Mr. Arsenio Hall
Paramount Studios
5555 Melrose Avenue
Hollywood, CA

Dear Mr. Hall:

We understand that Minister Louis Farrakhan, the Head of the Nation of Islam, is to be your guest on February 25th. We believe your audience should be aware of his views. Therefore, we present Minister Louis Farrakhan in His Own Words:

FARRAKHAN AND THE NATION OF ISLAM ON WHITES

"Yes, we have a gripe, if that’s the word you use, with white people in general, because whites in general are the beneficiary of the wealth of our slave labor that has been kept back from us..." — February 3, 1994 News Conference in Washington, D.C.

"The God who taught me calls the white man the skunk of the planet earth. He is so wicked and so filthy that God calls him the skunk of the planet earth." — From The Final Call, June 5, 1992 (The Final Call is the official paper of the Nation of Islam).

"It’s because you [white people] are wicked and you fear in the sickness of your mind that you must control everybody because everybody is inferior and only white people have a right to rule. I say you’re sick and you need a doctor or you need to be buried." — Farrakhan in a speech July 22, 1985 at the Washington Convention Center.

FARRAKHAN’S VIEWS ON JEWS

"Now I’m going to come to something that may get me in a lot of trouble. But I’ve got to speak the truth. What is a bloodsucker? When they land on your skin, they suck the life from you to sustain their life... Every black artist, or most of them who came to prominence, who are their managers, who are their agents? Does the agent have the talent or the artist? But who reaps the benefits? Come on. We die penniless and broke, but somebody else is sucking from us. Who surrounds Michael Jackson? Is it us?" — Time Magazine, February 28, 1994

"I said that the state of Israel has not had peace and will not have peace because there can be no peace structured on injustice, lying, thiev..." — Washington Times, February 27, 1990

On February 18, 1990, Farrakhan told 4,000 people at Michigan State University that Jews were "sucking the blood of the black community."

"And he [Farrakhan] said that Jews should look at why God permitted a Hitler. If you understand, there will never be a Hitler again" — Rocky Mountain News, December 15, 1989

"Narrow-minded, common Jews... The Jews cannot defeat me so I will grind them and crush them into little bits." — Speech in Flushing, New York on May 21, 1988 (as reported in the New York Post, May 23, 1988)

"Cokes spoke the truth" and Jews protested "because the truth hurts. I know this man Cokes. I know if he said it, he got the stuff to back it up." — Chicago Sun Times, May 10, 1988, concerning statements by Chicago Black activist and former municipal official Steve Cokes asserting that Jews engaged in an international conspiracy to take over the world, and that Jewish doctors deliberately injected black children with the AIDS virus.

"There can never be any peace structured on injustice, thiev..." — Speech at Morgan State Radio broadcast, March 11, 1984

FARRAKHAN AND THE NATION OF ISLAM ON CHRISTIANS

"The whole of the Western white civilization is opposed to Islam, the only true religion of God; therefore they (devils) don’t teach of Allah and Islam to us... Christianity was organized by the white race and they placed the name of Jesus on it as being the founder and author to deceive the Black people into accepting it." — From The Final Call, April 6, 1992

"Does the Pope ask his white brothers and sisters to repent of their evils to our people (in Africa) before asking our people to forgive? What does this tell you about who he really represents? Does he really represent Christ, or does he represent that originator and organizer of organized crime on this earth?... Who represents Christ: Pope John Paul II or the Honorable Louis Farrakhan? Will Christ himself finally distinguish him who is genuine from him who is the imposter (anti-Christ)?" — From The Final Call, March 4, 1992.

FARRAKHAN ON HOMOSEXUALS

"[Farrakhan] admonished homosexuals. Look at you. A man trying to be a woman. A woman trying to be a man." — From a speech in Denver, Colorado, as reported in Rocky Mountain News, December 15, 1989

"With your state filled with homosexuals, filled with degenerates, filled with disease... With all of this going on in your state, you should welcome me like the return of Jesus Christ." — Farrakhan in a speech in Los Angeles, California, September 14, 1985