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Hello darling,

Just a few lines tonight to say hello and a few other things. I love my valentine and enjoyed your letter so much that I read it to everyone in the house. Did I ever get a razzing when they read the part about my beautiful smile, etc. I'm enclosing a picture of myself but there isn't any persodent smile on my face. I have given away my best pictures so this one will have to do for now.

Honey I had to get

your letter so I could answer your questions and everything. But everytime I read it I have to laugh because you say the funniest things. But do I ever love to read them.

Hy and Shirley my sister would be delighted if your buddies would write to them. Hy is eighteen and Shirley is twenty one. By the way I am seventeen. Tell the boys to address their letters like you address mine except for the first name.

Handsome, sis & all are dying to see what you look like so the next time you write send me a picture of yourself, smiling.

Oh! honey, do you like Moron jokes? All Morons do. Did you hear about the Moron who was electrocuted? He sat on a fruit cake and a current went through him.

I have seen quite a few pictures lately but I don't remember the names of them. Speaking of pictures, a smile couldn't help sneaking up on me when you said "Desert Song" had a little bit of every thing in it. Would I ever like to see that. Woo! Woo!

Since I hit 7 list I've really been in it

mad tuck. But I usually
sleep half the day and
twiddle my thumbs the
other half because I
can't leave my Grand
mother very long by
her lonsome. But as soon
as ~~my~~ Mom & the girls
get home from work things
start cooking for me.

Honey its time for my
usual snack so until
next time don't do noth
ing I wouldn't do.

Yours as ever,
Iris