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Dear Friends, relatives, colleagues:

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Big news from the west coast:

1. We are moving to Fredericton, New Brunswick, Canada. Our house is sold (for much more than we paid for it just 5 years ago), the Ryder moving truck is reserved and we take off East on August 19. We will go via Highway 80 to Chicago, on to Detroit and into Canada thru Toronto, Montreal, etc finally to 75 miles East of Maine... taking about 8 days. Marilyn will drive the wagon. Fredericton is the capital city of New Brunswick has a population of about 50,000 and is the site of the Univ. of New Brunswick. Marilyn's parents and five siblings and their families live there. I was back there in March on one of 4 Canadian trips this year. Housing is very much cheaper perhaps 50,000$ per house compared to here. There is air service between Fredericton and Toronto, Montreal, Halifax, etc on Air Canada and Eastern Provincial so it isn't the end of the world... Rachel and I are immigrant settlers. ... we will keep our US citizenship as Marilyn has kept her Canadian. Melissa has dual citizenship as the daughter of a Canadian and an American. Both Marilyn and I have lived longer in this house than at any other address in the past 25 years... time to keep moving on....She also has a teachers license in NB though jobs are tight she may be able to substitute later this year. We look forward to finding a home, buying new old furniture-- sold most of our stuff here-- for more than we paid for it 3-5 years ago...
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2. After 2+ years of discussions Harper and Row has finally come through with an option contract on a book.. with me and co-author Bill Moore. Not much money now but we expect the book to sell well. Bill's first book "The Philadelphia Experiment" with Charles Berlitz has done well here and overseas and is currently No. 1 in England. His second "The Roswell Incident" is coming out within a month. Overseas publications rights have sold for over $500,000 (mainly because Berlitz is co author). Columbia pictures has optioned the movie rights for 25,000 (price of 250,000). I originated the three main stories of this crashed UFO book which should really stir up the world. Did much of the research as well though Berlitz did most of the writing from Bill's and my efforts. One book club has already ordered 11,000 copies. A 6 figure paper back rights offer was rejected... so should be a biggy. even at $10. in hardcover. Bill lives in Prescott, Arizona--

3. Nothing much has happened with my movie "UFOs Are Real".. except the producer has changed the title to "Alien Encounter" and still is not releasing it in theaters. It is available through Fotomat's drive through movie program... for lease as a ½" videotape. I didn't win all the battles but those who have seen it seem to agree it is the best UFO documentary done to date..... I am also working on another movie "UFO Chronicles" co-scripting with Bill Moore, technical consultant and I suppose you could say " star" of the show. Hopefully the group putting it together won't run out of money.....I am taping a Mike Douglas show-- with Robert Vaughan on August 11 for broadcast about a month later..He is in Hangar 18 a fictional movie about a crashed UFO, government coverup, etc... have published more articles this year and anxious to get into writing and researching almost full time instead of spending so much effort booking lectures-- and travelling to give them..

4. Melissa will be 3 next month... a real joy though stubborn. Rachel will be 16 and in a special program for deaf kids in NB. She is maturing into quite a young lady as well. I have lost a bit of weight. Marilyn is working hard, looking good, and looking forward to NB.

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