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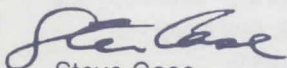
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You've got everything you need to start exploring America Online. Simply find your America Online software, turn to the enclosed *Getting Started* guide, and you'll be online in no time! I hope you enjoy *your* service.

Sincerely,



Steve Case  
President

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