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Hello My Love,

Still another rainy day but Im not concerned since Ive received three nice letters from you. and most amazing of all your lovely birthday gift. Just think honey the bracklet took only six days, why thats quicker than any of your letters. The bracklet looks gorgeous and it feels grand to be around my wrist once again. Im hoping with you dearest that Ill be able to keep it for ~~f~~ ever and forever. Thank you very very much my love .

Your air mail letters were dated July 23rd, 25th and the 29th. Perhaps Ive lost alot of my youthful energy darling but upon being with you again Im sure that it all will be restored. Ill feel full of pep and vigor when our happiness is resumed.

So now you are on a diet. Is that during your sleeping hours? Whats the matter, arent you tempted to eat that extra delicious looking piece of candy or do you stop after the box is empty? By your recent photos you sparkle like you always have, and do <sup>not</sup> appear overweight. Good thing that I re-read that last sentence cause without the word, not it completely changes the meaning.

This evening I saw the motion picture "Thats The Spirt" which is a musical and comedy movie.

The question of the day , will the Allies except Japans surrender terms? ~~F~~ On the surface Ill say that we should cause it means the ending of war on this earth for an indefinite period of time , and what doing to happen in the future no one ~~that~~ can accurately predict. If the peace makers were the ones that had to do the actually fighting, then they wouldnt hesitate.

Thanks once again for your splendid gift sweetheart, and now my wrist feels ~~a~~ part of my arm, and ~~you~~ <sup>we</sup> dearest has always felt to me to be created for each other.

*Please excuse the many typewriter ~~error~~ mistakes, it must  
be the excitement of wearing your sweet bracklet.*

*Goodnight and sleep well darling, I love  
you endlessly, and a day does not pass when  
my thoughts and desires, are to be with you*

*Forever yours  
Ben*