

9-16-43

Dear Mom,

Got your letter today & was glad to hear from you.

Mom, you are right, I sure miss those pork chops. You really could cook them. P

Dad told me about you being sick. I'm glad she's about you. She really is a swell kid. I miss her, too. I just hope I can see her soon. I will if my Furlough comes up next month & we're

here but I'll sooner
be up there. Some
day this war will
be over I'll see
more of her. Detroit
isn't so far & trans-
portation is good
between the 2 cities.

Well, I guess you'll
get used to missing
La Verne. I guess
when Danny goes
over it will sort
of kill her but I
hope she takes it
O.K. We all have to go
someday.

Well, I guess I
won't catch so much
K.P. for a while. I'm

all thru with my
punishment. I'll
definitely stay out the
ball now. I've made a
lot of dishes yet.

We might come
back to Lou. in a
couple of months or
sooner. I hope we
do.

Tell Norman's school
is a good place. He
keeps out of trouble
there. Hope he isn't
like me. I'm always
in a mess.

Say hello to George

& take care of yourself.
Well, I guess I'll
close. Love,
Val

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my life except been around.
and [redacted] up books in the
army and out. She should
have some nice young finks like
that guy Bill. I won't be worth
a [redacted] when I go home. I'm not
going to even attempt to do anything.
I'm going to cook up some kind
of a racket like Neafie had at
the beach. I'll make enough
money to buy beer what I want.
In the winter I'll hit Florida
like I did before. If we hit
home at the same time, God help
Spring Lake and poor Benny if he
is around. I often think of the
good times you and I have had.
If I could only get some of that
fun now.

Well, Dick, I must say
so long so be good and lets
hear from you soon.

Best Wishes

Dave

August 12, 1942 ^J

Dear Dick,

I received your
letter of June 12th the other
nite. It sure was good to
hear from you again. You and
Walt are the only people that
write anymore except my re-
lations.

You seem to be doing
pretty well for yourself. Keep
it up, get all you can. They
don't pass much out over here.
I hope you never have to
leave the states. I his life is
not much to brag about. I'm
so sick of it and disgusted
I don't care about anything.
Now while I thought a lot
about getting back home but
one place is as good as another

after a while. When I do get back look out. I'm going to have me a time.

I had a letter from my cousin Jack Boyle he is in the Army now. I hope get everybody.

My mother tells me there is an officer somewhere Thomas is a staff Sgt. I hope all seem to be doing ok. I haven't heard from any of them and don't expect to.

I had a letter from my brother. He has been doing well at his new job. He met some girl that seems to interest him greatly. He ought to get married. Maybe he is by now for all I know. I wouldn't be surprised. When it does happen nobody will know about it. That's the way he is.

My love life is nil. We can't get out to get at any of this stuff but there is plenty of it here I guess I forgot to tell you I'm in Sicily now. I'm glad to get out of Africa even though this isn't much better. I was saying some of these Sicilian tomatoes are ok. If we can get loose in town there should be some fun.

I had a few letters from Betty when I was in Africa. It's been quite awhile ago. I haven't heard from her since so I suppose someone has stepped in. It's just as well maybe, although I thought more of her than any girl I ever knew. You can't blame her though I do. I had no business taking up her time to begin with. I haven't done much in

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DATE: 10-10-55

TO: Mrs. Bredbridge

FROM: Nelson Huff, Essie

SUBJECT: Blevins and Mary Huff
Photographs of his father and
mother. Mrs. B. spent the night with
this family on her first trip to this
area. He wants Mrs. B. to have these
pictures. He would love to come over
for a visit with Mrs. B. sometime, but
can't come today. He has a young wife
and baby in Hyden Hospital now. His w
wife was Fannie Whitehead, a former ma
with the Service. He cautioned "not t
Mash the pictures, or put fingers on
them, the oil might not be dry. The
baby's name is Curtis E. named for
its uncle Curtis Hull. He says Mrs. B
will know the names of all his family.

Picture of Conference Rally



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Painting by George Scott
Eye Witness - France*

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Howdy Bub!

Got your big V-mail the other day and really got a bang out of same. Best that you keep me well supplied with mail and I'm not kidding. Once again, I'm holding down the job of charge of quaters (C Q) and more dam fun. As you know, this is a all nite detail etc.

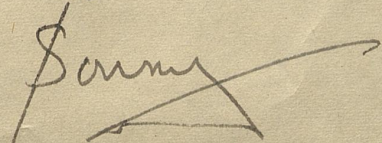
My jobs have been changed again, and once again, I'm a big time operator in the aircraft recognition line. My job is too know and teach the difference in a pea shooter and a box car, ours and the dam Germans.

Brother, as a ~~artist~~ artist you have no equal and I'm not joshing. You cad, are you taking good care of my little wife for me? Best that you do or else I will ~~make~~ make with the bumps on your head.

I hear through the grape vine that you are suppose to be a lover. You are a Bounder and the only reason the gals flock around you is for the fact that you are the only rare ----- in captivity.

Seriously, thanks a lot for the mail and do keep it up, for I love to hear from you. I have to cut this one short for I have to get on the ball. Write real soon.

Your Soldier Brother
Sonny

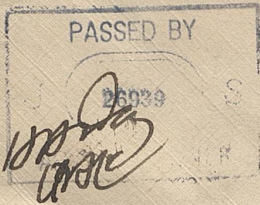


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May 1944

Here's a bit of corn in the way of a poem
and a ham drawing. More to come if you so
order it.---- Yes _____ or No _____ ????????????



Poem of the Day (says here)

Gee, but it would be a nice thing,
If I could be a dog tag on a string.
Why I'd be as happy as all heck,
Just to hang from a WACs neck.

Stinkie as hell don't ya think?