

March 6, 2016

The Honorable Nikki R. Haley  
Office of the Governor  
1205 Pendleton Street  
Columbia, SC 29201

Dear Governor Haley,

My parents will celebrate their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on June 18, 2016. They have followed your career since you were in the legislature and even got to meet you one time in person at a function in Sumter, SC. They will be sorry to see you leave office at the end of your term.

If possible, I would like to request a letter from you congratulating them on this wonderful occasion. My father and mother, were an exchange doctor and nurse from the Philippines and met at French Hospital in New York City, NY. Both left their homes to make a new life in the United States. And what a life they were able to make! 4 children and 9 grandchildren later they are happily retired and living in Sumter. My father retired from Shaw AFB and my mother retired from the VA Hospital. They truly believe that were it not for the freedoms and opportunities offered in this country their lives could have been so very different.

To commemorate this day, my parents are having a party at the Belmond Place in Charleston on June 18<sup>th</sup>. I would love to place the letter in a keepsake frame or memory book. You can send the letter to the following address:

Debbie Curtis  
1047 Beagle Run Road  
Chapin, SC 29036

I appreciate your consideration and thank you for your service to our great State.

Sincerely,

  
Debbie Curtis