

Elizabeth Arden

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Dear Mrs. Eisenhower:

Thank you very much for such a beautiful tea party. It was a great pleasure to meet you and President Eisenhower...and the private tour of the White House was beyond my expectations.

I thought I would never have the delight of seeing the White House again, but if one holds to the right thought one's wishes usually come true. I have not even looked at the exterior of the White House in 20 years, let alone the interior!

I am having Ruth come to New York Monday... and we will work on Stanislaus' diagram from Paris. I would like to go to Washington myself...with Ruth and Claude Satz, who gives such a beautiful permanent, ..and get your hair done just right. Then Ruth can carry on from there.

Mme. de Benavides will be in New York over this weekend, returning to Washington Monday...and I will await your wishes.

Again, thank you ever so much for a lovely afternoon. It was a memorable time, one I shall recall often and happily.

With my good wishes to you and the President,
I am,

Most sincerely

Elizabeth Arden

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