

Thursday 11/15/13

Dear Mom

I still haven't received any mail from you, but since I have some time and this morning, I'm writing to you.

Today is 'Thanksgiving' & it started to snow this morning. It's warm, however, & the snow is wet & won't lay on the ground. We were scheduled to fly last night, but I wasn't assigned a plane, so I went home, & came back at 8 this morning, even though I have nothing to do until 1:30 this afternoon. I'll be through about 5:30 today, & we are going to have turkey dinner at home. Pearl invited Sid Simon & Don Seminars, & she's really making a spread. She's making stuffing for the turkey, candied sweets, &

she even baked two apple pies & made ice cream. Of course, she has Helen Schneider to help her, but she doesn't know much about cooking, so Pearl does most of it. She enjoys fussing anyway.

There isn't much news from here. Pearl is very happy in the apartment, & the landlady is very nice to her. She keeps giving her things for the house, & comes up to help with cooking, etc. Even though we're a couple of miles from the main shopping center of town, Pearl has it very convenient for marketing. There's a Safeway & 2 other super markets only a short block away, & every other sort of store that is needed.

What's new at home? How is everyone? I haven't heard from any of you for a long time.

That's about all the news there  
is from here. Nothing ever happens out  
here at the base to tell about. The food  
here is still good in the mess hall, & the  
girls come out several times a week for  
dinner with us. Sometimes we eat in the  
officers' club, where you get a Club steak  
dinner for \$.75, & a T-Bone steak for  
\$.90. And you ought to see that steak!  
It's enough for at least 2 people.

Regards to everyone at home, & let  
me hear from you soon. Pearl sends  
her love.

Love,

Marty