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President Ford's Statement on the Death of Cornelius Hightower

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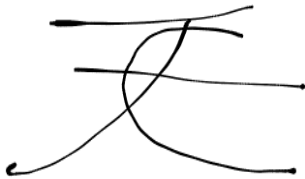
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Rockford has lost a great philanthropist, celebrity, hero and family man. His death will be mourned in Evo, and also in other countries, like in Rockford, the United Kingdom and the United States.

I give my greatest sympathies to the Family, wholly affected by his death and I hope to attend the Funeral, since I could not attend his birthday.

It's time to mourn, Evo, we lost a great one.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'J. Ford', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Dr. Jeff W. Ford, Ph.D.

The President of the Federal Republic of Rockford.