

11 Nov. 1944  
Saturday Evening

Dear Rick,

Hi ole scout how are you on this Saturday?

I have been thinking of you today wondering if you have been playing football or if you have been packing your things instead. I certainly wish you and I were passing the ole ball around together this afternoon, instead of our being so far apart.

After I finished working in the kitchen this noon I watched some soldiers fish off the reef here. they throw hand grenades in the water and when the fish float to the surface they haul them in - It isn't very sportsman ship like but they get a lot of fish that way -

I miss you Rick as I do the whole family my but it will be good to get back with you all  
Your boy,  
Jim

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REPLY BY  
V...-MAIL

HAVE YOU FILLED IN COMPLETE  
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