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Good morning:

Just want to drop a short note of protest.

I've been a C-Span fan for many years now and one of the reasons I've always enjoyed the program is that it was good, clean discussion on the topics of the day.

When you decided to put radio talk-show hosts on, I didn't really object, except to the fact that you put three liberals on and two conservatives. (If you call Barbara Carlson a conservative I'll have to question your judgement on that also!). At any rate, hearing a bit from radio hosts sounded okay to me.

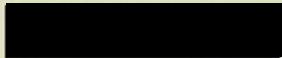
However, I must tell you that I was offended by the language that came across my television set by this jerk Don Imus. I realize you will say you don't have control of that and I understand that. But, I think you might want to consider banning someone like that from future appearances. And, you might want to do a little more research into the people you bring on your program.

There's enough bad language on regular television--why let it happen to your C-Span program. I think it's bad judgement on your part and gives you a bit of a black eye.

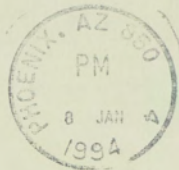
Very sincerely,

P.S.: Maybe another reason this Imus and his language irritated me was because he came on in place of your regular Friday morning call-in program--one of your best programs. Why would you let this guy come on in that time slot. If you really wanted to have him on, tape him and run him later, after the call-in program! Why let this guy, or anyone else, up-stage your best program?

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