

MR. & MRS. W. HOFFMAN



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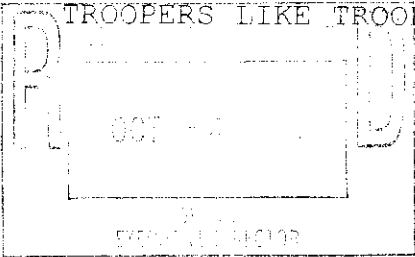
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GOVERNOR JEB BUSH
GOVERNORS OFFICE
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TALLAHASSEE, FLA.

Dear GOVERNOR,;

ON 7/28/2006 I WAS COMEING HOME FROM MIAMI AFTER DROPPING OFF MY KIDS TO GO ON A CRUISE. I WAS TRAVELING DOWN HWY. 27 THREW PALM BEACH COUNTY JUST OUTSIDE THE CITY OF SOUTH BAY. WHEN I RAN OUT OF GAS. I THOUGHT I WOULD MAKE IT TO THE TOWN TO FILL UP, BUT I DIDN'T. I WAS GETTING READY TO CALL MY AAA CLUB WHEN STATE TROOPER OFFICER BEAVERS CAME PULLING UP BEHIND US. HE APPROACHED OUR VEHICLE WITH A HUGE SMILE AND WAS VERY POLITE AND WELL SPOKEN. HE ASKED IF WE WERE ALRIGHT AND I RESPONDED WITH I WAS DOING O-K TILL I RAN OUT OF GAS. WITHOUT HESITATION HE SAID HE WOULD DRIVE ME UP TO THE NEXT FUEL STATION FOR FUEL AND BRING ME BACK. I SAID I DID NOT HAVE A GAS CAN WITH ME. HE SAID HE HAD ONE AND WOULD BE GLAD TO LOAN IT TO ME AND ASSIST US. I WAS VERY IMPRESSED ON HOW NICE HE WAS. HE TOOK ME TO THE STATION AS PROMISED AND BACK AGAIN. IT DID NOT END THERE. HE EVEN GOT OUT OF HIS CAR BECAUSE IT HAD JUST TURNED DARK AND HELD HIS FLASHLIGHT ON MY TANK AREA SO I COULD SEE AS I WAS POURING IN THE GAS. I OFFERED HIM \$20.00 BUT HE STRONGLY REFUSED IT SAYING IT WAS HIS JOB TO DO WHAT HE DID. I THEN OFFERED TO GO DOWN THE ROAD AND BUY HIM DINNER, HE REFUSED THAT AS WELL AGAIN SAYING IT WAS HIS JOB AND HE ENJOYED DOING IT. THIS TROOPER IS A WONDERFUL MAN. HE TRULY CARES ABOUT PEOPLE AND HE WAS SUCH A PLEASANT MAN TO BE AROUND THAT 30 MINUTES. I WANTED TO TELL YOU WHAT AN EXCELLENT OFFICER YOU HAVE ON STAFF. HE SAYS HE IS DOING HIS JOB, I SAY HE WENT BEYOND THE CALL OF DUTY AND SHOULD BE RECONIZED FOR IT. PLEASE TELL HIM AGAIN FOR MY WIFE AND I THAT WE ARE VERY VERY GRATEFUL FOR WHAT HE DID AND GOD WILL REWARD HIM FOR HIS WONDERFUL EFFORTS. THANK YOU GOVERNOR FOR HAVEING SUCH KIND AND CAREING TROOPERS LIKE TROOPER BEAVERS SERVING OUR FINE STATE.



VERY VERY HAPPILY AND
GRATEFULLY YOURS
THE HOFFMAN'S

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