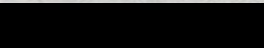
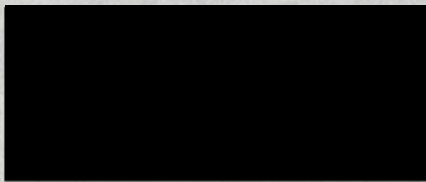
  
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I watch C-Span because of the type of programs that are offered. Not only is there such a rich diversification of subjects but the manner in which the various staff people present the format of interviews and discussions is really quite interesting.

I particularly like the effort of Brian Lamb. His unobtrusive way of talking with guests is in my opinion a real class act! I would hope that in the coming year, especially with programs of a political nature, that C Span will afford Brian the opportunity to display his talent.

Inasmuch I have always taken an interest in national political affairs, it would seem logical that the televising of the House of Representatives would also be another reason why I watch C-Span. As a senior citizen who was able to cast his first vote in 1940, the opportunity to see and listen to our representatives as they conduct our nation's business is another feature that I particularly like. To read about them in the local press is one thing - to actually see them as they debate the issues of the day is very enjoyable. My hope in this matter is that when the United States Senate finally allows the cameras into that august body that C-Span will be there!





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Recently, C-Span featured a program that featured a satirical musical group by the title of "Capitol Steps". Thier presentation was a high spot of programing. This talented group certainly should have another opportunity to delight the audience, as they present an original and entertaining hour. That is just why I watch C-Span because at any precise moment you will be enjoying a political interview; a conversation with officials; stimulating thoughts and comment by reporters - all that contributes to my affinity to C-Span.

Before I conclude, I would like to congratulate all those that pool their many talents in presenting the varied schedule of programs.

I only hope that during the rest of 1984 that C-Span will keep rolling on its way as it has in the past year that I have been an enthusiastic viewer (and Booster!).

Someone once said that a picture is worth a thousand words. If that is true, I can only say that since watching C-Span, I have probably increased my knowledge of the state of the world and the United States by possibly two or three million words! Good luck!