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Seawolf Don Thompson

Dear Don:

This may not be the longest letter which you will receive from a wolf, but it's late and I'm rushing to finish and get to bed.

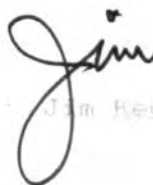
I finally got around to the stack of mail on my desk and filled out the questionnaire for you. It's not complete, but neither is my memory after all these years! Some of the answers sound a bit contrived (even to me), but they are the way they came out of my heart.

I wonder if there are any other wolves around here? There must be at least one or two and I'm trying to find them, but no one has come forward yet. I'm running a Memorial Day feature in three area newspapers. Maybe that will turn up one or two.

Yellville is the nearest town of any size and Bull Shoals Lake is 12 miles east. The Buffalo National River is 6 miles south. If you get nearby, call me at (501) 449-4147(H) or 449-4093(O). I have a WATS line at work: (800) 482-5623. It's only good outside of Arkansas.

Have a good summer.

Yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jim", with a stylized flourish extending from the bottom.

Jim Reyes