

Dearest Nell -

this is the very day of Mitch's exams. Soon he will be over them and come winging home - we will pack a lunch, swing tune high and drive off to the North until we tire spending the night away from this daily world that has spoken exams for so long. And then sometime within a week or more we will know if he passed. How I pray he will pass - But I know that sometimes everything goes wrong and it could happen. But Mitch is so steady, constant that he would not be shaken - as we have seen friends do. No matter what we will be valiant.

Glorious days ahead. If Mitch takes Oral exams in May (based on succeeding in this written ones) we will take two months of freedom and after

giving up some to our families and
some research for Mitch we
will come to your doorstep and
beg to be refreshed. We hope
that we may make plans soon
but we know already that we
will leave here in mid-June and
return in early August. That
would bring us to Washington
around early July. We would
try to stay with you a little
more than a week - unless we
can invent more days. But no
matter how long, time with
you is in another dimension and
a week is more valuable than a
week of weeks elsewhere. Can it
be true that we will be together soon?
It will mean more to us than you
know - and Anne will share your
heart. Devotedly - love Greta