



March 19, 1996

Mr. James Nielsen, Chairman  
and Members of the Board of Prison Terms  
428 J Street, 6th Floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814

RE: Prisoner P. F. Lazor, Number C-73842, and his upcoming parole consideration

Dear Mr. Nielsen and Board Members:

I am a homemaker, mother of 3 grown children and have 3 grandchildren. I take care of elderly people as my occupation. I am just an ordinary, everyday person, but I certainly know a kind, honest, truly good and wonderful person from a person who isn't. As for me, and anyone who really knows P. F., he ranks at the very top of the list of truly outstanding and exceptional human beings.

I have known P. F. for more than 20 years. He is like family with us. I have never seen nor heard of P. F. ever doing an unkindness to anyone. Quite the contrary, he has always gone out of his way to help anyone who needed him, even strangers, without any expectation of reward or repayment - many times putting himself at risk; but, he never even hesitates to take immediate action to help or save other people from harm, etc.

I cannot imagine P. F. being any kind of a threat to anyone, ever - other than to protect himself or another, and then, only in the most severe situation. It is beyond absurd for anyone to deem P. F. as a danger to the public.

P. F. is unjustly and erroneously incarcerated, accused of killing a man whom, in truth, P. F. was only defending himself against.

Had the true facts and evidence been presented to the jury at P. F.'s trial, I'm certain no one would have found him guilty. Loud and clearly they would have known it was self-defense.

As decent, thinking, caring human beings, PLEASE, PLEASE give P. F.'s case a thorough and honest looking into and see who he really is. And know in your hearts and your minds, as I and over 200 of P. F.'s friends know, P. F. is no criminal and should not be in prison. Please consider Penal Code #3041(b) and please release P. F. Lazor just as quickly as is possible.

P. F. is missed and desperately needed in our communities. He is a very active advocate in the fight against crime, especially child abductions, as well other areas of community need. No one else I know of is as willing as P. F. has always been to give up his own time to serve others and the community.

Thank you for reading this letter. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Gayle Travis".

Gayle Travis