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Hi Kibby,

SHOULD BE HOME SOON



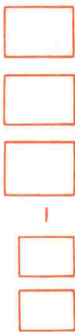
How's
Timber
and the
ducks,
and the
pool, and
the woods,
and...

3 DAYS LEFT

tell me all
about
it
real soon!



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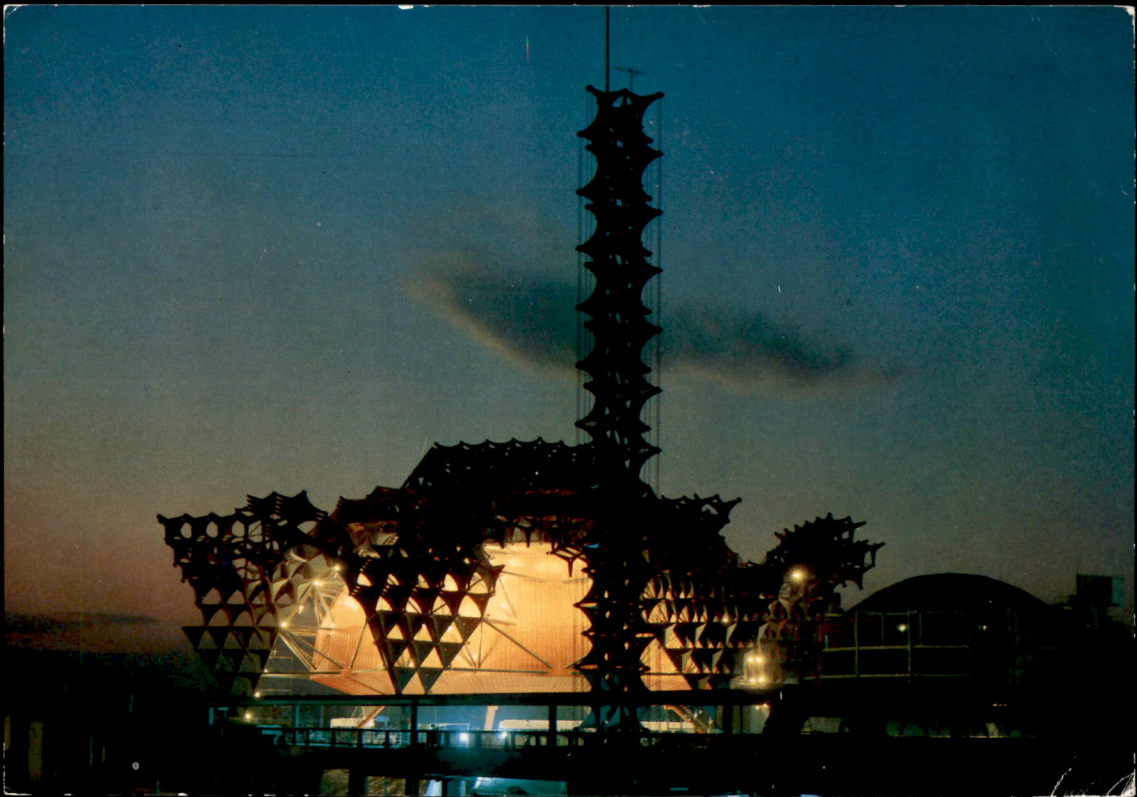
The pavilion is designed to create a fantastic world of fairy tales, to please children and to revive the memories of innocent childhood in the mind of adult. It has a unique design resembling nine flying saucers in formation.

SUMITOMO JAPAN WORLD EXPOSITION 1970

住友蔵話館・日本万国博

建物は、ふたつにわかれた形をしています。それぞれのテーマの中には東西の童話の城を、

Minnesota
or Bust!
Luv
Jim



WED, Aug. 12

東芝 I H I 館

テーマ館 希望と未来の人間たち

ドーム内は、映像と立体音響が、交響曲的手法でとけあうように展開されます。いこいの広場では、最新の科学、技術、知識に対する尊敬と驚異の感情などの展示が備わっています。この中で展開されます。

Toshiba IHI Pavilion

Theme: "Hope-Light and Man"

Visitors to this pavilion enter a global theatre where they take their places on seats which slowly revolve whilst simultaneously ascending and descending thus giving a unique experience of "Home vision".

I SHOULD BE HOME SOON

Hi Baah!

EXPO was
meat at
night - but
not as meat
as the



Til
later
(sooner!)

Luv,
JAMER

Mpls.
skyline!

3 DAYS LEFT

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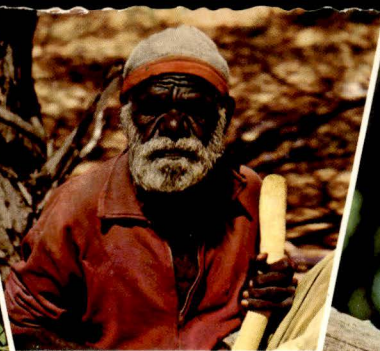
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Greetings from
AUSTRALIA



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Dear 'Marge',

Now that I'm going to ~~Australia~~^{Aussies!}
Japan I'll send you a card from
Australia. Don't know why I
didn't get them sent out before. Can't
wait to see Japan and all those
pudgy slant-eyes! ☺ Thanks for
your letter along with mom's and Kim's
words last week. I'll be packing
this morning and flying this
afternoon to Saigon. Sure love to get
up in the air. Bye 4 Now. Love, JAMER

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Tuesday morning
June 30

Sandscene
International

Hi Beth!

Don't you wish you could have
a pet Koala bear? That would be
meat. I'm going to get paid this
morning and then "dee-dee" for
my 7 day leave in TOKYO. Wanna
come along? ☺ Guess what? I
couldn't go swimming yesterday - SHARKS!
A messhall dropped alot of spoiled meat
in the bay and that brought the sharks in.

A9-KOALA-NATIVE ANIMAL OF AUSTRALIA

One of the most endearing of all wild animals, the koala has
survived for more than a million years without changing.
Ranging in height from 12 inches to 30 inches, this nocturnal,
arboreal marsupial seldom drinks water, obtaining his sole
food and source of moisture from the leaves of the eucalypt.

Till later - Love, JAMIE



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(BAD
WOOSH!)



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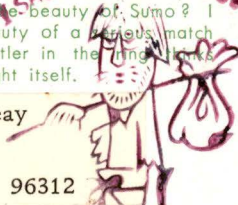
Sunday July 26

Sumo or Japanese Wrestling—with a long history and tradition—is a national sport of Japan. What is the beauty of Sumo? I will say it is the beauty of a fierce match where the Sumo wrestler in the ring knows nothing but of the fight itself.



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Hi Marge!

SHORT! That's all I

SHORT!

can say.

20 DAYS LEFT

Just three weeks and I'll be seeing you. Get a load of this Japanese wrestling. Slobs, ain't they? I saw it on TV while in Japan. Got a good laugh. See you soon! Love,

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相撲——日本の国技としての相撲とは何であるか……それは真剣勝負の美と答えるべきであろう。土俵上の勝負の瞬間には、自分もなく相手もなく、ただ勝負だけがある。勝負しているということさえも意識にのぼらない。力の偉大なショウといえよう。

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Wednesday mite - the 10th day

Wednesday Plaza—In the foreground is the United States Pavilion where the Moon rock brought to earth by Apollo 12 are displayed. The Toshiba-IHI Pavilion is in the extreme left. Also pictured are the Australian Pavilion, the Canadian Pavilion, the Sanyo Pavilion, the Gas Pavilion, the Sanyo Pavilion and the Electrium Pavilion.

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Hi Marge,

EXPO

I SHOULD BE HOME SOON
was really
meat.

So you're
driving now,

huh? Great!

Is it as much

fun as a

EXPO'70



Honda 50?

HA.

Guess
what?

I'm
SHORT!

Luv, James

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水曜広場を中心とした会場風景。写真中央が水曜広場
その下巨大な「C」が「月の石」展示で人気を呼ぶア
メリカ館。オーストラリア、カナダ、デンマーク、ガス、
サントリー、東芝IHI、電力の各館などが見える。

10 DAYS LEFT

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Wed mite, August 5

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Hi Bah!

Tomorrow I'll be a
one
didget
midget.
Get it?
9 days...
(1 digit)

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Expo '70
was neat.
But I can't
wait to
see Excelsior
Amusement
Park
again.
HA!

10 DAYS LEFT

See ya soooooon!
Luv, JAMER

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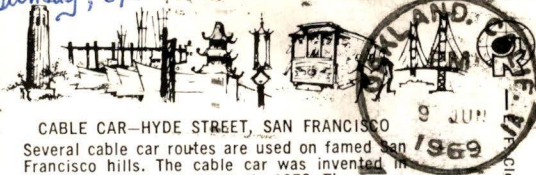
The pavilion aims to impress upon visitors that the Netherlands is a country of a junction of world traffic routes, and that Dutch regard contact with others as a vital necessity, by protection technique with a number of screens.

NETHERLAND - JAPAN WORLD EXPOSITION 1970

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「オランダ館」は、低い国の名にふさわしく、池の水面より低い通路を通じて展示



Sunday, 6/8



CABLE CAR—HYDE STREET, SAN FRANCISCO

Several cable car routes are used on famed San Francisco hills. The cable car was invented in this city by Andrew Hallidie in 1873. They are a reminder of the Victorian age in San Francisco and perform a service in this modern age.

Hi Marg!

Good to talk to you this morning. Chuck, Mike Smith and I will be flying to 'Nam at 6:00 Monday morning. At least we won't just be sitting around here.

Marg, I checked in the PX for Army rings, but they were real "cheapsies". I'll see what they have in Vietnam, OK?

I had a blast in 'Frisco on Friday. It's a 4 hour drive from Lake Tahoe. The cable cars are meat to ride on... power like a dune buggy! ha.

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Have fun at Roy's this summer. I'll write when I get overseas. Luv, JAMER

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Sunday, Aug 9

The Theme Tower of EXPO '70—Symbolizing the ceaseless energy of man, this tower soars to the height of 197 feet at the Theme Hall. The sunlight stored during the day is emitted from the Tower of Sun. It is designed by Mr. Taro Okamoto.

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Hi KIBB!

I SHOULD BE HOME SOON

But now I can't wait to see

Minnesota Minnetonka & you!

SAVE ME A "PA-SIKLE" OKEY-DOKEY?

This was kinda neat to see at EXPO.



EXPO '70

6 DAYS LEFT

(Six!)

太陽の塔の完成。世界最大のスペース・フレーム（立体格子）といわれる大屋根をつらぬいて、日本万国博の主軸、大塔の塔がそびえている。人間生命の爆発的な高まりをすべての人々に実感させたい、というのが制作者岡本太郎氏の言葉である。

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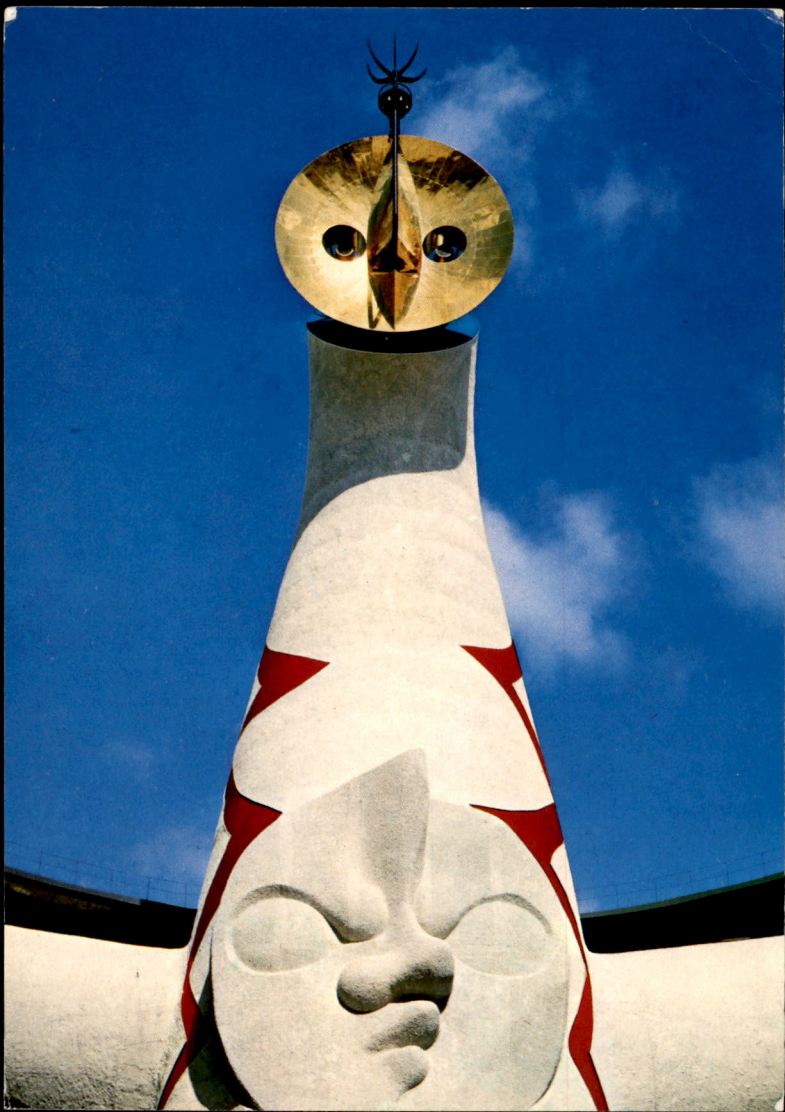
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Tower of the Sun—The 197-foot high theme tower welcomes visitors to EXPO'70 above the roof of the Theme Hall. Designed by Taro Okamoto, it symbolizes the ceaseless energy of mankind to progress and harmony.

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Hi Baa!

Dumb looking statue, huh?

I SHOULD BE HOME SOON

It's Sunday and next

Sunday I'll be back in the states.

Beautiful thought!

Supposed to be a "sun-god."

CU B4

EXPO'70

6 DAYS LEFT LONG

太陽の塔—万国博は祭りである。そのまん中には絶対感を持った神の像が必要。「母の塔」「青春の塔」を含めて、中央口から入った正面に、宗教を異にしたどの国民でも神聖さを感じる像が、岡本太郎氏によって考案され建てられた。

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JAPAN

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太陽の塔 太陽を模して高さ60m 根本の直径20m 背面・先端・正面に、過去・現在・未来をあらわした表情の顔がつけられている。
The Tower of the Sun can follow the progress of mankind as they go up. The items on display along the way are arranged to indicate the past, present and future of mankind.

Hi Marge!

Don't smash

Get a load
of those
piercing
eyes.

EXPO WAS
'NEET'!

SHOULD BE HOME SOON



up the
CAMARO
before I
see it in
person.
HA.

See Ya soon
JAMER

6 DAYS LEFT

MY FREEDOM BIRD



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Tuesday morn.

June 30



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Hi KIB!

This is a picture of "The Brush" in Wingham, Australia. That's where I flew to from Sydney last March to stay with an Australian family. Those trees are loaded with flying foxes. (BATS) More than I've ever seen. It gave me the creeps to walk in there even in the daytime. Then at night they fly outa' there by the hundreds! Do you see

The Brush, Wingham, N.S.W.
Photograph by Uwe Steinward
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many bats this summer? Bye for today
Love, James

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Dear Kim,
At EXPO '70 I
saw a bunch of
sheep at one
exhibit. (P.U.) **20 DAYS LEFT**
Reminded me of all the pets we've had
through the years. Can't wait to see
Timber & Buddy..... AND YOU!

コリデール

毛肉両用種で、毛は手編毛糸やニット製品に使われるメリヤス糸に向いています。おもな飼育地はニュージーランド、オーストラリア、アメリカ合衆国などです。

Corriedale

Produces both wool and meat. Its wool is used to produce hand-knitting yarn and knitwear. The Corriedale lives mainly in New Zealand, Australia and USA.

Love, James

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OPERATION "GAME WARDEN"

Intercepting enemy supply sampans

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58 DAYS !!



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Hi "Marge,"

Just had a nice swim in the bay
and am sitting out on my lounge chair.
Working nights on guard duty is a big
bore, but at least I have the days to
look forward to. You should see all the
sand crabs on the beach here. Some
jelly fish have washed up on shore, too.
I got my orders for leaving Vietnam
today! Now I can ship my whole-
baggage anytime. I'm definitely getting
short! June is a great month, but
August will be my favorite THIS YEAR!

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Bye 4 Now. Love from Nam, Jamer

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1 SHOW OFF
WALK SOON



20 DAYS LEFT

Sunday, July 26

Dear Beth,

Aren't these two gals
BEAUTIES?! ha!

If you ask me,
that's a funny
style of elevated shoes. You'd be
surprised how many Japanese women
still dress like that. I saw 'em all
over Japan.

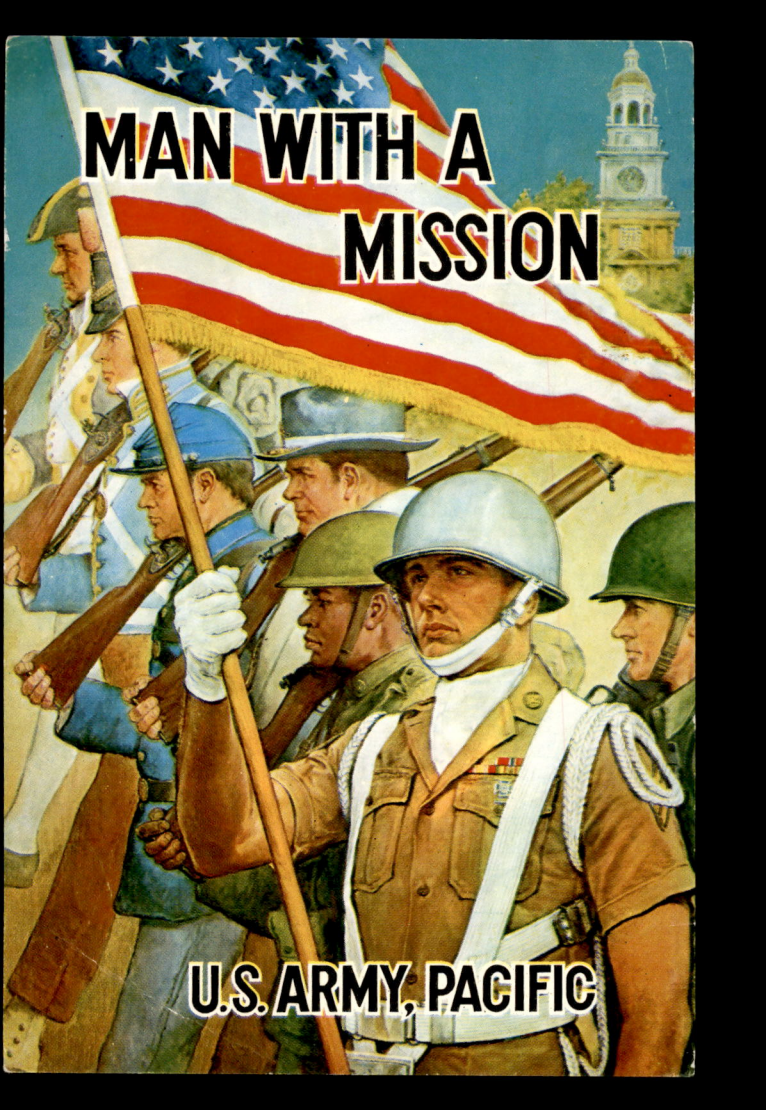
Have a great vacation!

See ya soon.

↑ That's GOOD NOOSH!
LUV, JAMER

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MAN WITH A MISSION

U.S. ARMY, PACIFIC

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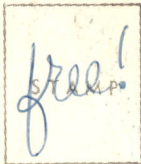
The soldier of United States Army, Pacific, is
ready on the ground and in the air to defend

peace and the Free World. 96312

APC SF JAN. 24 → (MOM & DAD →)

Howdy Baa! I really enjoyed your good
letter a few weeks ago. Glad you had
such a good Christmas. I'm anxious to
see your pictures. Got mom's letter
yesterday. I didn't know we have
distant relatives in Australia! Still
be fun to look 'em up when I'm
there in March. Well, Tim is back with
173d Airborne now. I hope the slides
turn out good that I took while he
was here. I'm mailing them to be
developed today. Boy, it's fun to wear
civies. I LOVE it! Are you getting
to be an expert skier? LUV-JIM

Have you seen the
new toy - a LAUGHING
BOX? It's weird! &
funny. (Battery
operated.)



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YOUR PACIFIC TEAM



U.S. ARMY, PACIFIC

Tuesday night, May 19

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Hi!

Just a card to say I got out of hosp. yesterday. Feel great. Have another new job. Working in company supply room. Moving into a private room with another guy so am busy moving and getting back in the swing of things. Glad for so many letters from home! Will make a tape as soon as possible. Love, James

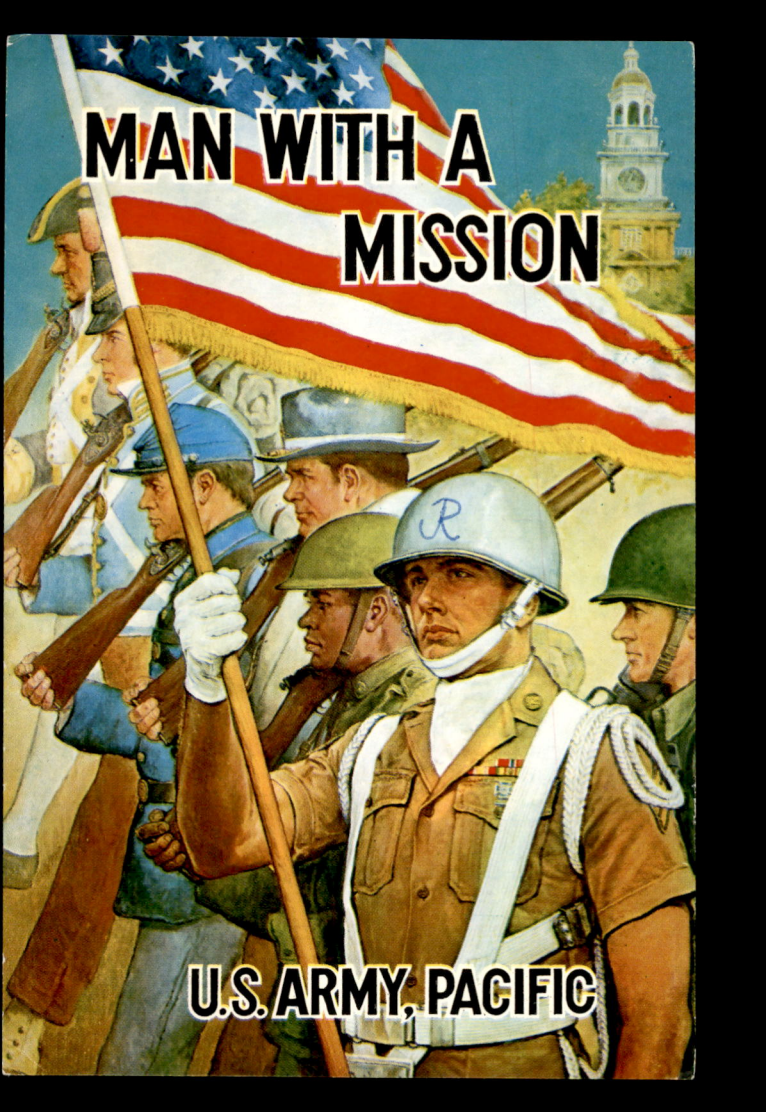
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MAN WITH A MISSION

U.S. ARMY, PACIFIC

Sunday night Oct. 26

The soldier of United States Army, Pacific, is
ready on the ground and in the air to defend
peace and the Free World.

Hi Again, Dah!

I got a letter from
Grace Larson today. She said
that earlier this month you
were at Hillcrest with GMB
and played 'SORRY.' Fun, huh?

Glad for mom's letter
today. Did you like Jane's
bridal shower? Just think...
some day it'll be your
turn... David Stille? HA!
Think of me when you have
your 1st ski-doo ride this year! Luv, JAMER

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Irrigation—Vietnamese style

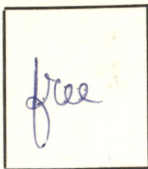
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Dear Kim,

Thanks for the nice ♥ card
last month. Now it's another
month already and St. Pat's—and
Easter are on the way.

The last few days I've not
been able to think about much but
Sydney. Every plane that goes
over gets me excited!

Sure hope I can find you
a nice souvenir there. Luv, JAMER

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Tuesday a.m. June 16
Native Home in Mekong Delta Lowlands

60 DAYS!



Dear "Baah,"

So A. J. B. Reay
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I just got off guard duty and am sitting on my comfy lounge by the beach after a good swim. We were paddling around on surfboards. Fun, but not much of a surf here in the bay. ☺ The sun feels great ~~but~~ my stupid nose is too sensitive.

Mom's zinc oxide that she sent me when I was in the field is coming in handy. The ocean is great but I can't wait to sit by our pool, sipping a Holiday soda! (we don't call it "pop" over here). Thinking of you. See you in 2 months! Stay skinny like yer ma. ☺ Love ya - Jamer

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HORSE DRAWN CARRIAGE ON THE WAY TO
MARKET WITH PRODUCE GROWN IN THE
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Hi Marge! I SHOULD BE HOME SOON

Last night I
had gear on a big
Cities Service tanker
ship. It was
kinda fun talking
to all the
"mates" that
work on the
ship.



See ya in
about 17
days.

Luv from
Nam,

JAMER

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One guy was from Iran.

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Colorful houseboats on the River of Saigon.

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Hi Baa!

I SHOULD BE HOME SOON

I was talking to an old
man on ship guard last
night. He had
no teeth and had
spent 30 years in the
army. He talked just
like Grandma Scott!



See ya purdy
soon.

Luv,
Jim

It was
FUN-NEE!

How'd ya like
to live in one of the boats on this card? yuck!

17 DAYS LEFT

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Hi!

I couldn't resist buying this at the
airport 'gift shop' in Guam on the
way over here. Some caption
huh? = "School Girls."

Today is my second of the 5 days
of training. Classes from 8-6:30.
Not much to do as I take a
shower, write some letters, & read,
before going to bed. Wake up pretty
often as the rockets & mortars

explode outside the perimeter. Feeling good.
Love, James

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Sunday a.m. July 27

Hi Charlie!

See all the bananas on this card?

We get them once in a while over here
but they're small & hard. Not like the
good Chiquita bananas at home!

A few days ago we were out
walking and had to pass close to
some water buffaloes. They sure look
mean! Sometimes they charge the
soldiers & have to be shot!

One more month until you go back to
school. Going to get some new school
clothes? Bye for now. JAMES

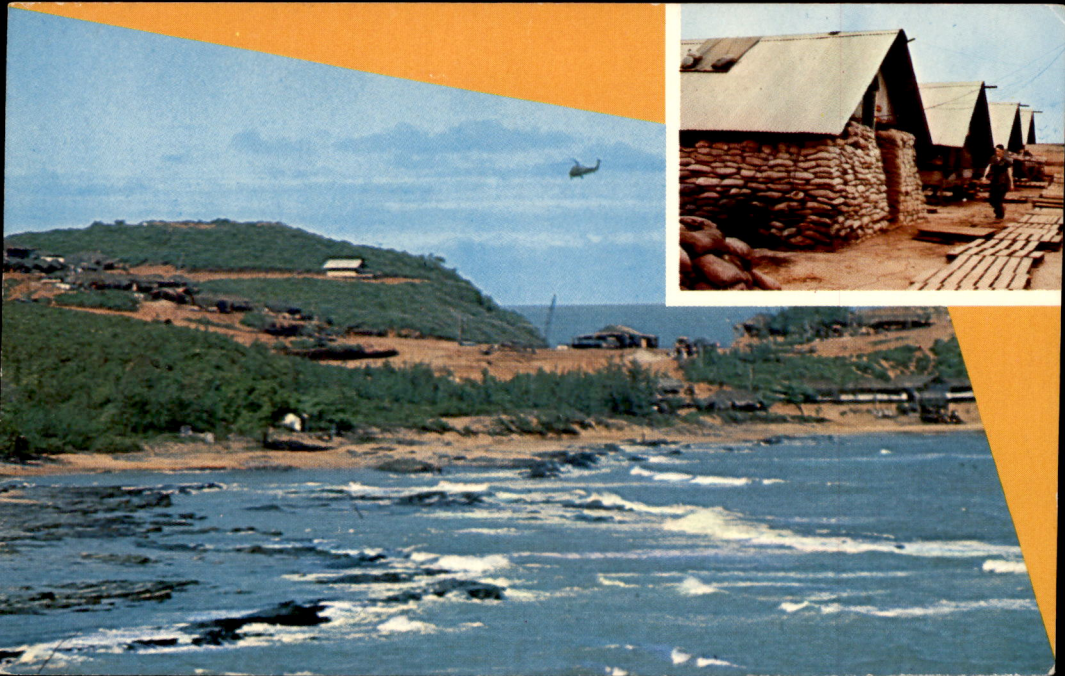
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Tuesday night, May 12

Chu Lai Beach -- Croz was there!

Inset -- Heavily sandbagged living quarters



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Hi Marge!

I was just reading some old letters from you girls tonite. So you had a class with Millie Nelson?! HA! HA! I had her too, for American Literature. Does she still have blue hair and bite her lip when she's talking and her dentures slip? We called her George Washington. Her make-up was so thick she looked half mummified. Fun memories! ☺
What are you doing this summer? Resort? (BAD NOOSH!) Love, Jamer

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Thursday, June 11

CRABS, A Bounty of The China Sea

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Dear Kim,

Well, you're
having fun now & bet - Since
school is over for another year.
Have a great summer vacation, &
don't fight over who gets to weed the
garden, get the mail clean out the
barn, etc. Ha! Don't the CRABS
on this card look scrumptious?
(Yuck!) the mama-sans lips are
discolored because they chew
beetle-ruts and junk. Makes you
sick. Their teeth are black and
they keep spitting.

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Miss you - for 65 more
days. Love from one of your brothers in Nam,
JAMER

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HONOLULU INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

Monday afternoon, June 9

This modern, new, jet airport serves the many airline arrivals at the Crossroads of the Pacific—Hawaii.

Hi Kim!

I've been in 27 states now. Just stopped in Honolulu for a 1/2 hour en route to Vietnam. The plane we're in is the hugest one I've ridden in yet. I've had to set my watch back 3 hours since leaving California, so that's 5 hours earlier than your time. Now we're in the air again. It's 7 hours till we touch down in Guam. Remember my GIA friend that we called "Guammy"? He's in the Army down in Alabama now. The flight to Vietnam counting the 2 stops is 24 hours! (that's about 6 trips to Disneyland from home.)

It's kind of wierd to see all the guys file on & off the plane in jungle fatigues. I'm taking some pictures. (slides) When they get home you can see them with my slide viewer. (in the top-right hand shelf - Beth's room) Love ya - James

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July 29

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!
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SHOULD BE HOME SOON



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U.S. ARMY, PACIFIC

Saturday, May 16

The soldier of United States Army, Pacific, is ready on the ground and in the air to defend peace and the Free World.

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Hi Kim!

I was
supposed

to be discharged today. I woke up all happy and anxious to get out. Showered, changed the sheets for the next patient to use my bed, and packed up my stuff. Then the DR. didn't show up today! BOSH. So there's nothing I can do until tomorrow when - and if - he makes the rounds. Well, things could be worse but I'm beginning to climb the walls! M'mmm, I got those delicious Choc. chip cookies yesterday. "Moocho Gracias!"
LUV, JAMER

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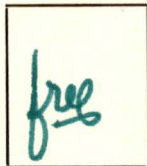
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Construction Crew



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Sunday, Sept. 28

Hi Marge!

I got a letter from Aunt LARR-A
(not Low-Ra-ha!) today. Jane
might get married on Oct. 10th!!

This card looks like a scene right
around here. There are lots of
adult geeks that come every day
to work in the mess halls, PX,
etc., then go outside the wire to
their villages at night. Naturally,

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the army uses them as cheap labor.
What's a bomb scare like!?!? Yuck. Luv, James

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Co A 2nd Bn. 19th Inf.
Boys on bamboo stilts near Kolutum, home of the
Montagnard or Highland Tribespeople.
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Monday nite, June 30

Hi Sean!

Today I rode across the rice
paddies on top of a tank. Then we
made a "sweep" by foot. We found a
big booby-trap and blew it up from a
distance so no one would get hurt. Then
we walked through a little village full
of kids like the ones on this card. They
are so ~~poor~~ poor, many of them don't have
clothes! I gave one boy about your age a
pack of life savers. He sure liked that! Love, James

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25th Infantry Division
Tropic Lightning

A column of armored personnel carriers
rumbles into a potential Viet Cong
stronghold northwest of Saigon.

My new address is:

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US 56509805

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FFC J.B. Reay 469-54-6618
A 214th 25th Div. APO S.F. 96225
CHECK POINT on Saigon Bieh Hoa Highway

Sunday a.m., July 27

Dear Sean-a-than,

How you bee? I've been on
the road pictured on this card.
There are lots of funny looking
vehicles. Most of them are motor
scooters with little trailers
connected. But there are also lots of
farmers that ride down the side
of the road in ox carts ... or I
should say ... water buffalo carts!
I'd much rather be on Minnesota
roads! Thinking of you.
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Love, JAMES



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Saigon Transportation old and new

Wednesday, OCTOBER 29

Hi Kim!

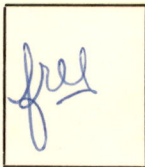
How would you like to carry baskets all your life like the lady on this card? Some life, huh? You'll probably grow up to be a ballet dancer (with bridge) or a horse jumper. Ha!

Last night I had a little trouble getting to sleep. A rat was scratching and rustling under the floor... or somewhere! I was glad to be up on a cot! There are rats all over Cu Chi - bunkers **AND**

SC12108—Color Photo by H. Lambert
buildings. One even got into my cookies **INSIDE** my desk at work! LUV, JAMER



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Troops fording swollen stream APO SF 96312

JAN. 12/70

Hi Kim!

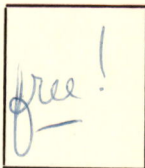
Thanks for writing and telling me about all the presents you got for Christmas. Didn't the GERBILS get anything though? 😊

I bet you really look cute in your bell bottoms! Have you worn them to school? Speaking of clothes, I'll be glad to get some "civvies" and get out of my green machine outfit once in a while.

I went on a convoy a few days ago and got some good slides. The ocean is so neat! Almost as good as our pool. Have you been skating much? Sure wish I had the chance! Luv, Jamer



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Medivac Team on "Dust Off"

Monday night, Sept. 29
Hi Baa!

See what a 'dust-off' looks
like? Don't ya wish a helicopter
would've taken you to Dr. Rieke
when Buddy bit you? ha.

I love riding helicopters. It's
different from anything else. And
there are no seat belts or stuff
like that. A lot of guys hang
their feet over the sides. Did it
tickle to have your stitches removed?

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Bye 4 now. Not mom's better today! Luv, JAMER



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"Riding shotgun" over Viet-Nam
APO S.F. 96225

Monday morning, June 30

Hi Charlie!

I hear that you haven't had very good summer weather. I wish I could give you some of the heat over here! Have you been swimming with Tim yet?

How do you like the machine gun on this card? They sure are powerful.

I was on an ambush patrol last night, and will be going on a "sweep" this afternoon.

Are you taking good care of Numbo?

SC9873—Color Photo by James Pickerell

Love,
JAMES



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