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The Honorable Senator Ted Stevens
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Dear, now dearest, Chairman Ted,

Wow!

Thank you, thank you, to you and your prestigious brother Chairman Dan Inouye, for restoring my lost aging aura of venerability with your thoughtful appearances at the Quello Center Symposium luncheon.

It was a signal honor, even more, a crowning achievement, for the Quello Center to be your vehicle for this impressive, unprecedented display of bi-partisan effectiveness and affection.

Next year when you introduce your heroic brother, Dan, the Quello Center will proudly host the luncheon with flags flying (including the flags of Alaska and Hawaii), in the main ballroom of the Army Navy Country Club. I plan to give Defense Secretary Rumsfeld the opportunity of introducing two World War II heroes and distinguished Senate leaders – an offer he can't refuse as my Godfather used to say.

The Army-Navy lunch will serve as a sort of warm-up locale for my 100th birthday dinner, April 21, 2014, honoring Chairman Ted and Dan, my two World War heroes and distinguished Senate leaders.

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Please consider me a lifetime supporter of all your efforts and an ardent well-wisher for your continued good health. Please stay well so I don't have to cancel our gala birthday reception.

Love, (heterosexual)

Jim
James H. Quello

cc: The Honorable Senator Dan Inouye

Chairman Dan -- All this certainly applies to you. please stay well. Everybody needs you -- the Senate, Hawaii, the nation and my birthday dinner April 21, 2014 when we salute your heroes... Especially now that I know April 21st is such a momentous wartime date for you.

Best, always
Jim