

## THE DAILY DIARY OF PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN

## LOCATION

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

## DATE

DECEMBER 23, 1981

## TIME DAY

7:45 a.m. WEDNESDAY

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7:45			The President and the First Lady had breakfast.
8:53			The President went to the Oval Office.
8:56	9:15		The President met with: James A. Baker III, Chief of Staff Edwin Meese III, Counsellor Michael K. Deaver, Deputy Chief of Staff
9:21	9:22	P	The President talked with Senator James A. McClure (R-Idaho).
9:31	9:45		The President met with Secretary of State Alexander M. Haig, Jr.
9:50			The President went to the Cabinet Room.
9:50	10:45		The President participated in a meeting to discuss the federalist initiative concept and 1983 Budget of the U.S. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "A."</u>
10:45			The President returned to the Oval Office.
11:02			The President returned to the Cabinet Room.
11:02	12:22		The President participated in a National Security Council (NSC) Meeting. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "B."</u>
12:22			The President returned to the Oval Office.
12:23	12:25		The President participated in a farewell photo opportunity with: The First Lady Peter McCoy, departing Deputy Assistant to the President and Director of Staff for the First Lady Mrs. Peter (Casey) McCoy Patrick McCoy, son Shane McCoy, daughter
12:25	12:27		The President participated in a farewell photo opportunity with: The First Lady Glenn R. Schleede, departing Executive Associate Director, Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Mrs. Glenn R. (Sandra) Schleede

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			Kimberly Schleede, daughter Kendall Schleede, daughter Kristen Schleede, daughter Mrs. Hilda Klafehn, mother in law of Mr. Schleede David A. Stockman, Director of the OMB
12:27	12:32		The President participated in a photo opportunity with: The First Lady Senator Dan Quayle (R-Indiana) Mrs. Dan (Sandra) Quayle Corrine Quayle, daughter Benjamin Quayle, son Tucker Quayle, son Powell A. Moore, Deputy Assistant for Legislative Affairs
12:44			The President returned to the Cabinet Room.
12:44	1:51		The President attended a briefing and luncheon with senior white House staff on his upcoming interviews with NBC and correspondents of major newspaper chains. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "C."</u>
1:51			The President returned to the Oval Office.
2:00	2:55		The President participated in an interview with correspondents of major newspaper chains. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "D."</u>
2:58			The President returned to the Cabinet Room.
2:58	3:06		The President participated in a signing ceremony for H.R. 1465, State and Local Government Cost Estimate Act of 1981. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "E."</u> Members of the press
3:06			The President returned to the Oval Office.
3:17			The President went to the White House Library.
3:17	3:57		The President participated in a taped interview for a year end special on the Reagan Administration by NBC with: Roger Mudd, correspondent for NBC News David R. Gergen, Assistant for Communications Larry M. Speakes, Deputy Principal Press Secretary

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3:30		R	The President was telephoned by Secretary of State Alexander M. Haig, Jr. The call was not completed.
3:57			The President returned to the second floor Residence.
4:26	4:27	P	The President talked with Mr. Deaver.
4:34	4:35	P	The President talked with Secretary Haig.
4:35	5:28		The President met with: Mr. Deaver
4:35	4:41		Richard G. Darman, Assistant and Deputy to the Chief of Staff
4:40	4:42	R	The President talked with Mr. Meese.
6:25	6:26	R	The President talked with Mr. Deaver.
6:32		P	The President telephoned Deputy Secretary of State William P. Clark. The call was not completed.
6:39	6:40	P	The President talked with Secretary Haig.
6:41	6:42	P	The President talked with Mr. Deaver.
6:51	6:52	R	The President talked with Mr. Deaver.
7:03	7:09	R	The President talked with Deputy Secretary Clark.
7:09	7:12		The President met with Mr. Deaver.
7:35			The President and the First Lady had dinner.
8:28			The President returned to the Oval Office.
9:00	9:19		The President made a Christmas Address to the Nation. The President's remarks were broadcast live over nationwide television.
9:19			The President returned to the second floor Residence.
9:35		R	The President was telephoned by Secretary Haig. The call was not completed.
9:44	9:45	P	The President talked with Secretary Haig.
11:20			The President retired.