

THE WHITE HOUSE
PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON
DAILY DIARY

Date Jan 19, 1969

The President began his day at (Place)

The White House

Day Sun

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	In	Out	Lo	LD		
	12:12a			f	Mrs. Arthur Krim - New York City	
	8:30a				Breakfast w/ Mrs. Johnson	
	9:15a				The President asked for Walt Rostow if he were at home - he was playing tennis -- they talked at 12:41p	
	9:17a		t		De Vier Pierson	
	9:35a	9:45a			Mrs. Johnson went to the South Grounds for a walk -- alone -- w/ a single secret service agent following her. She was wearing hdr mink coat, a scarf over her hair, and carrying an umbrella to protect her from the falling rain.	
	9:45a	10:55a			Father William J. Kaifer and	
		10:55a			BOX mf -- to the Solarium	
					where Luci joined and Father said MASS	

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	10:01a		t		DeVier Pierson	
	10:15a				De Dr. and Mrs. Dan Lotz (Rev. Graham's daughter and son-in-law) went to the third floor to see Rev and Mrs. Graham	
	10:24a				Rev. Graham called for the President - Mrs. Johnson took the call	
	10:48a				The President and Mrs. Johnson departed the White House, accompanied by Luci, Lynda Rev. and Mrs. Billy Graham Dr. and Mrs. Dan Lotz	
	10:53a				The President arrived the National City Christian Church for 11:00 a.m. services	
	12:25p				The President departed the National City Christian Church w/ Mrs. Johnson, Luci and Lynda - -	
					Dr. Graham and family also returned to the White House, but the usher says that he was accompanied by about 20 people who were then taken on a tour of the White House.	

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	12:31p				The President returned to the South Grounds	
	12:34p				In the office	
	12:41p		f		Walt Rostow - returnkng the President's call of earlier today	
					The President signed mail and	
	1:12p		f		Mr. Philip Potter w/ the Baltimore Sun --Mr. Potter told the President that he had hoped to see him personally before he left to tell him goodbye, that he thought when the President took office that he would be a great President, that he had been a great President, and that history would record the Johnson Presidency as a great one. The President invited him to come on down and see him, saying "I'm here in my office, signing mail and cleaning up."	
	1:18p		t		Hon. Hubert Humphrey, the Vice President --"just a thinking of you call, and thanking you for all you've done for me, Mr. President."	
	1:30p	2:05p			Mr. Philip Potter	

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	2:45p				Jack Valenti departed	
	3:05p		t		George Christian	
	3:21p				To the Oval Office	
	3:22p	3:40p			OFF RECORD: General George A. Lincoln, Director-designate of OEP	
	3:45p		t		Christian - pl	
	3:47p		t		DeVier Pierson	
	4:20p		t		Sgt Paul Glynn	
	4:25p		t		Jones - pl	

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	4:30p		t		Rostow - pl	
	4:31p		t		Jones - pl	
	4:45p				to the barbershop	
	5:05p		f		Dr. Edward Re	
	5:25p				To Oval Office	
	5:27p		f		Governor Buford Ellington - here in town at the Madison	
	5:29p		t		Jones - pl	
	5:30p				Mrs. Seymour Seymour (Patti) Owens and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Owens, Jr. (Sey and June)	
	5:40p		f		Senator Jennings Randolph	

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	5:45p		t		Larry Levinson	
	5:54p		t		Col. Haywood Smith	
	5:55p	6:04p			Hon. W. Averell Harriman	
		6:04p			Secretary of State Dean Rusk	
	6:00p	6:04p			Mrs. Johnson	
		6:04p			Luci	
		6:04p			Lyn	
					press and photogs in to cover President's mtg w/ Harriman and Rusk and family joining	
	6:09p		t		Gov. Nelson Rockefeller	

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		6:42p			Departed "F" Street Club w/Mrs. Johnson	
		6:45			Returned to the Mansion arr'g at SW gate at 6:45	
		6:47p			Upstairs in the Mansion - to 2d floor	
					Pres., Mrs. Johnson and Luci to greet guests which were:	
					Hon and Mrs. Tyler Abell	
					Mr/Mrs Peter Benchley	
					Mr. Wm M. Blackburn, Jr.	
					Miss Phyllis Bonanno	
					Mrs. Aubrey Boozer, Jr.	
					Hon and Mrs. Joseph A. Califano, Jr.	
					Mr. and Mrs. John Carlyle	
					Mr/Mrs Leslie Carpenter	
					Hon and Mrs. George E. Christian	
					Mr. John B. Criswell	
					Mr. Ervin Ervin S. Duggan	
					Miss Marie Fehmer	
					Capt. Douglas Davidson	
					Hon. and Mrs. E. Ernest Goldstein	
					Mr. and Mrs. John Gonella	
					Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Hardesty	
					Hon. and Mrs. William J. Hopkins	
					Hon and Mrs. W. Thomas Johnson, Jr.	
					Hon. and Mrs. James R. Jones	
					Miss Doris H. Kearns	

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					Ex Hon and Mrs. Lawrence E. Levinson	
					Mr/Mrs Charles M. Maguire	
					Hon and Mrs. Mike N. Manatos	
					Hon and Mrs. Harry C. McPherson, Jr.	
					Hon and Mrs. Harry Middleton	
					Mr/Mrs Leslie Midgley	
					Hon. and Mrs. Charles S. Murphy	
					Mrs. Patrick J. Nugent	
					Hon and Mrs. W. DeVier Pierson	
					Miss Mary Rather	
					Hon. and Mrs. George E. Reedy	
					Mrs. Charles S. Robb	
					Mrs. Juanita D. Roberts	
					Hon and Mrs. Walt W. Rostow	
					Hon and Mrs. Harold Barefoot Sanders, Jr.	
					Hon and Mrs. Bromley K. Smith	
					Hon and Mrs. Larry E. Temple	
					Mr/Mrs Ben J. Wattenberg	
	7:06p		t		Op - have Paul Glynn come to West Hall	
					Cocktails and conversation in Yellow Oval Room -	
					Mrs. Johnson announced she wanted everyone to sign a guest book - in Yellow Oval Rm	
	8:24p		f		Whitney Young - NYC	
					Music playing in hallway - guests all enjoying this last night with the Pres. and Mrs. Johnson -	
					Mrs. Johnson announced buffett/dinner in dining room - please everyone go get served...	
					Roast Beef, delicious other items	
	10:26p		f		C. P. Little	

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					Pres. ate in his favorite chair - near the dining room entrance - around him were Mr and Mrs. Leslie Midgley (she/s Betty Furness) - Mr/Mrs Walt Rostow Liz Carpenter, Mike Manatos - conversing with group	
					Back to the Yellow Oval Room - more conversation - asked Liz Carpenter to read Dr. George Davis prayer of this morning - out loud to group -	
					To the hallway - showing some of his guests the new Shoumatoff painting of himself and Mrs. Johnson - perfectly beautiful, everyone oohed and ahed.	
					Back to the hallway near music - everyone stood around and the tune "Auld Lang Syne" played - Pres. seemed in jovial and mellow mood as well as Mrs. Johnson. A few tears from many people singing "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" -	
					Back to Yellow Oval Room - Harry McPherson made few remarks, very beautifully so, saying how proud the Nation and those gathered of the Johnsons for their tremendous impact on so much --	
					PRESIDENT made impromptu remarks - about 30 min.	
					Bade everyone farewell - departed for his bedroom.	
	11:12p		t		George Christian	
	11:34p		t		DeVier Pierson	