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To the sweetest girl in this whole wide world. My adorable wife.

Yes dearest, it's me again. And darling I'm more in love with you than ever. Oh dearest I'm so in love with you. I just can't wait for the day till I get home again to my little mama. And honey, it's going to take more than a war to take me away from you again. Oh honey, I'm so happy because I have you for my life's companion. I'm so in love with you darling.

Honey, you should see my platoon C.P. now. My Sgt. & I have a room in a house for our beds. And we have a bed with 4 mattresses in it. And one of them is a feather tick. So we can sleep comfortably for awhile anyway. Also my runner & platoon guide have a bed & the aid man has to sleep on the floor, but on a mattress. So you see dear we now have it's good moments too. We

try to enjoy ourselves once in a while.
Remember honey when we were
at Sid, how we used to call the
artillery the "boom boom" boys. Well
over here they are doing a fine job.
We'd be fat if we didn't have one
attached to us over here. And the same
for the air corps. When we see our
planes come over our moral ~~remained~~
is plenty. I can see now that we
are one big team. But honey it's not doughboys
who actually sent out the enemy. We are
still the Queen of battle & I'm glad I'm
part of it too.

Honey, I have a bunch of boys in
my platoon who are from Chey. And so
we get together & talk over old times
together. And dear I have a fine
bunch of men under me too. We are
all here for the same cause & we know

it.

Well sweetheart, what are you doing these days? Taking care of Mitzie & guess when I get home honey, will put it down in my blue darenput & just love and talk. And maybe I might tell you some of my experiences too. But honey, we have lots & lots of lost time I long to make up for. Honey, I'm just going to love you to pieces. See honey, but I love you so very much. Wish I could be with you right now.

Well dearest, I'd better close now. So darling goodbye & honey remember always that I'm so very much in love with you heart & soul. And when our day comes again, well pick up right where we left off. Tell Pop hello & get Mitzie for me honey.

PS Love & kisses
honey

Your loving husband
Jim