John Jakes is a writer of historical fiction, known for such works as the *North and South Trilogy*. Items included in the collection are a letter written by Jakes to the English Department Chair at Wright State and a thank you card from Mr. Jakes.

**Item List**

1. Letter to Dr. Robert M. Correale from John Jakes about Dr. Correale invitation to Mr. Jakes to spend ten weeks at Wright State presumably to teach a class but said he can’t accept. Dated March 14, 1979.
2. Letter to Virginia Hanson from John Jakes thanking her for her hospitality when he had visited the week before. Dated December 12, 1991.
3. A note card that is address to Arnold (no last name given) thanking him and Rachel for their note and how he liked someone else to share his negative views on WHCLIS. Dated December 14, 1991.

* Note: All letters are typed and signed