September 11, 2008

To The Clark Atlanta University Family,

Today marks the anniversary of one of the largest tragedies ever to affect our nation in our lifetime. I am pleased that CAENS has taken on the responsibility for today’s seminar and hope that many of you avail yourselves of this opportunity.

As a university community, we must reflect on such events and spend significant time assessing causation and circumstances. It is even more important that we spend serious time seeking to be part of the forces and processes seeking the development of a more just world. Focusing only on the narrow interests of a single nation or a small group of nations is clearly the path to increased global conflict and more human tragedy. Belief in the capability of human society and civilization to continue to evolve to greater justice and the capacity of humans themselves to move to more enlightened viewpoints and ideals must drive our own pursuit of global justice and peace.

In Hope for a Better World,

Sincerely,

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