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The Honorable Frank Calhoun
702 Cedar
Abilene, Texas

Dear Representative Calhoun:

Thank you so much for a very stimulating visit Friday afternoon in your office regarding the Governor's Committee on Human Relations. I appreciated your willingness to discuss and to ask questions about the direction and accomplishments of the Committee during the past year.

I believe that permanent commission status is highly advisable and hope that the Legislature can take action in establishing such a status for it. I believe that the Committee's report to the Legislature is a constructive one that, if implemented, can make for better human relations throughout our state.

Thank you for looking into the possibility of my continuing to be a member of the Committee after the expiration of my present term on February 1, 1971. Please feel free to call on me for any contributions that I can make as a citizen of the State of Texas.

I have taken the liberty of enclosing a copy of our Subcommittee (on the Administration of Justice-Law Enforcement) first report to the full Committee on February 13, 1970. This initial report could give you a better understanding of the direction I hoped to see our Subcommittee take. Our subsequent two meetings, however, were both too brief and too superficial to do much with the direction indicated in this initial report.

In view of what you are also doing with the psychiatric problems of youth, I have taken the liberty of enclosing a copy of a recent article that I wrote for The Campus Journal, a monthly magazine devoted to the ministry of college students. This article suggests some literature you might want to read and may also help by giving a brief survey of the way the young adult subculture views reality.
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I am also putting in the mail, under separate cover, a complimentary copy of my recent book *Three American Revolutions* in which four chapters are devoted to the problem of racism in America and the Christian answer to that problem. You might also be interested in the other material in the book devoted to the revolutions in crime and sex.

Thank you again for a pleasant visit. Let me know when I can be of any assistance to you.

Sincerely yours,

John Allen Chalk

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