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(Sender's complete address above)

Saturday  
Oct 13<sup>th</sup> 1945

My Beloved Judy,

According to the newspapers, my a early return to the States now appears gloomy. I don't think that it is necessary to go into detail cause you probable have read the same discouraging news. Now I'll be satisfied if I am home around Christmas time and I have my doubts if I will, cause the so called accelerated shipping program is on the decline.

For this afternoon, the other fellows I'm with and my self decided that we would see a show but before being so, a few the boys wanted to go shopping for ribbons, another wanted to take a haircut and shave and the driver of our vehicle wanted to gas up the truck for the return trip tomorrow. We decided to meet back at our hotel in one hour and I went with the driver, Vincent, to the parking lot when we got there we hunted for our vehicle and after one hour complete search gave it up for lost then I had to report it to the MP's and notify my commander. My battery commander back in camp it took over two hours to finally make connections on the tele phone and when we returned to the hotel it was time for supper. Therefore consequently, we missed a good afternoon and now my vehicle is Goodnight! Sinking and phasant dreams I love you with all my forever yours

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