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Dear Family

Last month was quite hectic. I left for Utah to pick up Charlotte and the children without having a place to move in. I had told a rental agency we would take a 4 bedroom duplex but I hadn't even seen it. It turned out fine fortunately. That was the one we got. The whole family stayed in a hotel only 3 days. Hotels were not made for families. Still we are together again.

Sarah has reacted negatively to this move. She knows we will be moving again as soon as school is out. My assignment is scheduled to end May 30th, 86. She would appear to be going through the "terrible twos" as a seven year old. She is upset easily and feels insecure in developing new friends. She loves to ride her bike. So does Hannah. Hannah is just about ready to have the training wheels taken off. Hyrum is such a sweet boy. Willis has an ear infection and still has colic.

Charlotte and I are looking more and more at law school. We were rejected by the University of Wyoming. We have yet to hear from BYU and the U of U. If we are not accepted, I will actively begin looking for new employment. I expect this to be my last assignment with Bechtel. Bechtel is a good company but there is no place to grow. Also I feel like our family needs to become established somewhere. Moving around has been fun but the kids need more stability.

Charlotte and I are getting to know a few people in the ward. The ward is very large and will be divided within the year. There is about one new family that moves in every week. San Juan Capistrano is a lovely city. We live about 3 miles from Pophery State Beach. Anyone coming to Calif on vacation is welcome to stay with us. We expect to be here until 6-15-86.

Love

Bryan, Charlotte & Kids