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MRS. JACK BELL

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HOFGEI7MAR, AUGUST 20, 1945

DARLING FINK,

THE MAIL SEEMS TO BE RIGHT BACK IN THE OLD GROOVE AGAIN, SWEETIE/  
I GOT FOUR LETTERS FROM YOU TONITE, THE LATEST ONE WAS DATED THE 14TH.  
SO THAT'S PRETTY GOOD SERVICE, ISN'T IT?

GLAD YOU HAD A WEEKS VACATION, HONEY. HOW DO YOU LIKE THE NEW  
JOB? YOU DON'T HAPPEN TO BE WORKING IN A DEPARTMENT RUN BY JACK  
REICHERT, DO YOU SWEETIE? I DID BUSINESS WITH HIM WHEN I WAS SELL-  
ING COCA COLA TO WORTHINGTON.

I'M ON GUARD TONITE. I'VE JUST FINISHED THE FIRST TWO HOUR  
SHIFT WITH ANOTHER ONE COMING UP AT 12:30 SO I HAVE NEARLY FOUR  
HOURS TO CATCH UP ON MY LETTER WRITING. WE'RE GETTING A NICE BREAK  
SINCE THE WAR ENDED. REVELLIE USED TO BE AT 6:15. NOW IT'S AT  
7:30. THEY'VE LAYED OFF ON A LOT OF THAT CHUMP STUFF.

IT'S STILL REAL COOL WITH OCCASIONAL RAIN. I HOPE I'M HOME TO  
ENJOY A NICE OHIO SUMMER NEXT YEAR.

DARLING IF YOU HAVEN'T BOUGHT ME ANY PAJAMAS YET BY THE TIME  
YOU GET THIS LETTER PLEASE DON'T GET ME SIZE 40. I THINK THEY WOULD  
BE A BIT TOO BIG. 38 SHOULD BE JUST ABOUT RIGHT. YOU MUST THINK  
I'M A PRETTY BIG RASCAL SWEETIE.

I'M GLAD YOU AND CHUCK HIT IT OFF SO WELL TOGETHER HONEY. HE'S  
A SWELL KID, AND HE THINKS YOU ARE TOPS. GLAD EVERYONE HAD A GOOD  
TIME AT THE FAMILY REUNION.

YOU LITTLE CUTIE, I'D LOVE TO SEE YOU SITTING IN THE BIG CHAIR  
IN YOUR BRASSEIRE AND PANTIES. OF COURSE IF I WERE THERE YOU WOULDN'T  
HAVE TO BE WRITING TO ME, AND I WOULDN'T LET YOU WRITE ANYWAY. I'D  
BE PESTERING YOU. REMEMBER HOW SOME NITES IN VICTORIA YOU WOULD  
WRITE LETTERS IN BED. THEN I'D START PESTERING YOU, AND YOU'D GIVE  
ME A LITTLE NOOKIE BEFORE YOU COULD FINISH THEM. YOU'RE SUCH A DEAR  
SWEET DARLING I JUST CAN'T LEAVE YOU ALONE, AS IF I'D WANT TO.

OH DARLING, IT'S GOING TO BE SO WONDERFUL COMING HOME TO YOU.  
WE'LL JUST GO EVERYPLACE AND DO EVERYTHING WE'VE BEEN WANTING TO.  
I'M THE HAPPIEST KID IN THE WORLD WHEN WE'RE TOGETHER. REMEMBER HOW  
SOME EVENINGS WE'D READ, AND MAYBE NOT SPEAK A DOZEN WRDS ALL EVENING,  
BUT IT WAS JUST WONDERFUL FEELING EACH OTHERS NEARNESS. WE WERE JUST  
MADE FOR EACH OTHER SWEETIE. I LOVE YOU SO VERY VERY MUCH DARLING,  
AND I'M JUST EXISTING TILL THAT HAPPY DAY WHEN WE'LL BE TOGETHER FOR  
EVER AND OVER. YOU'RE A WONDERFUL WIFE, LOVER, SWEETHEART AND PAL  
ALL ROLLED INTO ONE, AND I'M THE LUCKIEST FELLOW IN THE WHOLE WORLD  
TO HAVE YOU FOR MY OWN SWEET PRECIOUS WIFE.

I'M GLAD YOU GOT THE MONEY ORDER SWEETIE. THAT LETTER MUST  
HAVE COME THRU' IN PRETTY GOOD TIME TOO.

I BOUGHT TWO FACE TOWELS AT THE PX TODAY. NOW I'M PRETTY WELL  
SET FOR TOWELS AS I HAVE FOUR BATH TOWELS.

I'M ENCLOSING MILLIONS OF HUGS AND KISSES AND ALL MY LOVE.

YOUR OWN,

*Jack*