

From: (b) (6)
Sent: Sat, 4 Apr 2020 15:50:32 -0400
To: anthony trocchi
Subject: Re: An acquaintance from the past

Tony:

Thank you for your note. I hear you!

Best regards,
Tony

> On Apr 4, 2020, at 12:25 PM, anthony trocchi (b) (6) > wrote:

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> Hi Tony, You probably don't remember me, I was (b) (6) husband back when she was at NIH, you came to dinner at our house once. We also hung out in Boulder and drank beer together. I am just a working class guy, but keep up with science and politics for what it is worth. I don't know what you hear from the street level, but from here in. NY we are pretty concerned with the risk of Covid-19 and the Federal response to the pandemic. You have been the only reasonable voice in the administration. The leadership from the top is utterly lacking and incompetent and dangerous to the American people. You have had a long and venerable career and I am asking you to stand up to power and speak the harsh truth to the people of this country and the without regard to your personal consequences. We need a unified and professional federal response to this unprecedented crisis. I think you may be the only person of repute and status that has the power to change the course of history. I have spoken with a good friend of mine who is a respected epidemiologist and he said that Covid-19 will infect half the population of the world and those numbers are frightening statistically. My dad was born during the first worldwide modern pandemic and I don't really want to see him leave from this current one. I know I am somewhat out of place writing to you, but one can only do what one can do to influence the events that history arises from. With utmost respect. Tony Trocchi

> Sent from my iPhone