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My Dearest Beloved Judy,

I was very disappointed today because I didn't receive any mail. This whole week I haven't gotten any letters besides one V mail letter.

Usually at the end of the week, I received a few letters, but not this time. I can't understand what is the delay in the mail. If I don't receive any letters within the next few days I'm sure that at least another two weeks will pass before I receive a single letter. I don't know why I'm telling you my mail troubles when you might be undergoing



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the same, but at present you shouldn't be as I'm writing to you daily dear and your address remains stationary.

One of the fellows who understands German, heard a German broadcast from Berlin, and it appears as if the city is in panic. With the Russians rolling along, coming to their back yards, I can understand the fear of the people. The German people hate us, but they have a deeper hate for the Russians and they are aware that the Red Army is approaching with blood in their eyes.

When I saw in the
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the average trend of what the people thought of the Russians, and it seems to be on the same lines as the pure blooded Germans, as you probably know the Alsace people are German's and French. They have been under both countries going back at such like a see-saw. When I previously wrote you that I was in territory that is considered part of France I meant I was in Alsace. That's where the little Jewish I know was a great help to me in speaking to the Circassian people. I also learned how many new words and found it easy to pick up German vocabulary and therefore carry on a simple conversation.



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Just came from the theatre darling where I saw a G.I. stage show which was entertaining. Plenty of good jokes and fine music.

Sweetheart its a very long time that we have been separated physical, but mentally I continuously keep thinking how enjoyable it would be if you ~~were~~ ^{were} right there next to me seeing the show. Gosh but, how much I miss your silly questions. Remember how annoyed I use to get when you started asking me questions while we were seeing a show. after that our stomachs would start crying for food and we usually when to a place to eat.



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If we happened to pass 42nd street and Eight Avenue. I'll glance at that Drug store there and ask you, how would you like to go there for a egg sandwich, or was it something else. Then you would come right back at me as we walked up the street to Grants, and then you would remark, you wouldn't mind a malted milk. All these simple things seem to be so clear in my mind, not if it occurred so long ago. The reason for it I imagine is because I so much loved being with you.

Time to take you home darling, oh gosh, but I loved that part of it and after awhile I always looked