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We give sufficient conditions on a Banach space X which ensure that  $\ell_{\infty}$  embeds in  $\mathcal{L}(X)$ , the space of all operators on X. We say that a basic sequence  $(e_n)$  is quasisubsymmetric if it dominates all of its subsequences, and for every sequence  $(I_n)$  of intervals of positive integers with  $\max(I_n) < \min(I_{n+1})$  there exists a sequence  $(m_n)$  with  $m_n \in I_n$  such that  $(e_{m_n})$  dominates  $(e_{k_n})$  for all  $(k_n)$  satisfying  $k_n \in I_n$ . One of our main results is that if X is a Banach space having a seminormalized quasisubsymmetric basis, such that  $X^*$  has the approximation property. Then  $\ell_1 \hookrightarrow \mathcal{N}(X)$  complementably. (Received October 01, 2004)