

Dearest Dad —

Always like to get your letters & enclosures. I thought I might be seeing you before this, but Eileen seems to be holding back, but I'm so glad "little tot" as she calls him, is turned & in proper position.

I think I told you that I plan to stay only a day or two this first trip & will not come to stay any length of time until after E. returns from the hospital. I'll need no more than & perhaps Pat can come too, I hope to stay there, a week or more. I'm hoping you might return with me & stay a while with us. We certainly would love having you any time —

Pat is improving, but his hands are still so sore he can't shake hands or grip anything. He can hold playing cards & we play gin & canasta & tarot. We are going out for dinner — I don't have anything to do. We stay in so much &