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My Dear sweetheart Mary

Well sweetheart tonight I reviewed  
your letter of 15. very glad to hear  
from my little sweet I can say some  
for me too

Also darling I was worry about  
you every day because I didn't hear  
from you for 11 days but today  
I got your <sup>+++</sup> lovely letter make  
me very happy Bye the way Mary  
you says you tired to write are you  
tired to write to me or <sup>for</sup> some ~~one~~  
else don't be sore at me now

Well Mary save me some  
sausage when I come back we'll eat  
together but I hope to be there  
next year with my little love Mary

I forgot to tell you  
what do you mean suppose I find  
somebody I love down here like  
very well if you really don't want  
wait for me why don't you say  
because you start to say to me  
you see here you see there well  
I don't like that the way you

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talk me this a first time you  
start talk to me like that anyway  
you forget to write to me for <sup>the</sup> 11 days  
(also you says about changing our mid)  
well if you don't want me anymore  
tell me what <sup>the</sup> reason if you got  
some one else let me know  
I know something about <sup>you</sup> Just because  
you got some other boy friend  
and you try to tell me I can  
change mid I but I'm not do bele  
yet I told you many times I don't  
care for any one else only you but  
if don't want believe me Just  
quit writing to me that's all if  
you don't trust me anymore I know  
you got some body else because  
you try to tell me lots thing in  
this letter you says you fell so  
tired to write and says if change my mid  
also you says about change our mid  
well look to me you change your  
mid already well I think your mother  
wind this ~~the~~ ~~a~~ thing to stop you  
going with me she did well she's strong  
lady

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Also sweetheart many things I'm saying  
on this ~~letter~~ <sup>letter</sup> you make me say all  
this because you tell me strange  
things on this letter but if you  
change your mind about me I will  
forget about you ~~because~~ because I  
love you very much with all my heart  
I love only you not ~~body~~ body else but  
if you don't want me any more only  
you break my heart that's all

Bye the way sweetheart  
I'm very glad you going to be a good  
catholic because I'm catholic too that's  
the way I want my wife too also sweet  
you says don't think you got crazy  
ideas but you don't have to worry  
about me just I'm <sup>because</sup> long way from you  
~~but~~ <sup>but</sup> I got you in my mind all  
time I never forget about you because  
I love my little Mary very much

Mary what do you mean if I  
wait you to be my wife I'll be  
gray hair I don't think so ~~so~~ because  
soon I come back I will marry you?  
any way you says I be gray hair

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may be you going be gray hair  
befor me because if God keeps me  
in a good health I keep myself  
young Babe the way sweetheart  
you says when we get married befor  
we going sleep you get mad at me  
so then I won't bother you thot about  
you think about I won't make you  
mad on night I make you mad  
in mornig "ha ha" anyway Mary  
I says many times the girl is going  
marry me if shes honest with me  
she will be very happy because  
I'm not bad men I know whots  
wife mean when I get married I  
want keep my home happy I don't  
like to argue for nothing when  
argue I argue with some reason

Mary why did you send me  
cigarettes and candy for! you don't  
how to spent the money the money  
you spend an me save anyway you  
did send thanks very much sweetheart  
anyway sweetheart I'm going try to  
come home for April I hope

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Well the weather is very hot  
I hope the weather in your town will  
be warm for ~~christmas~~ christmas  
so you can go out the day "ha ha"  
also sweetheart I don't have much  
more to write say hello to every  
one for me and I wish you best  
luck your

sweetheart

Pete Centofante

Merry Christmas  
to my love  
Mary

So long now I'm sleeping  
now it about 10 PM

your love  
Pete C.

I love  
you

very  
much

Bye the way I will be  
down about you tonight I  
to be with you tonight don't  
get me at me about tonight