

Dear Friends and Colleagues,

It's not breaking news, nor worthy of putting in URGENT, but as many of you know after nearly 22 amazing, challenging, wonderful years...I'm retiring from FOX NEWS.

I will always be immensely grateful for the relationships, experiences, and many lessons over the last two decades.

There are far too many people to thank and praise by name here. I tried but the list swelled to over a hundred without even trying so the editorial axe had to fall. I will make an exception for my wife Moira, our colleague at FNC for 20 years, who was, and is, my indispensable partner in all things.

I know I owe so many of you a huge debt of gratitude. Many of you have become part of my extended family. Living on the road and sharing a life in 24hour cable news with so many of you has created what I hope will be enduring life-long friendships.

I joined FNC nearly a year before we went on the air. During the summer of '95 as the '96 presidential campaign began to heat up I supplied what is now called The EDGE with my daily packages on the presidential race from WMUR-TV in New Hampshire, home of the first in the nation primary.

The first few years were exhilarating, we were a merry band of super-competitive misfits and worked our tails off. As TV critics and media mavens repeatedly predicted FNC's hasty demise, we began to break news. Monica Lewinsky took over the headlines followed by the impeachment of Bill Clinton. FNC was first to obtain the Starr Report and read it aloud to the nation. News kept breaking at what still feels like light speed: the 2000 presidential campaign: W's DUI, the Florida Recount, the Supreme Court decision; the 9-11 atrocities that changed our lives forever, Hurricane Katrina, The Iraq War, the election of Barack Obama our first black President, The Tea Party, and the Presidential Election of Donald Trump.

I'm honored and overwhelmed to have been a part of it as your Congressional correspondent, Chief White House correspondent and most of all Chief Political Correspondent.

I'm humbled by the patience and wisdom so many mentors have shown me. I hope I was also able to help newcomers along the way too. There were tough days on the road in the face of deadlines, the editorial process, flight delays, lousy food and worse weather. But we worked hard in service of getting the story out accurately and promptly. I'm proud of that and everyone who's shared in it.

You've not seen the last of me, nor Moira. For those of you not of the DC bureau look us up when you're in town. As for the gang in D.C....be seeing you soon.

Thanks again, Farewell,

Campaign Carl Cameron...OUT!