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Dearest Darling Sweetheart:

Today I received your beautiful letter of Feb. 25. So very happy to hear from you. Happy your fine and for now how I can say same for me. Everyone is just fine also.

You say darling you have bad news but honey I think its the most wonderful news I have ever heard. Oh sweetheart I'm so happy. I never felt so happy in my life as I was when I read that wonderful letter. I hope I will always hear such wonderful news from you dearest one. But how you say you will be going in about six months. I hope you never go because I want my sweetest one in world to stay here in good old U.S.

You say sweetheart that I did pray for you, I did every night from since you have gone to the army. But I never prayed as hard as since you said you were going. Every night I prayed dear God to let you stay here keep you in good health and just everything. I just thank dear God for answering my prayers and I hope the war will be over soon.

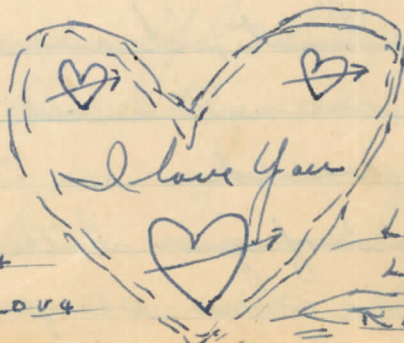
marry me. Well I wish the war is over soon too so you can marry hon. Oh sure we will be very happy. Well hon I don't know if Adeline reads your mail but I don't think so because I take the mail I get to school so don't worry hon.

Tonight hon I called you papa and your brother was very happy too I could tell how he talked over the phone. Well hon I don't have to tell you how very happy I am I think you know and I thank dear God for making us be happy. I hope it will always be this way.

Well dearest darling I'll close now I can't think of any more to say. I guess I've said all I can think of so everyone sends best regard and I wish you all the luck in world.

God Bless You.

your sweetheart always,  
Mary Massullo.



Love  
Love

Love  
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Goodnight Honey its about 9:30 and I'm going to sleep soon. I wish you were here too.