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Dear Larry,

We've never met, but I know you well thanks to your wife Teri and to the efforts of Doug Tjepkes. I hope that in some way my writing to you can ease - even just a little bit - the strain of these troubled times. I don't need to tell you how fortunate you are to have Teri and your daughters. Know, too, though that many others, like me, are also in your corner.

Today I faxed a letter to Gov Brown asking him to grant you a release. I wish there was more I could do in a practical way, because my heart does so go out to you and your family. I believe, however, that as each of us cares about one another, about justice and about compassion, that good things happen in our hearts and souls.

Suffice it to say that in my heart and soul reside my very best hopes and wishes for you and your family. I admire greatly your strength and theirs.

My very best to you,
Bill Newmill