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sell them. She told me that she has observed President Clinton a couple times on the golf course outside her window with his bodyguards and the head Pro.

We briefly discussed the media coverage that occurs whenever there is a hearing approaching, and she replied that for her that's been "hard" and "it hurts." She stated she deals with the Secret Service, and they still observe John but have never bothered the family. We also talked about the passing of James Brady, and she told me "that was hard." She reminded me that Sarah Brady is a William and Mary graduate, and although she has never met her personally, she is hopeful that she is doing well. With regard to John possibly being charged with homicide in Mr. Brady's death, Mrs. Hinckley told me that her children assured her that was not going to happen and they supported each other.

Mrs. Hinckley reaffirmed that she is fully in support of the Convalescent Leave Recommendation for John to live with her full-time and that they "get along just fine together" and "I'm just in awe of him." She told me that "no one has worked harder than John," and he "dots every 'I', he crosses every 'T'," and she never has to remind him about anything. We discussed John's volunteer activities at the church as well as Eastern State Hospital, about his rejections by organizations he has applied to volunteer or work for, and his having the problem about saying he had gone to a movie he did not get to. Mrs. Hinckley told me that John no longer goes to movies and he does not go to the Barnes and Noble except for the Barnes and Noble in Merchant's Square. She also told me she is "with him on the internet."

Mrs. Hinckley told me she did not know many of the details of the Hospital's Recommendation other than it has for him to live with her and continue with his treatment and activities. I told her that it comes up in court that if she were no longer available, either because she became ill and moved to assisted living or a hospital, decided to move to Dallas or change her location, or passed away, what would be the plan for John down the line, and she reported "We don't talk about it." She reaffirmed that "her home is John's home," and that if he wants to stay there that is fine and if he does not that is fine as well. I told her my impression that she and her husband had been "the rock" for John and she told me that she could not imagine a parent not supporting their child. She also told me that "Scott and Diane have been so wonderful." I told her I had never doubted her genuine support and love for her son and she responded that she did not want to take "credit," that "it is all John's efforts" and that her other two children have played such an important part. We concluded the interview with my asking Mrs. Hinckley if there was anything else she thought I should know or anything else she wanted to tell me, and she responded she did not, and we agreed it has been "a long road."

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I told Mrs. Hinckley that I would be seeing Jonathan Weiss and Carl Beffa as well as Dr. GG, however, I had had some trouble reaching Elizabeth Haley, and Mrs. Hinckley replied that they have the same problem in reaching her but she generally comes on Sundays. We discussed the major change in the past two years being the addition of Jonathan Weiss as the case manager, and she responded that Mr. Weiss has been "wonderful. I tell you, he has been great." She added that Mr. Weiss is her "idol right now. Yes, I am very, very happy with Jonathan Weiss." Mrs. Hinckley told me it had been John who suggested going to NAMI meetings and it was his idea. She commented that NAMI has evening meetings at St. Stephen's Lutheran Church and John drives back and forth. She also affirmed that she believes he has gone there twice during the eight month period of the expanded 17-day visits. She also reported that when she does drop John off for his three-hour periods of unsupervised time, she really does not know what he does but he usually just goes out to Merchant's Square and she believes "he goes to the music store, book store, or some other things like that."

Mrs. Hinckley and I discussed John's new friendship with Ms. L and that Ms. L has been in their home for a few afternoons and lives in _____, which is approximately one hour from Williamsburg. Mrs. Hinckley reported Ms. L's parents live in _____ and her parents "pick her up to take her to _____ as she does not live with her parents." Mrs. Hinckley also told me she and John had been invited to Ms. L's parents' home for lunch, but they declined. She indicated her parents appear to be very fond of John. Mrs. Hinckley then went on to tell me that her son's relationship with Ms. CB "has been a problem" because "she does not want to give up on John," and she comes to St. Elizabeths to see him "but there's no love interest there." Mrs. Hinckley told me it would not be possible for Ms. CB to come to Williamsburg and that I just have to ask John more about their relationship. She then told me about John's new interest in photography and his friend who is a local photographer in Williamsburg and "has been a tremendous help to John without pay." She told me that the friend (Bruce Brelsford) has taken John to Newport News and to York and introduced him to a noted photographer who photographed for "Life Magazine." Mrs. Hinckley told me that the photographer friend has been to her home, but when he came she was not there. Mrs. Hinckley told me that John's interest has shifted from painting to photography, and he has hundreds of paintings in a storage room below the house.

In terms of Mr. Hinckley's interest in cats, I told Mrs. Hinckley it was my impression she was "not a cat person" but she corrected me, telling me she loves cats but that she does not want cats in her home. She stated "I'm happy with my life the way it is." Mrs. Hinckley told me she has lost most of her friends or neighbors as some have died, some are in assisted living, and some have gone back to home, wherever that might have been for them, but that she loves her home and she is happy. She said she no longer plays golf, but she still has her clubs and is not going to