

Dear Claire

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Hi, well here we are on a Sunday night listening to Fiddler on the Roof. Paul, Jeff, Maura, Chris & some others just like the old days at the ranch. It does bring back some pleasant memories & sensations. Just hearing Sunrise, sunset I remember how well you liked it. I could just picture you dancing all over the living room. The if I were a rich man & the other songs, those were some funny times. This record is so enjoyable, we all decided to write while listening to it and some of the others you sent to Darren. The Sting is going to be a lot of fun & Star Wars. Remember when we saw that, it was really a pleasant day for all of us wasn't it? It is hard to believe sometimes that I am actually here, a long, far away dream come true, listening to this record in the middle of a jungle - a moving record now talking to Havaia the daughter beautiful violins. Do you remember how Richard used to dance around I'd die with laughter & watch him double up watching the Pink Panther. We had some good years didn't we? There are so many good years ahead of us, thanks to Dad. Here

comes the sting, what a great movie I  
sure remember how you danced around  
the house to this one, the entertainer you  
got pretty wild there Claire, I smile to  
think of it and here comes the Hookers  
Hooker everybody is doing a different in-  
strument and we all have our earphones  
so nobody else hears it, it looks wild.  
Mauri is even cutting up unusual  
for her huh Claire? She is really enjoying  
herself. She always did enjoy these records  
Jimmy Joe just "dropped in" + joined us along  
with Martin A. As we're listening to Star Wars  
& looking at Mauri she looks alot like the  
"Princess" in the movie she'll probably never  
realize how nice looking she is. Darius is  
here & happy as can be he has grown  
up alot especially emotionally he handles  
himself very well. Jeff just wrote you  
a letter & so did Daren. We have really  
enjoyed the records you sent.

Well I'll be closing now to finish  
taping and closing up so I'll write  
again soon, hope everything is running  
smoothly there everyone here is fine  
& enjoying life + health thanks to Dad!  
Take Care Dad thinks a lot of every-  
one there. Warmest Thoughts,  
Marlene

If you run into a bargain on pens