

## Sue P. on the G.O.T.

I'm not a big fan of Stephen King's, but I went to see this one because it was playing at the Garden Oaks Theater and I wanted to check the place out,

What a pleasant surprise! Only two dollars to get in and another two for a big bucket of great popcorn... Not only does this theater have charm and personality it was soooo clean (that's a biggie with me). There was security at the front door upon arrival and the man who took my ticket was very nice. Mr. Z

(Al, the owner) even held the seven o'clock movie a few minutes so some of the parents dropping their kids off at Parents Night Out (St. Matthews Church) could make the beginning... What more could you ask? How nice! Try getting AMC, GC, or Loews to do that. Plus we had previews, I love previews! They have a great big balcony that brought back many childhood memories of those Saturday matinees at the Costa Mesa theater. This is a wonderful movie theater and a definite asset to our neighborhood.

What a fun way to start my weekend, spending a Friday evening at the movies. By the way, my apologies to Anne Kilgore for attacking her leg during the majority of Sleepwalker. See you at the movies!

*Diggstown*: four pops, don't miss it, run to see it, lots of twists and turns, very unpredictable. Sue Pagel

## Garden Oaks Home Tour Around The Corner; Homes Announced

As the countdown to Garden Oaks' annual home tour date draws near — Sunday, October 18, from noon until 6 p.m.—it seems appropriate to announce which homeowners have agreed to open up their doors to all of us.



523 W. 33rd



3201 Lawrence



3106 Lawrence



4133 Apollo

Denise and David Epstein are the owners of the spacious new construction located at 527 W. 33rd Street. Their accessories and furnishings are colorful and contemporary, befitting for such a modern-day home that's big on space and comfort. The large kitchen, upstairs gameroom and each child's room are special attractions.

What's behind closed doors? You'll want to know when you enter Charley and Lucie Davidson's home at 3201 Lawrence. When you first walk in, you'll be warmly greeted into a family room-kitchen area that's not typically located up front. The kitchen is especially unique since it sits at an angle. Keep an eye out for amenities located in some surprising places.

Jeff and Marge Nixon hand-stenciled a variety of coordinated designs along the ceiling borders and window coverings. The living room furniture is upholstered in rich plaids and sits comfortably amid country-inspired accessories. The sunroom is no misnomer as an entire glassed wall brings the outdoors in by revealing lush greenery surrounding a swimming pool. They're at 3106 Lawrence.

A faux-marbled hallway and a hand-laid brick sidewalk — both of which were done by the owners — are admirable features of Michael and Desiree Lamb's home at 4133 Apollo. Family photographs and antique heirlooms decorate each room.

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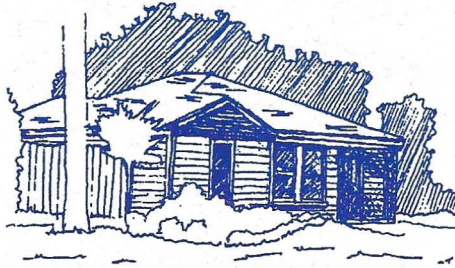
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HOME TOUR cont.



**1047 Gardenia**



**863 W. 41st**

John Means' home at 1047 Gardenia is the ugly duckling-turned-beauty. A whimsical decorating style, utilizing mirrors and revitalized second-hand furniture, gives this home personality plus. Don't miss the wonderful garden in back.

The double-sized bedroom of Lin Hlanak's Miami-styled home at 863 W. 41st Street will create envy. Two bedrooms have been united, creating both a sleeping area and a sitting room that is adjacent to a covered, glass-walled patio and second colorful garden.

Home Tour tickets will be sold at each home. If you and/or your family and friends would like to see them all, the cost is \$6.00. Pre-sale tickets, available at Kaplan's Ben-Hur, will cost \$5.00. The Home Tour will recommend that some of the proceeds from the tour and raffle go to fund "Neighbors Helping Neighbors" and to the Garden Oaks Board of Trustees to enforce deed restrictions.

In order to make it easier for people to get from one home to another, two shuttles will be in service. Interested persons can catch the shuttle at one of the homes, at the Spark Park next door to Garden Oaks elementary School or at Garden Oaks Shopping Center.

While at the Spark Park, you might want to visit the various booths, buy T-shirts, koozies and posters. Doyle's also is underwriting the picnic there — fajitas and sausage will be served at very reasonable prices. Area merchants have donated approximately 75 prizes that will be raffled off at 6:00 p.m.

Jennifer Day also is making a last call of volunteers. If you would like to help out in any way, call her at 699-8417.

**Garden Oaks Civic Club's  
October Meeting**

The next meeting of the Garden Oaks Civic Club will be Tuesday, October 6th at 7:00 pm at Garden Oaks Baptist Church Fellowship Hall. Following a brief business meeting, there will be a presentation by the Home Tour Committee. This event is planned for Sunday, October 18. The 1992 Home Tour Poster will be "unveiled". Home Tour tickets, t-shirts, posters, and koozies will be on sale. The Committee is still seeking volunteers to assist at the homes during the tour. Come to the meeting and get involved in this fun-filled Sunday afternoon!

A second topic to be addressed at this meeting is a continuation of the "Sidewalks for Schools Project" discussion which was begun at the September meeting. In an effort to obtain a clear picture of the proposed construction, Mr. Don Bernard of the

City of Houston Capital Projects Department will discuss the plans for walkways leading to Garden Oaks Elementary School property. Mrs. Eugenia Daniels; Principal of Garden Oaks Elementary School, and, Council member Helen Huey, representing Garden Oaks at City Council, have been invited to this meeting. Come to this meeting to learn the latest about the walkway issue!

Garden Oaks Civic Club meets the first Tuesday of each month at Garden Oaks Baptist Church. Mark your calendars for these upcoming events. The November 10th meeting, which will be held one week later than normal due to the Presidential election, will feature election of the 1993 Civic Club Officers. The December 1st meeting is traditionally a Holiday Covered Dish Dinner.

Childcare is offered for \$1.00 per child during the meetings.

## Committee Stuff

### Plant CO-OP

The plant CO-OP will be womaning a booth at the Spark park during Home Tour 92. If you want to swap plants, bring them to the Park.

### Beautification

Thanks again to **Jim Ballash** for maintaining the Art Park.

### Gazette!

If any of our original or near original residents have any interesting history about the neighborhood similar to the story I ran on Sue Barnett, please write something up and send it in. Old photos of the early days would be appreciated and returned of course. Also, the *Gazette* needs another editor to sail the ship through 93. Call the machine and express your interest. Join the long list of distinguished editors that have found fame and contentment after serving with the *Gazette*. No time? Baloney! This position takes less time than watching Murphy Brown.

### Nominating Committee Set

Linda Ross, Don Howie, and Blanche Leonard will comprise a committee to nominate 1993 Civic Club officers. Civic Club offices are President, 1st Vice-President (Membership), 2nd Vice-President (*Gazette* editor), Secretary, and Treasurer. If you would like more information about what these offices entail, call any current Civic Club officer.

Share your organizational skills with the community and get involved with this fun and dynamic organization. If you are interested in being an officer, please call Linda Ross at 692-6667.

## G.O.C.O.P. Report

Patrol hours are up, crime reports are down, but the holidays will soon be here. Last year, October through January we reported the highest numbers of burglaries and auto thefts.

Let's not have a repeat of this again this year. Drive criminals out of Garden Oaks and volunteer one hour a week to patrol our neighborhood. Let criminals know when they come into Garden Oaks someone will be watching them. We need to have constant car patrollers on the streets from 7 AM until 6 PM every week day. When someone signs off someone else should be signing on.

Retired couples make great patrollers. Patrollers are not to leave their cars, only observe and report to a radio operator who will make a report or notify the police. We are dedicated to your safety but desperately need your help to reduce crime in our neighborhood.

If you have old CB radios or other CB equipment around your house that you are not using, please consider donating them to the G.O.C.O.P. program. We can always use extra radios. Twenty three channel radios are fine. If you can help please call Trish 688-4004 or Johnny Murphy 688-7337.

### BEWARE

Be aware of yard care people. We've had stolen lawn mowers and rakes by "regular" yard man. He is usually working alone and on foot.

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### July Crime Report

Crime	Block	Street	Date	Time
Burglary	400	W. 34th	7/8	0945
Burglary	1400	Sue Barnet	7/5	1615
Auto Theft	700	W. 41st	7/7	1830
Auto Theft	700	W. 41st	7/21	1815

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Rape - 10	Burglary - 159	
Robbery - 76	Narcotics - 59	



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## Garden Oaks Elementary News

Garden Oaks is an upwardly mobile neighborhood in northwest Houston. It is also the name found on an elementary school located in the heart of the neighborhood. As part of that neighborhood, we at Garden Oaks Elementary accept and eagerly welcome the challenge to improve our school. We also welcome the assistance to help meet this challenge that has so generously been offered by the Garden Oaks community. We have set very specific goals in student achievement for this school year.

We will improve student scores on the two major tests given by the State of Texas. Our goals are to meet the District goals of 90% passing TAAS and 80% passing NAPT within five years. This incorporates projected increases of up to 8 percent in the number of students passing for grades 3, 4, and 5 during this school year. The faculty, staff, administration, parents, and the community have accepted this challenge in the form of our Multi-Year School Improvement Plan.

But even more than test scores, we accept the challenge to make our school a place where all students will have very positive learning experiences: a place where we all work together to improve both teaching and learning. In 1992-1993, we will ensure that all our students experience a full, complete, and active life right now, so that their futures will be the best possible.

We make this pledge with the full understanding that when many of our students first come to us, they are not necessarily at the same level of "readiness" for school. They do not come to us with the same experiences or the same abilities. We vow, however, to be "ready" for all our students when they come. To do this, it will take the cooperation of the community working with the parents and the school. We celebrate and value our students' differences, for this is what makes every day at our school a valued learning experience in real life.

Last year, a School Improvement Team composed of teachers, parents, and community representatives

formulated our School Improvement Plan. The Team included these specific strategies for community involvement: The school community will:

- communicate their concerns to the Shared Decision Making Committee (SDMC) through issue Forums.
- serve as representatives on the SDMC and Standing Committees for Instruction, School Climate, and School Budget.
- host a community-sponsored inservice for parents and residents to learn how to assist students in editing their writing.
- display student writing, math, science, and history projects at monthly Civic Club meetings.
- provide at least one set of literature for each grade level as determined by the Standing Committee on Instruction.
- publicize all school events in the Garden Oaks *Gazette*.
- participate in a structured Open House at the beginning of the year so that information on curriculum and school climate may be communicated.
- appoint an educational liaison with the Civic Club to report on school progress and volunteer opportunities.

Our Shared Decision Making Committee (SDMC) members for 1992-93 include two Community Representatives, Anita Scherer and Denise Sherwood, two parents and community residents, Sara Burns and Melanie Ogren, six teachers, Lillian Brown, Cecilia Gabrysch, Lottie Harvey, Patsy Klahn, Jane Minter, and Brenda Stratton, and the Principal, Eugenia Daniels. Any community resident, parent, or teacher may bring concerns or suggestions that affect our school improvement effort to the SDMC through Issue Forums. An Issue Forum may be organized by contacting the school (695-0475) and Informing Mrs. Daniels of your interest. A member of the SDMC will meet with you to assist you in organizing a meeting to discuss the issue, research possible solutions, and make recommendations. Meeting dates and minutes for all SDMC meetings will be posted at Garden Oaks Baptist Church, St. Matthews Methodist Church, and in the Main

Office at Garden Oaks Elementary. Dates will also be included on the Garden Oaks *Gazette* monthly calendar.

Garden Oaks Elementary is proud to be a part of this neighborhood. We hope to keep lines of communication open, and we invite community involvement in our school. Any resident is welcome to visit us at any time. By working together we will see significant improvements in our community school.

**Jeannie Daniels**  
Principal, Garden Oaks Elementary

### Heard It On the Garden Club Grapevine...

The next meeting of the Garden Oaks Garden Club will be **Thursday, October 8th at 6:30 pm.** The meeting will take place at the home of **Marian Mabry, 835 Lamonte.** Marian has resurrected a pond in her new backyard and will present the finished product, along with a picture chronology of the project. **Dinner will be served at 6:30 and the meeting will begin at 7:00.**

Look for the Garden Club booth in the SPARK Park during the Home Tour. We will be selling potted plants from our own gardens this year, along with Houston Parfait and pansies by the flat. We will also have garden kneelers, to protect your knees during planting and weeding. They can also be used as stadium cushions or for canoeing etc. And of course we will sell our famous and delicious baked goods.

We have had a lot of fun this year, including a wonderful backyard tour, several plant exchanges, a "name the herb" contest, and even a fashion show, featuring Garden Club members. Our club is always open to new members, and everyone is invited to come to our meetings. If you would like to know more about the Garden Oaks Garden Club, call our president, **Marian Mabry, at 695-2157.** Better yet, come by our booth during Home Tour and say "hello". See you there!

### Monster Munching on Halloween

A major event will possibly be taking place at the Garden Oaks Theater on HALLOWEEN night. After consulting with several of our neighborhood witches, I was told that the G.O.T. is going to be devoured by a monster ala: Godzilla, Rotan, etc. So if you plan on attending a movie at the Theater, you better hurry before it gets the BIG BITE!

If at your own risk you intend to watch the Theater become a monster's burger, and maybe throw some Grey poupon on the walls or something, hang around the parking lot around midnight and wait. If no monsters show up by dawn, go home and write the *Gazette* editor a complaint letter.

### October Birthdays

- 1 Dian Austin, 1000 yrs.
- 2 Scott Pierce, 33 yrs.
- 2 Jim Hall, 1145 yrs.
- 3 Joseph Weinberger, 6 yrs.
- 11 Audrey Boushell, 3 yrs.
- 11 Conner Boushell, 3 yrs.
- 12 Michael Padon, 3 yrs.
- 12 Megan Burns, 9 yrs.
- 13 Frances Shecter, 3,005,789
- 14 David Epstein, 867,698
- 16 Katherine Howie, 1 yr!
- 18 Christopher Roberts, 4 yrs.
- 19 Nancy Wooten, 5444 yrs.
- 21 Parker the Wonder Dog, 4 yrs.
- 24 Mary Steck, 345 yrs.
- 26 Chad Sledge, 1 yr!
- 28 Gertrude Dietrich, 2,346 yrs.

### In Memorium

We note the passing of long time Section 1 resident and former Board of Trustee member **T. E. May** last month. The community will miss him.

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## Neighborhood Views

*This month we have five letters concerning the upcoming Presidential election. In answer to my challenge last issue, are three letters favoring Bush and two for Clinton. Lack of space caused me to drop a third pro-Clinton letter, but I really wanted to publish these Bush letters. Interested writers have only one more issue before election day to express your views on which candidate you favor, be they Democrat, Republican, Libertarian, independent, animal, vegetable, mineral, or actor. We have already had many elected officials that were the latter three.*  
ed.

I have been reading letters (*To the editor*) written by many G.O. residents which have been bashing President Bush and praising hallelujah to Bill Clinton. Lets talk strictly about the facts of the situation. Bill Clinton is telling the public what they want to hear, especially from an environmental standpoint, which should create great concern to many Houstonians. Clinton promises to continue to bash "big oil" by preventing additional offshore drilling and protecting our national wildlife refuges from the large corporate heathens of America. He will protect our environment from these evil industrial giants. I don't trust anything he (Clinton) says because he completely and totally lacks facts and documentation to support his claims.

Now lets cover the facts. The EPA (typically not a friend of big oil) reported in 1990 and 1991 that the shipping and boating industry alone caused 10,000% more pollution than the entire oil industry. Why hasn't the great Bill Clinton told us this and why hasn't he pledged to do something about it? At least Bush tells it like it is. So why isn't the shipping and boating industry regulated? Because it would cost Americans money to modify their engines and install sanitation facilities. This is not what America wants to hear and therefore Clinton will not talk about it.

As a Houstonian and an employee of "big oil", Clinton causes me great concern. He promises to create

millions of new jobs which sounds great. Realistically though, his environmental promises and "big oil" bashing will dramatically hurt an already crippled industry.

Rick Mitchell, Section 5

(Ed. note: In fact, Bill Clinton's name has been mentioned in previous Gazette editions only once in recorded history. (September 92 edition) However, it is true that for the last several years the Gazette has published articles written by many residents that have been critical of the Bush administration.)

I wonder what planet people have been living on when they bemoan their lot in life and the sorry state they think our country is in. The cold war is over, and we won. The Berlin wall is down and Germany is one again. Communism is dead. The nuclear threat is in check. The U.N. is a power known to enforce it's sanctions world wide, no more no less. Peace in Israel is within our grasp. Should Bush/Reagan administrations apologize for that? I think not!

History has shown that isolationism breeds world disorder. Only short sighted people would vote for American isolation. That's what Bill Clinton would bring us. George Bush has spent most of his political life focused on foreign affairs. Would these leaps in world peace taken place under a Clinton White House? I have no reason to think so. The Republican Convention was an honor for our town. My enjoyment was highest the night of the Reagan/Buchanan speeches. These were eloquent and inspiring speeches. For someone to equate that evening to a 1930's Hitler propaganda rally rubs me the wrong way. Pat Buchanan is an honorable man...he is not a hatemonger. He is also not a skirt chaser or a draft dodger. The George Bush "new tax" olive branch compromise with the Democratic congress was a political mistake. His hope has been for bi-partisan cooperation for change. He should have known better. Other than this, I would call his first four years exemplary. I think Reagan and Bush will take their place in history alongside other great world leaders.

The monumental change that took place in the world during their tenure thus far will insure a proper place in history. My only wish is that the Reagan/Bush years had started four years earlier.

Ron Moran, Section 2

A Republican's point of view... Democrat or Republican. In support of our President, I wish to point out just one of many areas of enormous conflict between our two major political parties. Our Democratic congress, not President Bush is to be blamed for the erosion of our economy. Congress controls the purse strings. They tax, they spend. Bush was bamboozled into the tax increase by the "Godfather of liberal pork", Robert Byrd of West Virginia. I can assure my fellow G.O. residents this is not a mistake that will happen again. Bush has fought and lost against a Democratic congress intent on hanging their special interest pork on every bill and budget. Bill Clinton is indeed their "rubber stamp" candidate. To Mr. Clinton's credit, he and his liberal cronies have cleverly disguised their "black hole" social spending programs with a new code word, "investments". These "invest-ments", have gutted my hard earned wages and all tax paying Americans to the tune of three billion plus! And they want more? Not!

I am taxed to the hilt and it infuriates me to hear more of the same... national healthcare, free college, education reform, spend, spend, spend! All of monies "invested" already have failed, just ask the liberal democrats and the media, so why throw good money after bad? This "chicken in every pot" banter has to stop.

Jeff H. Waller, Section 3

Taking in the spectacle before me as I sat gazing at the sea of faces in attendance at the Republican National Convention this past August in Houston, it occurred to me that the last time I could recall seeing this many annoyingly smug white Americans under one roof was in 1967, when my cousin Ethel

bribed me into accompanying her to an "Up With People" concert. She paid me off with 6 collectable Beatles bubble gum cards in denominations of 2 "Pauls", 2 "Rings", 1 "John", and 1 "George".

For the record, I am now a 42 year old former member of what Marilyn Quayle disdainfully refers to as "the counterculture". I grew up listening to rock'n'roll, protesting the Viet Nam War, hanging out with artsy types and feeling extremely enthusiastic about my vote for George McGovern. Now, I am a solid citizen - married, steady job, homeowner, taxpayer, prospective adoptive parent . . . and I even sometimes drive within the speed limit. My father was a staunch Republican. If he were alive today, I am certain he would have wholeheartedly embraced the philosophies of Pat Buchanan. Although I loved him dearly, I can clearly recall evenings around the family dinner table engaged in heated political discussions with him that literally caused me to fly into a rage over what I believed were his inconceivably vile and disturbing beliefs.

I found myself re-experiencing many of those same feelings while listening to the speeches of George Bush and Dan Quayle on the final night of the convention. It was sheer willpower that kept me from audibly voicing my indignant comments. However, I was surrounded by a mass of rabid, cheering fans worked up into a religious frenzy over judgmental pro-life proclamations, rigid definitions of family values, rampant homophobia, "it 's not my fault, the devil made me do it" denial of blame, and a no-new-taxes-this-time-I-really-mean-it hypocrisy. Never one to harbor a death wish and armed with the knowledge that I could be the target of a salivating lynch mob if I should utter one word of dissent, I contented myself with whispering my cynical jabs into my husband's ear. He, incidentally, was deeply engrossed in pantomiming an elaborate display of upward eye-rolling and muttering, "Oh, brother !" under his breath as the propaganda spewed forth from the podium like

an exploding geyser. I mean, where were the MODERATES? Where was the VOICE OF REASON? Had the whole world gone mad?

So, you ask, why would two decidedly non-believers attend a massive gathering of right-wing zealots? Well, for one thing, it was an incredibly fascinating event, albeit not one of the more shining moments in the history of humankind. Secondly, it was THE place to see and be seen, perchance to read one's name the next day in such important pieces of journalism as Maxine's column or find oneself a "sight-em" among Betsy Parish's list of bold-faced types. Thirdly, it was such an eminently red, white and blue AMERICAN experience! Jaded or not, you eventually got caught up in the spirit of being a part of this big wonderful mess of a country, psychos and all. I must admit, my eyes grew just a little bit misty when the band struck up "America the Beautiful" during the fireworks finale. My husband, however, brought me out of my temporary sedation and put it all into quick perspective for me as we were exiting the Astrodome. He was humming "Call Me AI".

And somehow, I found myself unable to stop thinking about tomorrow.

Sig Izbrand, Section 5

As election day draws near, it would appear the Republican strategy is to disseminate BIG LIES about Bill Clinton's record and positions on the issues. This is probably a smart move as it deflects attention from George Bush's domestic record, which even die hard Republicans don't attempt to defend. Whether the BIG LIE strategy is moral, ethical, or in the best interest of the nation will be left for the voter to decide. To set the record straight, let us explore seven current BIG LIES in the light of the facts:  
**BIG LIE # 1:** Bill Clinton will be an isolationist president.  
**FACTS:** "Bill Clinton strongly supports GATT negotiations for a more open trading system.(1) He favors (in principle) the NAFTA (North American Free Trade

(North American Free Trade Agreement). (2) Free Trade means more jobs at home. (3) "... every one billion dollars of increased American exports will create 20,000 to 30,000 new (American) jobs...(4)

**BIG LIE #2:** Bill Clinton is anti-"BIG OIL".

**FACTS:** Clinton opposes excessive gas tax increases. (5) Clinton will promote increased use of natural gas. (6) Clinton opposed increased reliance on expensive nuclear power plants..." (7) If we implement the Clinton energy plan we can limit our dependence on foreign oil...(8) The oil lobby would have you believe that Clinton's opposition to drilling in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge (9) at this time represents an anti-energy, anti-capitalist agenda. Nonsense! As citizens, you and I own that land and the oil under it. The cornerstone of free market economics is "buy low, sell high". Currently, that oil lease would go for less than half its historic and potential value (10). That makes no more sense than selling your home for half its expected value simply because someone wants to buy it cheap. Of course "Big Oil" wants us to "sell low"; that's good business for them. Bill Clinton wants to wait until we can get a good return on our investment, and allow environmentally sound drilling technology to continue to develop before we sell off our oil reserves (11).

**BIG LIE #3:** Bill Clinton wants to raise your (middle class) income taxes.

**FACTS:** A cornerstone of the Clinton economic plan is a tax CUT to middle class families with AGI's (Adjusted Gross Income) of less than \$200,000. per year (12). Bill Clinton will "shut the door on the 'something for nothing decade' by making the wealthiest Americans (AGI > \$200,000.) pay their fair share in taxes" (13).

**BIG LIE #4:** Bill Clinton wants to give away free college to everyone.

**FACTS:** Clinton wants everyone to pay for college. He would scrap the current grant (give-away) fraud infested, and low-interest loan system and replace it with a system whereby everyone can obtain a LOAN through a National Service Trust Fund (14).

Repayment would be required through automatic payroll deductions, preventing the defaults so common today (15). The loan could also be repaid by volunteering for full-time community service in one's home town for two years (16). **BIG LIE #5:** Bill Clinton is the rubber stamp candidate/cronies of Democrats in Congress.

**FACTS:** It is no secret that there is no love lost between Clinton and tax and spend Congressional liberals. Recall that during the primary campaign, the Democratic Congress even refused to invite Clinton to address them. In return, "there is nary a Congressman to be seen here [at the Democratic Convention]. Is this Clinton's way of 'thanking' them for their non-support in the Primaries? ..." (17) "We could have lobbed a side-winder missile into Madison Square Garden [during the Democratic Convention] and not taken out anybody in Congress. Why? ..." (18) Because Clinton likes and trusts Congress about as much as the rest of us do.

**BIG LIE #6:** Bill Clinton is a Pro-Welfare State tax-and-spend Liberal. **FACTS:** Clinton's work with the Democratic Leadership Council, including being Chairman from 1990 - 1991, moved the Democratic Party toward fiscal conservatism. (19) Clinton believes that welfare should be "a second chance, not a way of life". (20) Bill Clinton has proposed sweeping Welfare Reform for years, including "providing education, training, and child care for up to two years... After that (they) will have to go to work..." (21)

**BIG LIE #7:** Bill Clinton wants to Nationalize Health Care and make a huge federal bureaucracy to ration medical care.

**FACTS:** Bill Clinton has developed a clear and comprehensive policy, IN WRITING, which does not involve any new or enlarged federal agencies or rationing of services or mandatory taxes on employers. (22) (23) This issue is of such vital importance the writer hesitates to extract from the following references but urges the reader to obtain the Clinton Health Care Plan (see below).

All of the papers cited as references

in this article, as well as position papers on a host of other issues, are available by telephone, mail, or in person from Sandy Cook at Unity 92, 3702 Travis, Houston or (713) 522-9361. It is a shame, but in these days of dirty "Willie Horton"-style politics we voters must research to the source in order to discover the facts relevant to issues as the incumbent President's desperation mounts and the BIG LIE machine accelerates its output.

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3
				<i>First Quarter</i>		
4 Heights Festival	5	6 Civic Club 7:00 pm	7 Clinton Meeting St. Thomas University 6:30 pm	8 C.O.P. Training Session 10:00 am	9	10 Recycle Pick-up 8:00 am  Gazette Deadline 7:00 pm
			<i>Yom Kippur</i>			
11	12 Education Matters 7:00 pm Columbus Day	13	14 Clinton Meeting St. Thomas University 6:30 pm	15 P.I.P. Meeting 7:30 pm	16	17
18 Home Tour 12-6:00 pm Picnic 6:00 pm Spark Park	19	20 Heavy Trash Pick-up	21 Clinton Meeting St. Thomas University 6:30 pm	22 C.O.P. Training Session 7 pm	23	24
25	26	27	28 Clinton Meeting St. Thomas University 6:30 pm	29	30	31 Halloween
1	2	3 VOTE	4	5	6	7
8	9	10 Civic Club 7:00 pm	11	12	13	14

**Clip and Save Recycling Reminders:**

**WHEN:** Second Saturday of the month at 8 a.m.

**WHERE:** Drop-off at The Garden Oaks Theater parking lot (8 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.) or Curbside (by 8 a.m.)

**WHAT AND HOW:**

**ALUMINUM CANS:** Non-magnetic, RINSED.

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**Garden Oaks Home Tour**

**Sunday, October 18th**

**12 to 6 pm**

**Admission \$6.00**

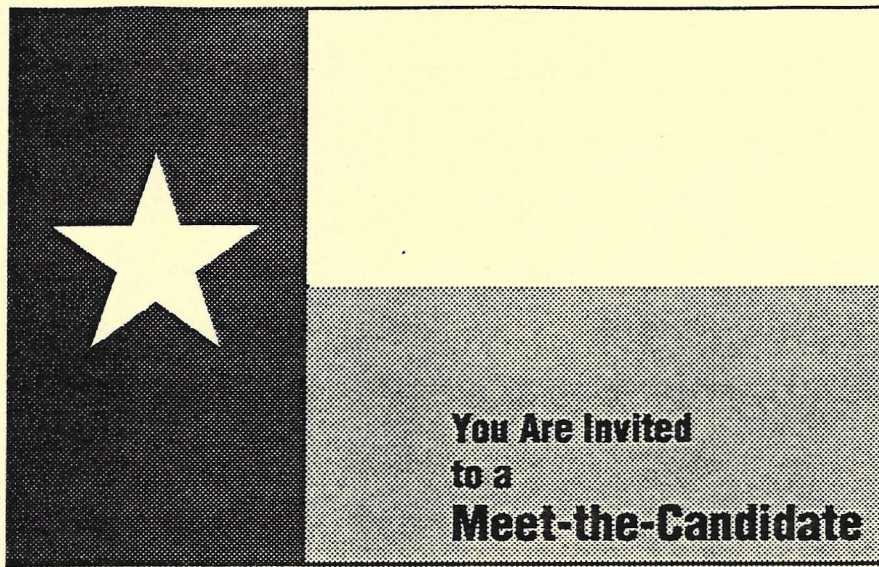
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**6pm**



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