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UNITED STATES ATLANTIC FLEET AMPHIBIOUS TRAINING BASE Little Creek, Virginia Sunday 24 December 1944 Pearest Darling-Hi Honey howe all my wonderful family this christmas Eve. Sure wish I was with you. Ive been listening to the radio all day and all those songe sure bring memories to me Last night after I wrote you. I mode my cotup and loy lown and listened to the radio until about 1 oclock. There was sure beautiful songs. after hearing are mario I went peacefully asleep and woke up about 6:30. We didn't do much today. nobody felt

much like working after linner I had the afternoon off so I undressed and laid down and as I loy there I thought of those other Sunday afternoons when I used to doze off and how you would come in and awaken me for suffer. In waiting for all that to really hoppen to me again someday. I awoke about 4 o'clock and worked up and went to 5 o'clock mass and then went to the movie. Then came down to the office and visited and sløged penockle until it was time to go to midnight mass. So I'll finish this when I come back.

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[[Letterhead: UNTIED STATES ATLANTIC FLEET AMPHIBIOUS TRAINING BASE Little Creek, Virginia]]

Sunday 24 December 1944

Hi Honey. hows all my wonderful family this Christmas Eve. Sure wish I was with you. Ive been listening to the radio all day and all those songs sure bring memories to me.

Last night after I wrote you. I made my cot up and lay down and listened to the radio until about 1 o'clock. There was sure beautiful songs.

After hearing Ave Maria I went peacefully asleep and woke up about 6:30.

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