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Billy Carter and friends at gas station, circa 1988

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Billy Carter Good Old Boys, 1977

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Carter's Warehouse Peanut Sign

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Jimmy and Billy Carter examine peanut crop, 1977  
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Jimmy Carter weighing peanuts on farm  
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Jimmy Carter Official White House portrait, 1977  
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Billy beer can  
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