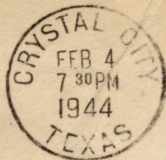


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January 31, 1954

Dearest Yuri

It's about time I write, ne? We arrived here in one piece but we were certainly tired. Mom was too tired and was hospitalized the day after arriving here. Her heart was in a bad shape and the doctors were rather concerned over her condition. She has a female doctor from Hawaii. Very good too. Mom's heart's much better now. I'll come home soon, we hope.

This camp's smaller than Amache. The people are all friendly but I miss you all a lot. The food's ample and good. I hope to regain my old health. Right now I find myself working too hard. I have to cook 3 meals a day which is quite an ordeal. However, it's good experience for me.

We have 2 units about the size of unit A. We can get an apartment with partitions but the floor is cement which we don't like. Our barracks are new so it's o.k. Wood floors, too.

I'm trying to squeeze in a lot of news in 35 lines. The hospital here is smaller but the staff's more efficient and much kinder. There aren't many patients so I guess the doctors aren't overworked as in the Centers. The Bldg is similar to the one in Amache. We get linen, kitchen utensils, dishes and clothes. We got 6 clothing today. You should see my shoes. Slightly large. I should have gotten my regular size but I got a size larger. We get our linens laundered which saves me work.

The most unusual thing is that we go to shop at the market daily. We get tokens and do our own marketing. So the food we eat is what we really like. It's fun and life here wouldn't be bad if there were more kids my age.

We have many friends here tho'. Quite a few of the Peruvian Japanese knew my Dad. They aren't bad and as uneducated as we were told. They're very nice and helpful to us. One family already seems like old time friends.

SB wrote regarding Joyce. I'm happy to hear that things worked out well. I hope you aren't the one to carry most of my case load. My regards to Wak Sally, Dick and Mr. Marumi. Can't write to all as I wish.

Love

Mitsuko (Nahamune)

