

July 1, 1942
(another month passed)

Dear sweetheart:

Today I received your two letters one of 28 + 29. So very glad to hear from you I thought you had forgotten about me. How's my darling today? For now I'm just the same. Dear Boy you say you wish it rain here every Sunday night, rain or no rain, I stay home anyhow. I bet you go out and have a good time. Here its very warm and it rained yesterday so it cooled off.

So sorry that your boyfriends left. I hope they didn't go across. Well honey when you move I hope you'll come to Indiana so you can come over every Sunday because its close. Well we can hope for that. By the way what do you mean I don't have time to write if you don't want me to write to you let me know. Sometimes I could ring your neck you you bad boy. Poor little sweetheart hasn't any place to go thats so very good because I know you. You say I go out with other kid but I don't and you know it. I know you go with other girls because I just knew it that all. I hope I'm wrong.

So sorry honey about you writing to me, but a day I don't hear from you, I think you quit writing. I'm just so spoiled that I don't take anything into consideration that you have to work and sometimes have no time. You must think I'm awful but how thats because I love you too

much or else I wouldn't care if you didn't write. About painting you would be surprised at what I could do, I should of been a hog.

You say that Mrs Lombardo says a lie to you well she didn't know because nobody was around, You also say you'll surprise me sometime, I hope it very soon and hope you'll be home for a long time. That Sunday Mrs. Lombardo went someplace early in the morning, that's why nobody answered the phone. Talking about my father he just came home at 4 in morning. Well did he know you was supposed of been gone at 8? Next time you come home my girlfriends went to see you, so hurry and come home soon.

You want to know what you said in Italian. Dear girlfriend I like you very much, more than you think and, ^{you} hope that I like you just as much, I do so very much so don't worry about that.

Some day I surprise you and send one of my pictures a big one but I hate to take a picture and hardly no sun has been out to take some with my camera. You also say you got a camera it must be a pretty good one, paying 15 bucks for it. Well I'm going to have a big ^{picture} made, I mean ^{to have some} good one, downtown.

Everyone sends best regards. Your girlfriend
sending you, best of ^{everything} wishing you good luck
(You say God Bless Us.) Same old Mary
(How thanks for those lovely cards and Beautiful letters) Bye Bye Honey Massello
Love Mary
Do I love you (yes very much) (What Platon's are you in 2nd or 4th)