

**Finding Aid**  
**The papers of former Vice President Mondale**  
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**TOPIC: JIMMY CARTER**

*Summary: Jimmy Carter selected Mr. Mondale as his Vice President. They shared a number of core values including commitments to human right, stronger national defense, and support for vulnerable Americans. They also both supported a pioneering new approach to the Vice Presidency that brought it fully within the White House's decision making. There were also notable differences including political experience (President Carter was an "outsider" while the Vice President was an "insider" with his long experience in the Senate) and public philosophy (the President harbored more conservative approach to federal government while the Vice President held a more liberal view).*

See: for Mr. Mondale's general role as Vice President, see the Vice President finding aid.

for Mr. Mondale's role in working with Congress, see the Congressional Relations finding aid.

***Speeches, letters, biographies, and articles about Carter, campaign, and presidency***

VP SPEECH TEXTS [Box 8] 7/15/76

CENTRAL SUBJECT FILES [Box 5] FG1, FG6 [Box 19,37] PP [Box 53] FG1 [Box 60] PP

***Memos, press clips on Carter presidency and administration agenda***

CENTRAL SUBJECT FILES [Box 5] FG1, FG6 [Box 30] FG1 [Box 39] SP2 [Box 43] FG1

FILES OF THE ADMIN ASST TO THE SENATE PRESIDENT [Box 1] Caddell Political Strategy

Memo, Carter Commitments, Ford Criticism

***Carter speeches, memos, correspondence***

CENTRAL SUBJECT FILES [Box 19] PP [Box 23,39,61] SP2

***Mondale-Carter memos, conversations***

CENTRAL SUBJECT FILES [Box 30] FG1 [Box 39] SP2 [Box 50] SP2

ADP FILES [Box 1] April 1979, July 1979

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