

M E M O R A N D U M

TO: Ross Perot  
FROM: Joe Poche  
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The emotions of Iran can best be described as follows:

1. The night that Paul and Bill were arrested started with a birthday party which ended with the hollowness of knowing that two fellows were helpless.
2. The night I was called back to Dallas for an unspecified business reason. It was very pleasing to know, without being told, that "faith" was being fulfilled.
3. A feeling of relief when Art decided not to take weapons to Iran on the first trip. Anger at the group as a whole for wanting so much to hurt those they did not know.
4. Great pride in being able to help.
5. A sense of disgust after meeting our embassy personnel charged with representing the United States.
6. Being bored, waiting for Paul and Bill to get out of jail; so the plans could take effect.
7. A feeling of its the end the day after Bill and Paul were taken from the hotel. Because the revolutionary guards were driving around shooting anything that moved. My question was "why now" this is like going in a traffic accident.
8. Relief to return to the United States and the known.