



THE AVON PARK BOMBING RANGE
AVON PARK, FLORIDA

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Little One:

Just finished reading your letter and I feel
a 100% better for it. It gives me a lift. I
guess by now you have received my other
letter which has my new address on it. As
I said in the letter I work harder in this
new squadron but I enjoy myself a lot more.

Do I remember the ride to Sugarland?

You know I do and will Sugar.

I'm in the Officer's Club now waiting
for some of the boys who are going overseas
tonight to come in. I want to wish them well.
I've seen quite a few of them leave since I
first came here and it always gives me a thrill
to see them go out with their 45's on their
belts and that determined look in all their eyes.

Had a day off yesterday and I spent in West
Palm Beach and Palm Beach. I like those



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two places real well. If I ever have a day or two I always head for one of the two places. They are right together and to be in one is to be in the other. They are separated by a long narrow Lake. They have some of the most beautiful I have ever seen down there. You'll have to see it some day.

Don't listen to the radio any more so I have heard "Can it Be Wrong". But I know how it goes, because you played it better than you thought. You said you were self-conscious when you played it that night. You had better break yourself of that habit, because you are going to have to play for me a lot more.

I guess Mom has told you that I have had my last leave. So I'll have to wait now for a long time before I hear you play again, and before I dance with you again. I intend, however, to make that time as short as possible by doing my bit in winning the war.



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Sonny would be a nice boy friend to have, never a dull moment, but don't you think that you had better find one a little older who can dance and go places. I know how you like to dance and well Sonny is not quite old enough yet.

I guess I will close now. I'm making good my promise am I not?

Love (lots of it)

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