

"For Christ also hath once
suffered for sins, the just
for the unjust, that He
might bring us to God."
1 Peter 3:18



UNITED STATES ARMY

June 7, 1943
(Monday)

Dear Sister & Brother,

I wrote the card first as I didn't think I had time to write more. I do have a few minutes more now. I want to thank you again for the nice letter. Keep them coming, Sis. I love you as much as you love me & miss you more because I have no family here.

I am looking forward, hoping, & praying for that 5 days at home. There are two darn good possibilities that we may not get it, so I am really going to pray now. If too many men go AWOL between now & the end of 13 weeks, we won't get the furloughs. Also, orders might be changed in the
(over)

"But God commendeth His love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us. . . . Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved."—Romans 5:8; Acts 16:31

meantime.

If everything goes allright & God is willing, I will have eight weeks of training, four days & nights of train ride, & then 5 days of HEAVEN at HOME.

Please pray for me, too. Write to me regularly & often. Lots of love to you both. I pray for you every night. I pray that the good Lord will bless you & keep you as you are.

Well, I'll be seeing you.
Lots of love.

Your brother,

Clifton

From _____
Outfit _____ Co. _____
Camp _____
Location _____



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POST CARD



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Dear Sister & Bro,

We were told tonight that all trainees who complete the 13 weeks of training without getting into trouble will be given a furlough at the end of the 13 weeks. We will be allowed 5 days at home plus travelling time.

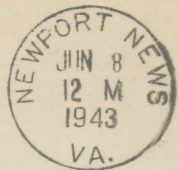
Doesn't that sound swell. Five days at home sounds like heaven to me. Maybe my prayers are going to be answered. Keep praying for me, too.

I hope to be seeing you about August 4th or 5th, God willing.

Lots of love from your brother. Keep writing - I enjoy your letters an awful lot.

Write again to some. I got your 11 page letter today. Love, Clifton

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