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Ernie,

I was delighted to learn that the Kellogg has planned a dinner to celebrate your years at Notre Dame and, not least, your role in establishing the Kellogg Institute. Looking back to the 1960s, I recall my good fortune co-teaching a pioneering course with you in the aftermath of World War 11, the formation of the United Nations and the dismantling of colonialism. In the terminology of the time, we called it "Third World Economic Development." Wrestling with this challenge, my good fortune was to establish our longstanding friendship in which I developed a deep respect for your unpretentious, incisive mind - governed by your egalitarian values and concern for the common good of our planet. Quite simply, you have not only been a friend and colleague, but the best President Notre Dame never had.

Ann joins me in wishing you every blessing.

Cheers,

Peter Walshe