

Dear Governor Haley,

My name is Vanessa Kelly and I'm writing this letter because I have a special request. Our 2 fifth grade classes are doing state reports. We are hoping to receive post cards or other information and I was wondering if you could help me out with that because I got the palmetto State..... SOUTH CAROLINA!

I have been to many South Carolina many times before and I just think it's an absolutely beautiful State. I can see why it's called the palmetto State. There are so many palm trees! When I visited I never got to see the Angel Oak Tree, but wow. It sounds unbelievably amazing! Like seriously, how can a tree be around 1,000 years and shade 17,000 sq. feet!

Since I'm from Michigan we don't see any palm trees in our state, but we do see a lot of... SNOW! I absolutely love skiing and sledding. Michigan is nicknamed the Great Lakes State because we have lakes surrounding us. Their names are Lake Huron, Lake Ontario, Lake Michigan, Lake Erie, and Lake Superior. Have you

ever been to Michigan?

Governor Haley,

I know that you're really busy, but it would be greatly appreciated if you could write back as soon as possible! I hope I can visit soon!

Sincerely,

Vanessa Kelly
(your 5th grade friend)