

Dear Masako:

It was surely nice to hear from you. So sorry you lost your Dad, but still glad he was not allowed to suffer for a long ~~long~~ time.

Had a nice letter from the Dupress' there in White Center. They used to have the only dry goods store there. They were talking about how much everything had changed up. They said "only the weather stays the same". I guess that is true most everywhere. Today is cloudy. It rained some, sleeted some, and out of town a little ways it snowed some. They say it is going to be cold tonight.

Dick is here for awhile. He lives in Maryland, but he is here polishing up on the kind of work his Dad does. He used to help him when he was at home but he has been away from it for a lot of years. But he is polishing up on Locksmithing<sup>now</sup>. His family is still in Maryland. His wife teaches. He has a boy of 10, and a girl going on 12. Jim + Walter may be here sometime during the holiday season. Jim will probably be here this week end. He lives in Dallas. Walter in Monroe La. Bryan is in Galveston in his 3rd yr med. school. Betty is in San Jose California teaching vocational nursing.

yes, I'll sure remember you when we get some pictures made. We have been talking about it but it seems that as far as we have got. We stay so busy all the time, but we will get stopped some of these days.

Have you ever seen my niece out there. She is Gloria Wales, 4128 So. 130<sup>th</sup> St. there in Seattle. Her phone no is CH 2-1807 (unless it has been changed) She lives with a lady by the name of Vidin. I can't remember Mrs. Vidin. Gloria's mother (my sister Susie) died when Gloria was 10. She died just before Christmas so Susie had made arrangements for her to live with Mrs. Vidin. Gloria graduated from High School last June. I think she is working now.

I told Gloria about you & she said she would try to call you. I believe that Gloria is a nice girl. We have talked to her on the phone a few times. Sure even you could get acquainted with her.

Hope you have a good year, next year.  
Love.

Eunice & Bill Liston