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**TELEPHONE CONVERSATION BETWEEN THE PRESIDENT AND SAMUEL NEWHOUSE
(to Mr. Newhouse)**

LBJ Sam?

SN: Yes, Mr. President?

LBJ I just want to thank you for your friendship and for all you've done.. your people have helped me during these trying days and even before and I had this thing fall on my lap and I'm going to do the best I can.. there are a lot better men for it.. but I'm going to do it as best I can and I'm going to need all the help ...

SN Well, we're with you 100 percent and we're very very happy that if it ever happened that you've taken the job.

LBJ Well I know you've always been partial to me and I'm going to try to be worthy of it and I just wanted you to know that I was thinking of you and appreciate what you're doing, my friend and any way I can help, anytime, let me know and come in to see me the first time you're down here.

SN Thank you very very much.

LBJ Thank you Sam. Tell Eddie Weisel hello for me.

SN Thank you I will.

LBJ Goodbye

PRESIDENT JOHNSON'S NOTES ON CONVERSATION WITH
SAMUEL NEWHOUSE NOVEMBER 27, 1963

The President said! "I just want to thank you for your friendship and for all you've done...I know you've always been partial to me and I'm going to try to be worthy of it..."

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