

March 29, 1966

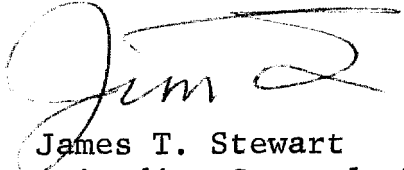
Dear Bud:

Thank you very much for your thoughtful note of congratulations on my recent nomination for promotion.

It was a very pleasant surprise--with enough thrust to lift me out of a low earth orbit into a much higher one, and I have only recently begun to approach the atmosphere again (at least, that's my excuse for being so tardy in acknowledging your congratulations).

Thank you again for thinking of me. It was sincerely appreciated.

Regards,


James T. Stewart
Brigadier General, USAF
Director, Office of
Space Systems, OSAF

Dr. Albert D. Wheelon
Deputy Director (Science and Technology)
Central Intelligence Agency