

July 29, 1940

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sheldon Hessly
3124 B Street
San Diego, California

Dear Jack and Julia Ruth:

We received Julia Ruth's lovely little note over a week ago and indeed we were happy to hear that you are pleased with the gravy ladle. I am surprised that you did not get dozens of gravy ladles because almost everybody I know buys a couple. Well I guess that is a good omen because they figure that the breadwinner can always bring in the meat and if you have the meat then you can make the gravy. So you see it was a good gesture on Mrs. Allen's part. You know the women always buy the presents, the men give them out and are glad that the women are eager to get wedding presents.

Now, very seriously, Jack and Julie Ruth, I sincerely congratulate you both and hope that you have a long, happy and prosperous wedded life. There is nothing finer in the world than two young people who go out with good minds and fine physiques seeking the eternal answer of youth. May your cup of happiness be full and overflowing and may your successus be all that you wish for.

With our love, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation
Varsity Basketball Coach