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HI MOM AND DAD

SURE AM BEAT TONIGHT I THOUGHT I BETTER GET A LETTER OFF TO YOU BEFORE GOING TO BED. I AM GOING TO TRY TO MEET COUSIN BUD AT THE AIRPORT TOMMOROW WHEN HE GETS BACK FROM HIS R&R.

I GOT THREE LETERS OF ACCOMADATIONS FOR THE JOB I DID ON THE PUEBLO. ONE FROM A COL. IN KOREA ONE FROM THE MAJOR OUR C. O. AND FROM THE OELICER IN CHARGE OF OUR TEAM IN KOREA WHO IS A CAPT. SO I'M VERY HAPPY ABOUT THAT. I NEEDED SOME LETTERS OF REFERENCE FOR OHIO UNIV. THE OFFICERS IN THE UNIT REALLY CAME THROUGH FOR ME AND SO DID THE FIRST SGT. I SURE AM HAPPY I GOT INTO THIS UNIT, IT SURE HAS BEEN A GREAT EXPIERIENCE FOR ME.

I BOUGHT A CAMERA FROM A BRITISH CAMERAMAN WHO LIVES IN HONG KONG. THE ~~GUY~~ GUY I BOUGHT IT FROM HAPPENED TO BE THE CINEMATOGRAPHER OF THE YEAR IN DOCUMENTARY PHOTOGRAPHY IN 1968. I PAID \$625.00 FOR THE CAMERA WHICH WAS A REAL GOOD DEAL I'VE ALREADY HAVE BEEN OFFERED SEVEN FOR IT. THE CAMERA CAME WITH THREE LENSES ON THE TURRET AND TWO AUXILLARY LENSES AND A SPECIAL EFFECTS LENS. THE CAMERA DOES SYNC SOUND AND CAN DO MANY SPECIAL EFFECTS. IT CAN ALSO TAKE A 200FT MAGAZINE. IF I CAN'T ALREADY TELL I AM VERY HAPPY ABOUT THE DEAL AND EVERY ONE HERE THINKS I DID TOO. ALSO I'M INVITED TO STAY WITH THE MAN AND HIS FAMILY WHEN I GET TO HONG KONG.

I ALSO PICKED UP A WAR TROPHY. WHICH IS A BOLT ACTION COMMUNIST RIFLE. I CAN LEGALLY BRING IT BACK TO THE STATES I KNOW I'LL NEVER USE IT BUT IT REALLY LOOKS SHARP. I TRADED ~~THE~~ A GUY TWELVE ROLLS OF FILM THAT I PICKED UP FOR FREE ANYWAY.

THATS GREAT OF STEVE BUYING THE CAR FOR YOU. WHEN BILL AND HILDA COME OUT AGAIN OR YOU TALK TO THEM ASK THEM IF THEY SENT ME A PACKAGE OF SOME SORT FOR CHRISTMAS THEY MENTIONED IT IN A CHRISTMAS CARD THAT THEY SENT ME <sup>ONE</sup> IF THEY DID I NEVER RECIEVED IT. WHEN YOU SEE GEORGE TELL HIM HE OWES ME A LETTER AND GET ON THE BALL AND WRITE. I JUST GOT A LETTER FROM AUNT JOAN AND I HAVE TO GET A LETTER OFF TO HER REAL SOON.

Love  
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