

No. 113.

Oct. 30, 1948
11342 Church St
Chicago, Ill.

My darling Bride,

Well Sweetheart, this is the big day - Oct 30, 1948. It has seemed that this hour would never arrive, hasn't it? But, praise the Lord, the time of our engagement has arrived.

This evening I arrived home from about eight o'clock. I was surprised to find that Dad was ready to leave for a trip to Iowa. It seems that the

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that matter had a contract that
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it out to my father and if
at the time of the
I have had to
be this. I have
noted it to the station
+ some time about the town
When I arrived home from
the station I had about
about 10 minutes to get
up about a half hour ago.
I was surprised to find
some discussion of the
world. I have
I want to the phone to call.

my little infie. The operator
tried to put the call through
to Sweden for me, but
finally disallowed one cannot
call over-seas at night.

Guess all you Swedes are
still asleep. Sleepie heads!

So I shall try to call
my gal tomorrow. Hope I
can get her then.

This letter, Darling, was
started on the floor & now
is being continued on the
table. I sat on the floor at
first to get the phone before

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I shall have my own
 looking, you know I shall
 be proud of the new ones
 I hope I can call
 you tomorrow. I'll be
 sure you get this letter
 you will know.

at 7 A.M. & got
 a letter from you.

Love
 XXXXX

people I know, no one could
 make it as good as Mom.
 But I believe Cleason &
 LaVerne know how to make
 it as Mom did. You had
better learn too.

Received a real nice letter
 from your Mom & Dad. They
 certainly are fine people. In the
 letter they welcomed me into
 the family. Again I say,
 "Lucky me."

Sweetheart, I'd give
 anything to have you in my
 arms right now. Soon

I shall have my wish.
 Darling, how soon shall
 me marry after you arrive
 Hope I can call
 you tomorrow. By the
 time you get this letter
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 Its two A.M. & boy
 am tired. By for now!
 Your hubby,
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 call over - was at night.
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 still working. Please check!
 So I shall try to call
 my old numbers. Hope I
 can get her then.
 This letter, I think, was
 started on the floor & was
 in my cupboard on the
 table. I got on the floor at
 first to get the paper before

anyone could be awakened.
 Honey, I received your
 beautiful ring. It sure
 is wonderful. I tried it
 on & on over & over again.
 And I showed it to all
 my friends. They seemed
 almost as thrilled as I was.
 Thanks, Darling; I love you.
 So you are learning to
 bake rolls. What sure is
 wonderful. Soon you can
 bake for me. Can you make
 angel-food cake? My favorite
 cake is angel-food. But
 I am real fuzzy about how
 it is made. Of all the

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Mr. ...

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owner of the factory in which he works had a son that died. The factory asked Dad if he would go to Iowa to represent the plant at the funeral. Dad agreed to do this. Claire, aunt Almida + I drove him to the station + saw him aboard the train.

When I arrived home from the station I laid down almost immediately + got up about a half hour ago. To wake myself up I had some delicious apple pie + milk. Lucky me! When I went to the phone to call.