

Dear Family,

Thursday, July 28, 1988

This is Zina writing during a dull moment on vacation in Washington. <sup>state</sup> My parents seem to have given up Hallmanack writing, which may seem horrible but is defensible. You see, they are much easier people to have as parents now, even if it means ignoring some of their 'duties.'

Mom, Mary, and I are trying to learn a 3 part musical arrangement to sing at my second cousin Flynn Huntington's baptism but I keep missing notes and flying off the handle at everyone else for it. I think we'll get through it eventually.

Thanks for the family reunion T-shirts! I like to wear mine at the same time as ~~another~~ another brother or sister and attract attention when we go places. I hope the reunion was fun for you-all. Sorry we couldn't make it.

Other than this <sup>two week</sup> vacation, bathroom remodelings at home, dad's enjoyment of model rockets at home (he's coming up here with the boys this Saturday), and various other new projects, life is quite the same for us as ever. We still love to stay up late and watch movies, and sleep in late in the mornings. (Omelettes for breakfast are very good on these mornings) ~~the~~ In the summer, we like to come in from the heat into our air-conditioned house and collapse on ~~the~~ couch in the living room. All together, we'd make quite a pile, eh?

Love Always, Zina (to kin)

Grandma, you can type this up for  
the Hallmanack if you'd like.

Cove, Zina