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Dick Steiner
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Dear Mr. Steiner:

Many thanks for your participation in helping to create a most memorable Presidential Inaugural evening following President Obama's swearing in. The 1200 attendees of our Salute to Heroes Inaugural Banquet and Ball, which included families and comrades of many of the Congressional Medal of Honor recipients as well as other military veterans and members of the Armed Forces, were delighted not only by your dazzling "talents of legerdemain", but by your ability to connect so well with them.

Hearing comments like, "That was unbelievable!" and "It happened right in front of us!" are certainly impressive. However, such remarks coming from the honored guests at this event made them all the more noteworthy. Your tremendous talents primed our guests with a magical feeling which set off our event with the perfect spin to transition into the historical evening that it indeed was.

Simply put, you added intrigue, entertainment, and class to that memorable evening and we are most appreciative for all you did!

Sincerely,



JOHN F. SOMMER, JR.
Executive Director