

Robert L. Stone to Jacob Stone

March Field, California, 16 December 1943.

Autograph letter signed, 2 pages + envelope.

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December 16

Dear Dad —

It was with the greatest pleasure that I just received your long newsy letter. I wrote you last night saying I hadn't heard from you for some time, and so hence this note.

I'm sorry to hear that Bee is laid up and I hope she's in A-1 shape by now. Give her my best and tell her to get well real quick like.

It sounds like Don had a swell furlough and I'll bet you loved having him home. I sure wish I could have seen him. Congratulate Barry on his going into the marines.

I was terribly sorry to hear of the death of Len's mother. I, of course, wrote him immediately. I sure hope he isn't too upset, cause I know how close he was to her.

Nothing much new — still flying and going to school for long [*strikeout*] [*inserted: hours*].

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is plenty irate because we still haven't been given our pass and we're indefinitely restricted to the post. 'Nuff for now.

Write soon.

All love —

Bobby

[envelope]

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