

Print the complete address in plain block letters in the panel below, and your return address in the space provided. Use typewriter, dark ink, or pencil. Write plainly. Very small writing is not suitable.

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From 32898252

PUT BEN SEGAN

(Sender's name)

HQ BTRY 93AFA BN

(Sender's address)

APO 758 90 PM NY NY

PR1047

OCT 6, 1944

(Date)

To

MISS JUDITH BERMAN  
817 WEST END AVE  
NEW YORK # 33  
NY. APT 3E

(CENSOR'S STAMP)

My B cloned Judy,

Today it's that the day which means I'm overseas one year now, actually it seems as if I'm separated from you for more than ten years, and I'm not exaggerating the time element. Then I often wonder when all the time has elapsed. Thinking of all the wonderful things we did in the past doesn't seem so long ago possible because I'm always thinking of those times and how I yearn to repeat them.

I've now 2 mail letters from you which is half helpful for my nose. One dated Sept 18<sup>th</sup> and the other the preceding day.

Can't understand how Sylvia will be able to see Horie if he is at a P.O.E. unless restrictions have been lifted. Normally, once at a P.O.E. a soldier is restricted to camp until shipped overseas. Horie is getting a break as he will arrive most likely in the European theater of operations.

Going to attempt to develop four rolls of exposed film that I have tonight. Let you know tomorrow how successful I was, and if they aren't ruined I'll mail you the negatives.

I love you honey  
as always,  
Ben

V...-MAIL

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Instruction  
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# V...— MAIL

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MISS JUDITHA BERMAN  
817 WEST END AVE  
NEW YORK  
N.Y.

PASSED BY  
ST. J. [unclear]  
AIRMAIL

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- (1) Write the entire message plainly on the other side within marginal lines.
  - (2) PRINT the name and address in the two panels provided. Addresses to members of the Armed Forces should include rank or rating of the addressee, unit to which attached, and APO or Naval address.
  - (3) Fold, seal, and deposit in any post-office letter drop or street letter box.
  - (4) Enclosures must not be placed in this envelope and a separate V-Mail letter must be sent if you desire to write more than one sheet.
  - (5) V-Mail letters may be sent free of postage by members of the Armed Forces. When sent by others, postage must be prepaid at domestic rates (3c ordinary mail, 6c if air mail is desired).

## INSTRUCTIONS

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