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Wave Barracks #3
USNC San Diego, Cal.
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Thursday

Dear Mr & Mrs Conole:

I would like to express my deepest sympathy on the passing away of your daughter Irene.

Rapalee and I are stationed here together and I went through boot camp with Irene. Would like to at this time to say that Irene was one of the nicest and most wonderful girls that I have ever met since I have been in the Navy. She was always



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so much fun & very easy to get along with.

A lot of the girls you meet in the Navy, you forget, but I shall always remember Irene.

I have just received my orders for Pearl Harbor, I guess I will leave in two weeks. If someday I ever get to New York, I would very much like to stop in for a visit. Maybe in the near future. But now I would like to remain

Sincerely
Mickey McCandless