

ST. CATHERINE CHURCH  
NEW HAVEN, KENTUCKY

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A/C/ George. W. Canary  
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Army Air Forces Classification Center  
San Antonio, Texas.

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ST. CATHERINE'S CHURCH,  
NEW HAVEN, KY.

Sunday Afternoon

Dear Son:

Thinking of you and just finished  
LeVerns Christman wrapping a littel gift a locket  
with your picture in it thought you like that how a  
bout it Son, I am goininh oin Monday and will  
see your Dad and Mother and then I write you Tuesday.

Love <sup>aa</sup>

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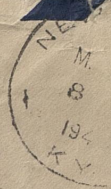
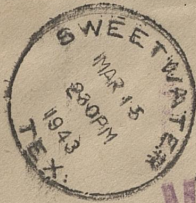
Monday the 14th Of Dec is Dear Mamma birthday  
she be 77 years old Sonny.

She pray hard for you and all that know you are  
So be brave Sonny and aboover be good.

Your Old Sis.

ST. CATHERINE'S CHURCH  
NEW HAVEN, KENTUCKY

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To avoid delay in delivery, advise your correspondents of your complete Military Address.

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New Haven, Ky,

March 11<sup>th</sup> 1943

My Dear Sonny;

Just wondering how you are and if all is coming along well for you,

I was talking to Mary over the phone yesterday and she had received your letter.

How is LeVern tell her I think of her often and think she is just a good soldier to because she has made the good grade by staying out in Texas,

We are having cold weather here and today lots of rain

I sometimes wonder if Joe in Atlanta will have to get in to service they say all men married or not will be in by summer.

Father Nephew is in Atlanta by now we have not had his address from there so far.

Lent is here and glad we will not have to fast this so tell LeVern to eat all she can because she needs it for strength.

I think your Mother is house cleaning and having some papering done, but she did say she was going to Mass every morning this year for your Int.

Well Sonny be sure of my prayers always and be good I am sure you are for God has been good to you so far.

Love to LeVern and your self, Yours Sis.



E. V. McMahon  
New Haven, Ky.

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St Patricks Nite. March 17th 1954 New Haven, Ky,

Dear Sonny:

I called your mother a littel while ago and she tells me that LeVerne is comming back well that is good,

Sonny I am sure glad that you are not in the ait for tw reasons your Mother has worried so much about it and to I jave just wondered how you would make it,

Be brave now and God will help ypu on with this new place dont stop your prayers they will help you,

It is hard to be with out LeVerne but she can go back after you get sette :led again, She will be just as lomesome as you will be but she is yours now so you have lots to be brave now about so try hard and not worrie,

I have had a very sore toe but it is better I wonder if you will be send tp Florda that would be good are I hope some place even closer.

Roberet Gettelfinger was home for 3 days he is now in Atlanta Ga. flying the ferrying planes that carry equipment he is not a first class piolet I think,

He gave his girl a dimond ring while home guess he will get married on his next trip home, You know Sonny he is a big strong man has seeneall kinds of hardships,

The Atlanta Joe and Nancy would love for you to get near to them.

All are well your mother has been house claening and your Dad was a sleep Monday when I was in, Sonny I start writtig you often now so long and dont worrie, let us do that for you, God Bless you Sis.



E. V. McMahon  
New Haven, Ky,

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St. Catherine's Church

New Haven, Kentucky

May 13th 1943

Dear Sonny:

I have been wanting to write you but just put it off,  
How ~~ae~~ you I was in to see your Mother last week and  
LeVern was ther with her, She spends 2 nits and 2 days  
each week with your Mother,

Only one Good Mother for every one of us and how littel  
we think of them when they are living, we just go on thinking  
O that is Mom she do all that ,

Well last Sunday was Mothers day and I asked her out to see me  
I dont think your Mother is as we ll as she could be, I notice she  
has a coufg and I worrie about her, she has always keep you and  
your Dad well but never thinks of her self,

I made a trip to see Joe and Nancy Johnie is sure getting big and  
at last putting on some weight. Brothet is wearing glasses and he to  
looks well, Mary Janic made fer First Communion and she is realy  
very pretty, Ellen is sweet to. Jeff and Margeret have bought a very  
pretty new home near St. Josephs Infirmary and I am fagid littel Jimmie  
and Jeffie will reck the place they are sure wild,

Mary is feeling better again sure to bad she had to go back to bed again  
write her when you have the time, I hope you will soon get to come home  
and see all of us, it will do you good and most of all LeVern will be  
happy, she is a very nive girl and not so spoild and thinks money comes off  
trees, I guess her people know the value of money for they are like our sels  
have had to work hard to keep things goining, that makes us all good,  
go to Mass and pray all you can. in close is a smoke a doller.

Old Sis.



ST. CATHERINE'S CHURCH  
NEW HAVEN, KENTUCKY



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June 22nd 1943

Love from your old country Sis/

Dear Sonny.

My that was a grand letter from you yesterday you can sure type O. K., Hope you will get home real soon I went to Mass to day for you,

And I shall pray hard that you will soon get a ferglore.

Yeas I see your dear good Mother and old Dad real often but have not see littel LeVern for a while,

In close fänd a smoke for your self.

Old Bozo is dead had something the matter and oass into doy heaven Easter,

Fathet si fine and all the young men are gohefrom this place and the girls are leaving to getting work in Louisville,

June is expecting in the fall and she is very happy she gets to her from her husband in the land of Europ some place real often.

I hate to think of you goining over.

Sonny I send your letter to Atlanta they are fine,

Mary is better and prayes for you every day.

Your Mothet and Dada are fine and Levern also she is with your Mother often I shall take her to a show and we will have dinner togeather soon,

Yeas I want you and her to come out to spend some time with me,



Postmarked New Haven, Ky

Saturday Jan 2nd 1943

My Dear Sonny:

I was so glad to get your letter this past week and to that you had a nice Holy Xmas. To Mid Nite Mass I have always wanted to go to one,

I was in to see Your Dad and Mother and Katie New Year day and they were very happy all over you picture and reading your letter also.

It is surely lovely that you are so happy and I can know the feeling you had at Mass on Xmas thinking of home.

New Years day Father and I put June on the train for Washing state she is still riding to marry to Joe I hope she will settle down and be a good wife I worry sometimes about her.

LeVern gave me two pretty handkerchiefs for Xmas and a Card I hope you and she will be happy if you marry and if its Gods will that all will come out happy for you and she,

I wish I could make the trip with your Dad and Mother that is going to be a fine visit for them so Sonny try to have a place for them to go to when they come. that is if you can.

I will send you money by your Mother so you can get what ever you want to when LeVern comes.

Helen Mullaney is getting married Saturday at Christ the King Church to a soldier she met at Ft Knox.

Wish I was young again I get me a husband believe it or not. K

Be sure and look at my Picture every day and say Old Sis. thanks for your nice picture Sonny it is so good of you and I shall take good care of it,

Have some papers I am mailing you soon  
Love and God Bless you Sis.

Sonny I always say my prayers for you and if you are busy I shall not feel bad if you can not write me.  
Love Sister.



Jan 13 th 1943

Dear Sonny;

Your letter came to me to day I am goining in to morrow to see your Mother & Dad and will write you a long letter when I returne to the Big New Haven,

In closed find the Madel I had you inrolled with Glad you are making the grade so well. No news from June hope she dont run off and not get married Ha. Ha.

Now yuu tell the boys that ask about my picture that is your real good looking Old Main Aunt now you here me.

Be Good Sonny and remember I go to Mass every Morning Just for You Loev Sis.