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March 28, 1988

Reverend Thomas P. Forry
~~Saint Francis Xavier Parish Rectory~~
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Dear Father Forry:

As Father McCarthy of the Clergy Personnel Office has informed you earlier, upon the recommendation of the Clergy Personnel Board, I have selected you to represent the Archdiocese of Boston as a full-time chaplain with the United States Army.

I write now to advise you that I have already written to Archbishop Ryan of the Archdiocese for the Military Services informing him of your selection in accordance with our Archdiocesan policy adopted in 1985.

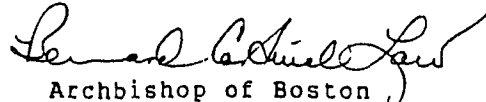
Therefore I am ending your assignment as Parochial Vicar at Saint Francis Xavier Parish in Weymouth and releasing you to serve full-time with the United States Army as a chaplain in accordance with the terms of our Archdiocesan policy. The effective date of this course of action is June 28, 1988.

Please send written notification to Most Reverend Robert J. Banks, Vicar for Administration, and Reverend James J. McCarthy, Clergy Personnel Director, indicating that you have received this letter.

I have every confidence that you will render fine priestly service to the people who come under your care and will represent the presbyterate of the Archdiocese of Boston well. Let me take this opportunity to wish you every measure of success in this ministry which is so important. You will be serving at a distance, but I am anxious for you to know that you will remain in our prayers and our concern.

With my warmest personal regards, and my blessing upon you and all whom you serve so well, I remain,

Sincerely yours in Christ,


Archbishop of Boston

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