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Miss Brigitte Barkley
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Dear Miss Barkley:

I think it should be made clear that the desert-like landscape of the antarctic dry valleys is not caused by less precipitation there than on much of the continent as a whole but rather because the unusual topography favors meteorological conditions that produce greater evaporation than elsewhere on the continent. Desert conditions prevail over most of the continent.

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Yours sincerely,

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~~Ek 75-919~~ Sandstone and Dykes, Nussbaum Riegel, Taylor Valley
~~Ek 75-929~~ View west from Nussbaum Riegel, Taylor Valley
~~Ek 75-925~~ Cove weathering, Nussbaum Riegel, Taylor Valley
~~Ek 75-932~~ Don Juan Pond, Wright Valley
~~Ek 75-935~~ Don Juan Pond, Wright Valley
~~Ek 75-938~~ view from Labyrinth, Upper Wright Valley
~~Ek 75-954~~ Ventefacts, Lake Vida, Victoria Valley
~~Ek 75-956~~ near Lake Vida, Victoria Valley
~~Ek 75-959~~ Cove erosions, Bull Pass
~~Ek 75-969~~ Olympic Range and pyramid formations, Bull Pass
~~Ek 75-981~~ west rim, Beacon Valley
~~Ek 75-994~~ frozen pond and cinder cone, Dailey Islands
~~Ek 75-1001~~ boulders on rock glacier, Beacon Valley
~~Ek 75-1005~~ columnar dolerite, Beacon Valley
~~Ek 76-2~~ Suess Glacier & Matterhorn, Taylor Valley
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