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Dear Mom Dad & all,

Received your "V" letter of the 7th of June yesterday. You asked if there is anything I wanted. Yes, I could use some cold coker, a pitcher of ice cold lemonade and a few electric fans. 120° in the shade yesterday. I splashed around in the blue Mediterranean for a while but that didn't last long enough.

I received bad news this week. Ben Battaille, one of my best friends in Fairfield, was killed when the wing came off his plane in a dive. But was fortunate to be Hell.

yes, I manage to read the Reader's Digest. But as a rule I don't have much ambition for reading. Even the camels are drooping here.

What's Louis' address?

Love,
 Bob

V-MAIL