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Four years ago, the people of Colombia took an important step toward the peaceful resolution of decades of conflict. The Peace Accords made a pledge to Colombian citizens to end years of violence – a commitment to respect the human rights of all and to rebuild a peaceful Colombia.

The challenges of meeting the obligations of any peace accords are many. Arriving at a resolution, despite having taken years to get there, can be easier than following through with its commitments. However, there is no greater obligation for both a government and its citizens than to fulfill a promise to end violence and work together toward peace and human rights for all.

Rosalynn and I send you our warm best wishes as you honor the pledges made four years ago, and we ask that you do everything in your power to ensure that the Peace Accords provide an enduring roadmap to peace and prosperity for all Colombians.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "Jimmy Carter". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large, sweeping initial "J" and a long, horizontal stroke for the "C" in "Carter".