

## Prime Minister

I didn't telephone you at Chequers over the weekend - although I wanted to - because I knew you were likely to receive lots of calls, and that you, of all people, deserved as much rest as you could get.

But I did want to say that I thought you were magnificent at the Conference on Friday afternoon. Everyone I have spoken to since - and by no means all Conservatives - were unhesitating in the view that you spoke for the Nation and exposed and symbolised the India's defiance to the men of terror.

Steven  
15/6.