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Dear Prime Minister,

I should like to say a sincere and heartfelt thank you from myself, my wife, my daughter and future son-in-law and of course, the people of the Falkland Islands. I was able to pay a public tribute to you on Thursday night at Lincoln's Inn, when I said that, without your resolution, courage and singleness of purpose, victory would not have been achieved. But I should like to add my personal thanks and to say how grateful I am to you for sending me back to Stanley to finish the job I started two and a half years ago.

My wife and I were honoured

and privileged to be invited to your box
at the Trooping The Colours ceremony last
Saturday and most touched to be invited
to stay behind to join your informal
luncheon party. May I presume to say
that nothing would give us greater pleasure
than to return that hospitality by having
you and Mr Thatcher to stay with us
at Government House, Stanley?

Yours sincerely,

Rep Hunt