

# A Man Concerned



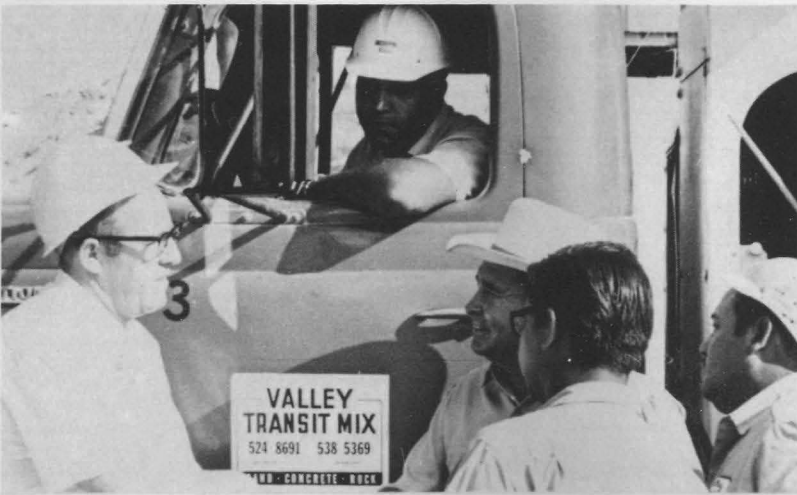
"I am here for  
One Purpose . . .  
To take up  
The Cause of  
The Forgotten Man . . .  
The individual  
Citizens and  
Taxpayers of  
New Mexico . . ."

Ed Foreman

★ Thoughtful Americans today want lean, efficient government . . . and so do I.



★ They want our nation to be a place where men and women with equal rights and equal responsibilities can build their lives in a free and creative manner . . . and so do I.



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**Ed Foreman is concerned**

**about the future of his children**

**and other children in this Country.**

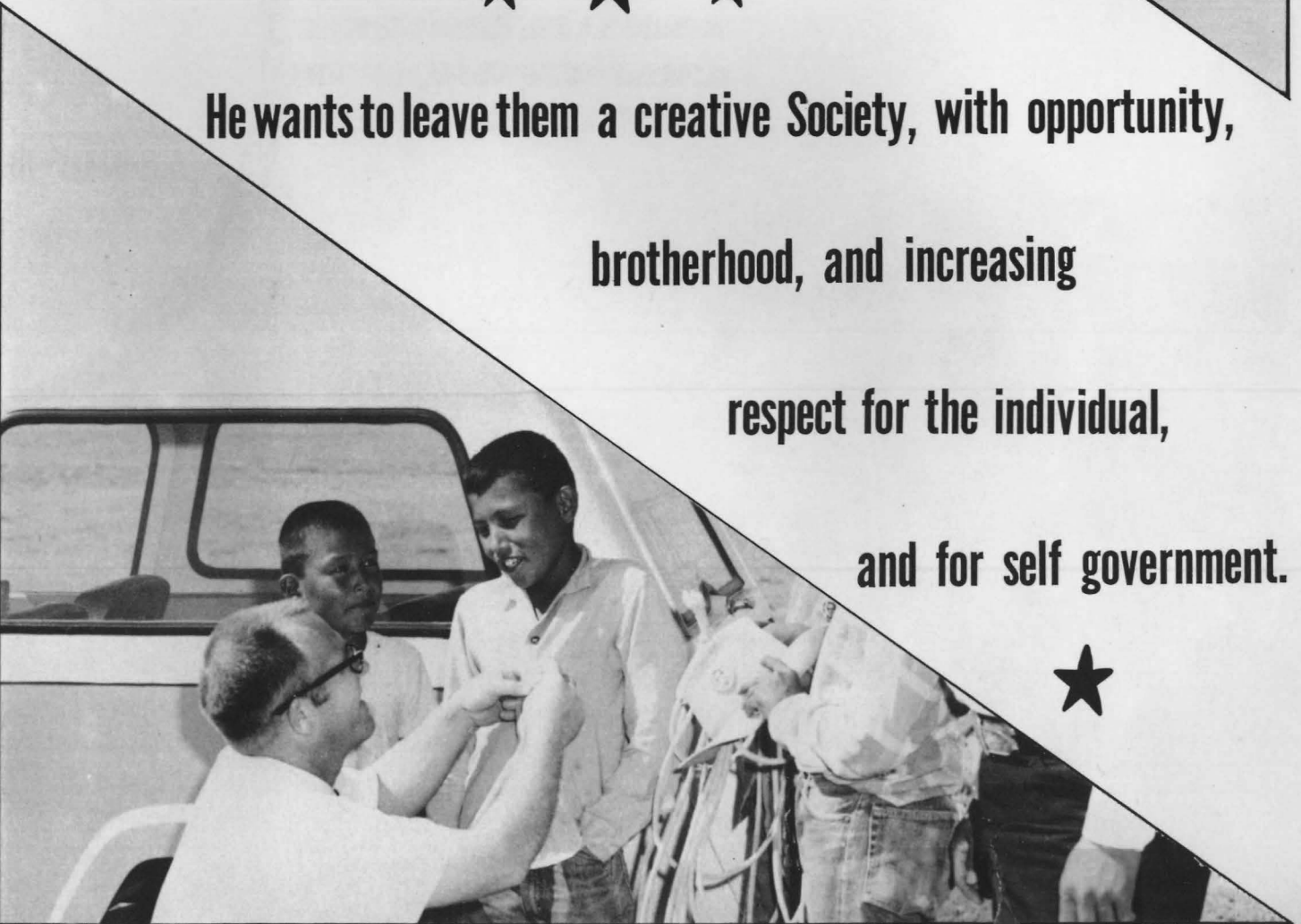


**He wants to leave them a creative Society, with opportunity,**

**brotherhood, and increasing**

**respect for the individual,**

**and for self government.**





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"If we are to restore order and prosperity at home, and achieve peace with honor abroad, we must turn to new leadership in this country. **Most importantly**, we must change the leadership and control of Congress!

If Democrats outnumber Republicans - even by only one member - the House will have the same tired (leadership?) we have now under John McCormack.

With a Republican majority, Congressman Gerald Ford will become Speaker, and responsible free enterprise leadership will prevail.

Then America will have the honest, courageous leadership to advance from the worn-out failure of the past to a new era of individual opportunity, prosperity and honorable peace."

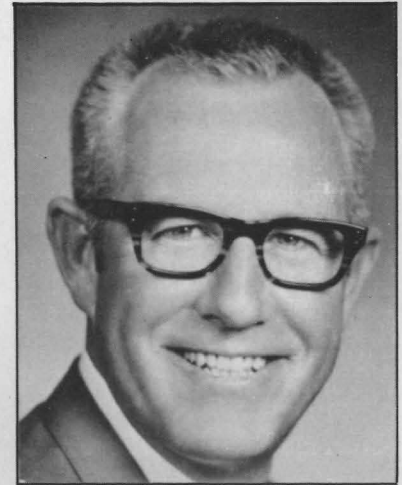
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Ed Foreman, former United States Congressman, was born and raised on a farm at Portales, New Mexico. After graduation from high school, he worked his way through New Mexico State University at Las Cruces, and graduated with honors as a Civil Engineer.

After active duty in the U. S. Navy, Ed returned home to build a sound, successful business reputation. Active in Community, Civic and Business affairs in Las Cruces, New Mexico, Ed Foreman serves as President of Valley Transit Mix, and Atlas Land Co.

Ed's wife Barbara, also an alumna of N.M.S.U., is the former Barbara Southard of Belen and Deming, New Mexico. Ed, 34, and Barbara have two children, Kirk, 11, and Rebecca, 9. They are members of the Methodist Church. They reside at 2245 Thomas Drive in Las Cruces.



## Comments About Congressman Ed Foreman

**LOOK MAGAZINE** (January 28, 1964), "The youngest member of the 88th Congress is conservative Republican Ed Foreman, who won himself a post on the powerful House Armed Services Committee. He wars on waste in Government for the 600,000 people of Texas' 16th Congressional District."

**CONGRESSMAN MENDEL RIVERS**, Demo.-South Carolina, an influential and experienced congressional leader, said on the House Floor (January 28, 1964), "Ed Foreman and I are on the opposite sides of the political aisle, but that does not preclude me from extending my warmest congratulations to him for an award which I know he fully deserves. Ed Foreman has brought to the Congress, and particularly the Committee on Armed Services, the spirit of youth, the charm of an active curiosity, and a remarkable ability to penetrate the sometimes cloudy economics of national defense. To him a million taxpayer dollars is still a great deal of money."

**THE UNITED STATES JUNIOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE** in honoring Ed Foreman as one of America's Ten Outstanding Young Men (January 25, 1964), stated, "Congressman Ed Foreman has proven to be an outstanding and articulate spokesman for responsible, conservative government. He has not hesitated to attack liberal free-spending schemes and expose waste anywhere he found it. His actions back up his words. He seems to be one of a rare, but growing, breed on Capitol Hill."

**CONGRESSMAN CHARLES HALLECK**, Rep.-Indiana, the former Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, said (November 18, 1963) at an El Paso appearance, "Take it from me, in Ed Foreman, you folks have some mighty effective representation on that great committee (Armed Services). I don't know of a single member who works harder at his home work. I don't know of anyone more steadfast in fighting for what he believes is right. And I certainly don't know a fellow American any more loyal to his country and what it has always stood for than Ed Foreman."

**CONGRESSMAN CARL VINSON**, Demo.-Georgia, former Chairman of the House Armed Services Committee, said on the House Floor (January 28, 1964), "Mr. Foreman is an industrious young man, who performs his congressional duties seriously and conscientiously. He participates actively in the affairs of the Committee on Armed Services and has demonstrated a keen awareness of the need for a strong national security. He represents a district with many important defense installations, and keeps himself fully informed on decisions that are vital to his district and the Nation."

**CONGRESSMAN BOB WILSON**, Rep.-California, member of the House Armed Services Committee, in a speech at Odessa (January 11, 1964), "Ed Foreman has done more to tell the petroleum industry story and help preserve the percentage depletion allowance than any other Congressman I know. He's got things done that the vast majority of new Congressmen could never do—these things have saved you money, and have been in the cause of conservatism and free enterprise."



*Ed Foreman Family — Barbara, Kirk, Rebecca and Ed*

As a member of the powerful House Armed Services Committee, Ed Foreman worked long and hard for the best interests of his constituency, and his district grew in population, income and development.

During his services as U. S. Congressman, Biggs Air Force Base, a Strategic Air Command Post, was kept open, operating and growing even though the opposition party made repeated attempts to have it closed . . . military prime contract awards experienced an upward surge of over \$25 million dollars in one year in his district . . . new post offices, Border Patrol Stations, and other important, useful and necessary structures were approved and built . . . Federal-State highway construction in the district reached an all time high . . . and, in a two-year period, Ed solved over 2,000 individual problems that citizens had with various federal government agencies.

Ed Foreman offers a positive program of ACTION & SERVICE. Ed Foreman cannot do it all alone, but with your help, work and vote, he can light the candle of truth toward a bright new challenging tomorrow . . . he will give drive to the spirit of America, and lift to the American Dream.

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