BRING NATHAN HOME

Supporter Letter Worksheet | A guide for writing a personal clemency support letter

How to use this: You do not need to know Nathan personally or write a legal argument. Answer the questions honestly in your own words. Then use your answers to write a short, sincere letter to Governor Polis.

1. Tell us a little about you

This helps show the Governor the kinds of people and communities standing behind Nathan.

Full name: _____ City / State: _____

Occupation, profession, trade, volunteer role, or community role (optional):

Examples: parent, business owner, teacher, therapist, tradesperson, volunteer, veteran, mentor, faith community, longtime resident.

2. How are you connected to Nathan or his family?

You may know Nathan personally, know his family or Allysa, or have learned about his case through the community.

3. Why are you writing?

What made you decide to support Nathan? What about his case or story matters to you?

4. What stands out to you about Nathan?

If you know him, share something you have personally observed. If you do not, share what you learned that made you want to speak up.

YOUR VOICE + YOUR COMMUNITY

There is no perfect answer. These prompts are simply here to help you find what you genuinely want to say.

5. What do you want Governor Polis to understand?

What would you want him to consider about Nathan as a person today, his rehabilitation, his sentence, or the support waiting for him?

6. Can you personally support Nathan's reentry?

Optional. If Nathan comes home, is there a way you would be willing to help?

■ Friendship/community ■ Employment/job leads ■ Trade training/mentoring
■ Transportation/practical help ■ Education ■ Therapeutic/wellness/faith support ■ Other

7. What do you hope happens?

In your own words, state what you are asking Governor Polis to consider regarding Nathan's clemency application.

LEARN MORE ABOUT NATHAN

Want to know more before you write? Scan the QR code to read Nathan's story and explore the campaign, podcast, petition, media coverage, and other resources.

freenathanjordan.com

Use the website to learn more, but keep your letter in your own voice.

TURN YOUR ANSWERS INTO YOUR LETTER

Aim for about half a page to one page. Respectful, truthful, personal. Your voice matters more than perfect wording.

1	**Introduce yourself.** Who are you, where are you from, and how are you connected to your community?
2	**Explain your connection.** How do you know Nathan, his family, or his story?
3	**Say why you are writing.** What matters to you about his case, rehabilitation, sentence, or second chance?
4	**Add reentry support if it applies.** If you can personally help him return successfully, say how.
5	**Close clearly.** Ask Governor Polis to review Nathan Christian Jordan's clemency application and consider commuting his sentence.

SAMPLE OPENINGS

If you know Nathan or his family: My name is _____. I am a _____ in _____, and I have known Nathan / his family for approximately ____ years. I am writing regarding Nathan Christian Jordan's application for executive clemency because _____.

If you do not know Nathan personally: My name is _____. I live/work in _____, where I am involved in my community as a _____. I learned about Nathan's case through _____. Although I do not know Nathan personally, I am writing because _____.

FACTS TO KEEP CONSISTENT

Nathan Christian Jordan
Colorado DOC #96656 | Connecticut DOC #455436
Colorado state inmate currently housed in Connecticut
Aggregate 120-year sentence from two Denver criminal cases for offenses committed at age 19
Incarcerated approximately 25 years
His clemency application contains the supporting record of his education, rehabilitation, institutional history, and reentry plan.

If you are unsure about a legal fact, leave it out rather than guessing. Use the enclosed case summary for details.

BEFORE YOU SEAL IT: ■ Own voice ■ Full name + city/state ■ Connection explained ■ Signed + dated ■ Clear clemency request

Suggested salutation: Dear Governor Polis, **Suggested subject:** RE: Nathan Christian Jordan - Request for Executive Clemency

A sincere one-page letter is enough. Your voice is the point.