

December 20, 1949

Miss Catherine Corwin
2703 Englewood Terrace
Independence, Missouri

Dear Katie:

Since Gertrude passed away October 30, 1948,
I have thought of you frequently and wondered how
you were getting along.

Gertrude was the last of her family. Her
parents, ~~sister~~ Blanche, and two brothers, are
buried at Shawnee, Kansas. Gertrude lies in the
cemetery here beside our little boy, John Louis,
who died in 1923.

I don't know whether you knew Beryl Buckley
who was a cousin of Gertrude's. She has an apart-
ment in the Park Lane apartments and I am sure
she would be glad to know you.

With very best wishes for the coming year,
I remain

Sincerely, your friend,