THE ECONOMICS OF
HOOVER, THE MORALITY OF NIXON, AND THE CONFUSION
OF FORD.

THERE ARE ALTERNATIVES. I BELIEVE THAT THE
DEMOCRATIC PARTY IN RHODE ISLAND AND AROUND THE
NATION NOW IS READY TO POINT THE WAY TO BETTER
TOMORROWS FOR THE AMERICAN PEOPLE.

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