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Bruce Lamb & Company
of C-Span —

Bravo! on the Presidential Series —
I'm a History and Political Science
Major — and find I have learned
so much from this Series —

I worked as a Flight Attendant
in New York City and worked Nationally
for Bobby Kennedy.

As a Flight Attendant we use to
receive what I call Orchid and Onion
Letters — what I have written thus far
as an Orchid Letter — Now to the
The Onion Letter

Re: Thomas Reeves

Author of "A Question of Character
the Life of John F Kennedy"

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The Following was stated —

1. Kennedys are Beautiful People / Media
People we emulate towards Beautiful People.
2. Joseph Kennedy was referred to as Old Joe
more than once instead of Joe Kennedy
President Kennedys Father.

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3. "If we knew what happened during the 1000 days, Kennedy would have been impeached / This should be Clarified by the Author — I don't plan on buying ~~to~~ his Book.
 4. "He learned all this Corruption from his Father's Knee, therefore we couldn't expect more" — This needs to be Clarified.
 5. "Kennedy Library is Controlled by the Kennedy Family" and the Papers won't be released except to approved People, just like approval on Kennedy Biography are by the Family" — Question: Aren't all the Library Controlled by the Family to a certain extent? And why is it such a thorn in Thomas Reeves side & E: The Papers he can't see — Frankly I wouldn't want him to suffle through the Papers that is held in high esteem for most of us who lived through the Kennedy Administration.
 6. "Jack Lost Faith in his Religion during High School —" This should be Clarified

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⑦ "Mother was Cold, Done most of the time, over seas buying dresses, Children raised by Irish Women attendants" this should be Clarified -

⑧ "John Kennedy & Bobby were not Close until the Day of Pier Frasco" this should be Clarified -

⑨ "Profiles of Courage was not Written by John F Kennedy" - this should be Clarified

⑩ "Marilyn Monroe was involved both with John F Kennedy and Robert Kennedy" this should be Clarified
etc etc etc etc.

What I think I'm stating here Brian is this Author was a terrible dis service to the Presidential Series I would have suggested Doris Kearns Goodman as one of your series either Franklyn D. Roosevelt or J F K. She has done extensive work in both fields.
If I have a disappointment at all in

IV.

Series
in the Presidential ~~Series~~ its the
Author Thomas Reeves - I would
never ever buy a book penned by
him - He must be a Very lonely
gentleman - of Course this really
isnt any different than The Day of
FDR - Both Presidents were
either Loved or Totally disliked -
But I believe It will be
many many years before we see
their likeness again - Its a sadder
World with what we have today -
Its the Children in this nation who
suffer - and thanks to all of
you and the Series you've Produced
They have hope for a brighter
future and none of us will ever
accept the Wasteland of television
again. For years Ive stated to
Children what a marvellous tool
television could be if it were
used for education and to build
intelligence -

Thank - You

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