

Laura dear, —

I've only just heard about
your loss and I am so sorry.

The heartache that comes
with the passing of a beloved
parent is one of the cruellest hurts
life can give and my heart goes
out to you in very loving sympathy.

How grateful you must feel
that you were not in Santa Fe
when your mother needed you but

close by & do all that was possible
to make her comfortable - and,
too, to comfort your father through
these sorrowing days -

I'm hoping we may see you
up here before I leave for the east.
It was such a real pleasure to
know you better when you were here
in June -

Very sincerely,
Beatrice Pollock.

August Twenty-ninth -

and



Miss Laura Gelpin
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