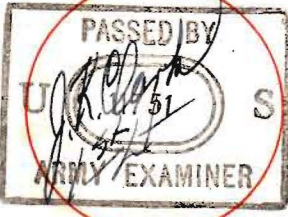


Print the complete address in plain block letters in the panel below, and your return address in the space provided. Use typewriter, dark ink, or pencil. Write plainly. Very small writing is not suitable

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MR & MRS G. VIECELLI

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PVT-JULIAN VIECELLI
(Sender's Name)

BTRY-D-216-C.A. BV(AA)
(Sender's Address)

APO 758 - 5 - POSTMASTER
NEW YORK, NEW YORK
SEPT 13 - 1943
(Date)

Dear Mom & Dad

I received a letter from you yesterday and I sure was glad to hear from you, it's been some time since I had any from you, I know your writing so I'm not blaming you, it's just the way the mail runs.

I think the reason you haven't heard from me so long is because I've always been writing just plain letters instead of writing V-mail once in awhile. I'll be writing a lot more V-mail because it gets to you faster, much faster than letters. You have got a lot of mail on the way because I've been writing to you almost every other day. Mom one of these days I'm going to send you a few cablegrams, I just wanted you to know that so you wouldn't have anything to be afraid of when you get it. We can send one cablegram home a day, it only costs 60¢, and you get it in just a few days. The lines are all picked out on what we can send, I can't send anything ~~anything~~ I want to, but I don't care about that. What counts is, when you do get the cablegram you'll know I'm alright and you won't have anything to worry about. Well Mom I'll close for now but I'll write again soon so don't worry, & Mom don't worry about not getting any letters because it does take a long time for my mail to reach you, when you do get it, the mail will be all in one bunch. Give Pop a big Kiss & one for you.

V...-MAIL

Love & Kisses
XXXX - Julia -