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PRESIDENT MESSAGE November 23, 2021

Dear Brothers and Sisters, the Holiday of Thanksgiving is an opportunity for me to message that for which I give thanks for every day of the year.

For the past nine years I have been truly blessed in having the trust and support to represent the membership at Local 19. Together we have, not only literally weathered storms, but also made certain that those affected by disasters had relief to help at a time of need. For nine years I have been blessed to have worked with the best Executive Board and Local employees in the Teamster organization. A Board that not only allowed for new ideas in changes to Local 19 finances and expenditures, but also to allow today for approximately 25% of dues income, in established benefits, to be directed back to you. Balancing expenditures with daily business operations, including all aspects of business, is how your elected representatives were able to build Local 19 into a formidable pillar of strength for members regarding negotiations, grievance processing and all aspects of representation.

January 1st, along with several other representatives, I will be returning to my position at United Airlines. With a few years yet before I join Teresa in her retirement I am grateful for that opportunity to return to my bid position, this working directly with you until that final day before I enjoy the lifelong fruits of my labor.

Finally, I hope that all of my Sisters and Brothers will live every day knowing that we are all truly blessed for each day we are given. Each and every day is what we make of it and what we want it to be. No matter what our future plans are, or what we are working towards, it is most important that we live today for today and give thanks for all we are given.

Please keep in your thoughts and prayers;

Ron Adams (Retired UAL Lead) who is very ill

Thank you and Have a Great Thanksgiving!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert Clever".

Bob Clever - President & Business Manager Local 19

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