

APRIL 12, 1998

DEAR MARGE:

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I HAVE THREE PROGRAMING IDEAS. BUT, FIRST I WANT TO SAY THANK YOU AGAIN FOR THE NICE TOUR YOU GAVE ME ON NOVEMBER 06, 1996, I ENJOYED IT VERY MUCH.

1.) PROGRAMING IDEA NUMBER ONE:

- "FOUNDING of the AMERICAN COLONIES" -

A.) DAY ONE .. ONE HOUR-(OR MORE)- BEFORE THE LANDING;
WHO WERE the PEOPLE WHO FOUNDED THE COLONY?
WHY DID THEY FOUNDED THE COLONY?
WHAT WAS GOING ON IN THE AREA WHERE THE COLONY WAS FOUNDED?

B.] DAY TWO .. ONE HOUR-(OR MORE) -

C.] DAY THREE ..

DIVIDE THE TIME FROM THE FOUNDING TO JULY 4th, 1776, IN HALF.

→ DAY TWO ..

WHO ARE THE PEOPLE LIVING THERE?
INTERACTION WITH THE OTHER COLONIES?
INTERACTION WITH FOREIGN COUNTRIES?

→ DAY THREE ..

THE ABOVE - PLUS

THE COMING OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION?

D.) DAY FOUR .. ONE HOUR (OR MORE) - -
THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

E.) DAY FIVE .. ONE HOUR-(OR MORE) - -

END OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION TO THE ADOPTION OF THE CONSTITUTION.

FOR EXAMPLE .. for B & C. NEW JERSEY FOUNDED 03/12/1664.

DIVIDE THE TIME FROM 03/12/1664 TO 07/04/1776 IN HALFS

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EACH WEEK'S STORY IS TOLD FROM THE PARTICULAR COLONY.
WHEN YOU DO RHODE ISLAND SEND A COPY OF WHY IT WAS
FOUNDED TO REP. NEY and OTHERS LIKE HIM!

2.) PROGRAMING IDEA NUMBER TWO: "THE FEDERALIST PAPERS"

A.) DAY ONE ..

FEDERALIST PAPER NUMBER ONE.

WHO WROTE IT?

WHY WAS IT WRITTEN?

READ THE ENTIRE PAPER.

NO PHONE CALLS.

B.) DAY TWO ..

THE PRO'S & CON'S OF THE PAPER IN THE
CONTEXT OF ITS TIME.

PHONE CALLS.

C.) DAY THREE ..

PRO'S & CON'S OF THE PAPER IN 1998 and the
FUTURE.

PHONE CALLS.

→ REPEAT ABOVE FOR PAPERS TWO TO EIGHTY-TWO.

I KNOW MANY OF THE FEDERALIST PAPERS CAN BE
COVERED IN ONE NINETY MINUTE OR LESS SHOW.

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3.) PROGRAMING IDEA NUMBER THREE:

* HOLIDAYS *

PRESIDENTS DAY : MEMORIAL DAY : 4th of JULY :
VETERANS' DAY : THANKSGIVING DAY(?) : OTHERS ?

ON THE ABOVE HOLIDAYS and OTHERS (?) --
A BOOKNOTE DIRECTLY RELATED TO THE HOLIDAY
FOLLOWED BY C-SPAN TAPE RELATING TO THE HOLIDAY
AND TO THE BOOKNOTE, FOLLOW BY ANOTHER BOOKNOTE
THAN C-SPAN TAPE.

EXAMPLE : PRESIDENTS DAY --

BOOKNOTE - GEORGE WASHINGTON'S PRESIDENCY, FOLLOW
BY YOUR MT VERON TAPE -- BOOKNOTE - JOHN ADAMS -
FOLLOW BY JOHN ADAMS RELATED TAPE -- BOOKNOTE -
TAPE -- BOOKNOTE - TAPE, ETC, ETC, ETC.

OF COURSE, ON THOSE HOLIDAYS WHERE THERE ARE
RELATED LIVE CEREMONIES -- EXAMPLE --
VETERANS' DAY .. ARLINGTON & THE VIETNAM
WALL, YOU WOULD GO TO THEM LIVE and
THEN GO BACK TO THE BOOKNOTE/TAPE/BOOKNOTE/TAPE/
ETC, ETC, ETC.

SINCERLY YOURS

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