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Dear Folks,

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This will likely get there at the same time as the one I wrote yesterday but I hope you don't mind. I've thought of a few more things I want to tell you.

I can tell you that I am pretty and you can get away general Siddle of where I have been. The places in the central part of France weren't torn up too badly but things here like the coast are in bad shape.

I am praying that it will be possible for Christmas to go on as nearly as normal back there as possible. We had a church service yesterday more because we had a chance than because it was Sunday. Every day is just the same here. As I started to say we sang Christmas hymns and the chaplain preached an appropriate sermon so it gave us a little holiday feeling. That's almost the first it has ever entered our minds. It's a good thing that the bulk of our packages arrived while we were back in England where we had time to enjoy them. Don't send my Bible because I couldn't take care of it.

Let's put our complete trust in the Lord to bring us together again soon. Complete faith is the only way I can endure conditions like this. Don't worry about me. But just continue praying. I'll write again as soon as I can. Love,
Donald.

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