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**AMERICAN AIRLINES**

To Bessie  
from her pal and confidant  
Father James Paul McKenzie  
(McCartney)

To Bess  
from John & Laper  
with many things as  
to you & p

To Bess,  
much love from  
George XXX

To Bess  
lots of love  
Kenny ++

STATUTORY DECLARATION

I, BESS COLEMAN of 3 Single Ridge Road, Kurmond in the State of New South Wales, Australia do solemnly and sincerely declare as follows:

1. I first met the Beatles in 1963 when working as a publicist at EMI Records, Manchester Square, London. My job was to promote new signings and the first record of theirs I worked on was "Love Me Do".
2. In 1964 I moved to New York to handle publicity of all Brian Epstein's artists (Beatles, Billy J Kramer and the Dakotas, Cilla Black, Gerry and the Pacemakers, etc) and helped organise the media side of the Beatles' 1964 six week tour of the USA in October/November. I travelled with them on that tour.
3. Following that I returned to London to continue working for Brian Epstein in his West End NEMS office and after a year returned to New York to become the Editor of "Teen Life" magazine. In this capacity I accompanied them on their 1996 tour of America and Canada.
4. During the time I was fortunate enough to know them I obtained their signatures and other items now classified as memorabilia.
5. I was personally given the autographed sheet of American Airlines stationery with the signatures of all four Beatles, a true photocopy of which is attached to this declaration.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the provisions of the Oaths Act, 1900.

Subscribed and declared at Sydney )  
this 5<sup>th</sup> day of July 1997 )  
before me: )

  
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Bruce Norman Burke  
Public Notary  
Sydney  
Australia  
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