

CONFIDENTIAL

Prime Minister

1. Following our talk in the Cafeteria last week, Tessa and Sue Goodchild have prepared a list of all Conservative Members of Parliament, showing the visits which they have made to Downing Street and Chequers.
2. This list excludes the three summer drinks parties which you gave to coincide with the Royal Garden Parties, because every Tory MP was invited on these occasions, and most came.
3. You said that you would like to invite to lunch at Chequers, on a continuing basis, Conservative MPs and their wives. I do know that this will be very greatly appreciated.
4. May I please suggest that you might consider invitations to the following:

Will do

Michael Allison
 Julian Amery
 Tom Arnold
 Ronald Bell
 John Biffen
 Richard Boddy
 Rhodes Boyson
 Tim Brinton
Leon Brittan
Peter Brooke
 Michael Brotherton
 Michael Brown
Jock Bruce-Gardyne
 Nick Budgen
 Freddie Burden
 Kenneth Carlisle
 Alan Clark
 William Clark
 Michael Colvin
 John Cope
 Robert Cranborne
Edward du Cann
 Tony Durant

Nicholas Fairbairn
 John Farr
 Tony Fell
 Hugh Frazer
 Tam Galbraith
 George Gardiner
 Victor Goodhew
 Percy Grieve
 Michael Grylls
 John Gummer
 Archie Hamilton
Stephen Hastings
 Paul Hawkins
 Philip Holland
Peter Hordern
 Ralph Howell
 Tony Kershaw
 Marcus Kimball
 Jill Knight
 Norman Lamont
Michael Latham
John Langford-Holt
Nigel Lawson

Mark Lennox-Boyd
Kenneth Lewis
Ian Lloyd
Patrick McNair-Wilson
Tony Marlow
Patrick Mayhew
Iain Mills
David Mitchell
Fergus Montgomery
John Moore
John Nott
Cecil Parkinson
Graham Page
Geoffrey Pattie
John Peyton
Peter Rees
Nicholas Ridley

Ian Sproat
Ivor Stanbrook
Iain Stewart
Bob Taylor
Norman Tebbit
John Townend
John Wakeham
Derek Walker-Smith
Patrick Wall
Kenneth Warren
Ray Whitney
Nicholas Winterton
BILL SHELTON

5. Those listed above are broadly sympathetic to the free market economy and to you personally as Leader of the Party.
6. While I understand your preference that these should be given priority, ~~I believe that~~ there is more joy in heaven over one sinner that repenteth than over the 90 and 9 just persons which need no repentance.
7. May we please have a word about this? Do you think that there is something to be said for mixing the faithful and the unfaithful?

11 December 1979

Ian Gow

CONSERVATIVE MPs

DOWNING STREET

CHEQUERS

	Lunch	Drinks	Dinner	
Adley, Robert			✓	
Aitken, Jonathan				
Alexander, Richard				
Alison, Michael				
Amery, Julian				
Ancram, Michael				
Arnold, Tom				
Aspinwall, Jack				
Atkins, Humphrey			✓	✓
Atkins, Robert				
Atkinson, David				
Baker, Kenneth		✓		
Baker, Nicholas				
Banks, Robert				
Beaumont-Dark, Anthony				
Bell, Ronald				
Bendall, Vivian				
Bennett, Sir Frederic				
Benyon, Thomas				
Benyon, William				
Berry, Anthony		✓		
Best, Keith				
Bevan, David				
Biffen, John				
Biggs-Davison, John	✓	✓		
Blaker, Peter	✓		✓	
Body, Richard				
Bonsor, Nicholas				
Boscawen, Robert		✓		
Bottomley, Peter				
Bowden, Andrew				
Boyson, Dr Rhodes				
Braine, Bernard		✓	✓	

CONSERVATIVE MPs

DOWNING STREET

CHEQUERS

	Lunch	Drinks	Dinner	
Bright, G				
Brinton, Tim				
Brittan, Leon				
Brocklebank-Fowler, C				
Brooke, Peter				
Brotherton, Michael				
Brown, Michael				
Browne, John				
Bruce-Gardyne, Jock				
Bryan, Sir Paul		✓		
Buchanan-Smith, Alick				
Buck, Anthony		✓		
Budgen, Nick				
Bulmer, Esmond				
Burden, Freddy				
Butcher, John				
Butler, Adam			✓	
Cadbury, Jocelyn				
Carlisle, John				
Carlisle, Kenneth				
Carlisle, Mark				
Chalker, Lynda	✓			
Channon, Paul				
Chapman, Sydney				
Churchill, WOnston				
Clark, Alan				
Clark, William				
Clarke, Kenneth	✓			
Clegg, Walter		✓		
Cockeram, Eric				
Colvin, Michael				
Cope, John				
Cormack, Patrick				✓
Corrie, John				

	Lunch	Drinks	Dinner
Costain, Albert			
Cranborne, Robert			
Critchley, Julian			
Crouch, David	✓		
Dean, Paul			
Dickens, Geoffrey			
Dodsworth, Geoffrey			
Dorrell, Stephen			
Douglas-Hamilton, James			
Dover, Den			
Du Cann, Edward		✓	
Dunn, Bob			
Durant, Tony			
Dykes, Hugh			
Eden, John	✓		
Edwards, Nicholas			
Eggar, Tim			
Elliott, Sir William			
Emery, Peter	✓		
Eyre, Reginald		✓	
Fairbairn, Nicholas			
Fairgrieve, Russell			
Faith, Sheila			
Farr, John			
Fell, Anthony			
Fenner, Peggy	✓		
Finsberg, Geoffrey		✓	
Fisher, Nigel		✓	
Fletcher, Alexander			
Fletcher-Cook, Charles		✓	
Fookes, Janet			
Forman, Nigel			

	Lunch	Drinks	Dinner
Fowler, Norman			
Fox, Marcus			
Fraser, Hugh			
Fraser, Peter			
Bry, Peter,			
Galbraith, Thomas			
Gardiner, George			
Gardner, Edward			
Garel-Jones, Tristan			
Gilmour, Ian	✓		✓
Glyn, Alan			
Goodhart, Philip		✓	✓
Goodhew, Victor			
Goodlad, A			
Gorst, John			
Gow, Ian			
Gower, Raymond			
Grant, Anthony			
Gray, Hamish			
Greenway, Harry			
Grive, Percy			
Griffiths, Eldon		✓	
Griffiths, Peter,			
Grist, Ian			
Grylls, Michael			
Gummer, John			
Hamilton, Arhcie			
Hamilton, Michael			
Hampson, Keith			
Hannam, John			
Haselhurst, Alan			
Hastings, Stephen			
Havers, Michael			
Hawkins, Paul			

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CHEQUERS

	Lunch	Drinks	Dinner	
Hawksley, Warren				
Hayhoe, Barney			✓	
Heath, Edward				
Heddle, John				
Henderson, Barry				
Heseltine, Michael				
Hicks, Robert				
Higgins, Terence		✓		
Hill, James				
Hogg, Douglas				
Holland, Philip				
Hooson, Tom				
Hordern, Peter		✓		
Howe, Geoffrey	✓		✓	✓
Howell, David	✓		✓	✓
Howell, Ralph		✓		
Hunt, David				
Hunt, John				
Hurd, Douglas			✓	✓
Irvine, Bryant Godman		✓		
Irving, Charles				
James, Robert				
Jenkin, Patrick				✓
Jessel, Toby				
Johnson-Smith, Geoffrey		✓		
Jopling, Michael		✓		
Joseph, Keith		✓	✓	✓
Kaberry, Donald				
Kellett-Bowman, Elaine		✓		
Kershaw, Anthony				
Kimball, Marcus				
King, Tom				
Kitson, Tim				
Knight, Jill				
Knox, David				

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	Lunch	Drinks	Dinner	
Lamont, Norman				
Lang, Ian				
Langford-Holt, John				
Latham, Michael				
Lawrence, Ivan				
Lawson, Nigel				
Lee, John				
Le Marchant, Spencer		✓		
Lennox-Boyd, Mark				
Lester, Jim				
Lewis, Kenneth				
Lloyd, Ian				
Lloyd, Peter				
Loveridge, John				
Luce, Richard	✓			
Lyell, Nicholas				
McAdden, Stephen				
McCrindle, Robert				
Macfarlane, Neil		✓		
MacGregor, John		✓		
Mackay, John				
Macmillan, Maurice				
McNair-Wilson, Michael				
McNair-Wilson, Patrick				
McQuarry, Albert				
Madel, William				
Major, John				
Marland, Paul				
Marlow, Tony				
Marshall, Michael	✓			
Marten, Neil	✓			
Mates, Michael		✓		
Mather, Carol		✓		
Maude, Angus		✓		✓
Mawby, Ray				
Maxwell-Hyslop, Robin				

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CHEQUERS

	Lunch	Drinks	Dinner	
Mayhew, Patrick		✓		
Mellor, David				
Meyer, Anthony			✓	
Miller, Hal		✓		
Mills, Iain				
Mills, Peter				
Miscampbell, N				
Mitchell, David		✓		
Moate, Roger		✓		
Monro, Hector		✓		
Montgomery, Fergus				
Moore, John				
Morgan, W				
Morris, Michael				
Morrison, Charles			✓	
Morrison, Peter		✓		✓
Mudd, David				
Murphy, Christopher				
Myles, David				
Neale, Gerry				
Needham, Richard				
Nelson, Anthony				
Neubert, Michael			✓	
Newton, Anthony				
Normanton, Tom				
Nott, John	✓		✓	
Onslow, Cranley				
Oppenheim, Sally				
Osborn, John		✓		
Page, Arthur				
Page, Graham				
Parkinson, Cecil				
Parris, Matthew				
Patten, Chris				
Patten, John				

	Lunch	Drinks	Dinner	
Pattie, Geoffrey				
Pawsey, James				
Percival, Ian				
Peyton, John			✓	
Pink, Bonner				
Pollock, Alex				
Porter, Barry				
Prentice, Reg				
Price, David				
Prior, Jim			✓	
Proctor, Harvey				
Pym, Francis	✓		✓	✓
Raison, Tim		✓		✓
Rathbone, John				
Rees-Davies, William				
Rees, Peter				
Renton, Tim				
Ridley, Hicholas			✓	
Ridsdale, Julian				
Rifkind, Malcolm				
Rippon, Geoffrey				
Roberts, Michael				
Roberts, Wyn				
Rossi, Hugh				
Rost, Peter				
Royle, Anthony	✓		✓	
St John-Stevas, Norman		✓	✓	✓
Sainsbury, Tim				
Scott, Nicholas		✓		
Shaw, Giles				
Shaw, Michael		✓		
Shelton, Bill				
Shepherd, Colin				
Shepherd, Richard				
Shersby, Michael				
Silvester, Fred				

	Lunch	Drinks	Dinner
Sims, Roger			
Skeet, T			
Smith, Dudley			
Speed, Keith			
Speller, Tony			
Spence, John			
Spicer, Jim			
Spicer, Michael			
Sproat, Iain			
Squire, Robin			
Stainton, Keith			
Stanbrook, Ivor			
Stanley, John			✓
Steen, Anthony			
Stevens, Martin			
Stewart, Allan			
Stewart, Ian			
Stokes, John			
Tapsell, Peter			
Taylor, Robert			
Tebbit, Norman			
Temple-Morris, Peter			
Thatcher, Margaret			
Thomas, John Stradling		✓	
Thoams, Peter			
Thompson, Donald			
Thorne, Neil			
Thonton, Malcolm			
Townend, John			
Townsend, Cyril			
Trippier, David			
Trotter, Neville			
Van Straubenzee, William			✓
Vaughan, Dr G			
Biggers, Peter			
Waddington, David		✓	

	Lunch	Drinks	Dinner	
Wakeham, John				
Waldegrave, William				
Walker, Bill				
Walker, Peter			✓	
Walker-Smith, Derek		✓		
Wall, Patrick				
Waller, Gary				
Walters, Dennis				
Ward, John				
Warren, Kenneth				
Watson, John				
Weatheril, Bernard		✓		✓
Wells, Bowen				
Wells, John				
Wheeler, John				
Whitelaw, William	✓		✓	✓
Whitney, Ray				
Wickenden, K				
Wiggin, Jerry				
Wilkinson, John				
Williams, Brandon Rhys		✓		
Williams, D				
Winterton, Nicholas				
Wolfson, Mark				
Young, George				
Younger, George				

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Adley, Robert			✓	
Aitken, Jonathan				
Alexander, Richard				
Alison, Michael				
Amery, Julian				
Ancram, Michael				
Arnold, Tom				
Aspinwall, Jack				
Atkins, Humphrey			✓	✓
Atkins, Robert				
Atkinson, David				
Baker, Kenneth		✓		
Baker, Nicholas				
Banks, Robert				
Beaumont-Dark, Anthony				
Bell, Ronald				
Bendall, Vivian				
Bennett, Sir Frederic				
Benyon, Thomas				
Benyon, William				
Berry, Anthony		✓		
Best, Keith				
Bevan, David				
Biffen, John				
Biggs-Davison, John	✓	✓		
Blaker, Peter	✓		✓	
Body, Richard				
Bonsor, Nicholas				
Boscawen, Robert		✓		
Bottomley, Peter				
Bowden, Andrew				
Boyson, Dr Rhodes				
Braine, Bernard		✓	✓	

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Bright, G				
Brinton, Tim				
Brittan, Leon				
Brocklebank-Fowler, C				
Brooke, Peter				
Brotherton, Michael				
Brown, Michael				
Browne, John				
Bruce-Gardyne, Jock				
Bryan, Sir Paul		✓		
Buchanan-Smith, Alick				
Buck, Anthony		✓		
Budgen, Nick				
Bulmer, Esmond				
Burden, Freddy				
Butcher, John				
Butler, Adam			✓	
Cadbury, Jocelyn				
Carlisle, John				
Carlisle, Kenneth				
Carlisle, Mark				
Chalker, Lynda	✓			
Channon, Paul				
Chapman, Sydney				
Churchill, WOnston				
Clark, Alan				
Clark, William				
Clarke, Kenneth	✓			
Clegg, Walter		✓		
Cockeram, Eric				
Colvin, Michael				
Cope, John				
Cormack, Patrick				✓
Corrie, John				

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	Lunch	Drinks	Dinner
Costain, Albert			
Cranborne, Robert			
Critchley, Julian			
Crouch, David	✓		
Dean, Paul			
Dickens, Geoffrey			
Dodsworth, Geoffrey			
Dorrell, Stephen			
Douglas-Hamilton, James			
Dover, Den			
Du Cann, Edward		✓	
Dunn, Bob			
Durant, Tony			
Dykes, Hugh			
Eden, John	✓		
Edwards, Nicholas			
Eggar, Tim			
Elliott, Sir William			
Emery, Peter	✓		
Eyre, Reginald		✓	
Fairbairn, Nicholas			
Fairgrieve, Russell			
Faith, Sheila			
Farr, John			
Fell, Anthony			
Fenner, Peggy	✓		
Finsberg, Geoffrey		✓	
Fisher, Nigel		✓	
Fletcher, Alexander			
Fletcher-Cook, Charles		✓	
Fookes, Janet			
Forman, Nigel			

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Fowler, Norman			
Fox, Marcus			
Fraser, Hugh			
Fraser, Peter			
Bry, Peter,			
Galbraith, Thomas			
Gardiner, George			
Gardner, Edward			
Garel-Jones, Tristan			
Gilmour, Ian	✓		✓
Glyn, Alan			
Goodhart, Philip		✓	✓
Goodhew, Victor			
Goodlad, A			
Gorst, John			
Gow, Ian			
Gower, Raymond			
Grant, Anthony			
Gray, Hamish			
Greenway, Harry			
Grive, Percy			
Griffiths, Eldon		✓	
Griffiths, Peter,			
Grist, Ian			
Grylls, Michael			
Gummer, John			
Hamilton, Arhcie			
Hamilton, Michael			
Hampson, Keith			
Hannam, John			
Haselhurst, Alan			
Hastings, Stephen			
Havers, Michael			
Hawkins, Paul			

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Hawksley, Warren				
Hayhoe, Barney			✓	
Heath, Edward				
Heddle, John				
Henderson, Barry				
Heseltine, Michael				
Hicks, Robert				
Higgins, Terence		✓		
Hill, James				
Hogg, Douglas				
Holland, Philip				
Hooson, Tom				
Horder, Peter		✓		
Howe, Geoffrey	✓		✓	✓
Howell, David	✓		✓	✓
Howell, Ralph		✓		
Hunt, David				
Hunt, John				
Hurd, Douglas			✓	✓
Irvine, Bryant Godman		✓		
Irving, Charles				
James, Robert				
Jenkin, Patrick				✓
Jessel, Toby				
Johnson-Smith, Geoffrey		✓		
Jopling, Michael		✓		
Joseph, Keith		✓	✓	✓
Kaberry, Donald				
Kellett-Bowman, Elaine		✓		
Kershaw, Anthony				
Kimball, Marcus				
King, Tom				
Kitson, Tim				
Knight, Jill				
Knox, David				

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Lamont, Norman				
Lang, Ian				
Langford-Holt, John				
Latham, Michael				
Lawrence, Ivan				
Lawson, Nigel				
Lee, John				
Le Marchant, Spencer		✓		
Lennox-Boyd, Mark				
Lester, Jim				
Lewis, Kenneth				
Lloyd, Ian				
Lloyd, Peter				
Loveridge, John				
Luce, Richard	✓			
Lyell, Nicholas				
McAdden, Stephen				
McCrinkle, Robert				
Macfarlane, Neil		✓		
MacGregor, John		✓		
Mackay, John				
Macmillan, Maurice				
McNair-Wilson, Michael				
McNair-Wilson, Patrick				
McQuarry, Albert				
Madel, William				
Major, John				
Marland, Paul				
Marlow, Tony				
Marshall, Michael	✓			
Marten, Neil	✓			
Mates, Michael		✓		
Mather, Carol		✓		
Maude, Angus		✓		✓
Mawby, Ray				
Maxwell-Hyslop, Robin				

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CHEQUERS

	Lunch	Drinks	Dinner	
Mayhew, Patrick		✓		
Mellor, David				
Meyer, Anthony			✓	
Miller, Hal		✓		
Mills, Iain				
Mills, Peter				
Miscampbell, N				
Mitchell, David		✓		
Moate, Roger		✓		
Monro, Hector		✓		
Montgomery, Fergus				
Moore, John				
Morgan, W				
Morris, Michael				
Morrison, Charles			✓	
Morrison, Peter		✓		✓
Mudd, David				
Murphy, Christopher				
Myles, David				
Neale, Gerry				
Needham, Richard				
Nelson, Anthony				
Neubert, Michael			✓	
Newton, Anthony				
Normanton, Tom				
Nott, John	✓		✓	
Onslow, Cranley				
Oppenheim, Sally				
Osborn, John		✓		
Page, Arthur				
Page, Graham				
Parkinson, Cecil				
Parris, Matthew				
Patten, Chris				
Patten, John				

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CHEQUERS

	Lunch	Drinks	Dinner	
Pattie, Geoffrey				
Pawsey, James				
Percival, Ian				
Peyton, John			✓	
Pink, Bonner				
Pollock, Alex				
Porter, Barry				
Prentice, Reg				
Price, David				
Prior, Jim			✓	
Proctor, Harvey				
Pym, Francis	✓		✓	✓
Raison, Tim		✓		✓
Rathbone, John				
Rees-Davies, William				
Rees, Peter				
Renton, Tim				
Ridley, Nicholas			✓	
Ridsdale, Julian				
Rifkind, Malcolm				
Rippon, Geoffrey				
Roberts, Michael				
Roberts, Wyn				
Rossi, Hugh				
Rost, Peter				
Royle, Anthony	✓		✓	
St John-Stevas, Norman		✓	✓	✓
Sainsbury, Tim				
Scott, Nicholas		✓		
Shaw, Giles				
Shaw, Michael		✓		
Shelton, Bill				
Shepherd, Colin				
Shepherd, Richard				
Shersby, Michael				
Silvester, Fred				

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CHEQUERS

	Lunch	Drinks	Dinner
Sims, Roger			
Skeet, T			
Smith, Dudley			
Speed, Keith			
Speller, Tony			
Spence, John			
Spicer, Jim			
Spicer, Michael			
Sproat, Iain			
Squire, Robin			
Stainton, Keith			
Stanbrook, Ivor			
Stanley, John			✓
Steen, Anthony			
Stevens, Martin			
Stewart, Allan			
Stewart, Ian			
Stokes, John			
Tapsell, Peter			
Taylor, Robert			
Tebbit, Norman			
Temple-Morris, Peter			
Thatcher, Margaret			
Thomas, John Stradling		✓	
Thoams, Peter			
Thompson, Donald			
Thorne, Neil			
Thonton, Malcolm			
Townend, John			
Townsend, Cyril			
Trippier, David			
Trotter, Neville			
Van Straubenzee, William			✓
Vaughan, Dr G			
Biggers, Peter			
Waddington, David		✓	

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CHEQUERS

	Lunch	Drinks	Dinner	
Wakeham, John				
Waldegrave, William				
Walker, Bill				
Walker, Peter			✓	
Walker-Smith, Derek		✓		
Wall, Patrick				
Waller, Gary				
Walters, Dennis				
Ward, John				
Warren, Kenneth				
Watson, John				
Weatheril, Bernard		✓		✓
Wells, Bowen				
Wells, John				
Wheeler, John				
Whitelaw, William	✓		✓	✓
Whitney, Ray				
Wickenden, K				
Wiggin, Jerry				
Wilkinson, John				
Williams, Brandon Rhys		✓		
Williams, D				
Winterton, Nicholas				
Wolfson, Mark				
Young, George				
Younger, George				