

*Reagan***(STUDENTS ON INAUGURATION)**

**(VISALIA) -- AFTER WATCHING PRESIDENT REAGAN'S INAUGURATION ON TELEVISION, FOURTH GRADERS IN A CLASS AT VISALIA WROTE DOWN THEIR THOUGHTS TO SEVERAL QUESTIONS POSED BY THEIR TEACHER.**

**THE ANSWERS RANGED FROM POIGNANT PRIDE IN AMERICA TO HUMOROUS IMPRESSIONS OF THE INAUGURAL, FORMER PRESIDENT CARTER AND THE VICE PRESIDENCY.**

**HERE ARE SAMPLES OF THE QUESTIONS FROM TEACHER BARBARA CAPPS AND ANSWERS FROM HER STUDENTS AT MINERAL KING SCHOOL:**

**WHAT DID YOU FEEL WHILE WATCHING PRESIDENT-ELECT REAGAN BEING SWORN IN?**

**JEFF HALL: "I WAS KIND OF BORED BECAUSE HE JUST TALKED."**

**MELISSA PERKINS: I FELT BIG AND VERY SPECIAL TO LIVE IN THIS COUNTRY."**

**WHAT DO YOU THINK PRESIDENT CARTER WILL BE MOST REMEMBERED FOR?**

**MELISSA PERKINS: "I THINK FOR TRYING HIS BEST."**

**JAMIE MILLER: "FOR PEANUTS AND A DRUNK BROTHER."**

**WHAT THINGS DO YOU THINK THE NEW PRESIDENT SHOULD WORK TO IMPROVE?**

**RAECHELLE MUNOZ: "HE SHOULD MAKE TEACHERS GET MORE MONEY."**

**JOHN RAINS: "THEY MIGHT GIVE CHILDREN THE SAME RIGHTS AS GROWNUPS."**

**WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE PRESIDENT SOMEDAY?**

**JAMIE MILLER: "NO, BECAUSE I ALREADY HAVE ENOUGH PROBLEMS."**

**RAECHELLE MUNOZ: "I WOULD BECAUSE PRESIDENTS ARE FAMOUS."**

**KIM RALSTON: "NO, BECAUSE I WOULDN'T WANT TO HEAT THE WHITE HOUSE."**

**DARIN POOLE: "NO, I DO NOT KNOW HOW TO SAY GOOD ENOUGH SPEECHES."**

**DO YOU THINK A WOMAN WOULD MAKE AS GOOD A PRESIDENT AS A MAN?**

**JEFF HALL: "NO WAY."**

**LINDA ROBERTSON: "NO, BECAUSE THEY DON'T AVE ENOUGH STRENGTH."**

**WHAT IS THE JOB OF THE VICE PRESIDENT?**

**TRACY SOXMAN: "TAKE REAGAN'S PHONE CALLS."**