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Friday
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My Darling wife,

Well here I am again
and pray that all is well
dear. How are you and the
baby? Pray that all is
well my dear. Everything
with me is alright now
except that I miss you.

Well it will be exactly
two weeks ago that I left
there and yet it seems
ages ago. Sure do pray
that I can get to come
on a furlough soon dear.
I am sure looking forward
to that day.

Well hon I sure do wish
that all this war and
everything would end
soon so that I can come
home for good. You mean
so much to me dear.

We are all through
with cleaning the barracks
and tomorrow another
inspection again. Yep
for all this is really
getting the best of me.
I am sure hoping and
praying that I'll be
assigned to some unit
soon so I'll know what
is what. It really isn't
any fun going from
one place to another
and each time one moves
one has to make new
friends all over again.

Well dearest how is
your fingers these days?
Sure hope that they are
getting better now. It
really must feel terrible
to have a sore of that
type eh. Pray that it
will get well soon my
love.

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See how I hope that
you were able to find
me a pen. I hate writing
with a pencil for some
reason or another. Oh well
if you can't find one
than I guess it'll have
to do.

See how I haven't rec-
ieved my suitcase and
bags as yet. They may
be lost and they may have
sent them to you cause
I put the address there
for an return address.
Well any loop I'm going
to get some more cloths
issued about Monday so
I guess its alright. How
if you should get the
bags I want you to
keep the suitcase and
all that in it. Just
send my barracks bag.

Dearest I'm going to
close for tonight but
will write soon again.
I've got to take a shower
and shave and etc. Please
forgive me for writing
such a short letter my
dear.

Pauline and I are always think-
ing of you, Yuri, and
maybe another. You know?
Please take the best of
care of yourself and Yuri
my dear. Love and miss
you both.
Love you sweetheart.

Always Yours,
Hubby Alvin