

**AIR MAIL**

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Sayuri Inouye

Dear children  
Sayuri and Masako:

I guess you don't worry anything if you entirely know your daddy. I quite believe that you two are very nice and have been good to your mother since I last saw you. Here, Sayuri, if you study hard on your lessons I sure will promise you to send a good gift on Christmas Eve. Tell and ask mother what you like to have and let me know, Santa Claus will gladly bring it to you from me.

Well, Masako, you go to bed early every night and have a good sleep. Good sleep makes you grow fast and big, if you try to be that nice, Santa Claus might bring something to

you from me on Christmas Eve.

Give my good regard and tell them that your daddy is all right out there and tell them that they don't need to worry. I wish you tell these words to Mr. Hayashi and Mr. Kogawa. Don't forget it, will you?

You will be surprised at when we next time see each other after my hard job ends, because while working here we sing a song and have a good exercise with a nice food. I will be fatter than before.

Tell mother that I need a pant of deep blue which we put on when we work on farming.

Be very good and happy!

I am yours

Tatsuo Inayoshi