

THURSDAY  
8:30 PM

JUNE 27, 1946

DEAR MOM AND POP,

I'M BACK AT THE CAMP AT CASTELFIORENTINO. OUR TRUCK BROKE DOWN YESTERDAY AFTERNOON SO WE HAD TO BRING THE TRUCK INTO LEGHORN. IT WAS FINISHED THIS AFTERNOON SO WE DROVE BACK TO CAMP. WE'LL LEAVE TOMORROW MORNING AND COME BACK ON SUNDAY. I FOUND FOUR LETTERS AND THE HAT I ASKED FOR, WHEN I CAME BACK. THE LETTERS HAD SOME SNAPSHOTS OF YOU, TO-CHAN AND TOKIE IN IT. THANKS VERY MUCH. I ENJOY SEEING YOUR PICTURES.

WE FOUND ONE BODY UP IN THE MOUNTAINS THE DAY BEFORE YESTERDAY. IT WAS INCOMPLETE. NO SKULL OR IDENTIFICATION SO WE DON'T KNOW WHO IT IS. WE KNOW IT'S A AMERICAN SOLDIER BECAUSE WE FOUND THE UNIFORM NEAR BY. WE JUST FOUND A COUPLE OF BONES LEFT. WE'RE GOING BACK UP THE MOUNTAINS TOMORROW AGAIN WITH SOME ITALIAN GUIDES.

I'M SENDING A REQUEST AGAIN.

I REQUEST YOU TO SEND ME SOME MAGAZINES AND CANDY.

THE HAT YOU SENT ME FITS OK. IT CAME JUST IN TIME BECAUSE WE'RE WEARING NOTHING BUT SUNTANS THESE DAYS. IT'S TOO HOT TO WEAR ANY OTHER TYPE OF CLOTHES. I HOPE YOU'RE HAVING THE SAME KIND OF GOOD WEATHER THAT WE'RE HAVING.

IN THE SNAPSHOTS YOU SENT, BOY, YOU SURE GOT FAT, DID'NT YOU. YOU BETTER WATCH WHAT YOU EAT, LADY. POP LOOKS FINE AS USUAL. HE DIDN'T GAIN OR LOSE ANY WEIGHT. SAY HELLO TO TOKIE FOR ME AND ALL MY FRIENDS.

WELL, THIS IS ABOUT ALL FOR TODAY SO MORE THE NEXT TIME,



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