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April 6 - Vids, Virginia and Barry arrived at 9:30. today from Richland, Wash. where his parents live. It was so good to see them. Virginia (5 mos along in her pregnancy) looks really good. Barry has grown a head. He thought I would have a fit. Told him. It looks good on him really. They seem very happy. Virginia has a bad cold so went to bed early.

~~Jan~~ Jan 7, 1979. Keeping a journal is a hard thing for me. It requires a self-discipline I have not as yet mastered. I will try to catch up briefly on important happenings since then.

Review of important happenings of April to Dec 1977

1. The Dr's first opinion was that Tracy had just had a terrible virus - the type of infection that took a long time to get over. It was mid-summer before he really felt better.

On August - Virginia had a baby Boy named Nathan. Tracy

and I and Charlotte made a genealogy trip back to her in at the Jarroval. Nathan was a little slow arriving so we visited Shirley & Dan & then. While there, Shirley made us do our personal histories on tape. We left them with her to transcribe but she was so involved in the fight against adoption of the Amendment to the const. about women's rights she didn't get to it. We are glad she is involved. We brought the tapes home July of 1978. Wonder if I'll ever get it done?

In Sept. of 1978 we made Charlotte move into an apt so as to be "on campus". She and Emma Jane Carlini & two other girls rented an apartment at a complex on 9th East. A bit weeks after she moved in the Bishopric called on them to "look them over" for prospective jobs & meet them. One of the counselors, Bryan Wight said he knew the minute he saw her she was "the one". Within a month they were engaged & they married in December. I told her of I'd known that it would happen so fast I'd have waited another semester to push her out of the nest.