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Friday aft & eve
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Dearest beloved,

Hope you like the "snaps" which are enclosed.

Those smiles are for you "extra special" and I'll try very hard to keep smiling always for the sweetest, kindest and best husband in this whole wide world.

There'll be more in to-morrow's letter. Baby didn't have a nap the day he was photographed and some of the best poses didn't come out well. Therefore, Betty made an appointment with ^{the} same man and we'll take more photos then, sometime in May. He's very busy and is booked months in advance. I gave his secretary a good sob story in Dec. and was fortunate in getting someone's ~~place~~ cancellation. Shall I order duplicates of all or will you keep them

all in camp with you? Advise soon. They're only 20 each.

You're a honey to have sent Eleanor that card.

It means quite a lot to her and she told me so -

I'm also giving her a small gift and I expect to see her this afternoon. About 9.30 this morn. Mayers called to find out how we all are and also asked me if I need any Chblum or Pakena - I said yes and he's sending some from his office. His best regards to you. I phoned your office, spoke to Ann and Mrs. Pinus. The latter had a slight congestion as a result of the cold and is now better and working. Baby Terry spent most of last evening with me (until 11.30) and after 10 I was dead tired but was too modest to say so. She's in the 7th month and looks fine - only quit her job last week and Ziggy is still in 4F. About 10y, my darling Beag, I kept thinking and thinking most of the night and will tell you those thoughts when I see you. That unfair some situations are but I have no regrets for the breaks we got. All's well that ends well. We have some wonderful days and years to look forward to with each other and Jimmie and maybe if I'm patient enough, it will make a better person of me. Just spoke with Mom - all's well with them - they'll be here Sunday. Received the 1944 plate to-day with the new registration.

Sarah came this morning, did a nice job and I

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and her a half a pair of 'Xescape' which I promised her some
red clothes and she'll be here again next week.

Bob wrote me a short letter, is braver than a bull and is
trying very hard to become a lieutenant. Is it so much glory at-
tached to it? He also complains that he misses Frances on week-ends
(20 hours pass). What I'd give right now, dearest, to see you for
just two hours. But I'll be hoping and praying and

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maybe my wishes will be granted. Baby and I are fine,
remained indoors most of the day and both keeping ourselves
busy and thinking only of you.

Stay well, my love, and until to-morrow, all my
love to the sweetest guy in the world. A kiss and hug from
mommy and baby.

Faithfully yours,
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