

United States of America the two hundred and seventeenth.

**William J. Clinton**

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**Statement on the Death of Cesar Chavez**

*April 23, 1993*

The labor movement and all Americans have lost a great leader with the death today of Cesar Chavez. An inspiring fighter for the cause to which he dedicated his life, Cesar Chavez was an authentic hero to millions of people throughout the world.

I share the sadness his family, friends, followers, and supporters all feel upon his passing away. We can be proud of his enormous accomplishments and the dignity and comfort he brought to the lives of so many of our country's least powerful and most dispossessed workers. He had a profound impact upon the people of the United States. My deepest sympathies go out to all his loved ones.

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**Digest of Other  
White House Announcements**

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The following list includes the President's public schedule and other items of general interest announced by the Office of the Press Secretary and not included elsewhere in this issue.

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**April 17**

In the morning, the President traveled to Pittsburgh, PA, and returned to Washington, DC, in the afternoon.

**April 19**

In the evening, the President toured the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum.

The President announced his intention to appoint Beth Nolan, currently serving in the

White House Counsel's Office, to the National Commission on Judicial Discipline and Removal.

**April 20**

In the morning, the President went jogging with Senator Harris Wofford and members of the District of Columbia National Service Corps.

The President appointed James A. Baker III to lead the Presidential delegation to the state funeral of Turgut Ozal, President of the Republic of Turkey, in Ankara on April 21.

**April 21**

In the morning, the President went jogging with Boston Mayor Raymond Flynn and six winners of the Boston Marathon.

Later, the President met with General John W. Vessey.

In the afternoon, the President met at the White House with:

- President Lech Walesa of Poland;
- President Chaim Herzog of Israel;
- President Mario Soares of Portugal;
- President Franjo Tudjman of Croatia;
- President Ion Iliescu of Romania;
- President Zhelyu Zhelev of Bulgaria;
- President Arpad Goncz of Hungary;
- President Milan Kucan of Slovenia;
- President Vaclav Havel of the Czech Republic;
- President Michal Kovac of the Slovak Republic;
- Prime Minister Aleksandr Meksi of Albania;
- Prime Minister Andrei Nicholas Sangheli of Moldova.

In the evening, the President and Hillary Clinton hosted a private reception at Blair House.

**April 23**

The President announced his intention to nominate the following senior officials:

- Robert Nordhaus to be General Counsel at the Department of Energy;
- Robert Hunter to be the Ambassador to NATO;
- Bruce Lehman to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks.