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Dear Mr. Alston:

It has been brought to our attention by a local resident that there are two wooden plaques, which contain inscriptions of psalms, located on public lands at the Grand Canyon National Park. One plaque is located at the desert's rest gift shop, and we are told the plaque is located about 10 feet from the gift shop. The second plaque is located at the Watchtower, and we are told the plaque is about 25 feet away from the gift shop. We are told the plaques are wooden, the psalms are carved in an identical fashion on both plaques, and they are approximately 1' by 10." We found references to the plaques on the internet, and even the photo below. If these plaques are indeed at the Grand Canyon National Park, we would appreciate you shedding light on why they are there. We are also curious as to whether there are more than two. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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