

you and mom were <sup>(4)</sup> to make me of the phone.  
I let you all call each other about every five  
minutes. Wish I could listen in on some of  
your conversations. I'm eating one of the  
peanut bars you sent me and also the peanuts.  
First time I've had any peanuts in a long  
time. Send me some more next time again.  
You are so damn sweet and thought full. I  
love you so much for all of the wonderful  
things you do for me. You are the best wife in  
the world. I have not seen Lt. Jaeger in Supt.  
Duty in a couple of days. Jaeger was not in  
cc 48 hours and today I didn't get ~~any~~  
of the news time. At last I got some  
mails and said back Ralph the very  
know & from him. I hate to know ~~any~~  
thing. He said me tonight the dough I lent  
him last month. Honey, I will send you the  
money at the first chance I get. You see, the  
chicken coop is down by the branches and  
the way time I'm around there is at night.  
I will go down in the day time tomorrow or the  
next day and send off mail & money to you.  
So be on the look out for it in a week no.  
Perhaps you might get it even before you get  
this letter. Put the money in my pot of freedom  
now we can have one hell of a good time when  
we're home to you. I will have all the  
money that I can for this purpose.



Tuesday Feb 1 1

My Darling Sweet Angel Wife!

Received another wonderful  
letter from you today and again my morale is  
high. I get one from you every day now and I  
do hope it keeps up. I know you write each day  
and hope Uncle's mail system will get it to me  
each day. I didn't do much to sleep of today but  
sleep in the news after working all night long. I  
didn't get up to about 5pm and sure enough, there  
was your wonderful letter and two from Mom.  
Darling, you are so sweet about writing to me  
such long letters and I know how long it takes to  
write me. I take up all of my spare time writing  
you and only wish I had more time so I could  
write you longer letters. I try to write you a V-  
mail each day besides the Airmail. In the V-mail  
& post cards etc. So if you like them let me know. I  
sometimes can't write you a V-mail but I will  
always set off your daily letter. Oh my little wife,  
I love you so awful much and being away like  
this is plain hell. I want to make love to you so  
awful damn bad and can't do anything about it. You  
know how I feel for you are the same way. We  
will just have to hang on until I can get home  
to you. All I can say is that I'm nuts about you  
and want you more than the laws allows. God, if  
you could only see how much I want you!

John of the web! Did you hear the one about  
the rocker who always carried his paper doll  
around with him because he wanted to tear  
off a piece when he felt like it. Now but  
that! I can go on like this for days. I try to  
tell you a good joke each day and do hope  
you like them. Do you? I'm so glad you  
think my letters are interesting and all of  
that sort of thing. I aim to please. Honey, you  
asked me if I have to go on missions or  
not and if I ever fly any more. No, Honey,  
I don't. I didn't go if I wanted to for money.  
Revolutions won't let non combat personnel  
fly over here. So please don't worry about that  
in any way. I have a job to do and can't  
find around doing anything else. We have  
plenty of crews to do all of the flying and no  
further. What makes you think this? Last  
time I was up, was the day we landed here  
in the trip over. Please don't worry about things  
like this first is silly. I would fly here even  
if I could. I don't get a kick out of flying  
as riding as a passenger. My cadet flying  
time makes me want to fly the big myself  
and not ride as mere baggage. I admit I  
would like to fly again but not in a bomber. I  
like small planes like I used to fly at home  
and in the Cadets. Please don't worry about  
this Honey, for I don't. When I come home, I  
can build up my flying time at Bowman.

Ralph wants me to go to the library in a  
<sup>(21)</sup> little while and I haven't quite made up my  
mind if I want to go or not. Perhaps if I  
finish this letter in time, I might go. Nothing  
doing tonight around the office and all is  
very quiet. I am all alone in my office and can  
write in peace. Some times down the hall I can  
hear the guys laughing etc. Also can hear the  
clatter of typewriters going on and messes of  
lives to the folks back home. I don't think any  
of the fellows write as often or as much as I do  
to you. Ted Hunter is also a man I see much and  
a couple of more of the fellows. Dick and some  
of the guys are going out in pairs in the morning.  
I still haven't made up my mind about the  
fours deal and I really don't care about going to  
town. Nothing holds my interest very much.  
I should go just to get away from the old  
place and all of that sort of thing. If it were  
back in the States I would go but over here I  
don't care so much. I grant you, it is very  
interesting to me all of these English towns but  
they are all alike. I can't get back to the good  
old U. S. A. too soon. I wonder why? Well,  
what have you been doing with yourself? I know  
what's this I hear about you being a Sworn  
Crown Jew? Best you cut that out at once  
if not sooner. Has Jim's boy friend left  
for New York? I think he would be doing  
himself a great favor if he would go. Some  
love affairs if you ask me. Stranger than fiction.

<sup>(7)</sup>  
Save up for it. I have a bucket of water  
in the other heating up so I can shave  
off the brash from my face. Some of the  
fellows don't shave every day but I have  
to or else, I don't feel right. I hate to  
have a long growth of whiskers on my  
face. I am in the Post office now because  
there has been good fire going in here.  
you should see all of the pin ups. L.T.  
Anderson has on the walls. Some of them  
are really pin ups! Some are winks in here  
and is writing home too. Dick and  
some of the boys have a poker game in  
their office. I havent gotten my rations  
this week and will have to get them. The  
P.I. isn't too far away from our office.  
Hines, if you can find a m-b-o- gram  
pen, please buy one for me. The point  
looks like a pen or a needle and they are  
damn good, you know the kind I mean. This  
two bit pen I bought at Gimbels isn't  
worth a damn as you can see. Or is it me?  
My water is getting hot, so I will shave in a  
few minutes. Darling, as you can see,  
no thing much takes place around here  
to write about. Some days, there are a lot  
of interesting things go on. All we do is  
winks and more winks. I don't have any time  
tomorrow. I will draw you another picture.

<sup>(8)</sup>  
Darling, we will have no fun much  
when I come home. I went to go  
out to the Devil's and all of the places  
we used to go and do all of the things we  
used to do. Remember all of the fun we had  
in Sutro's, in fact every damn nite. And  
was we used to get a bottle of gin for the  
daughters we used to take in. Can't you just  
imagine how ungodly it must be to  
do all of the things we used to do and this  
time won't have to any god nite. The  
fun will just begin when we go home  
after a nite of dancing or meeting the  
girls of all the Clubs. I can't wait  
until we can experience the wonders of  
married life. Our day will come and it is  
not so far away. Darling, I love you so  
awful much and want you more than  
you know. You will think you have a  
wild man for a husband and you will  
be right. I would like to see the little boy  
you made and call his son. You are so  
good at sewing etc. Darling, I think it  
is awfully the way you are getting things  
ready for our home. Make plans and  
all of that sort of thing. Let me know all  
of the things and ideas you have. We went  
a couple like you said and I'm all for it.  
Later on we can buy our own home. You see,  
we went a couple and will have to

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If you like them, let me know. Tell your family tells for me and to write soon. I will do same as soon as I can. Darling, my thoughts for you are more and more each day. I want to kiss you so awful can bad. My lips tremble at the thought of touching yours in a breath taking kiss. I want to wrap my arms around you in a bear hug and squeeze the breath out of you. Darling, I miss you more than it is humanly possible. Our love is stronger and shall always be active like this. Well, best I go wash my face foliage and clean up so I can meet you in my dreams to night. Please don't worry about me or think that I play. I am taking dear God care of myself just for you, you do the same. Honest, don't worry about me for I'm doing. God Bless you my little sweet Angel and loads of love. Hope, I get a lot more mail from you tomorrow. I am greedy as hell about mail from you.

you & dear Husband  
Lenny



I am! I love you so much!

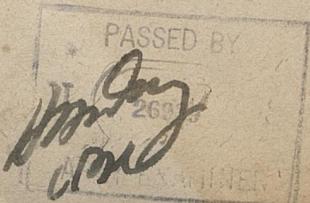
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I don't think I shall go to the show after all because I won't be able to finish this up in time. So I shall just keep on writing to you. I don't think it would of been such a hot picture anyway because it is 81 and you know how all 81 things are - Sigh! Honey, I laid in bed thinking of you this morning before I fell asleep. This time last year you were on the train heading to be married etc. I wish I was on a train, but a plane right now - going back to you. Darling, I just can't wait until I can hold you in my arms. See! I'm so madly in love with you and want you more than words can express. Peanuts, Mum wrote that June adopted her baby in the press. I wonder if the baby was hers or not. You would think she knows her to be all a baby being a nurse and all of that. I hasn't had the chance to read the paper since you sent me but will do so to night later on. I slept all day long and won't be able to go to sleep until late to night because of it. So I'll just be busy around here and do a little reading and so forth. Send me some good books and I do mean good books, you know the type I like. I think you like them too. Honey, on the way over here, I bought a couple of those books and you should see them. I will save them and bring them here. They are too awful to send through the mail.

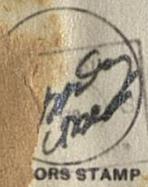
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Y LITTLE WIFE OF MINE!

FIRST TIME I'VE GOTTEN TO WRITE YOU A V-MAIL IN  
A TIME AS YOU CAN SEE. HOW DO YOU LIKE THIS TYPE OF TYPWRITTER. IT  
IS A SIGNAL CO. PHONE AND PRINT. ALL IN ONE. IS IT NICE OR WHAT IT  
IS. HOW U DAM GOOD ON V. LET  
GO. I'LL KEEP ON SAME

WOMAN I'M DIVORCE BY  
BUDIN FRIENDS TO ME WHILE I WAS  
HOPE THAT YOU LIKE ALL OF THESE JOKES  
SEND TO YOU EACH D.Y. LET ME KNOW HOW  
NOT MUCH IN THE WAY OF NEWS TO REPORT TOR.  
STUFF AND GRIND THAT GOES ON EACH DAY AROUND HERE. I'LL BE SO  
DAM BBD TO LEAVE THIS PLACE WHEN THIS WAR IS OVER. I CAN'T GET BACK TO  
THE PLACE THAT I LOVE SO MUCH---THE STATES. ARE YOU KEEPING THE HOME  
FIRES BURNING AND ALL OF THAT SORT OF THING FOR ME?

THE YOUNGER GENERATION BACK HOME IS REALLY ON  
THE BALL ACCORDING FROM THIS REPORT. OUR HOLLYWOOD SPY REPORTS THAT  
LUSCIOUS ANN SHERIDAN CHUCKED A THREE YEAR OLD VISITOR UNDER THE CHIN.  
THE LITTLE TYKE PIPED, "HELLO GORGEOUS," SO YOU SEE THIS NEW GENERATION  
IS GOING TO BE HOT STUFF IN A FEW YEARS. I BET THAT YOUR BROTHER IS ON  
THE SAME BALL WITH THE GALS BACK HOME AND ALL OF THAT SORT OF THING.  
TELL HIM TO MAKE WITH THE LETTERS WHEN HE HAS SOME TIME OUT FROM HIS PAST  
TIME OF WOLFWING AND ALL OF THAT SORT OF THING. I THOUGHT THAT GI'S WERE  
THE ONLY WOLVES IN THE WORLD BUT I GUESS THAT I'M WRONG. TODAY, I MAINLY  
PUSHED THAT EXTRAORDINARY HUNK OF AMERICAN WORK-MAN-SHIP. THE JEEP AROUND  
ALL OF THE TIME. I HAD A LOT OF THINGS AND PLACES TO GO. I DROVE SOME OF  
THE OFFICERS AROUND AND A LOT OF MORE THINGS. I LIKE TO DRIVE A BEEP  
A REAL WHOLE LOT AND ALL OF THAT SORT OF THING. IT IS LATE AS HELL  
AND I SHOULD HEAD FOR THE SACK. I SPEND ALLOT OF MY TIME BEATING OUT WITH  
THE LETTERS TO YOU ALL OF THE TIME. ALL OF THE FELLOWS KID THE HELL OUT OF ME  
FOR WAITING TO YOU SO MUCH AND SO OFTEN. I DON'T PAY ANY ATTENTION  
TO THEM. DICK AND SOME OF THE BOYS LEFT ON A B&B PASS TODAY. I NEVER  
HAVE GOTTEN A ANSWER FROM LOUIE AND HAVE JUST ABOUT GIVING UP. I THINK  
THAT HE HAS HAD PLENTY OF TIME TO REPLY BY NOW. SO THE HELL WITH HIM  
AND I WON'T WAIT AROUND FOR A ANSWER A BOUT GOING OUT ON A PASS. I'LL GO  
WHEN I GET IN THE MOOD. I GOT ANOTHER WONDERFUL LETTER FROM YOU TODAY AND  
I GET UST ABOUT ONE FROM YOU EACH DAY I DO HOPE THAT MY LUCK HOLDS UP  
AND I GET ONE FROM YOU EACH DAY. I'M STILL WAITING ON THE SECOND PACKAGE  
FROM YOU. HAVNIT FINISHED UP THE FIRST ONE YET. I'M A HOG AND WANT ALL  
OF THEM THAT I CAN GET. I'M GOING TO SEND YOUR MONEY SOME TIME THIS WEEK  
SO BE ON THE LOOK OUT FOR IT. I WILL SEND YOU ABOUT 50 FISH AND KEEP  
30 FOR MY SEEF. I WON'T USE THAT AND WILL SAVE IT TILL NEXT MONG. GOD  
BLESS YOU AND LOADS OF LOVE. I'LL BE SEEING YOU IN MY DREAMS.

YOUR SOLDIER GBAND

V-MAIL

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almt. Darling, do you think I repeat  
the same things over and over in my  
letters? I just can't help it for all of these  
things are the way I feel. I promise you  
that I will make up for all of their wasted  
and lost love. We shall live and love, and  
then more love. I promise you we continuous  
will have a good time. We shall do nothing but have  
fun for days to come. Darling, you ask me  
if I'm as happy as I sound in my letters.  
Don't think I'm having a good time over here  
for I'm not. One has to make the best of  
things. We are unbed like hell and all of  
that sort of thing. You know I can never be  
happy until I'm with you again. I have  
to keep my spirits up or else I would break.  
I feel myself into believing I'm having  
fun but it does not work. All I want in this  
world is to be with you. I shall never be  
happy unless you until I have you.  
So don't think it is a lot of fun over here.  
I would give anything to be back in the  
U.S.A. with you. You can have the country  
in your coffee. There's no place like home.  
I can't see why people want to spend so  
much money traveling around to all  
of these foreign places. I would much  
rather make a tour of the U.S. We have  
better things and many more things. I  
love the United States and would give  
anything to plant my feet in it right now.

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My Darling Sweet Angel Wife,  
Again, the mail man was good  
to me by giving me another wonderful letter  
from you. I get one each day now and hope  
my love keeps up. I exist on those wonderful  
letters from you and I can't get along without them.  
I receive mail from you more than I do food. So  
Angel, thanks a lot! I did left on his big job to-  
night and things are quite far a change. I'm  
in Bullock's office tonight because mine is colder  
than hell. I didn't work in the office much today  
and no one kept the fire going. I drove the jeep  
most of the day on official jobs and hauling  
the officers about. I like to drive around and  
work on the out side. Today, we took some photos  
of different things around the base for P.O. files.  
Lt. Jaedi is still out on pass and I haven't seen  
him in several days. Still hasn't gotten word from  
Kroie and have given up. I'm not bombing on  
him, so will go out on pass when ever I get in the  
mood. Honey, I miss you so damn much each  
day and wish could be with you again. I'd be  
very damn glad when this damn war ends so I  
can take over the role of bread winner for you.  
I love you so damn much and wish I could  
express my love for you in paper. I wish I were  
a poet or some thing to that effect. You have  
a idea of how much I love you and want you.  
Darn, I want you so awful much that it hurts. I'm  
not a rough man and can't bear up to the pain of  
being away from you. Damn, it is awful to waste  
all of this love being away from each other like this.

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would go on. Enough of this love making, off with the clothes. Remember all of those silly things I use to say all of the time? Do you miss all of those crazy things I use to do? We had so damn much fun and I want to have more now. Just watch me smoke when we do get together again. It is almost like Spring over here in away, but it is not like ours. I wish I could come home this Spring. I always did like this season of the year for things are so fresh and clean. Spring was meant for lovers and summer. We always had so much fun then. I miss going to church with you on Sundays and all of those little things we use to do. Remember, when we use to meet afterwards and go to the movies on Wed. and Fridays. We used to getter so much and it makes it no hard now. Remember how we use to eat lunch to gether each day and how I would come in at Stevens to see you Icarly, I think you are the most beautiful person in the world. You look so wonderful and cute in shorts and sweaters. I love for you to dress like that. When I come home, let's always wear sport clothes and dress in a casual way. I am, I wish this was world and in one tell of a hurry so we can really begin our married life. Can't you just picture how wonderful it must be. That's all I can think

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Darling, one year ago to night, I new you the first time in Feb. You, Mum and Dad came out to Preflight school and I met you all down at the Provo Marshall's house. I am, I was so glad to see you and you were so beautiful like you always are. Remember, we went to the Cadet dance at the Club. You had on that cute black dress and you looked like a doll. I was so proud of you and I was the envy of all the other Cadets. We had so damn much fun that night making plans for our wedding. That was on Tuesday Feb 2nd. I couldn't wait until we got married and you were really mine. Just two more days and we will be married one year. Thanks again for saying yes and becoming my little wife. Gosh, I wish I could be with you tonight and make with the love. I want you so damn much and can't wait until I can put my arms around you. I know you feel the same way as I do and want me just as much. War is hell and is awful in married people. There are so many other couples in the same boat. Well, this war won't last much longer and soon I'll be on the way home to you. Pray real hard and this damn war will end. All I can say, is that I'm nuts about you and just adore you. Your husband needs you so awful bad and wants you right now. So I can't very stand in bed with you tonight. Wouldn't we have a ton of fun? You can guess what

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Honey, the time sure does fly by while I write you a letter. It takes me almost two hours each night to write you as you can see. Can you see how much I love you and want you? You are all I care about and want. Oscar sends his love and can't wait. Our little fellow, is lost with out you and still can't understand why we are apart like this. I try to explain to him, but it's no use - I give up. Maybe you can make him understand. You remember the number I told you about we use to have in our bushes? Well, today, I saw him running wild again in a field. He must of gotten here again. I tried to call him but he would only stop and look at me. I found him before when he ran away and thought I could get him again. I guess he will die now for until he able to eat. I suppose after he gets damn good and hungry, will go out to run me like he did me last time. He is a cute little mutt and I wish he was mine. I use to play around with him and taught him a few tricks. I don't think the guy who owns him must take care of the dog though. My "B" boy still hasn't come and I need it.

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Where do you get that old stuff that we won't a hide and grow any longer? You shall always be my little hide even after we are married for 50 years or more. We shall always be newlyweds and won't get into that act. I shall always "court" you as my bride and sweet heart. Some married people forget about this after a time but not us. Honey, we are more or less still kids and have a whole life time ahead of us. I just can't wait until we can take up where we left off. All I can say is that I love you so dear, think much and want you more than you know. Have you taken in any good movies? I wish that I could of seen, "For Whom the Bells Toll". Perhaps, I may get to do so yet. I have to miss all of these shows. I used to go to. There are no many things I miss over here. Some of the guys crave ice cream and such, but I miss cakes and good old beer more than anything else. I would sure like to have a good old I.I. beer right now or 92. Any good old Kentucky beer would suit me fine. Do you climb much if it any more or are you on the wagon. Best you practice up for the day I come home. We will go out in one hell of a tender and it will last for days.

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Well, it is about time I close for tonight.  
I went to cash off a short letter to Mom  
and do a bit of reading. Share some  
time tonight too. I'm a bit in the sleepy  
nice tonight and should go hit the rocks  
early. I hate to go to bed early for I have  
so many journal things to do and don't  
have enough time to do it. I wish they  
would make the working hours shorter  
in some items. Still better, I wish I  
could go home to you. Angel, I just  
can't wait until I can make love to  
you and kiss you until the cows come  
home. I hear they never come home any  
more. Don't worry about me in any way  
or reason. I'm fine and all of that. I  
just miss you so damn much. Sleep up  
the wonderful mail and you keep my  
moral up. I depend on you for this.  
Take care of yourself for you  
belong to me. See you in my dreams  
again tonight. Until tomorrow night,  
as long for now. God Bless you my  
sweet little Angel and loads of love.  
Hang in a little while longer and we'll  
see each other again.

A kiss for you!

Yours & always  
Hus band  
Fanny



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I still take a licking from all of the  
guys about writing you so often and  
such long letters. They say, I write a book  
each night and kick the hell out of me. I  
don't care and pay no attention to them.  
Some day (I doubt it) they will understand  
true love and all of its beauties. Our  
love shall always be just as it is now  
and will grow more and more. So your  
Sister has quit the Army and dates the  
Fancy now. How did she like the ~~old~~  
mails she dated? I got a big kick out of all  
the stories you may tell her. You know,  
I think she must put out to the boys the  
way she carries on. She is so damn ugly  
and that is the only reason why I  
think guys take her out. What do you  
think? You have some of the oddest friends  
and no faults. How is Tiny and her bunch  
of fun? Still having trouble I suppose  
like the always has. I think she should  
see me. Does Norman go next to the kids  
anymore? I hope those Portland guys  
have cleared out and leave all the kids  
~~alone~~. I would like to see Paul, never at  
Mars. I bet he is cute as hell and all of  
that. Tell him hello from me and to write  
real soon. I always did like the kid a  
real whole lot and look upon him as a  
kid brother instead of a son.

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As I sit here at my desk, your picture is smiling at me. I can't keep my eyes off of your face. You do truly make me more than awfully and I like it. I had to move from Dick's office because the job he was too much for me to cope with. All of the guys were making all kinds of noise, so I had to move into the peace and quiet of my own office. I can still hear the job by and it is a bad ground for your letters. Henry, my office is a rather small place but it's cozy as hell. There are six of us in it. Air Craft Recognition and Prism of War not fit there it. My desk is right by the door. Planted in either side by Lt. Jacobis and Sgt. Dutry's desks. Lt. Meigs, Chas and Don are the other three. I have a small field desk with many compartments. Your photos are pinned up right in the middle, high so every one can see what a lovely wife I have. I have a draw full of drawings I made in my spare time and use them in lectures etc. I will draw some things up for you tomorrow. I would like your opinion of my drawings and so forth. It always helps you know. Sgt. Dutry is out in jeans today and is in London. I still don't know when I shall go in. I think I will have to so I can wire the money to you. This is a problem, getting this through to you. I found out today that we can

Sat in Etobicoke  
Feb 3rd, 1944

Honey, My Darling Sweet Angel Little Wife,

Got 'em big letters from you to day and two from Mum also. Won't get any from you tomorrow because of no mail call on Sunday. Dam it any way. I have my heart set on at least one letter from you each day and feel awful when none comes. You know how I feel about this and how I want mail. I can't complain too much for the mail system is good to me, that is at times. Some of your letters get here faster than others ones. We have the jets out of a jobs lot and are flying the hell out of it. Special Services and the Red Cross furnishes us with the records and they are damn good. Sounds good to hear a bit of jazz for a change, also American style. The radio in the barracks I don't get to hear much any more because I come down here each night to make with the letters to you. Boy, Harry James is rendering! Skid right now with Sugar Blues. Boy, that really sends me! I appreciate a guy & bunch of jazz you know, just like a bitter boy or a flatter boy does. One goes stale in his jazz in this hell hole of a place that is this long hair. You can guess what I mean and so on. All I can say is that I am nuts about you and adore you in a big way.

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To the 1st. tonight, so I have to be my  
own. All I can think of is how much I  
love you and how much I want you. Dam,  
I want to go home no awful bad. Comes to  
the guy who began this war. I would like to  
get my hands on him. Well, we will finish  
up here in a few more months and then,  
and then - will head back for our home  
now. Alvin Job the 1st Sgt, said Germany  
would give us in a short time. And is the  
hell does he know? Well, he is right anyway.  
Tonight is Sat nite and both nites but not  
in the ETO. One hates to part with the  
coat and return from his body. Keeps you  
warm, don't you know. Remember all of the  
fun we used to have on Sat nites? Wish we  
could do that tonight. Sorry of the ETO -  
"Don't get around much any more" etc.  
"But true it is. Well, I finished up your  
Coat today and ready for more. So best  
you send some hot girds. I may have  
between buses, or is that the way it goes?  
Gosh, I want you heaven knows no damn  
much and just can't wait until I can  
hold you wonderful charms in my arms.  
You have no idea of how much I want you  
and how I long for you. Soon you will realize  
to me by my actions how much I do want you.  
Just you wait and see. Our day will come  
and it is not so far away at that.

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There is a guy over here that can really  
draw and I sure do wish I was good as he.  
You should see some of the things he draws.  
I would give anything to be that good. He does  
most of them in water colors and I mean they  
are beautiful. I'm a guy you been compared  
to him. I'm reading a story for a art course  
at one of the Colleges here home some time in  
the near future. We have the so called Sun  
Crown in now and I don't see a real plif-  
fing in a sun. I guess we are too much  
ETO happy and don't feel the better things.  
Pee on him, anyway, the under fed. poor f.,  
Job, your spouse of a man. What happens to  
him could not happen to a dog. Do you  
still go for this so called "V-voice"? I didn't  
do much today except the same old line or  
grind. Give another lecture to some gunners  
(our fellows) Fine tuning & calls it, to hear  
me make with the guns at a lecture. Still  
meeting out the other types from you and  
guess there will be here in a short time. You  
are so thoughtful and sweet to your poor  
old husband. I am, I love you so awful  
much and can't wait until I can hold  
you in my arms. This regeneration should  
come to a ~~so~~ reheeling halt. I can't  
wait until I drive right into home and  
you. As you can see, I'm using my own  
spouse of a pen. Spenc and Ralph went

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Going to have your teeth fit. Wish I could be there to be your morale support and all of that. Did you see Sinatra's new picture? Tell me all about it and what you thought about it. I bet he stands like he always does. Darling, one of the main reasons I can't go to town is because I think too much about all of the times I used to hang to Strip City to be with you. I get so damn blue and mad in a few because I can't see you. I can't have much fun because I miss you so damn much. I would much rather stay in the here and being around, waiting for your mail. I really don't enjoy my self in the English towns at all. I just want to go back to the States and be with you. I can't give a damn about anything more, just to be with you. I should say or less have to free myself to go. I really don't care about going. I, I go to London now in fact when ever I can make up my mind to go on a few. I don't want to go by myself, no will wait until some of the lugs are going. Will let you know what I shall do and so forth. It'll take damn slack when I can go home to you and stay there for keeps.

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Darling. I seem to get along with every one they and have little trouble at all. I don't know none like a lot of the guys do and we could do much of that. Right now more I know of is Dick. He is always trying his utmost to get his grill in with all of the officers. You know how he is and so forth. I am, I want you so awful much and that is all I can think about. I'm just nuts about you and want you more than it is possible. Once again that goes double for him too! So you can see how much we miss you and want you. God I love you so awful much. Is you all can't go to O'Breens any more. I always bid them the Blacks Cut uses a nice place. O'Breens was always so damn full of people all of the time and too much noise. I bet you do miss the ever tailoring Canie and all of her tales. Honey, this time last year, we were having so damn much fun in the car after our wedding. I wish we could have all of that fun and more right now. I promise you we continue hell you good time when I do get home. You said in your letter to say, you were going to the dent tent again. What's wrong this time. I know how afraid you always are of

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Dear: it takes me about two hours to write you letters each night and it is late before I send it. I feel so close to you when I'm writing to you. I almost feel like I'm talking to you. I love you so much and want you love me more than you know. Dick went to the kennels a long time ago and Ralph is still here. He is willing to his folks. I have to leave and clean up before I go to bed. I have to stay at home until I get back to the kennels and with my hands was here in 14 days. War is hell etc, don't you think? Well, I shall get off now, as the English put it. By the way, they are building us a new club and a new com. club. So we will have a place to go now. Each will receive food and a wife clothes. Will be a good deal. It won't be long before they are ready. I will tell you all about them when they open up. Well, I will bid you now and will close for tonight. Your next note is our note to us again. God bless you my little wife and loads of love. I'll see you in my dreams when I wake up. Well, I will bid you now and will close for tonight. Your next note is our note to us again. God bless you my little wife and loads of love. I'll see you in my dreams when I wake up.

You & old man  
Dick  
red pencil! Sonny



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my next 10 books home at a time by postal money order. So if I have to use this, I will have to make it out in five installments. I will get it to you some time, so be in the books not fruit. Ralph just came back and said the movie was a jinx one, being English. I am glad I didn't go after all. All I care about is being with you and nothing else holds my interest. Honey, I haven't written you a V-mail in the last few nights because it takes so long to write your letters and I have to sleep some time you know. I will try to write you one tomorrow. I know you don't care as much for the V-mails any way. I just like to send you all the mail I can. Character 5 batch #1. Lt. Jacob - he is a little short about five feet six, dark hair. Wears glasses part of the time. First name is Fritz. He is a swell guy and well liked by everyone. He is to be Es. 1. and a Link trainer distributor. He has us EMS's swell and we can tell him out of him. He is such a swell guy, everyone takes advantage of his good nature. I am very fond of him and think he is tops. Next to Lt. Jones, he is my favorite officer. Tomorrow night - Sgt. Dutton. Each note I will tell you all about each of my associates etc.

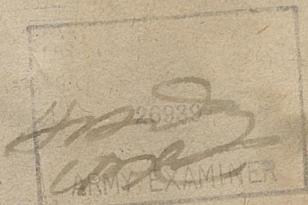
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Weird place we bunks. Each nite, I crawl in the rocks real late and all the weird sounds are at things. You would get a big kick out of all of this. I still say, you Dad types them all in the line of noses. Remember the day at Street City Steel noises in his sleep. I thought that was so darn funny. By the way, last nite, the monkey got in one of the offices and tore up the place. Boys! The guys who work in there were sure damn mad this morning. G.I. Joe (the monkey) has gone back to his wild state now. He is the funniest damn thing. He better not get into my office. Dick is still out on his furlough and doesn't have to work tonight. More than likely, he's some old hick out tonight. I don't know where he is this time. I still haven't gotten the letter from Sargent and wonder if he will write. I do hope he does. Honey, send me his address so I can write to him in the meantime. Did Val ever say, he got my letter? I wrote him about two weeks ago no longer. How about John the job? Does he still make with the robbers to your Sister? I was reading all about the "Sunrise Country"; in the movie kids you sent. I don't think the "Vice" is as well liked out there in Movie Land. Can't say that I blame them very much. As I used to say and I quote "Pee in him". Damn, I love you so much!

Feb 3rd 1944

My Darling Sweet Angel wife!

Hello you wonderful wife of mine. Hard luck today for no mail. None of us was lucky about mail and suppose we will have a rock full to morrow. Well, same old grind tonight, have to work all nite again. None can fun, don't you know? Today, I had to teach a class in air craft recognition because Lt. Jacobi and Sgt Duty were absent. It went over rather well, in fact I taught damn good. You know me! During service we called lectures first birds we confidence up in flying etc. I also had to check out a few gunners in air craft recognition with tool and no funds. So you can see I had a rather busy day at that. That's the way I like 'em so the time goes by fast as hell. Darling, I love you so much more today than I did yesterday and want you twice as much. I am the unbearable way. I wish it would end to night so I could have you home to you where I belong. Do you miss your old husband very much and all of that sort of thing? I know you do by the sound of your wonderful letters. I get so darn mad at the mail system when I miss a day or getting sugar reports from you. I was looking

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It looks like this will be a tough night in the way of words and I hope I can finish this letter. So if this one is a bit short, please excuse. Yes! We have doubts like hell over on this side of the fence. We realize there is a war to be won. I wonder if all the folks at home realize it like we do over here. I have my doubts. I wish some of those folks who complain in Canada still less could come over here for a little while. We would fit them up in short order. Darling, I am so madly in love with you and just am nuts about you. If I could only be with you for a minute. I could show you just how I feel. Pray real hard for this dam war to end like I'm doing. Are you having much fun etc? Have fun for both of us for I don't have time any more. I still havn't gone out in years and really don't care about going. I suppose I'll go in a few days, some where. Every five minutes or so, I have to stop and do some work. What a life! All I can say is, that I'm nuts about you. Honey, you should hear the tune up each night if all the stuff's arriving. Some times I laugh myself sick. One guy at the end of our hut, sounds like a hussy now hitting a board with a knot. Then every once in awhile, some one blunts out a cry in the night. Dick is beginning to mumble and talk in his sleep each night.

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in my little black book this morning and found out that Dad had a birth day June 23rd. I slip on this and had to dash off a letter to him awhile ago. I know he will understand how damn busy I've been and no forth. Explain to him and all of that sort of thing. I told him to buy you a anniversary present and send me the bill. As you know, no thing can be had over here without what to send to you. I hope you like the little gift and all of that sort of thing. One year ago tonight, it was the eve before our wedding day. I am, I wish I could be with you to morrow. I will be with you in spirit though, like I always am. Honey, you don't know how much I adore you and love you. If you could only see and understand. God, I didn't know I could love you this much. I miss you more than I can stand and can't wait until I'm with you again. We will just have to hang on a few more months and I'll be home. This war can't last much longer for we have it just about won. These guys ought to quit, I mean the Germans while they are still in one hand. We will blast them off the map until no thing is left. That is the fate they deserve and will get.

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I haven't run into Mary's husband as of yet but will look him up some time. I didn't feel like going around so much to day but did go after and visit for us in it. I missed the tea wagon this afternoon because of the class I held. So my whole day was more or less ruined for me since my afternoon tea. Didn't you know! what a awful habit this is. Better than the dam water any way. Well, I'll have to get in the so called hall and make with the work. To phone me while I stop for awhile. Don't go away for I'll continue in a few minutes. (I hope) Well, I had to stop again and this time about five hours. Here another break right now and can continue with letter for a little while. Sure do love the dam red work to us. Ralph made a mistake in his work and I had to help him fix it up. He is still fooling around and don't know what the hell is wrong. He tries his best but just can't do the work. I try to straighten him out as much as I can. See I can think of so much I love you no matter what kind of work I may be doing. You are always on my mind. Darling, it is now way past 3 am and today is our anniversary. One year ago to day at 6:30 pm we took the vows of marriage in that little red gite. Wasn't it a wonderful wedding? I can still remember every little detail about it. You had that

think I will make<sup>(7)</sup> Sgt. for awhile for the T.O. is the name. Until it is changed, I will be a Cpl. I would like to make Sgt. before I come home but it looks like the war will end before then. I mean, at the rate I'm making Sgt. Ed is still a Cpl. too and is awaiting out the T.O. change. Honey, send me some wash soap real soon. All of mine are in my "B" brackets bag and hasn't arrived as of yet. I've just about given up hope by now. I guess, in time I will be reissued all of the things I lost in it but not my personal stuff. Some stuff I calls it. Well, I better get back to work now and will finish this up later on.

Didn't get to finish this after all and have to do more work now. I want this to catch the morning mail so will close. I love and want you so damn much. God Bless you my lovely wife and loves forever.

With love,

Your Soldier Husband

Sunny

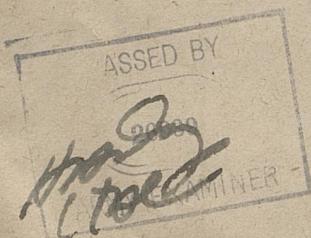


dear m and love<sup>(6)</sup> so damn beautiful. Honey, it is a wonderful feeling to be married and have a person as wonderful as you for a wife. You shall always be my little bride no matter how long we are married. There's again for many yes and making me the happiest guy in this world. I love you four times as much now as I did a year ago. Honey, I sure do wish I could be with you in this day so we could really celebrate and all of that sort of thing. We will have to make up for it when I get home, real soon. I'm not doing anything when I say to save up all of your strength. You will need it, I assure you. This has been a very dull ride and still plenty more work to be done. In fact, we are just about half finished now. I won't start getting off until about 9 or 10 am in the morning. I'm writing this in the war room in case they need me for anything. (Which they do) I won't be able to type you a V-mail, so please excuse. I'll get one off to you to night. I'm going to send you money today and go by the canteen room on my way to the racks. So you should receive it in a ~~short~~ short time. Be on the look out for 50 bucks. Put it away for us and all of that sort of thing. Darling, I don't

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Honey, I also got another anniversary  
card from you to day enclosed in one of your  
letters. You are so damn sweet and wonderful.  
I have the best little wife in the whole world  
and I love her so much. Honey, in each one  
of your letters you keep on requesting to be  
careful and not do any thing foolish. Why  
do you keep on thinking this? I have my  
own job to do and that's all. Please don't  
think I will say and all that. I am no hero,  
I just want to go home to you. I haven't  
flown since we arrived here and won't as  
I said before. I can't fly here even if I  
wanted to. So please don't worry about this  
or any thing like it. I am taking care good  
care of myself just for you. After all, I have  
you to think about and to take care of this  
we will end some time this year and I'll  
bring my way back to you. So just hang in  
a little while longer and I will be back with  
you. I am in Dick and Ralph's office tonight,  
the fire was out in mine when I came  
down here tonight. I saw St. Jacobs before I  
went to bed this morning and he is back now.  
We had hot cakes for breakfast this morning  
and was damn good after a long night of work.  
Didnt finish up work until 8:30 this  
morning. Honey, the letter I wrote you last  
nite. I didn't get to finish up. So please  
excuse because of this. You understand.

On Friday Feb 4th 5  
" good

My Darling Sweet Angel Wife!

Today is the day, in fact  
our day. Yes! we are old married people of  
one year. Do you feel like a old married woman  
of a year? Don't I wish I could be with you this  
very minute as we could really celebrate this  
day right. This time one year ago, we were  
standing in front of the Chaplin, taking the  
vows of marriage. It is now 6:30 and I am  
thinking real hard of you. Darling, remember  
those words we rec'd. In sickness and in health,  
for better or for worse, unto death do you go + etc.  
There where the best words I ever heard. We were  
so damn happy then but can't compare to the  
way we feel now. I love you four times as much  
today than I did one year ago. Remember our  
wedding supper in the St. Cen. Honey off the  
and how much fun we had. And day in +  
retuned to our bridal sweet. Oh Boy! Some day,  
lets go back to the Gunther and all of those  
places. Even though we are married a year  
you are still my little bice. When the flunks  
say that I come home, we will have to take the  
Honeymoon that we never had. I will make up  
for all this lost time etc. Being married to  
is wonderful and I just can't express how  
wonderful it is. If this is no wonderful, what wonder  
how a normal married life is. Boy, I can't

I just <sup>(2)</sup> promised to say for us in the  
ranch hill were very happy because of writing  
last night. I was writing about it and  
was handed four letters from you, no it  
was five. I like to wake up and have a  
heated pile of mail from you. I didn't get  
any mail from you yesterday but made up  
for it today. You are so sweet about mail  
and you have no idea of how you build up  
my morale. I feel so damn bad if I don't  
get any mail from you each day. I also  
got a New Years Card from your Sister.  
How bout this - I got a anniversary card  
from Mom and Doug to day and right in the  
mail. Funny. don't you think to be so timely.  
Honey, I went to the orderly room to send  
your money to you today but in a damn bony  
way. Dat they wouldn't do it. The Army says  
they are suppose to but they did their best to  
let you know in sending it through them.  
Why, I don't know. It makes me so damn mad  
when my friend the first Sgt who did  
all of this bony. I wrote it to you through a  
book when I go to town or send it home  
by a money order through the mail. I will  
get it to you some how, no be in the books out  
first. I hasn't made up my mind about going  
to town but I think I will go in the next few  
days, even if I have to go by myself. I am  
using Spira's pen tonight. My pen, after I use  
it for a long letter, hurts my hand.

unit until I can be with you every sleep and  
just have loads of fun. It was wonderful  
being with you this past summer and what  
was for a few hours each day. I can't wait  
until we can be with each other all of the  
time. No write about Army life etc, just  
you and I for sleeps. I want to wake up each  
morning and find you get to bed & sleep  
next to mine. Just think of how much  
fun we will have and all the time making  
that will be ours. This is all I can think  
about and want. Remember, all of the places  
we are to go, like Cimarron, Dahl's, the Village  
etc, when I come home. The ride unit end by  
having to take you home and saying goodbye.  
No, the fun will only begin when we go  
home. I went to about down the street, just down  
with you at my side. I want the world to see  
and know my beautiful Angel wife. You've  
made me the happiest guy in this world. Honey,  
I love you so awful much and want you  
more than words can express. All I keep thinking  
of, is the day I'll come home to you. But you  
are, has wonderful it will be. I grew close  
with your sons, to just think about it. I know  
you are looking forward to it just as much  
as I am. Thanks again for keeping my  
left be wife. I love you so awful much.

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any thing to be with you right now. Honey,  
Ed has a gal in one of the towns over here.  
I'm very surprised at him for I thought  
he was as in love with his wife. Some guy  
just change like hell when they are over  
here. Never fear that I will change for I'm  
the same old guy. I'm glad that I don't feel  
anxious & with Ed anymore for I don't think  
much of him now. Jimmy Gray was always  
the wild one but has changed since he was  
married. I saw your movie, Ed last night  
while I was working. He hung around  
the office for awhile. Honey, he isn't a bit  
nice looking off the screen. I think he is  
getting a few grey hairs. Sue does just not  
match the mob. Last week, Dinty pointed him  
out to one of the American Red Cross girls  
who goes with the members and joins. She  
was highly disappointed in him. So if you  
ask what he really looks like, you won't  
feel the name. He is a tall thinney guy  
and I wouldn't call him a glamour boy  
at all. Please excuse the blot. Do you  
like for me to make with character  
sketches? If so let me know. I can tell  
you about a lot of old fellows around here  
and I know you would get a kick out of it. So  
tomorrow night, I will begin with them.

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I think I love you so awful much and  
ache you. Tonight, the Chino was fine ~~and~~  
and I didn't eat very much. We had steaks  
and it was awful. Report from the Chino that  
we will have steaks (Swiss) for supper tomorrow  
night. I sure hope no. Darling, do they still  
return all of the things at home etc? Remember  
how much trouble you had with joints in  
Sweetwater? We had so much fun there.  
Dear, I wish they were wind & sand so I  
could be home with you alone & belong. We  
may have a little game going on right now  
and want me to get in it. I won't because I  
would much rather write to you. I'd  
quit writing you a long letter each night, my  
conscience hurts me. I always want  
long letters from you and know you want  
the same from me. Darling, what do you  
mean that your Grand father acts childish?  
So he can't understand that I'm out of the  
country. I sure do wish he was right and  
I was back in the good old U. S. A. Tell  
him hello for me and all of that sort of thing.  
Do you still go over and spend a few days  
each week with Mum? And me my bed etc?  
Darling, I miss you so damn much. I  
want to go home no dear bud. I would give

(8) My water is getting hot and I shall have to shave in a few minutes. Well, we are now on our second year of married life and it will hold more happiness for us than our first year did. As I've said before my love for you grows more and more. It shall always be this way. I'm afraid that I will expire one day. Well Darling, Happy Anniversary to you and thanks for being my little wife. I shall make silent love to you in my dreams tonight. You should see some of my dreams about you. Boy, do we have fun in them. Please don't worry about me in any way or for any reason whatsoever. Take good care of yourself for me. Oscar and I will come home to you very soon, so just hang on. All the folks tells for me, your old husband sure does love you and misses you so awful much. Again, I repeat, thanks for a wonderful year of happiness and I'm looking forward to many more. All I can say is that I love you and want. Good night for now. God bless you Angel and loads of love.

a kiss for you!



Your old husband  
Kerry

(9) Annex to letter 6, parrot  
Do you never to say that Pat has never named her baby. Darling, I do believe that air mail letters get through a lot faster than other mail. I send all of mine air mail to you. Use your own judgment about this etc. I got a big kick out of what you said about how embarrassed you were buying stal kips for me. I can't wait until it gets here. You are so thoughtful to buy me all sorts of things. So this finally got her watch through the mail. I suppose the post office is just swamped with letters now because so many kips are so far away from home. Still, I got no damn mad at the mail system when I miss a day of mail from you. You know how I feel about this for you are the name. Well, what's curving around the old home town and so on? I suppose Sirry is still having trouble with her & F. job. Tell me more about them. I eat up all of the news of the things that you do from morning to night. Dick and his gang of vultures came back off of their jaws and most of had a good time etc. They were a bunch of nuts etc. I hasn't got up my rationals this week and will have to do in the morning because Sat is the last day of the week. So best I get in the ball and picks up some. Honey, all I can say

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Monday Feb 6<sup>th</sup>

My Darling Sweet Angel wife!

At last a letter finally reached here. I read it with heavy sighs and re-read it many times. I thought I was a forgotten man so to speak. You have no idea of how I've been sweating out mail call each day. I do hope my dues keep up. My morale is back to normal again after hitting a new low. Just to give you I feel, you will find a little nothing I drew in a odd minute today. Your husband is a nut as no doubt you know by this time. No thing much to write about happened around here. Same old line of living routine. H. Jacobi wasn't around today for he worked all last nite. Donny was late again this morning and I had to build the fire again. I wish I had the guts to do some of the things he gets by with. There sure is a hell of a war. I had to work various places around the base this afternoon on S. 2 duties etc. That movie or less broke the monotony of the day etc. I ate a late supper and decided over to the movies to see what I thought was a picture called "Girls in Overalls". It turned out to be "Swing Shift Mayie" with a new title. For some unknown reason, they change some of the names when they send them over here. You and I know that movie very well when. So I hauled ass over to the Aero Club to have a pot of coffee and cakes. I found Jimmy, Tom and Hunter, so we shot the bull for a little while. Ralph went to the show with me and

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for he hadnt seen the future before. Jimmy and  
all of us watched to see who would get the checks  
and Don lost. So I had my chance free. They  
stayed at the club to write letters and I ~~wanted~~  
scattered off to the office to write to you. Dick is  
reading a book and is hanging around too.  
I'm in the man Com's room (as we call it)  
office #9 with Chris. The fire is not again in my  
office so I'm using some of the heat in here this  
morning. Dotty and I showed a movie on ~~paper~~  
~~flames~~ to the crews. We've showed the same thing  
many times to different crews and I know the  
same thing by heart. It is a good movie though  
and I don't mind seeing it over and over again.  
Darling, the top song with the G.I.s now is  
"No love, No Nothin'". So you can see we are right  
up to the minute of the latest hits. I am glad of  
that for I'd like to be up on all of the new ballads.  
Don't hear as much about the Sunn Crooner any  
more. I suppose he is dying out, at least with the  
G.I.s. We call him a menace to society. Do you  
still listen to him etc. Honey, did you ever get your  
new truck? This letter to day was a week ago and I've  
received more recent ones than this a long time  
ago. Funny how some mail gets here faster than  
other. I suppose it depends on the boat it comes  
over on etc. I do hope that you get my letters in  
one hell of a hurry and on time. I hope I have a lot  
more fun you to morrow and I'm but due for  
another jaunt away from you. I hope so!

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Ralph and I may go out on jeans some times this week but not sure where we will go. I would like to go down to London but don't know just yet. Won't go to Cambridge this time I know for sure. I can't give a damn where we go and all of that. I also got a letter from Mum today and it was written on the same day yours was. My chapped lip cured up last week and now I have another bad case of it. So I'll have to go see Al my medie friend again and get some more of that stuff that fixed it up last time. I sure did the trick. If I could kiss your soft, lovely lips, it would heal up but quick. I guess this camping is the cause of it. Some times a cigarette will cure it or dry out your lips. Gosh. I miss you so awful much and want you more than you know. Honey, do you remember, he's the guy who used to dance in the PT all of the time at Scribner and who you thought was cute. Well, he is a KP poster and always slept next to me. Last night he was talking in his sleep and was making Candy. He was yelling at some one to get the hell away from the Candy. Every night he talks in his sleep. Some times he curses and all sorts of things. I'm flabbergasted on the other side by a cook named Jesus. You guessed it, he is from the Lone Star State. Well, you should hear him give out with the stories. Some times I can't go to sleep for he comes no damn kind. I can't see how his wife could ever sleep with him. What a bunch of morons in our

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but I was quickly awoken again this morning  
by the tribe of Crows going to work. I wouldn't  
mind it so much but they wake me up at the  
early hours of 4 am. So I take a smoke and  
then go back to sleep. I'll be a week when I  
get out of this damn army. You would get a big  
kick out of all the characters over here. Remember  
how much fun we had making fun of people.  
I wonder what happened to that guy who used  
to dance with the bear boy at the Village. We  
used to get the biggest kicks out of him. I am. I  
wish that I could be with you and have all the  
fun we used to have. I can't wait to do all of  
this and more. You are so wonderful and care  
you more than you know. I want my little wife  
so awful much and just adore you. I glad you  
got a kick out of the valentine I made up for you. I  
wish that I could of gotten you a real one but know  
you appreciate the one I made more than a bought  
one. Well, it is rather late again I'll have to leave  
off for the barracks real soon. I'll go by the way  
of the mess hall. I have to have my midnite snack  
you know. I'm getting to be a boy on the show deal  
and never can get enough to eat. I shall eat you  
up when I come home. Honey you tickle me almost  
worrying about me. You said you read in the papers  
about the bombing over here. They don't put around with  
air fields first is too small of a target in the mile. The  
damn Germans fly over a town and just let go not  
giving a damn of what they hit. So please don't worry

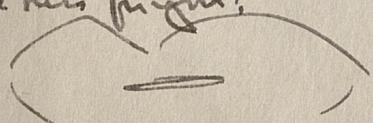
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about this. I've told you many times before that it is foolish to worry for I'm fine as can be. It's just that I miss you so awful much and I'm fine as hell.. I'm taking care good care of myself just for you. You do the same. I'm just nuts about you and love you more than the laws allows. If you could only see how much I do love you and want you. It is another beautiful night out tonight and is going to waste. I would like to make love to you to night, in fact every time at all. When I come home, I'll always be ready for love. You'll be able to take my jessons like a key of beer. Speaking of beer, have you got away very much lately? I would give a guinea for a bottle of good old American beer. Drink one for me next time and think of me while you are doing it. Louis just took off for the Vancouvers and I should do the same. Honey, I never have learned from Harold and wonder when he will write. Suppose he is too busy with studying and all of that for he is a lit dumb in some things. Irie has never gotten around to writing and I've giving up all hope. He mail I write to him or he to me doesn't have to go to New York for we are APO etc. U.S. Army when we write to a fellow over here. So letters only take a couple of days to get through. My little Princess, I miss you so awful much and love you more than it is possible. You are my whole life and the only thing that I care about. Ooh! I adore you.

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The time were dues pay by while waitting a letter  
to you. I'll have to close in a few minutes for I'm  
just about out of paper. I'll have to get some at  
the PT when I buy my returns to momen. Honey,  
I need some sleeping in a bad way and want  
to tell you in my arms real soon. I can't wait  
until we can make that wonderful love again. But  
we both went so awful much. I shall see you for  
days and days and will never stop. I miss those  
few ~~precious~~ <sup>precious</sup> times so awful much and  
can't wait until your burning lips meet mine.  
I'm not ~~bad~~ <sup>bad</sup> when I say I'm prepared for a  
wild love ~~blame~~ <sup>blame</sup> husband. You'll hold for help,  
or will you? If I know you, I'll be the one who  
will have to yell. A real rends his love and is  
looking forward to that day. Pray real ~~hard~~ <sup>hard</sup> and  
soon I'll be home with you. (Send me some more  
candy and books.) I can't get enough of either.  
Sugar, I'll write you a longer letter to momen  
nite and will have more news. I'm so damn sleepy  
tonight that I can't think. We may have to wait all  
nite again to momen nite and I hope we can get  
out of it. Again I say that I love you and a due  
you more than words can express. God Bless you  
my Am full of leaven and loves of love. I'll see you  
in my dreams in a little while. Until tomorrow  
nite then, no love for now.

It's yours!



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answered. "I found that out. And that's why I joined you, didn't you think?" I could go on for days like this if you want me to stop? Please don't think I'm a nut. I'm just extra happy, didn't you know. Darling, we have been married one year and two days now. Remember how you used to come out to Peffings' about each night and how hard it was to say good night? Well, we had so much damn fun. I promise you loads more, just you wait and see. I wonder what you did to day? I suppose you took in a show etc. I wish I could be with you tonight and we could do all the things we like to do. All I can say, is that I love you more than you know, we are supposed to work tonight and are attending by to find out. I don't think we will have to after all. First time we didn't work in the night we are on the alert in a Committee. Ralph is going to make some fudge in a little while and I wonder how it will turn out. I will let you know, that is, if I survive the damn stuff. We have all the stuff to make it and got it from the mess hall. My detail has to clean up the briefings over tonight, so I'll have to use the big black bag over them. Best I get them on the ball right now if not sooner. Give me five minutes.

Sunday Feb 6<sup>th</sup>

My Darling Sweet Angel Wife!

Today was another dull uneventful Sunday except for all the wonderful mail I received from you. I didn't think we would have mail call to day because we didn't have one last Sunday. But you can never tell about the army. Here is the line up of the mail I received; a Valentine card from your Mum & Dad, another one you sent for them, a card from Clotie - Katie, a card from Aunt Mary, two letters from Mum and three wonderful sugar reports from you. So I got a lot of mail to day as you can see. Your letters really brighten my morale up and keep me going. Without them, I don't know what I would do. Went to church this afternoon and prayed real hard that soon I would be home with you. I know you prayed for the same thing this morning at Mass. We both went and feel the same way. I love you so damn much and just can't wait until I'm home with you again. You are my whole life and the only thing I care about in this world. I'm all alone in my office again tonight and fully think of you without any distractions etc. I like to be all alone with my thoughts of you. You have no idea of how much I love you and adore you. Gosh! you are too wonderful for words and I just can't put over in paper how I feel.

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The world has no meaning for me and  
there is no sun in the sky. No looking, I  
miss you more than awful. Please don't  
worry about me feeling so blue etc. for I'll  
be okay. I just get so down once because I  
can't be with you. Well, I never want to  
go through anything like this again. If  
my letters sound happy and all of that, I'm  
just trying to cheer you up. If you could  
only see how I really feel. So here goes  
with a bit of corn to cheer you up. A romantic  
feast were in the throes of silence as the car  
rolled smoothly along an such centering  
wind laden paths, when the lady broke the  
spell: "John dear," she added softly, "can  
you dine with me next?" "Yes, my sweet,"  
he crooned in ecstasy of anticipation.  
"Then wife your mate, it's running." Do  
you care for the rest of them Peanuts? I  
know just loads of them. How bout the one  
she laughed when he met her - but when  
he started to play!!! or she was only a  
brave - big girl's daughter, but you ought to  
see her look the bear. I run b in a telephone  
book: "Humbler tell - I want my peanuts".  
Perhaps, you like this one - He had + wife +  
her kid. She gasped, "Hubby, I'm dying. And  
I can't go without telling you something.  
I've been unfaithful to you." "I know it," he

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Honey, I'm sick in her letter today tell you  
about Dad so happy by calling him "Pop" one  
nite. But with are no angry about you and  
consider you as a real daughter. So always  
call Dad, Pop and all of that sort of things.  
you are so sweet by giving her house so often.  
I know you must have fun etc. You and Mum  
are good comfort for each other. I love you so  
much for all the wonderful things that you do.  
Enclosed with your Mum's card was a full  
report of all about you. Best you be careful  
in all the things you do for I hear all about  
it from many sources. All reports about  
you are good, just like I always know they  
will be. I am still trying to send you money  
to you and will get it to you soon but.  
Before I ate supper, I took a hot shower and  
did it feel good. I'm clean as can be  
right now and ready for love. But I can't  
because no Peanuts. Duh. I wish you were  
here with me right now so we could do the  
things we both want so much. And I say  
more? Honey, you asked me if I was really  
blue etc. You know damn well I am and  
all of the things I say about having fun  
etc are only a front. I miss you so damn  
much that I'm about to go mad. If I could  
let myself go, I would cry like a baby.

Bali-Bali to see what's it's like". Mayie,  
"Silly, it's the same where ever you go."  
(Way, it thinks) Prejudice parties are  
rarely successful. Too much bad feeling  
usually results. Honey, in my spare  
moments, I'm reading "Fast Camp" one  
of the quiet novels you sent me. I think it's the  
same of the same name a couple of  
years ago. The plot is the same and is damn  
good. Wish I had more time to read than  
I do. You know how much I like to read  
but the war interferes, you know. Darn. I went  
to see you so awful much and finally  
you to my manly chest. I went to kiss  
you until your ears fell off. I'm so damn  
hungry for you and your love making. I  
just can't wait until I can hold you in  
my arms, never to let you go again. I'm  
just so nuts about you and want you more  
than it is possible. I want to see how you  
are awful bad and wish there was world end.  
The judge isn't ready yet and I do hope it  
turns out good. Remember the judge you are  
to make firm? Wish I could aint my  
choppers in some right now. When I come  
home, you will have to fit a lot of things like  
that for me. So be prepared for all of that  
sort of thing. Mainly be prepared & for a lot  
of love and kisses. Honey, I can't wait!

men and others, still who talk about girls.  
So you can see their conversations over a nice  
field of thoughts. All I think about is a  
woman - namely you! There is a fantastic,  
but good, wild ~~so~~ <sup>(14)</sup> letter in number 8 that we  
are to indulge in when cakes in the morning.  
So your "chum friend" has band will venture  
out of the nests early enough to consume  
large streaks of bacon. Hot Calo Canyon, I was  
known as in "them" days. I really do for these  
unhelpful bunches of ETO delight. Will keep  
you in his memory & put away. Eating  
is a fascist mating pastime and one of my  
favorite indoor sports. Come I enjoy your  
chow much better and would give away anything  
to get my size 12's under a table of yours. I often  
steal all kinds of fruits, don't you think? I'm  
only kidding and love your food. I would like to  
say you were bread fast table in the  
morning. All I can say, I'm nuts about  
you, Honey! Any one can play bridge, but  
it takes a cannibal to turn up a hand.  
Ah! wait that awful? A company of women  
soldiers in England with blouses off, was being  
inspected by the adjt. (man) when the Captain  
appeared and seeing what was going on, shouted,  
"My God, adjt., what are you doing?" I said  
"Inspect their kits!" "Ah," replied the adjt. "I  
misunderstood you." (Deep breath?) "Maybe  
you might like this one - Mrs. the..." When  
George and I got married, we're going to

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Do you like a long letter like this? I know you do. Honey, I can't write you a V-mail any more because I spend all my time each night, writing these long letters. I know you would rather have a long letter than a postcard about me and a V-mail. If I have any free time in the day, I will send one out to you. Tell your mom. I'll answer her letter as soon as I can. You understand how damn busy I am etc. Well, it is getting about that time to hit the reefs and I will prepare to hit out. All I can say is that I am nuts about you and adore you more every awful. If you only knew how much I love you. Another day has gone by and I'm a day closer to being with you. Keep up the changes and before you know it, I will be home with you. I love you in my dreams. Sweetie and I'll be thinking about you. Send me some more books and candy when you can. Please don't worry about me for I am fine and feel well. I just miss you so damn much and want you so much. Until tomorrow night. God Bless you and loads of love. Tell Norman hello for me and your sister. I miss you guys!

Your S. [unclear] Dubby



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My Honey and I just cleaned up the old place and I can go on now with my letter. We got my water in the river, heating up to share with. I told you in my last letter I would make with the character sketch of Sgt. Dwyer - Here goes. Bob is about 5ft 7, blond hair, fair by nice looking, and married. He is a bit lazy and inclined to be a man in less ~~old~~ gold field. He was acting first Sgt. at Keesler Field during my stretch there. I like him okay and we click in our job. He dances in rather late each morning ~~the~~ he is full of humor and fun. Most of the fellows like him although he draws all kinds of bats etc. Understand he is up for Tech. Sgt. and hope he makes it — I have my doubts for the big wigs have him on their black list. Tom around with Chris. Do you like for me to describe the fellows I work with that you never met? If no let me know. There all kinds and types to tell you about. You know that you get with the briefs, scurts, bathing suit on, well, the fellows found a large picture of her (name one) in a Army weekly and have her plastered on the wall. She draws more comments, such as, Hot stuff, what I would like to do with her, etc. One would think those guys hasn't seen a white woman in over this many years at that. Wolf! Wolf! You should see some of the argues we have around here. First and last thing they talk about is women, rep and more women. Then there are others who talk

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Wonder what J. ll do in my spare time - job.  
So you can plainly see how we are kept  
on the ball besides all of the paper work. Jimmie  
is less chief bottle washer and in charge of  
the latrines. This afternoon in between our  
~~work~~ work, we began Spring practice in  
soft ball. S-2 is getting up a team to take on  
all others this season. Your husband will  
be in there, hurling the red apple around.  
Dib plays third base, Red Peters pitcher, Dalf  
left field and your husband center field. Spec  
up. We have many more good ball players  
in S-2 and will be hard to beat. We will  
play any teams in the group and other  
groups. J. ll tell you more about this when  
we really get going. It is a bit early to think  
about ball but we want to get into shape.  
Bob Dutry got back from London today and  
had a good time - no he claims. To day I had  
my red car checked out by the good lt.  
S. Schramm. Reason - I haven't gone  
out in a few in a month. He claims I  
should take off and get away for a few days  
Perhaps I shall, but it is in a few days I really  
can't get interested in going to town. But I  
will go. If I can find some one going to  
London, I shall go with them, if not I will  
go to a nearby town. It is no fun to go to  
London alone. So J. ll go with some one.

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My Darling Sweet Angel wife!  
No letter today but I did get a  
letter from you. The one with "Let's Make Many"  
and other books in it. You are so damn sweet  
and thoughtful. You are just too wonderful for  
words and I love you more than you know.  
Honey, that book is a Wow! and is cute as all  
get up. I've read part of it and is like the humor,  
I mean the books in it. Where did you ever find such a  
book? I will care it and bring it back home with  
me. I have three books to add to my collection,  
Red ride English, George Song, and How to Make  
Many. So we have a good start now with the ones  
you have to. All of the guys want to read the  
new books and they have to stand in line to read  
it. As soon as I lay it down for a second, some  
one picks it up and begins to read it. I have to  
watch out or else they will become to engrossed  
and I'll not be able to get it away from them.  
This morning, we didn't have hot cakes after all  
so we didn't get up until 8 am. I was so damn  
weak when I found out no hot cakes. We did  
get a bunch a muffins though by having our b. chops.  
They were damn good and I ate almost four of them.  
I don't go to my regulation's mess hall all of  
the time and this other one has better chow.  
For some reason, it is cooked much better  
and I enjoy it much more. Tonight we had  
steak and it wasn't so bad.

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over here and we are living up to the train.  
I am proud to say that I'm a cog in the  
wheel of this splendid outfit. Today I did the  
 honors of mounting Lt. Jacobs at a late time to  
 some of the fellows. More dam fun. Your old  
 husband is considered an expert in his line  
 and knows his planes. The aircraft recognition  
 is an interesting thing to work with. Also  
 with enemy tree tops. Honey, thanks for the Sing  
 Hita and the Juliet Noel, furnie birds etc.  
 I shall while away many boring hours  
 with them. As I've said before, you are so  
 thoughtful and sweet. You wrote to me how  
 much you love me (as if I didn't know) by  
 all of the nice things you do for me. Thanks a  
 lot Angel of mine. Job of the day - What does  
 a dry co. stink woman steps in? - Plants.  
 Honey, that's an awful one, don't you think?  
 Affairs are becoming - many a girl  
 who gets up a small front in society is  
 flat busted at home. - Phew!!! I know a  
 lot more and could go on for days. "Just  
 think, John, we don't have to pull down the  
 shades, who minded now!" Ah! Brother!  
 enough with the corn for now. I'll make with  
 it later on in this damn tube. Well, turn now  
 abouts because today for me. Another lecture  
 at 8:30 to 10, run the movie machine 11-12.  
 Give test to project gunners all afternoon.

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You know how I love to eat and all of that.  
 With I could get away me of your wonderful  
 meals. I brought my ration tonight on the  
 first day for a change. I always wait until  
 almost the last day. This afternoon the Red  
 Cross Canteen came around (calling Canteen)  
 and gave out with the rations and juice. This  
 is sure a darn good deal and they come around  
 almost three times a week now. Honey, they  
 have a huge truck that is a canteen. The sides  
 let down and is like a counter. Americans  
 sell guns and coffee and donuts that are  
 free. The Red Cross is doing a darn good job  
 over here by having rations etc in trucks for us,  
 clubs in the base (open night week) and this  
 damn truck. I always get my share of the rations  
 and they are darn good. Just like the ones you  
 get back in the states. Some people may say the  
 Red Cross stinks and is a racket but they should  
 see them in action over here. We have a fellow  
 attached to our Group who is a Red Cross field  
 man. He has been with the Group since the  
 old lady was formed back in the States. We  
 are darn proud of our outfit and the job it  
 is doing. You can bet your boots when the  
 final chips are down and the score is tied  
 up, the 445th will be on top. We are supposed  
 to be the hottest group in the ETO and I do  
 believe it. The tales of our laurels adorneed us

f them. I feel no calm <sup>(1)</sup> but when I fail to hear from you each day, like to day. I look forward to mail call and like from one letter to another. Damn, I wish this war would end so I could hit the road for home and you. I guess we are so much in love and are so happy. But we have to pay a price for it. I do hope this is the last war and that his like your brother never have to face another one. I suppose there'll always be wars. History repeats itself over and over. Wars are silly. Life is too precious to risk out in some bloody fox hole. There's God, Jim, over here in England and not with the infantry. I take my hat off to those bards. Has his head any more from John the goon? I hope he fails to write her and she forgets all about him. Speaking of her boy friends, I've never received a reply from Val in the letter I've sent him. As far as he is too busy and all of that sort of thing. Dick and Ralph are going home (banachs) now and I'm not ready to go yet. I want to finish this up and do a bit of reading before I hit the road for the nite. I have all of these interesting books etc to read you next me, when ever you can send me more for I like to read as you know, Honey, I can't wait

wolf, the Censor. Cut any thing out of my letters? Let me know if he does etc. Ralph is reading How to Make Money and I have to stop him from doing to him. Later on I will tell him about and explain to him the facts of life. Who is cutting your Sister now? Some HF no doubt. It's un fair and against all thing to go out with a free F. Just not being done there days, you know. Darling, near fear about the English tanks meeting with the eyes. I'm yours especially and you have my Copyright. Darling when I come home you will have to give a "Command Performance" of love making. I went "All is nothing at all". So just hold every thing to get back. Darling, I want you so much that I'm feeling like a drunk. This year is too much. I sure do wish I could crawl in bed with you tonight and make up ~~not~~ all of the lost love. This is a-wasting! I just can't wait until our day comes, I know you feel the same way as I do. It will be long, so just keep you chin up and hang on. I hope I get a whole road full of mail from you turn now and that it will take me hours to read it all. I feel so much closer to you when I'm reading your letters. They are so interesting and I eat up every word. I can't get enough

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until I can partake in that of your wife,  
sparkling, stunning, red velvet, divine  
like meadow. My hands went to caress  
your fascinating, enchanting charms  
and to kiss your delicate, delicious lips.  
I went to press your dainty, gorgeous  
body to mine in a few minute embrace.  
you radiant, beauty day by day clinching  
with ecstasy. You are so lovely and beautiful.  
I love you so much that it is unbelievable.  
Do you know what I mean now, when I  
say I love you and want you? Angel, I  
will sleep for tonight but will be thinking of  
you all of the time. I will make divine love  
to you tonight in my dreams. Pray tell  
how far this dream was to end and now I'll  
be on the way home to you. I'm just nuts about  
you and can't wait until I get home.  
Please don't worry about me in any way.  
Good night for now and I'll be seeing you.  
Tell your family hello and I'll write to them  
as soon as possible. God Bless you my little  
wife and kinds of love. All I can say is that  
I love you and want you.

With love for you!

Your & dear Husband

Sunny

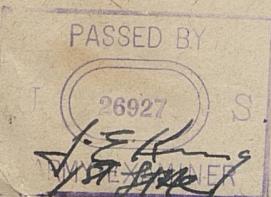
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Well, what goes with my little wife? I like to  
know each little thing you do and every little  
thought you have. I'm madly in love with you  
and want you more beyond words. If you  
could only see how I do adore you. God, you  
are so wonderful and enchanting. You have  
bewitched me with your charms and beauty.  
I'm in a yell about you. You don't know the  
feeling it is to pull out of a spin out tire, well  
you make me feel like that only more. I  
got dizzy with ecstasy at the mere thought  
of you. I'm a jealousate old cur when  
think about you and that's all of the time.  
I'm fit to be tied when I think of you and  
all of your love making. Darling, you said  
I was an expert in the art of wooing but  
just look at the material I have to work  
with. (you) That's the secret of my success.  
I'm a nobody without you and unfamous  
as hell. You've made me. I'm your slave  
and just putty in your hands. Do with me  
as you want. I have a good idea of what you  
want, too! Honey, I smoke so damn much  
over here, I suppose it is the fact of being so  
damn bored and all of that. Oh! My little  
pinkie girl, I miss you so damn much.  
Being married to is strictly heaven and  
just too wonderful for a girl like me. I am,  
I love you so much. Honey, has the big bad

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As the way I feel. Darling, don't feel sorry  
for me because I am blue, and miss you so  
damn much. It just grieves too much I love  
you. I wouldn't be human if I wasn't blue.  
I know you are the same way and your  
letters don't pull me, you are a human like  
me and I love you so damn much for it. I  
be awful damn mad if you didn't miss me and  
was blue. It's a part of love and is only  
human. So please don't worry about it. We  
have to say some way for being so much in  
love and so happy married. This is it, don't  
you think? I am huddled over the fire,  
not because it's cold, just for company  
and I always sit like a fire. One can  
burn in the flames and one resins, and all  
of them are you. Honey, believe me when I  
say you are in my mind all of the time.  
I never do a thing without thinking about  
you. I miss you so damn much and want to  
hold you close again. Damn, I love you so  
damn much. I keep on thinking how  
wonderful it will be when I do get home. I am  
so proud of my little wife and went to show  
her off to the world. I am so hungry for your  
anger like nothing and run away. I went  
to see you with all the gusto of a wild  
cat. You better be prepared for me when  
I get off that train, what a glorious day  
that will be. I can't wait.

Tuesday Feb 8<sup>th</sup>  
My Darling Sweet Angel Wife!  
Three wonderful letters from  
you to day and I feel like a million tonight  
Letters from home are scarce, for victory and  
seems us God's giving. You haven't the slightest  
idea of how much I depend on your heavenly  
letters. I wouldn't last very long without  
them you can be sure. I like to know what  
you are doing and the thoughts that run  
through your pretty little head. Gosh! I am  
just mad about you and can't wait until this  
bloody war ends. To day, one of my people joined  
the Air Force here just in Spain with a 100  
and I must have put it over to him. I leave  
3 more fellows who are trying to be checked  
out as gunners too. They are a bit older in  
finishing our craft ready up but I will get them  
through. We had a very busy day around here  
and was kept in the hall all day long. During  
and I showed two movies (Training films)  
an hour long each. We also had two lectures  
this morning and I held my special class till  
afternoon. Besides that, did a lot of research  
and on new things etc. So your old husband  
was really worked to day. I don't mind it at  
all and like to think, perhaps the things I  
teach the boys will help them in some small  
way to knock down some of those German  
planes. If I wasn't married, I would be in

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uniform. I felt worthy of you then, Angel. Flying is your only road. Much as I want flying, it still can't compare to us much as I want you. I trembled at the thought of holding you in my arms again and to feel your passionate lips snappng the very strength out of me. No being can compare to this love, lust, want. Just this I have for you. Flying is wonderful, but having you as my wife is beyond comparison with anything. I mean, you are my whole life. Without you I am lost, you are; Angel, the fact that I am so blue without you makes this other thing we have no less, flying. If I hadn't ~~the~~ been with you when I was wounded out, I don't know what I would have done. You are the source of all my strength and will power. You may think all this is crazy but it's the way I feel. I guess you could call me a grounded buzzard too, since I've been away from you. Damn the war, Army and ETO for taking me away from you. I don't live again until I can hold you in my arms. All the days are alike to me, living as well. I can't get around and interested in a damn thing, any more. You are all I care about and I long to be with you. This letter might have a tinge of bluness in it and

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this does bring the same. But I leave you to think about and have to stay on the ground. You have no idea of the feeling of remorse one gets if he is a grounded pilot and sees all of this aerial activity going on about him. As I've said before, heavy bombers have no appeal to me but just to see them fly makes my hands tremble again. I stand out in the camp and talk em down like this, throttle held now, a little more right and let hold it, keep, pull up the nose, level off now, do talking in, that's the billy, etc. Do you think I'm a bit lucid? I can't help it, Honey, for this flying is in my blood. No one knows, not even you, how hard I took the fact of being wounded out. The old wounds are reopened each time I see a plane in flight. I get a lump in my throat when I see a snappy fighter, buzz-buzzing the field and ringing it's self out. You are the only one who can help me and you are so far away. I know you would much rather I was grounded than fly, but I can't help it, because of this certain feeling. It's like a drug or like something. Some thing that gets you and won't let you go. I'm always haunted by my cadet days and how good I used to think

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office. So, me who is in C. G. and don't  
have to do team duties besides, can have a  
lot of time to read etc. I also would like  
to write you folks the letter & me them  
and a few other people. Dick and the boys  
just left for the shore. I've already seen  
the movie, "Fried Wife" and wouldn't care  
to see it again. I don't enjoy a movie  
under \$1.00 any way. I also went to  
hit that needs early tonight tho. Perhaps,  
do a little reading before I go to bed also.  
I finished "Let's Make Money" and thought  
it was fun as hell. Then he finished giving  
it to me, Angel. Dick is reading it and a  
lot more of the fellows want to read it too.  
When ever you find any more good books,  
and I do mean good books, send them  
to me. Honey, the English believe in nude  
pictures and we can buy them in any  
newspaper. Also they have naughty but  
nice stage shows in London. I, when I do  
go to London, will take me in and will  
tell you all about it. European people always  
wear as they as tell etc. All I can say is  
that I love you no damn much and I can't  
wait until I can hold you in my arms.  
God! I want you no awful much. You  
have no idea of how much I do want you.

<sup>(8)</sup>  
Here is the joke, is what ever you want to  
call it for to day. From a girls diary in  
board a ship. Monday - I felt highly honored  
for being placed at the Captains table. Tuesday  
I spent the morning on the bridge with the  
Captains. He seems to like me. Wednesday  
the Captains made proposals to me unbecom-  
ing an officer and a gentle man. Thursday  
the Captains threat end to sink the ship  
if I did not agree to his proposals. Friday,  
I saved 600 lives. Do you like this one? Or  
do you care for this one? A comely young  
lady went for a swim in a nearly secluded  
spot, but failed to take a towel with her.  
She had come out on the bank and was  
allowing nature's balm to eyes to dry her  
when she heard a rustling in the bushes.  
"Who's there", she called. A rather high pitched  
voice replied, "Willie". Said the gal, "How  
old are you, Willie?" and the wee wittle  
voice rep lied, "19, damn it." (Oh brother!)  
If you want me to not make with this  
rambly Corn, please very no. I leave it to  
you. This was with Jim C. G. again and  
will work all night long. My team is in the  
alert anyway and more than likely, would  
have to work. I hope we don't have to work, so  
I can read a real whole lot all night long.  
All a C. G. has to do, is be on top ~~at~~ just in  
case and to keep a fire going in the Major's

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Just had to throw some coal on the fire again. How is the weather at home now? I let it go almost Spring and things should be warm. pray real hard that this war will end this summer and that I can come home to you. Do you realize we almost been in this army two years now? In three more months it will be two years since I enlisted. Dick has not been in a year yet and Ralph has just been in one year. Well, best I prepare to kill out and hit the road. Its so goddam late now and I have to shave as of yet. How is Simey and her boy friend? I suppose he is still in a spin about him etc. Darling, we've been married one year, four days, four hours and two minutes. Oscar sends his love and wishes he could be with you right now. (Me too!) Please don't worry about me in any way and run. I shall be on my way home to you. Hang on and keep you pretty little chin up. Tell your family hello etc. Good nite for now and I'll see you in my dreams. God Bless you and loads of love. I love you so damn much, Angel of mine. Until tomorrow nite - no long.

a kiss for you!



You Soldier Husband

Sunny

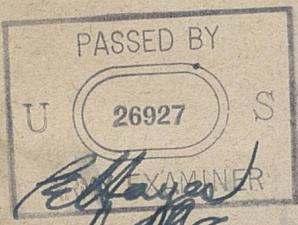
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I'm still debating about going into town and havn't made up my mind as of yet. I truly don't care about going at all. I do want to send the money to you and will have to go to town to do so. You may think I'm a nut for not wanting to see all of the so called sights we hear but I do <sup>mean</sup> them all. Every place is about the same. I'll spend most of my time in movies and walking about etc. Most of the fellows like to go in town to do a little wolfing etc. They just go to make the girls etc. Being a devoted married man, I have no reason whatso ever to go to town. I will free myself to go just to get away from it all. Back at Lincoln I didn't mind going to town for there were a mo. of things to do as in every American City. I wouldn't live over here for any thing and I'd be so damn glad to get back to a decent town again. Hooper even looks like heaven to me over here. I didn't hit the reefs until rather late last nite and got up at 6 am this morning. Rained. Lot cakes and we didn't care about eating into a line. I put away about 8 of them and had my fill. I've had the last time you ate lot cakes was in Fremont. We had so damn much fun back there in Fremont and in Sioux City. That was just a couple of things to come.

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I hope I can finish this letter and not be interrupted by a lot of words. You can't get your last dollar that I'll have to sleep every five seconds or so. In fact I have to see what's going right now. Not much so I can go on with my letter to you. Darling, all I can say is that I love you so damn much and just adore you. I can't wait until I can hold you in my arms and make up for all of this lost time. Damn the war anyway. I just rode Dick and Ralph home to the barracks and have to pick them up again about 5 am in the morning. Lt. Jones and I are on all night and will be up around to do odd and ends until the rest get here in the morning. I'll catch a few winks every now in awhile and it won't be so bad at that. I've finally made up my mind about a pass and will take no responsibility for next week. I'm going down to London, that is if I can line up a place to fly the body before hand. Then won't let you know the exact time. I do hope I can get to go there because it would be funny as hell to say I was in England but never got to London. This was until last night though, so best I go there at once. If come, I will tell you all about it etc. If I can't go there, I'll go back to Cambridge because it is a nice town. Any way, the change will do me damn good etc.

Wed Feb 9th 10  
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My Darling Sweet Angel Wife!

Three more wonderful letters you today and I feel grand tonight in the way of morale. You are so wonderful and sweet to your old husband. God I'm mad about you and want you something awful. Damn the war and I'm writing this from the Major's office. Don't know as of yet of the results of being in my team has to work or not. Anyway, I have to work any way, so it doesn't make much difference any way. Reminds me of your letters today, you mentioned that you were thinking about enlisting in the WAVES etc. If you do anything as silly as that I'll never forgive you. One of us in the service is enough and yet those ideas out of your head. I don't want to hear anymore about them. I didn't do much today but work etc. I had another session with my gunners to be and did mainly a lot of research work. Sat Duty unbed last night and was all alone in the office today, that is, the only A/C recog. man here. So I was hrs and hrs. Read men again. Henry. I told you about St. Peters accident and death. It has been some time now and released officially and I can talk about it to you without the censor seeing his ever ready sharp blade. I can't say what was the cause of the crack up but Sidney

using the much in method like a cow  
chewing its cud. There are some queer  
characters in this army. Some times I laugh  
my self sick at all of the various things  
none of them jump do. Cleve must have  
a dear give some of humor over here or  
you would go nuts. I am still happy myself  
and it's comparable to the crazy only  
much worse. So please excuse the things  
I say in my letters. Darling, you should  
see the moon over here. Sure nites it is  
almost bright as day. Too bad it is wasted  
in us being so damn far apart. We are  
cud me it. Hell, we don't need a mom to  
make with the love, do we? Honey, you  
said that Mary Ann sure mines Cleve  
a real whole lot. He just told me that  
he can't wait until he can dance with Mary  
Ann and take up where they left off. Tell  
Mary Ann hello for me and that Cleve  
and I will be home real soon. Keep up the  
prayers and this war will end in one hell of  
a hurry. It can't be too damn soon for me  
you know. This is a U.S.O. show tonight in the  
base and it would have to be here in the  
nites can't go out. As you know, I can't  
leave the place and have to stay around here  
in the phones etc. One has to be in the bull  
in the C.G.'s job for it is a regular ability.  
Sure could never stand up if we wasn't  
careful and knew his stuff. (That's me)

was caught up in the nose of the ship and  
before he could get up in the flight deck, the  
crest Crested landed in a field nearby. He  
was killed outright and didn't know what happen  
to him. I do hope this will get through to you  
dear. Elliane always said that he was pre-  
pared for this but I know it was a great shock  
to her. Lt. Jones wrote her a excellent letter and  
the fellows who were in the crew up did the same.  
I guess it helped her a lot to let to hear from the  
men who were with Sidney at the time of his  
death. This is war and however are dying  
all over the world for the cause of freedom. It is  
a high price to give ones life for others to live  
on in freedom. These damn Germans occupying  
Germany for each man we do lose, in fact four in  
his time as many. They will kill and soon  
and all the world will again enjoy the fruits  
of peace. Darling, please don't worry about me in  
any way for I am fine and all of that sort of  
thing. I am as safe as we are back in Springfield  
etc. So no need to bother your pretty little  
head about me. I don't fly, just walks in my office  
all day long and at nites too. Darling, you  
should see the various styles the guys eat  
with. I was putting away my 5 pm show  
and noticed how the G.I.'s ate around me.  
One fellow was using the knife method by  
keeping his fork going between his plate and  
mouth at a rapid rate. Another fellow was

Still hasn't heard from <sup>(1)</sup> you yet and  
wonder if he will write. Val hasn't answered  
my letters as of yet either. I've given up all  
hopes about him and don't suppose he will  
ever get around to writing me. You think  
he would though because of us being so close  
to each other over here. Do you know a girl  
about ten and all of that? I don't know the  
kid when I get home. Tell him hello and to  
write me a note same time. How is the old  
boy off? You never say much of anything  
about him. Remember how he used to bark  
at me all of the time until he got to know  
me. Remember all of the miles we used to walk  
until the tube went to bed so we could  
make with the WW? We always did have  
so much fun. Just think of all the fun we  
shall have when I come home to you. Gosh,  
I get all hot and bothered thinking of all  
the fun we shall have and mainly - love  
making! Ah! Happy Day! I sure do like to  
think about this and do all of the time. Dad,  
you sure do have me nuts about you. I  
can't ever be able to make up for all of the last  
time. I promise you, we will do no thing but  
love and more love. Here's fear about other  
people taking up our time when I come home  
for I shall want to be alone all of the time.  
That's why I want you to find us an apt. right  
away. So get on the ball and line me up for  
us. I just had to go see what was the delay

<sup>(2)</sup> You are right about their V-mail deal. Let's  
just make with the long letters instead and  
not feel around with it. It cost you more  
to write two each mile, so just write me the  
nice long letters like you've been doing. I  
don't think that Ernie will leave now the way  
he has piled around. May be he is getting  
sick a little about leaving and so forth. They  
sure jugged the hell out of me. Reels me,  
I have to stop every five minutes to answer the  
phone or take in a tel type I wish I could  
write this in peace. Oh well, this is war  
and war is hell! I shall attempt to write a  
letter to your family tonight, but I make no  
such promises. Never can tell what will come  
up next. We ordered some Chow a little while ago  
and I sure hope it comes pretty soon girls for I'm  
hungry as hell. You have no idea how damn hungry  
you can get after walking around during the  
nite. In fact, I'm always ready for chow and  
never get my fill. That reminds me, best I put  
some water on in a little while so I can have  
and clean up. Silly habit, don't you think?  
Darling, your husband is just nuts about you  
and a due you're doing awful. If I could  
only crawl in bed tonight and find you there.  
Gosh, I want you so damn much and just  
can't wait for our day to come. Just keep your  
chin up until we finish up this little job over  
here and I'll be back home to you. It's hell  
though awaiting it out and waiting.

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in our chow mes. I went over to the mess hall in a hurry just. The damn jeeps had never even began to fit our prod up, so I had to scrub the big blocks while on their backs. I think like Bob Hoge in "Let's Face it" in the way backs with a jeep full of grub. Now I have a belly full and ready for more units (or am I?) Being one rough in the ETO and getting rough all of the time. As the Pres. said and I quote, "this is War". He doesn't know the half of it. Darling, I went to his you so much and went to hold you so tight that you couldn't tell which was which. I'm a wild man awaiting his mate, Dan. I miss you so awful much and want you more than it is possible. Well, I have to do some more work and then take the engine car back to the mess hall. So I will close down for tonight. I will make with the keeps big letter again tomorrow night (really tonight for the way just 12) Hug up the grayers for your good friend everyone has had us here in the ETO. Sleep my dearest friend and you hug me up. Anna sends her love to Mary Ann etc. I will dream about you all day tomorrow while I knock off thinking of you and awaiting out the mail. I hope some one writes me up tomorrow afternoon with a hand full of mail from you. God Bless you and

lots of love  
from you!



Yours Sod in Husband

Funny

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I won't tell Spica that you wrote to his gal friend Pat "The Whore" I don't think that he writes to her anymore. Tell me all of the stuff she says when she replies. I think she is one of the biggest bitches I ever laid eyes on. You know Spica's taste. Speaking of Spica, he sure has changed since he came back. You would hardly think he is the same guy. I don't hear much to do with him because he is Civil towards me. He and Ralph get along obs. Dick doesn't bother with him neither. Dick runs around with a couple of the other S-2 bops. I never about going out on gals. Dick, Ralph and I see all quite often my and all of that. We all eat together with Chris, Dan and Jim (other S-2 bops) Funny thing about this S-2 section. The 701st Germany (us) and the 703rd Germany being together, also the Army personnel. The 700 and 702nd being staying to there selves and don't mix with our two squadrons. You see, we. I mean all four squadrons and Army men, all want together like I've told you before. Really, we all belong to Army and work as Army S-2. It's funny how the other two squadrons don't gel around with us. We have the cream of S-2 in our Germany anyway and the rest are a bunch of jerks etc. The army is the name as Civil war life in this respect. I would like to burn around with them but we can never get together.

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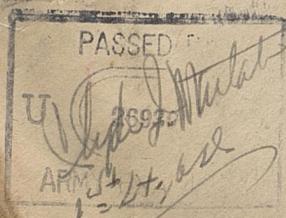


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Sue did me in writing a letter from you to day  
and my whole day is ruined now. I hear from  
the mail call to the other. I hope you are getting  
loads of mail from me each day. I do my  
best by writing and I hope the post office does  
the rest. Have you been following the war news  
very much? Each day the allies roll up more  
victories and it won't be long now before it is  
all over with. I've got my fingers crossed and  
I'm praying real hard. I think the war will  
end in next month. I will be home with  
you real soon and it can't be too soon for me.  
Ralph and Sue are going out in Paris again  
tomorrow and I'm not sure where they are  
going. You know, it's funny how I don't care so  
much about going out in Paris. I really don't  
care if I go or not and mind just as much to  
stay in the house. All I care about is getting home  
to you. Speaking of home, what goes on around there?  
Darling, can't you just see our cute little apt.  
now. I can see it and it's under fol. I would  
like to get an apt some where in the East End or  
West End. Do you want to live in the West End  
near your folks? You look around and make up  
your mind where you want to get one. Let's talk  
little before I come home, get one. I would like  
to come home to a place of our own. We want to  
have each other to ourselves. If you can't get an  
apt, we will go to a down town hotel for a few days  
so we can have fun and won't be bothered by  
people. How do you like this idea. We could stay  
at the Brown, Kentucky in the States. I'm eating  
none of it right now and it is damn good.

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Honey, about the money I want to send you home  
there is no damn much red tape and every thing is so  
damn screwed up about this. The Post Office will only  
allow you to send home \$10 at a time in a money order.  
So To minus, I will buy the first \$10 worth and  
send it to you. I want to send you \$50 buckle so  
it will come in five different letters. So be on the  
ends out first and let me know as soon as you  
get each. If you miss them or me, I can collect  
it back here. I would like to wire it home to  
you, but I can't. So I will send it at 10 bucks  
a time. Save it up for us like we have planned  
to do. I got so damn mad at this damn about  
storing things. I don't care so much about not  
going to town. I made a less wanted to go  
and see if I could find a way to send you  
money to you. I would like to see London and will  
go damn there yet. All I can say is that I love  
you so damn much and can't wait until I can  
hold you in my arms. You are the only thing  
that I care about and want in this world. I miss  
you so damn much and wish I could be with  
you right now. Damn this was a very way. Some  
day this will be an ugly dream and we will  
laugh at it. I can't see any thing to laugh at  
right now. I was lucky to buy this morning  
before I left home, I had seen the P.X. had cases  
of Whitman's chocolates in. So I walked over  
and bought me a case. They cost 5 shillings  
and 8 pence for a lb. = \$1.15. What means is  
damn good Candy and you pay more than that  
for a lb. of it back in the States. I'm eating  
none of it right now and it is damn good.

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Darling, all the guys are pestering the hell out of me to let them read letters made many. They stand in line to read it and I could make money in the deal if I were a Jew. All the guys ask me each day, how many letters did I get from you and what sort of feelings does. I'm kidding all of the time about the long letters I write and how many I receive from you. Then all week they could find no many things to write about. I can't see why anyone couldn't. There are a million things to write but I guess all people would be interested in them like you are. I try to be you eyes and tell you all the things I do. I hope I succeed to make my letters sound like I was talking to you. Each night that I go back to the barracks all the sites are out and I am greeted with a salvo of kisses when I open the door. Some times the silence is shattered by the man talking or mumble of some one in his sleep. Dick is a great heart at this. Also the pitch black gloom is pierced by the glow of some ones light, who can't sleep. I wake up a lot of times myself and light up a match. I lay in the beds with thoughts of you drawing away on a fog. I agitate my eyes trying to see you yet me in the blanket like darkness. I know it's there smiling down at me with ever watchful eyes. I love you so damn much and just adore you. Darling, you are my whole life and the only thing I care about in this crazy war ricks world. I pray for strength

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memories about. I look deep into them and can see your beautiful face. Did you ever gaze into an open fire place. You can see so many things. I have a pot of water, in heating up for my daily shave. Every so often I replenish the cube in the fire to warm up the place. It is a bit cold here tonight and said fire feels damn good. I'm all alone in my office with my thoughts of you. You are with me where ever I may be in what ever I may be doing. You sure do get around, don't you think. Had to fill this pen up again with a different type of ink as you can see. I'm using Hunter's pen for I left mine at the barracks in my overalls. They are so damn dirty that I have to wear my O.D.'s. My "B" barracks bag has never dried up and I have a clean pair of overalls (fatigues) in it. Sure could use them. Darling, I have a ride home to the barracks in said jeep. I like to walk home but tonight I would rather ride. I may walk anyway and stop at the mess hall for a bit of a midnite snack. I can always eat. Best you always have a lot of chow around the house when I come home. Damn, I love you so awful much and wait until I seen his the hell out of you. When you see me, you will say, "Henry, are you really that glad to see me. Is it just a gun in your pocket?" The second thing I will do when I come home will be to take off my uniform. Need I say what the first thing will be?

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such nite to bear up under this ~~sadness~~  
seemly end less pain of being away from you.  
I know that now I can hold you tight by in  
my arms and never let you go again.  
Don't feel blue or sad that I'm not here. Be proud  
that I'm over here for you. Yes, that's the reason  
I'm so far away from home. We are fighting  
this war to protect you and all our love ones.  
Each time a gun bursts out its ring of death is  
a bomb blasts some dear German to hell, it  
brings us nearer to Cloves. We shall win this  
war for all you folks at home and soon shall  
be on our way back. All the happiness that is  
ours and to come, is worth fighting for. So  
be here little wife of mine and keep your chin  
up. Keep me reading news of our share and  
smile to me by your beautiful letters. Words  
cannot express the deep, ever lasting love and  
desire I have in my heart for you. I'm proud  
of my little wife and again want to shout down  
the street with you at my side. I want to  
wake up with that glorious feeling of finding my  
your precious little blond head next to mine.  
Good nite for now Angel and in a little while I  
will make love to you in dream land. I shall  
be thinking of you constantly like I always do.  
Until tomorrow nite then, God bless you and  
lots of love,  
my love for you!



Your Soldier Husband.  
I am

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There isn't much news around here to night but  
the same old thing. I had a lot of fun this  
morning getting Day and Miller up at 4:30.  
I jumped into "me" little jeep and flew down  
to our branches. Suddenly I smacked both of them in  
the bottom with a GI knife and scared the hell  
out of them. Ralph stumbled some there and  
rolled over, so I picked up the end of his hump and  
dropped it in the film with a loud jar. That did  
the trick. I then tackled the job of hauling Deels  
up. The head of the G.I. knot didn't even budge  
him. So I took a branch long and piled it in  
top of him. That brought his sleep to a screaming  
halt. Both hit the deck and I reared. Next job  
had to do was wake up Chris, we same method.  
I dropped them off at the mess hall and went  
to the B.O.Q. to wake H. Menger and J. Schneemann  
I got great pleasure in of hauling them and  
had great delight in shoving the hell out of  
them. More damn fun etc. etc. I didn't get a  
word of sleep all night long. I didn't get to  
write you family a letter like I wanted to do.  
I will do so as soon as I can. You guys at  
home have no idea of how little spare time  
that we have. This isn't kid stuff over here. Just  
plenty of hard work. I don't mind the work for  
it makes the time speed by after a fashion.  
Besides that, we get some things done and can  
see the results of our work. I'm sitting in  
front of the fire in my office, using a clip  
board to write on. We have the sort of stove  
that has wide doors in it like a open fire  
place. One can watch the flames dancing

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It was a dark and stormy & scene along in  
the he would of never made it to the bushes.  
When I found him, he was trying on to a  
barbed wire fence. So I grabbed his arm  
and helped him along. He was so drunk that  
he couldnt stand up. I had a hell of a time  
helping him up and half of us nearly fell two  
or three times. I had to stop at the steady man  
to mail your letters, so I leaned him up against  
the building. When I came back out, found him  
slumped down in the ground, I threw him  
over my shoulder and carried him to the bushes.  
I ~~had~~ turned the body in his hands and  
threw blankets over him. Also removed his  
shoes. I saw him at church tonight and he  
didn't remember a thing about it. I guess if  
I hadn't found him, he would of still be laying  
in the mud some place. Jim just a big brother  
to everyone etc. So that was my good deed for  
the day, don't you think? I shall go hit the reefs  
early to night because I got a early start on  
you to night. I never got to bed before  
12 each nite and would like to get a few  
more sleep after tonight. So will head out  
early for the bushes in a little while. Hope I  
don't find anymore drunks on the way.

My Darling Sweet Angel wife!

Sat Feb 12, 1964/2  
Some where in  
England

No letter from you today  
and my day is mine'd because of this. You know  
how I longed for your wonderful letters to keep  
me going. I did get a letter from Merv, we form  
Dad and Aunt Mary. They are nice and all  
of that but can't compare to a letter from my  
little wife. I miss you so damn much and want to  
hear from you at least once a day. Still got a  
whole lot of mail from you to mow. Well, today  
is Sat again and with me in the U.S.C. Can't sweep  
the office about the CTO. Just mess and more damn  
mess we have. It is no damn need to keep the office  
clean because of the damnable mess. Some times  
it looks like a damn bog gas even if we clean it  
up every half hour or so. I sure do get boured off  
at all of this damn mess. When you wills, I'll plunk  
in all your slothing etc. Trucks and jeep driving  
by throwing trash full of the stuff at you. My  
wash clothes are about shot and I will have to trade  
them in for a new pair. I will my "B" bag until I  
have fund here another pair of S.I. bags in it. Can  
use them awful much. The damn car will be over &  
suppose by the time mid May gets here. I've given  
it up for lost and never expect to see it. But the  
Army will issue me all the things in it. (I hope)

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you. Mom said in her letter today that Dad was showing you his collection of red money and stamps. She said, you all thought all that so called junk was worth money now. I don't think it, I am waiting on a reply from the Army Int. that I wrote about taking the course through some college in the U.S. I expect to hear from them in a few days and will let you know all about it when it comes. I want to get this started so I can learn all I can while I am in the Army. I do for our future that I want to do this. Perhaps I can letter my self in some way and can send a good job with this plus all the other things I've picked up in the Army. Time will tell. What did you do to day? Wonder if you thought of me a couple times or no. I know that you did just like I'm always thinking of you. I am this was very wrong. I say this in each one of my letters and I mean it too. Last night, after cleaning up etc., I walked home to the barracks by the way of the mess hall. I slumped down a midnite snack and lit out for the barracks. Along the road I saw a stumbling drunken GI and feared my life in mind character. He was one of the cooks in my barracks and was returning from a bender in town. Boy, he had a load on and was drunk as hell.

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Today was another busy one for me etc. I helped Lt. Jasdi give a lecture on Current affairs about the war and so forth. I ran the projector for him etc. I also did a little drawing of an plane for recognition classes and that took up most of the morning. This afternoon, I did a few odds and ends, such as typing military letters and special things. Also more research work for future lectures etc. I drove Captain Sphar a couple places in the trusty jeep etc. So you can see I was more or less kept busy all day. I have another busy chand of work ahead of me tomorrow. My team is suppose to work all night to but I think we will set out of it tonight. So far, we don't have to unless some thing comes up later in during the evening. So I guess we will go out of it this time. Do you like for me to tell you all of the things I do each day? I know you are interested in all the things I do etc. We've used up our supply of coal this week and will have to take for a few days until the next and will use more. We are allowed no much coal weeks. Major Bluford is trying to get a load for us in the morning and I do hope we get it. One can't work so well in a cold damp office you know. Wish I had you here to keep me warm rather, but, gosh! I'm so crazy about

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I'm just in jamboreum with out  
you and I'm just a mess. Our love for  
each other penetrates the many miles  
between us and is active as can be. I'm  
out with you physical but I'm with you  
in spirit. You have my heart for you still  
+ away from me many months ago. Please  
take the damn jobs who thought of war. I want  
you to release me and all of that sort of  
thing. While the Arabs do, I will hold up  
by tent and steel carry into the mite. I  
will die for now but you shall stay upon  
my mind constantly like you always do.  
You are with me at all times. I'm hoping  
for loads of mail from you tomorrow. Tell  
your folks hello and a letter is on the way  
to them. Good night my little Suzanne. I  
will see you in my dreams. Until tomorrow  
no long for now. God bless you my little  
wife and loads of love. I love you so much  
and want you more than you know.

a kiss for you!

Your Devoted Soldier  
Husband  
Sonny



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I'm in Lt. Jones's office tonight for they have  
a pie giving. Lt. Jones and Lt. Meyers are  
bringing out in typewriters and you should  
hear all of the damn noise. I don't pay any  
attention to it and can write you. There  
are a lot of good AM programs on the air to-  
night but there isn't a radio around here  
tonight. I sure do miss all of the good old  
programs we use to listen to. Say, does  
my little portable work? Why don't you have  
it fixed up for yourself. Also for us when I  
come home. Perhaps I will buy a new one  
when we return. Honey, I love you so damn much  
and want you more than anything. My love for  
you grows with leaps and bounds each day.  
I miss my little wife so damn much and can't  
wait until we can make up the time. Enough  
with the long distance love making. Let's move  
in with the close stuff. I want my little wife!  
(Here me about time and trust me) "She  
made mine body hot." Honey, I miss you so damn  
much and want you more than the last  
allows. God! I just adore you and I'm  
nuts about you in plain words.

(1)  
The nite you took me by storm (our first meeting) you clasped my hand and put your hand on me. I'm yours and you can do as you want with me. I think I know what you want! Am I right? Any fool can plainly see what I desire you. You are so lovely and lovable. But I just can't wait until I can hold you in my arms again. I went to climb you to my chest and just this I tell not of you. You are just so deliciously fru-fru and I'm a lucky guy to have you for a wife. You glow with a lustre of beauty that is breath-taking. You are a magnet and draw the passions out of me. I'm just an old man now but who loves you like a mad man. I'm just a human symphony of questions for you. Oh! Mercy, I want this feeling of being away from you to end. I'm just so damn melancholy and all of that sort of thing. I want movement and happiness again and being with you is the only way I can have this. I feel naked without you - I mean - I'm just not all here. I'm lost and need you. I'll be no damn glad when this ordeal of being away from you is over. Can you tell how much I love you?

(2)  
I wish I was camping this nite so I could swim at my friend that is between us. We belong to each other like bacon and eggs or like cream and coffee etc. Married people, should be with each other all of the time. Times are uncertain. Let's get going here. The mere thought of making love to you makes me dumb with passion. I have to hold myself back or else I would beat my head against wall. Darling, don't be fooled by letters into thinking I'm happy for they are cum inference for the real way I feel. If you every hear how much I do miss you and want you, I forth it the mouth for the want of you. No kidding, I'll be a wild man when I do get home to you. I don't care - is all I can say. The wilder you are the better! I love you so much; it is frightening. I'm just a ghost of a man that used to be. You are like a drug to me and I need you. You know, it is surprising how much a human can take and still live. I can't call this living. Being away from you like this. I'm in a coma and being with you is the cure. So best I go home at once if not sooner. I am. I love you so awful much, as you know.

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I'm just in Panzerheim with out  
you and I'm just a mess. Our love for  
each other penetrates the many miles  
between us and is active as can be. I'm  
not with you physical but I'm with you  
in spirit. You have my heart for you still  
& always from me many months ago. Please  
tell the dear folks who thought of war. I want  
you to release me and all of that sort of  
thing. Like the Arabs do, I will fold up  
my tent and steal away into the night. I  
will flee for now but you shall stay upon  
my mind constantly like you always do.  
You are with me at all times. I'm hoping  
for loads of mail from you to morrow. All  
your folks calls and a letter is on the way  
to them. Good nite my little Squaw. I  
will see you in my dreams. Until tomorrow  
so long for now. God bless you my little  
wife and loads of love. I love you so much  
and want you more than you know.

a kiss for you!

Your Devoted Soldier  
Husband  
Fanny



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a pie giving. H. Jones and H. Meyers are  
bringing out on typewriters and you should  
hear all of the darn noise. I don't pay any  
attention to it and can write you. There  
are a lot of good 25 programs on the air to-  
night but there isn't a radio around here  
tonight. I sure do miss all of the good old  
programs we use to listen to. Say, does  
my little portable work? Why don't you have  
& keep one for yourself. Also for us when I  
come home. Perhaps I will buy a new one  
when we return. Honey, I love you so darn much  
and want you more than anything. My love for  
you grows with leaps and bounds each day.  
I miss my little wife so darn much and can't  
wait until we can make up the time. Enough  
with the long distance love making. Let's move  
on with the close stuff. I want my little wife!  
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made mine body hot". Honey, I miss you so darn  
much and want you more than the last  
allows. God! I just adore you and I'm  
nuts about you, in plain words.

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How is Sny and her man Tom etc? you hasn't said much about that affair in the last couple of days. All I can say about that said one sided affair is, it beats me. What's new around home? Has the old town changed much since I last saw it? I guess you still go in town a real whole lot each week like you always do. I sent aunts pretty soon now. I think it is around the end of this month. Darling, I can wear the ETO campaign ribbon now for I've been over there long enough. Also the good conduct ribbon and any other awards that our "Hot" Group may win through its many exploits of merit etc. So when I come home, I'll have a chest full of ribbons etc. Honey, our Group is sure doing it's part in helping to win this dear war. Hitler knows we are over here and means like hell when our planes go his way. Our boys are doing a grand job of blasting the hell out of the Germans. When the final tally is added up, the 445th will be just about on top. I'm damn proud of our Group.

Sunday Feb 13<sup>B</sup>

My Darling Sweet Angel Wife!

I did get a wonderful letter from you today and I'm over come'd with joy to night. You are so damn sweet and wonderful. God, I love you so awful much. A lot of excitement happened today around the G-2 office. Lt. Jasoli (my bro). Lt. Meyer and the rest of the intelligence assistant officers made first Lieutenant. That is the rank just a little above PFC. Lt. Meyer acted like a thinned kid and became very big since. Lt. Jasoli was tickled pink, who would be. I thought one Lt. Jones would make Captain today but I was wrong & suppose he will make it in a very short time. Not because he is not an intelligence officer, I really do think he should have the twin bars of a Captain. I like Jones a whole lot even if some times he is a bitleep. I would do just about anything for him. He is well liked by all and has scores of friends. One can't help but to like him with his humor etc. Today was another busy one for us and I didn't get to sleep again because of my duties. I sure do hate to miss sleep but just can't help it for we cannot leave for a

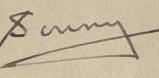
Best I put my water in for my daily or rather mostly shave. The tea pot is in me right now, so I will have to wait awhile. Honey, you should see the "Cens" we have over here, that is, here at Strong Hdg. Isn't this a nice thing to write about. Any way, there were large buckets needed, "Honey Jars" more than fun etc. Ralph and Syre came back from the Paris today and said they had a lot of fun in London. Dick goes out in Paris in the morning. Mine is in a couple of days and I hasn't made up my mind where I'm going. I think that I'll go in alone and try to get away from the Army for 48 hours. Don't think I'll go to London but hasn't made up my mind yet. I'll send you money to you and you should here it real soon. I'll take in a bunch of movies and just fool around & etc. If I go to London, I will take in all of the sights and will tell you all about them. I will buy you some pictures just cards of where ever I go. You said that you would like some. Also I will try to find a little some thing for you but I doubt if I can find what I had before.

Second some times. <sup>G+</sup> This work over here is no damn important and S.T. operates 24 hours a day. I had to do some drafting work for Squadron (701) Operations and it was me hell of a job. I was proud of my work after it was finished for it was damn good. Besides this, I did a lot of other things that are daily routine etc. Also the work that I couldn't leave this afternoon. So you can see, I had another busy day. That's the way I like them, busy as hell in order to make the time fly by. We got a kind of coal to burn and I have a damn good fire going. My office is now as can be right now. I'm all alone in it and can write you without anyone bothering me. Damn, I miss you so awful much and want you more than you know. That's all I can say over and over again. Chair moved out of my office today into the old kit shen, made us into a office. So we have this one to ourselves and plenty of room etc. Lamp, during the day men in and out of here like mad. We have a bus out just in here for the tea wagon. Some one is always gearing out the windows around the time for the wagon to appear.

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we are to do. Our day will soon come and we will have four times as much fun there before. I just you wait and see. Gosh! I love you so awful much and want you more than it is jribble. I hope that you don't miss me as much as I miss you. This is hell being away from you like this. I'm this way away for taking me so far away from you. I want to be with my little wife so awful much and I want to make Jesus feel bad to you. My love for you grows more intense each day and leaps higher and higher. You are so alluring and beautiful. Gosh! I want you so awful much. You belong at my side and a husband should be with his wife at all times. I can't wait until that day of triumph when I'll come home to you. We shall do no thing but live and love. All this fun fun for pleasure will seem like a myth or a bad dream. Oscar is a damn little muttler and comes one out, day in and day out. It is a mystery to him why we are so far apart. Honey, I miss you so damn much and can't wait until I'm with you again.

(2)  
I have a good friend taste for good books and like to broaden my horizons by eye through them. One can learn so many things by reading. It puts some culture into you. Also gives you a large vocabulary and many new ideas. Besides a pleasant way to pass the time. Some people don't enjoy a book or can't read them at all. I feel sorry for them, don't you? I can say that I do like the English style of literature and can not become interested in it at all. I like the American style with a modernized twist to it. Enough about books and literature. So you all went to your old haunts at O'Brien's and was amused by Carrie. Didn't she act really as hell? I heard the long tale of Elmer and his life. He always talked the hell out of me and I was had a great many laughs at his expense etc. What a gang of nutty people hung around that place. That is the juiciest place in the West and all the characters for miles about go there. Remember way back when, we used to go there. I am I wish I could go home to you and do all the wonderful things

In the just few miles <sup>(8)</sup> I have not been in  
the mood for jokes. That is the reason I  
am quiet sending them to you. Perhaps,  
I will think up some more of them in  
time now nite. I will see what I can do.  
Well, my water is getting hot and I  
will prepare to shave. Then will wait out  
for the bunches and the reefs. I like to  
sleep for I can dream of you and make  
silent love to you. Sure, all of my dreams  
will come true and once again I can  
clasp you tightly in my arms. My whole  
fascinated body cries out for your caresses  
and touch. I shun afar the thought of  
all of that beauty takes my love of yours.  
Surely, in plain words, I do you and  
want you no dear much. It is getting late  
now, so I will close. Please don't worry  
about me etc. God bless you my little  
husband of Heaven and loves of genuine infinite  
love. Good night for now, and until  
tomorrow nite —

your Soldier Husband  
 — a kiss  
for you! 

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In my spare minutes (for between) I am  
reading one of the quiet novels you sent  
me. Ellery Queen's "Egyptian Curse"  
mystery. I never did care for his stuff  
before but now I think he is a damn  
good mystery writer. Darling, the next  
batch of books you send me, as if you can  
get a "Pullet Dictionary" for I can use  
one. I always have to borrow Ralph's  
and would like one of my own. See if  
you can find any more books by Raymond  
Chandler or B the guy who writes "The  
Strayre Stories". I like both of the first styles  
of writing. Send me any other "good" books  
that you can find. You know the kind I  
like. I love to read and wish I had more  
time to do so. When my day off comes up  
next week, I'm going to lay around the  
bunches and read all day. So let you  
send me more books real soon. The other  
nite, I was browsing through a book called  
"Get it Verse" by an English Author. Was  
all about the life of a English wife. I didn't  
care for it at all and it wasn't good. No  
dry and wasn't very jazzy as you would think.

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go to town with him real soon. He sent all  
of his money home this month and won't go  
in until sometime next month. So I shall  
go with him next time. He is saving up  
his money so he can get married after the  
war is over. I consider him as my  
best friend ever here and do wish I could  
see him more often than I do. Take of war,  
you don't. I will relate to you all of the things  
I do in my free. Lt. Jones has asked me  
several times why I don't take a gun more  
often. He claims, the change will do me good  
etc. I think he is right, so will take his  
fatherly advice. The Army has the old  
phonograph playing both with a lot of fire.  
We got news records from the Red Cross and  
Special Services. Lt. Jones keeps them in his  
office news broad cast to all the G.I.'s in  
the base. All listen to the latest news. We  
get all the red hot news each day and give  
a censored digest to the Army. Some times I  
try to prepare some program but Lt. Jones  
writes his own script most of the time. He is  
marrying to night about the fact of no mail  
from his little waitress as he calls her.

Monday Feb 1st '14

My Darling Sweet Angel Wife!

Four delicious letters from  
you today and I'm delirious as can be tonight.  
Dad you are so wonderful and I love you  
so damn much. Besides the wonderful letters,  
also received the picture from. God, tears  
filled my eyes when I saw it. I am I love  
you so awful much and miss you more than  
you know. I shall carry that photo around  
with me all of the time. Thanks a million  
buck. Each time I look at how happy we  
were in that photo my eyes close up and  
I choke back the tears. I was sitting here in  
Lt. Jones office reading your letters and when  
I found the picture, I had to leave in order  
to be alone. I've showed it off to every one  
and I just can't keep my eyes off of you.  
Please have another set of our wedding  
pictures made and send them to me. They  
don't have to be enlarged, I just want a copy  
of them to carry around with me. Also, have  
some new ones made of yourself. God! I  
miss you so damn much and want you more  
than words can express. You are all I care

(3)  
I am writing this desk in room 6 tonight  
because need illiterate job. Doctor, let me  
go out while I was away this afternoon.  
It's damn if I hold another one to night. So  
I will share the warmth of Ralph's office.  
Dieb and Co. left for London this morning  
and I hope we all are sound as hell right  
now. I just hopped another bus while he  
was there. Ralph said, I just wanted to  
take in "Piccadilly Companys" for his  
friends but he talked him out of it. You know  
Spira and the way he chores the gals. He is  
a Romeo, so he thinks, and has to take care  
of all the women. You know the sort of things  
he gets. etc. All of us will tell Ralph until it  
go around with him for he is running that  
bus. Leaching him bad habits, such as drinking  
and this cutting etc. But Ralph thinks Spira  
is a big operator and likes him. God knows why.  
As I said before, Spira is a bit evil towards  
me, as if I give a damn, I was talking to Ed  
at the news hall tonight and he goes to see  
his gal friend a couple times a week. I think  
less of Ed now for what he is doing. Sure to  
be rather fond of him and all of that. Also was  
about in the hall with Ed's mom. He wants me to

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alot and want in their world. I belong to  
you and should be at your side this very  
second. Why don't you write Uncle and explain  
that you need me more than he does. I keep  
telling that at the office but they grin and  
let me in the back and run. "There are  
rough in the ETO." Then I punch out ice  
and beat my head with a brick bat. Same old  
thing routine today, just like all the others  
days. I am going to turn the day after tomorrow  
and it will be a damn good change for me. As far  
as I know, I am going alone. I am going mainly  
to send raid green backs to you. Honey, I just  
had a frequent idea, why don't you buy you  
self a Easter hat fit with the dough I send you  
Hows bout that! So ahead and do that for I can  
bare a lot moreough for our pot for days  
to come. Let me know what you think about this  
idea. I think it is a damn good idea, no doubt.  
Darling, I shall rush you like a private when  
I come home to you. I shall leap at you the  
minute I see you. So good! Lord Cent! I presume  
you feel the same way that I do. Wow! what a  
wonderful affair that will be. Your husband  
husband can hardly wait and no feeling. If  
you only knew how much I want you!

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to be free from the <sup>(6)</sup> unbearable pain of separation  
from you. To cast aside this uniform and  
belongings and to don civilian clothing and  
happiness were the things I went. To live  
in the peace and security of your arms. I  
depend on you for no many things. Honey, life  
is at a stand still now and I'm awaiting  
the cause. You are my life and I need you  
more than my next breath. There isn't a  
thing in this world that can compare to  
marriage love. I wish I could convey my  
thoughts to you verbally and not by this  
method. I am full of being aabolist  
and want to be with you. This no person  
away from you is too much to bear. I  
want to another your heavenly lips with  
kisses of passion. My life was scattered like  
dust we parted in droves. I'm half alive and  
can't wait until I'm with you again.  
I have the vision of you locked up in the  
bastille of my mind and you never leave  
my thoughts for a second. I have to combat  
this blunders or else I will break down. I  
shall eat you alive like a cannibal. Be prepared  
for the wildest and wildest love making you  
a ever man.

but now I do. I can say this much for  
the army, it has broaden my scope of  
knowledge in a mental way. One can't  
help it you know. When I come home I will  
appreciate all of the things that I miss so  
dearly. You have no idea of the many  
things you miss till you take for granted  
before. The army has taught me life and in  
turn has made me appreciate you more.  
It has taught me just how much I need  
and love you. I love you so dear much and  
just can't wait until you are tightly  
clasped between my arms. Did you ever think  
if we are no crazy about each other living  
this barren seem life of being with each  
other only part of the time and not free, what  
will it be like when we are to settle all of the  
time. I can't wait until we can indulge  
into real married life and share all the  
happiness and love life it was meant to be.  
What a joyful life we will live it will be when  
I step off that horses saddle into your  
waiting arms. Can't you just see all the  
honor and happiness that is to be yours?  
Once again to call my and my own and

(8)  
Sun you wondering curios if a husband  
will be in his way back home to his little  
wife. I long for my little Southern Belle  
and want her something awful. You are my  
wall of fire and my reason for living.  
Honey, the time is late and I must close.  
All I can say is that I love you and  
a due you. This dear war will end soon  
and all of us will be in 25-ist. Oh! Happy  
Day. Give my love and regards to your  
family etc. Thanks again for sending me  
that wonderful picture. I can never  
thank you enough for becoming my  
dear little wife. I shall make up this last  
time and live. Good night you darling hands  
of heaven. I shall hold you in my arms  
again, to night in my dreams. Keep you  
dear little chin up and please don't  
worry about me. God bless you my  
little counsel and loads of love. I can  
never express how much I love you, my  
beautiful little Angel.

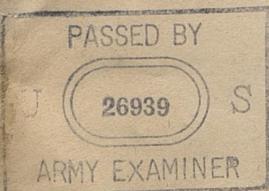
Be his for you!

Your Soldier Husband

Jimmy

(9)  
Darling, I tell here the knife I bought you  
and will bring it home to you. I can't find  
a suitable box to send it in and we have to  
go through no damn much red tape to send  
anything home. Besides, I'm afraid that  
it will get lost and I paid a good price for  
it. So will bring it to you. I'm all broken  
off at the fact all the other things I sent to  
you never came through. Damn, that troubles  
me no awful mad. To tell with this ill gotten  
metal system. Darling, I would give anything  
to just glimpse your beautiful face.  
My whole body cries out for the want of you  
and you love. If you could only see the  
gleam of happiness in my eyes. I've been  
with love for you and act like a mad man.  
Just you wait and see. Gosh! I love you so  
damn much. You are a necessity in my life  
and you so necessary. Darling, you asked if  
I've changed in any way. You must see  
a change, being in this damn country so long.  
Don't worry. I hasn't changed any way about  
you only for the fact I love you more and more.  
I mean, I've changed in a mature sort of  
way. I used to not really study things out

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much. I would even let you sleep with my ears. I always used to act like I didn't like it but I was only fooling you. You could find me well out of them if I were only with you right now. See how much I miss you. We did so many silly, unseful things and I miss them. No two other people has ever had as much fun as we and have done silly things like we do. I can't wait until we can take up where we left off. I'm looking forward to lots of fun and four times as much. I'm mailing a picture you, one ~~particular~~ continually good time and fun. I shall have to stop for awhile and you'd get a couple of these stories. Then I will go on with my letter to you. I suppose we shall write rather late tonight in order to get all of them out. I will finish this letter if it takes me all night to do so. All I can say is that I love you so unfeul much and adore you. You are so wonderful and beautiful. I carried around our picture all day long and have it with me now.

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My Darling Sweet Angel wife!

I didn't have any <sup>such</sup> mail from you today for I didn't get any from you. I did receive two letters one from Mom and one from Val. Val said the same old line of stuff that he always does. All about watching and getting out of details etc. It must be one big gold brick at that. Darling, I went to the movies tonight and saw Red Skelton in "Whistling in Brooklyn" and I thought it was funny as hell. This was the first up to date movie that we've had over here. I really enjoyed it and hope we have more of them. You know how much I like to go to the movies. It is rather late because I went to the show, so please excuse the condition of this no called writing. I finally made up my mind and I'm going back to Cambridge tomorrow with Jimmy Dunn. He is a S.T. man in the 700 Sqd and is one of the best that Harry around & with us. I wouldn't have much fun going in there by myself and thought it best I would go with him. I shall send you money from there, so be in the bank out first. Honey, I will miss a couple of days writing to you while I'm out overseas and feel bad about that. I will make up for it when I come

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after. Dear, I were so with the mail man  
had a letter from you today for me. Even if it  
was very a short note. I suppose to men, just  
because I'm not in a gass, I will  
get loads of mail from you and the rest of  
the jobs ago you all sent. So have Ralph to  
take care of all my mail that I get etc. He  
will bring up my jobs ago (if I get any)  
and will look them in the safe so we can  
steal them back into them. All I can say  
is that I love you so damn much and just  
adore you. You know how I feel about you  
without me telling you all of the time. I  
know that you like for me to say it over and  
over again like I hear you. Honey, when they  
bin in Clinch in the mornin. I want to  
break it up. If I can't kiss you, no one else  
can kiss. God, I want you so damn much,  
in fact, my tongue is being my out. If I  
want you so much. If I could only be with  
you right now. While I'm not in gass, I  
will get a hair cut that I need so damn bad.  
I always just get a trim and leave my  
hair rather long the way you like it.  
Dear make sure you never wanted me to  
have it cut? God, I miss you so damn

(2)  
about by giving you a full account of the  
things that we do. I know we will go to the  
Red Cross and I shall write you a few lines from  
there. The only trouble is, that we can't mail  
our letters anywhere except on the bus, as  
you know. So it will be a slight delay. I don't  
think you will even notice it for the mail  
system is all screwed up any way. To day,  
I did a lot of work for H. Jones for driving in my  
line where all caught up. Dick is not in gass  
and Ralph is very behind in his work. So I  
helped him out of the hole he was in. The  
job mainly typing up a lot of stories that  
hers to be into higher H. Day in the next few  
days. So we have quite a few to bring out  
before the milt is over. To night we are in the  
alert but won't have to work on street. So we'll  
bring out all of these stories that must be  
in at once if not sooner. I think H. Jones  
was a bit slowed off of the fact I worked for  
H. Jones most of the day. He wasn't a damn  
thing to do in our office. Sgt. Dandy worked  
last night and wasn't here to day. Will be ever  
dies is need and mess around all day long.  
I do most of the work anyway. I like to help  
out H. Jones when ever I can and do no

Dar, it is late as hell right now and I can't  
say that I'm a bit sleepy. Rest you get all the  
sleep that you can for when I come home, look  
out. Reminds me of the joke about the bride. A  
friend asked her if her husband snored. She  
replied she didn't know for they had been  
married only three days. (Whig hwy 1912)

Dearie, do you remember any more or have you  
but the last twice I've been away. I shall  
rite up yours again like I used to do etc. And,  
I got all hot and bothered thinking about  
all the wonderful things we used to do. I was  
talking to Hugh a little while this morning  
and also Bob Grayham. I hasn't seen Jimmy  
long in a long time and wonder what goes with  
him. He said that he was changed and now is  
quite as hell. As I've said before, this country  
changes a lot of feelings etc. Dar, the C. &  
was let the fire die out and it is colder than  
an old maid here in Major Kibb's office.  
I'm taking the liberty to use the good Major's  
desk to write you. By the way, the show was  
real ~~now~~ crowded tonight and we had to  
stand up. Some tall guy was standing in  
front of me, blocking the view. So I moved

away from him. Really, I don't care about  
a damn thing but you. Can you understand  
just how I feel? I'm just lost without you  
you and don't see how I can stand to be  
away from you much longer. Dar, I just  
adore you beyond words. I hope you can't tell  
my letters around the same each night. I can't  
help it, if I say these things over and over. Soon  
it will be Spring, but not to me as long as  
you are so far away. Spring is time for  
happiness and here just like summer is. I  
feel like fall or winter because you aren't near.  
By the way, here is Sam's affair going there  
day. He should give up and start all over  
again, I think that is such a crazy damn  
affair and get a boy out of all the things you  
tell me about them. Keep me informed of all the  
latest developments in regard romance. Tell  
woman to write me a short note now time  
and to ~~get~~ him all about his girls etc. What  
a lousy mustache! I wonder if he takes it from  
his oldest sister? Do you know that he and I  
used to go with got married - namely you.  
Thanks again for saying yes when I posed the  
big question. I'm such a lucky guy to have  
you for my wonderful little wife.

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a bit in order to see. I was who it was. yes!  
Major Stewart. Can you imagine him going  
to the movies when he played in so many.  
I guess he likes them just like any one  
else does. I see him a whole lot in my mind  
and talk to him some times. You know would  
like to talk to him, wouldn't you? Well, Angel,  
best I try to get some sleep for the big game  
tomorrow, so I will probably be laid out for  
now. I shall be thinking of you all the  
while I'm out on the field. just like I always  
do. Be on the look out for the dough I'm  
sending to you tomorrow. Pay yourself a  
visit to the store now. Pay yourself a  
visit to the store now. I know how you like  
new clothes. Tell Mom, I did not get to  
see her tonight etc. I may have a little  
time early in the morning but I doubt it  
very much. I'll write Angel and I'll write  
you in our dreams in a few minutes. Good  
night and lots of love, my little darling  
Bless you and love you more than  
any words. I love you and want you more than  
any words.

Atkins for you!

You Soldier Husband

Dinner

(4)  
Well, I just finished three more of the stories  
and a little while ago, went to midnite show.  
Dinner and I are going to stay up here at the  
office all night, to be sure we are awake in time to  
catch our train in the morning. We have a couple  
more to type out, then we will get some shut eye.  
You see, there are some swell chairs here that you  
can adjust the back and make it almost like a  
bed. Also some blankets. We shall sleep by a  
nice hot fire and really will be more comfortable  
than in the bunks. So it's not bad at all, as  
you can see. It is now after 1 am and I'm still  
writing stories. God, I love you so much  
and just can't wait until I'm home with you  
again. You know how much I miss you for you  
feel the same way. I shall see a whole bunch of  
books in my purse and will eat like a horse etc.  
I will also set you some pictures post cards that  
you asked for and anything else that I can  
find for you. Damn. I wish I was going out on  
a bus to see you instead of this bleeks, damn,  
damn, English trains. I'm not a bit annoyed  
about going to turn or any of that sort of thing.  
all I care about is to be with you and to get  
this damn thing over with. I just love you so  
awful much. But I can't get interested in any

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