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Dear Art,

Hi, and how is my
old buddy doing these
days. Fine and well I hope
I recieved your letter today
and I was really glad to hear
from you.

You said that you were
in Artillery Maint. and you also
said that you would rather be
a welder, Right, Okay, I'm gonna
tell you how you can become a
welder when you get over here.

Find those time papers
that we got when we got out of
welding school and bring them
with you. Now, when you
get over here show them to
your Company Commander or your
First Sergeant and tell him
that you would rather be a
welder. Also tell him that
you are better at welding than
anything else. And they will
probably put you in a welding
shop. Because we do need welders

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very badly over here.

Well to let you know
how I'm making out, I'm doing
okay, I work anywhere from
ten to fifteen hours a day.

Here is a couple of pictures to
show you what kind of work
I'm doing. In the one picture
I'm welding a piece of angle iron.

On this job I had to make
to fifty six foot rails for sliding
doors, and in the other pictures,
it shows the kind of equipment
that we have in our company.

Well all, I know this is short
but I've got to close cause it
is getting late. So take care
and don't worry, Viet Nam isn't
as bad as it sounds. Okay

Yours Truly
Hoy.

P.S. If you go to Bien Hoa
you can see my company
from the air. It is just
before you get to the Finway