

January 12, 1963  
Ft. Bliss, Texas

Dear Ronald,

I was sure glad to hear from you so soon. I hope that you are feeling much better.

We arrived here at 3:30 pm Sunday afternoon. The only car trouble we had was before we left home. An oil line broke on Glenn's car at 50th and Arkansas as he was coming after me. We had to get a new oil line and some oil. That explains the oil cans in the garage. (We didn't leave until about 2 o'clock in the morning)

I have a pair of long Johns with me. One pair is all I need. You can wear the pair I left home.

At the present time it is cold down here. We had snow Saturday.

I got my boots polished, but not very well.

I didn't mind getting up that Monday morning, I just hated to be back.

I was promoted to Specialist 4+6  
Class the Friday before we came back.

I am sending a sweater. I don't know  
if it will fit you, or Alon. Let Mom  
decide that.

I don't have much else to  
say. Let me know what is  
happening.

P.S.

I sent some  
washing tape, too.

Sincerely,

Norman