

# 'Didn't I Win?' Victory Statement

Objective Author's Note: Mr. Mark Persky ran a hard campaign as a Hartford City Council candidate, a campaign noted for its unforeseen degree of success - he lost. Mark (as he is known to his friend) utilized all of his political acumen, earthy good humor, and plain old common sense to lose the election. Undaunted by failure, unswerving in the winds of defeat, courageous in the face of disaster, Mark refuses to admit he lost. The following victory statement was delivered election night in Bushnell Park to an overflow crowd of pigeons. (they didn't like it):

During our past campaign, I've received many wonderful letters from many interested people throughout our country. A Portland Oregon housewife writes, "Your campaign statements are a malignant tumor in the mind of the nation." A few big words, but otherwise an understandably heartfelt response. A Saratoga Springs jockey says, "If I ever see you up here, I'll personally tie you to my horse and drag you around the track." A touching expression of good old American hospitality and certainly appreciative of my love for animals. And, finally an eight-year-old boy from Rolling Grass, Wyoming writes, "My mother is full of shit!" You know, I love kids, they're wonderful, just wonderful.

After meeting and hearing the speeches of my political opponents, I cannot understand the citizens apathy toward city politics. From Mayor Ann's talks, I have learned the culinary art of making pizza and corn. From Council candidate DeLucco's record, I have

learned the benefits of heredity for mediocrity. From Mayoral candidate Adinolfi's campaign, I have learned the secret of transforming nothing into gold. Certainly Hartford's appreciation could best be expressed by giving all of our fine party politicians a long, well-deserved vacation.

Many supporters have asked about my immediate plans. First, I intend to take the traditional post-election vacation. I will recuperate from the rigors of the campaign in scenic Windsor Locks, overlooking the ever-pungent Connecticut River. Upon my return, I will recuperate from the Connecticut River in scenic Hartford Hospital.

Finally, I would like to thank all those beautiful people who made this campaign possible; the Saskatchewan Other Voice, which never failed to print my statements; my rabbi, who never failed to pray for me after I made my statements; and of course, my wonderful mother who let me stay out late.

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