

(TELEGRAM SENT TO DR. WILLIAM H. MASTERSON,  
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President William H. Masterson  
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Chattanooga, Tennessee

The faculty and students of Rice University, as represented by the Academic Department Chairmen, the College Presidents and the Student Association Officers wish to express their deep gratitude for your statesmanship in the action you have taken with regard to the University's dilemma. You have again demonstrated your devotion to Rice.

We regret the personal strain and suffering that this experience has caused you and your family and send you our heartfelt wishes for your success and well-being.

W. E. Gordon and Warren Skaaren  
for Faculty and Students