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The Hon. Daniel P. Moynihan The White House Washington, D.C.

Dear Pat:

There is a young man named George Will who has just joined Senator Gordon Allott's staff, and whom you really ought to meet. He is young (barely 30, I should say, or not quite), conservative, very smart, very nice, and a true blue intellectual. He took his Ph.D. in political science in Princeton, and there fell under the influence of a disciple of Leo Strauss, who converted him to conservatism. He has since taught at Michigan State and Toronto. You'll like him.

Very best,

Irving Kristol

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