HOTEL ELDRIDGE Lawrence, Kansas

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Dear Dr. Allen:

Well, it won't be long now 'till Christmas will be here and if you don't look out it will be here and gone before you know it. No doubt, you have been thinking, "I wish I could find a gift for her that is unusual and beautiful."

Well, here is your solution, I helped Fritzi for over a week this summer select the Christmas things for the shop and Dad said the sky is the limit and believe me we selected the nicest things that have ever been shown in Lawrence. So won't you come in and let me help you. Then we will put it in one of our fancy Christmas boxes, wrap and tie it into an exquisite package that you will be proud to hand her on Christmas morning.

I'll be looking for you.

Sincerely yours,

Alice Marie