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Free
Miss Mary Massullo
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Hello sweetheart Mary
Well today I received your
letter of Jan. 12 very glad to
hear from you so far I'm doing fine.

Well Mary you says in
couple week you will pass at school
well I hope so anyway because I want
you to learn lots so you can
get out going school anyway next
year. I hope you get over with
the school then we can get
married what do you say about that!

Bye the way sweetheart
you want to know about Kennedy
well is still here at main post
I went to see him one day we
had a little fun together is a
good old boy you says about my
new boy friend well his a good
boy but now is on furlough
at New York.

Sweetheart very glad
you says under I be your husband
will be different oh boy I can't
wait for the day I hope you

feel same way.

Bye the way sweetheart
you says you love me very much
so do I sweet I love you with all my
heart and now sweetheart don't be
worry about me because no girls
going love fun with me because I got
a good looking sweetheart in Youngstown
its Mary Massullo I love her and I
hope she will be a good girl and
I hope she be waiting for me and don't
worry about me I will take a good
care of myself I hate to stay away
from you but I hope some day
this war will be over then I can
take Mary Massullo with me I think
We'll be wonderful and beautiful day
Bye the way Mary you says your girlfriend
try to steal me off you well well
Your sweetheart you don't have to worry
about me because I love you little
too much I tell you sweet I hope
This war will be over because as soon I came
back you will be my wife well
I pray God to be home soon

Also sweetheart you says I am just
a little too much jealous
well do you blame me because I'm
jealous well that's the way I am I love
you very much that's why I don't want
anybody bother you only me.

Mary sweetheart you says I
picked somebody terrible well sweetheart
I don't think you are so terrible
because I don't care how you are
when you marry me you will be
different you will be a good girl and
you will like me too because I know
how to keep a girl in a good
position. I bet you been going with
me about a year still you don't
know me yet because I don't care
how sore you get I just give you a
nice good look then you will
be a nice little good girl "ha ha"
don't you get mad now what I'm
telling you.

Bye the way sweetheart
very glad you got them birds I
send to you glad like them

Anyway Mary you know what them
birds mean they represent you and me
they are love birds "ha ha"

Also Mary you says I spent all
My pay on you no sweet you're wrong.
I save money so when I came back home
we can get married I Hope the day will
be tomorrow.

Also Mary I don't have
much more to tell you wish you
best luck your sweetheart

Pete Centofanti

[[drawing of birds]] me you [[/drawing of birds]]

Mary did you dream about me
last night I hope you did but
you never tell me what you dream why don't
you tell me wait till I came home
I'll give you a big kiss

sweet I will send her a
posh gum well she wants
Beech nut I will send
soon I get chance

I LOVE YOU
VERY MUCH

Solong now beautiful
Sweetheart

write soon