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Mum Dearest,

You'll never know how surprised and excited we were with your "Easter Gift"! We just can't thank you. It will bring such a peace of mind to us both.

We've had a quiet but busy week end without Mar. She had been sick for a few days before she went home, so the house was not in its best condition - but now she's back & I hope ready to work!

The kids are really getting back their color - and pep. They're too adorable!

The idea about the Pope house sounds perfect to us both. It would solve so many problems that we have had this winter. Kitten could walk to school & we would be able to have groceries delivered also laundry etc. Also we'd be near Daddy & Ida. There are 3 children in the group of houses right next door - Barley's age - Ah, there are a million things that are good about it.

John has gone away 'til next Friday - We're not going to do much on Easter

Except for Church I
a few days for the kids.
We may have Daddy
+ Ida for Dinner - They
are still trying to get
back their strength +
doing very little - I
don't think Ida has
ever been sick before -
so she is discouraged
over the time it's
taking to get feeling
normal again. There
new drugs really do
take it out of you.

Sue.

The kids are just
coming in from school -
It's pouring rain +
has been since last
night - but no water

in the Cellar. thank goodness.

Do let us hear from you - and mum darling thank you - thank you. thank you.

All of our love.

Bob.