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Hello everybody,

How was your weekend at camp? I must you had an enjoyable weekend. I'm taking a short study break here on Sunday night I'm feeling a wee bit homesick but Sundays seem to do that to me.

I was out today down at Cannery Row and Fisherman's Wharf and I couldn't help thinking how much you would all enjoy those areas. The streets are lined with shops (antiques, jewelry, art and lots of neat things). There was one antique shop that I thought ~~my~~ Mom might really enjoy. Kim and ~~John~~ (can't write!) Julie would have gone crazy in the

jewelry shops. Dad, I'm sure, would be clicking the shutter at the many fine views. Overall a very enjoyable afternoon but I wished you were here.

Yesterday one of the guys threw a beach party, so about 25 of us headed out to "Sand City" about four miles away. We drank beer, barbecued and threw a Frisbee all afternoon. Unfortunately the sunshine was spotty and it was not as warm as it could have been. I did jump in the ocean though. It was chilly as is customary for the area. Reid would like the waves out here but they can be a little rough.

I'm going to get back to the studies here. I'm including a letter to Sauron Bank authorizing Dad to close the account for me. Tomorrow before I send this I'll call UPS and see what's going on. Oh, I did get my college records. I have.

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Well I'm a day behind but it's been hectic around here. We have the Inspector General for our command coming on board (Navy term) so we have to have everything squared away for barracks and personnel inspection. I also have to stand my first watch Thursday 0400-0800 so I had to make sure I knew

everything I needed to know.  
Today I spent an hour and a half  
waiting to get a haircut and finally  
had to go to class without a hair-  
cut. What a waste of my lunch  
hour. They still don't have the  
XA in stock yet. I'll let you  
know on that.

I got a 96% on my first  
mod module test which made  
me very happy. The studies seem  
to be going well. I seem to get  
better and better every day. I think  
it's all in getting the study habits  
down. We'll see what happens.

I called UPS, in Salinas, the  
nearest one, and discovered that  
they probably have my package  
and will be notified by mail

that I can come pick it up. I'll call to let you know the final story on that and to see what to do with my other package. I may want to have it shipped to a friend at a private address near base because it's hard to get over to Salinas. Also UPS isn't open on weekends which makes it even more difficult. Which is not to complain or anything. I do appreciate your help.

I'm going to sign off here. We've got field day which means everyone helps clean up the common areas of the barracks. Take care now and I'll be in touch.

Love,  
Scott