



10 DOWNING STREET

THE PRIME MINISTER

22 July 1982

Dear Colonel Parker Bowles,

I am writing to express my sympathy at the tragic losses suffered by the Household Cavalry Regiment as a result of the cowardly and barbarous attack in Hyde Park; the whole nation will grieve with you for those who have died and pray with you for those who have been injured. May I also say how much we all admired the splendid bearing of the Regiment in its tribute to fallen colleagues yesterday.

Yours sincerely
Margaret Thatcher

Lieutenant Colonel A.H. Parker Bowles