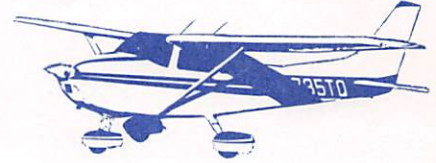




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August 29, 1980

FROM: Mission Coordinator
SUBJECT: Letter of Commendation
TO: Gary Mechtel

I would like to commend you for your outstanding performance as a Ground Search and Rescue Team Leader during the search for and evacuation of Mrs. Bernie Vaughn. Your professional knowledge, skill, leadership and their precise application contributed significantly in saving Mrs. Vaughn's life. Your accomplishment reflects great credit upon yourself and the Blue Ridge Mountain Rescue Group.

On behalf of the Wing Commander, Colonel Floyd B. Callihan, myself and all members of the Civil Air Patrol, please accept the enclosed certificate as a token of our sincere appreciation for a job well done.

Sincerely,

Richard A. Love

Richard A. Love
Major, CAP
Mission Coordinator

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

August 22, 1962

MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR
SUBJECT: [Illegible]

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August 29, 1980

FROM: Mission Coordinator
SUBJECT: Letter of Appreciation
TO: Blue Ridge Mountain Rescue Group

I would like to express my appreciation to the members of your fine organization who joined with members of the Civil Air Patrol during the successful Search and Rescue Mission for Mrs. Bernie Vaughn from August 20 through 23, 1980. Their skills, knowledge, and willingness to join with members from other organizations into a unified team aided immeasurably in helping save the life of Mrs. Vaughn.

The cooperative team spirit exhibited by your members during this mission reflects great credit upon your organization and all of its' members.

On behalf of the Wing Command, myself, and all members of the Civil Air Patrol, please convey our sincere appreciation for a job well done.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Richard A. Love".

Richard A. Love
Major, CAP
Mission Coordinator



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August 29, 1980

FROM: Mission Coordinator
SUBJECT: Letter of Commendation
TO: Michelle Hegmon

I would like to commend you for your outstanding performance as a Ground Search and Rescue Team Leader during the search for Mrs. Bernie Vaughn. Your professional knowledge, skill, leadership and their precise application resulted in saving the life of Mrs. Vaughn. Your accomplishment reflects great credit upon yourself and the Blue Ridge Mountain Rescue Group.

On behalf of the Wing Commander, Colonel Floyd B. Callihan, myself and all members of the Civil Air Patrol, please accept the enclosed certificate as a token of our sincere appreciation and esteem for a job well done.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Richard A. Love".

Richard A. Love
Major, CAP
Mission Coordinator



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Certificate of Appreciation

To

*Michelle Hegmon
Blue Ridge Mountain Rescue Group*

Awarded in Recognition of Outstanding Assistance
to

VIRGINIA WING, CIVIL AIR PATROL

While serving as Ground Search and Rescue Team Leader during the successful Ground Search and Rescue Mission for Mrs. Bernie Vaughn. Mission Number VA-2-1132A, August 20-23, 1980. Through Michelle's untiring efforts and leadership, Mrs. Vaughn was located and her life saved.

Given under my hand this 29 day of August 19 80

FLOYD B. CALLIHAN, LTC, CAP
COMMANDER

