

PRIME MINISTER

Conference of the United Methodist Heritage Fellowship
Wesley's Chapel, Saturday 17 October

You will remember that the Speaker wrote to you in October 1980 asking if you would say a few words at this Conference. Clive and I tried to persuade you to refuse it but you were adamant that you should accept. This decision was taken before we were aware of the Mexico dates. Your speech to the Party Conference is on Friday 16th (please remember that you will only return from Australia on 7th October) and you depart for Mexico on Tuesday 20th October which only gives you one working day.

You will be exhausted on your return from Blackpool on Friday 16th and with all the work that will have accumulated during that week, together with the briefs, I beseech you to reconsider this decision.

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like to be released
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been announced
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15 July 1981

