

People Temple Georgetown Sept, 1978

My dearest Val

I certainly hope my abrupt departure will not have any effects on you. I'm hoping that your new life is to liking. Apparently so, or you would not still be here. I only wish you success and happiness in all of your endeavors!

I certainly wish you the best in your marriage, to what ever his name (Jim or Tom) that is, if you are married. You said

yes and when he + I talked alone, he said that you had not completed everything here to get married yet. So how am I to know. But after all it is

not for me to judge whether you are married or not. So condemn or condon any part of your life is now beyond my control. You are a young adult now. I'm hoping you are capable of making your own decision, which I never have reservation about. But after all you are your own young woman, allegedly married and the two of you will be making them together now and in the future, if permitted.

I had great hope of finding you in good high spirits upon my arrival. But to my that first night I got nothing but negative and low vibrational spirits from you. Of course I could have been wrong, but my opinion will remain that way. I certainly hope ~~you~~ I am wrong. You said you were happy. Everybody said you were happy. What

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else am I expected to believe, except you
are happy. But I sincerely don't believe you are,
but it's your life. In Jonestown I was accused
twice, ~~about~~ negatively about ~~the~~ ^{our} relationship, mother
and daughter, that is. First, I was unable to cut
~~it~~ ~~and~~ ~~the~~ ~~cord~~ ~~attachment~~, and you
~~and I~~ must certainly have had a bad relationship.
Neither ~~can~~ ^{did} I ~~going to~~ try to prove or disprove. For
you and I alone know the answer. Oh, it was
said I did not want to let you go from my ^{mother's}
apron strings, for little do they know, how and
where ~~you~~ and who you lived with during your
growing up years. I will not try to defend
my love for you to anyone, but you, if need be.
These people are not an important factor in
my life, only you are. I really could go
on and on about many things that we
should have been able to discuss at length,
but since I am sure this as well as your
other letters are read before they reach you I
will refrain. I will say this though. I'm going
to make another trip this way so that you
and I can talk, if you wish, and if you
are permitted to come. In January, I will let
you know exactly when I will come to Trinidad
will you come? That is, will you be permitted
to come? I will come for 2 weeks, especially
and only to talk with you. I'm coming in
January, because I understand you allegedly
are starting to school in Feb. I may allege I
because you were suppose to start to school
in September. So I can only speculate
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on they have your life outlined for you. I say outlined because a couple of things were also brought out to me that apparently you have knowledge, concerning you. I'll let that rest

Let me know the exact date, you're alleged going to start to school and I will schedule my vacation accordingly. Please let me know well in advance (as soon as possible) so that I can assure my vacation. If this ~~matter~~ meeting can not be arranged, I'm sure we won't ever meet again. This hurts me more deeply than you can ever realize. For I will not be returning to Jonestown ever and from your answers to me, you won't be coming back to the U.S. So if that's the way it's to be, I'll have to accept it. I have ~~not~~ choice but to accept. We've tried to raise you to be a strong independent woman and Hope you can be that in Jonestown

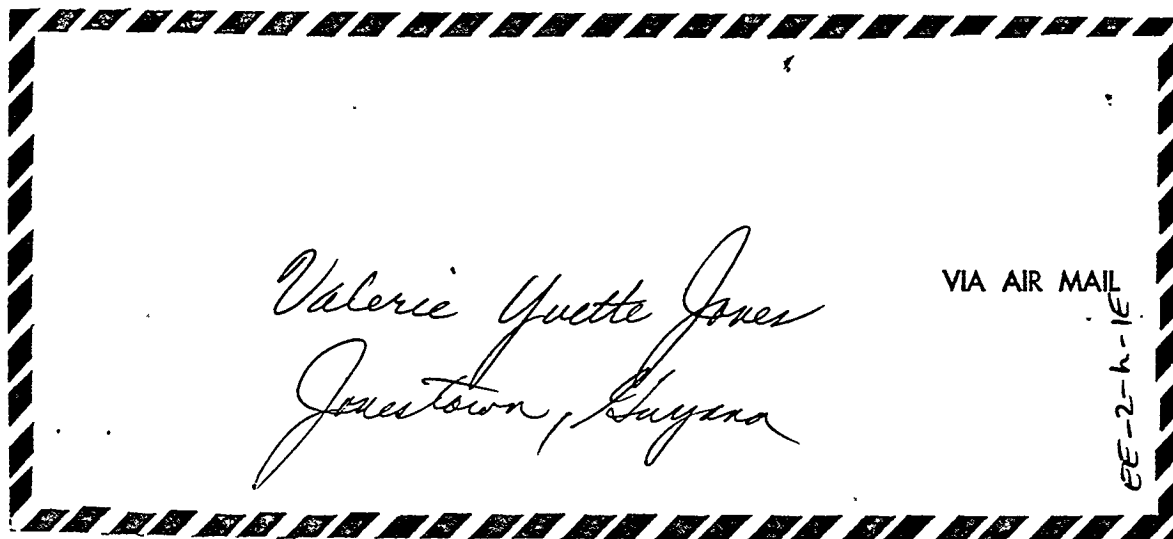
Well I guess I'll close now you are probably tired of reading. I do have so much more I had wanted to say to you. But all I will say is this Val, my daughter I love you very intensely and hope that the saddest days of your future, be no worse than the happiest days of your past. Write if you can and wish

(on turn over)

Your mother (?)
Kelma Jones

P.S. If you are ever in real need write to me in my complete name or your brother's name. EE-2-h-1c

I'm going to Houston ^{today} and I'm going to
ask my brothers, your uncles (?) Julius
~~and~~ Richard to come and visit you, if they
will. If they feel my opinion about
the place is wrong, I will be at peace,
if not I will be heavily burdened as I
am now.



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Jim,

I sent a letter to my mother at the last minute before Terry Buford left. I had Sarah & Terry clear it. I also sent a picture of myself & Kamari. Sarah said the letter was good & positive. I won't do it again.

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Tell Hazel and Herbert hi!

If you don't throw this away
at least put it away in a safe place in
my loft. I don't trust your house
to hold my feelings
in

EE-2-4-3A

Well I guess I still have more to say. ~~xx~~ If you knew that I thought I was pregnant why didn't you ever try to come to talk to me at the radio and see how I was doing. The more I think the more I figure out why you did what you did to me. Tell Leslie to send me a letter with somebody too and she can explain this to me I trust her more anyway. I use to trust you but I don't see why I should do that now. Also tell her to send my suitcase back to me, maybe she can send the letter in that wrapped up in something then I'll be sure to get it, as long as ~~xxx~~ she gives ~~it~~ it to someone to bring well I guess that you don't want ~~to~~ to hear whatever else I have to say it's probably not effecting you anyway ~~you~~ you have no doubt kissed off whatever I ~~am~~, could be or was and tried for something better in your mind and no doubt this is all a waste of ~~0~~ ~~own~~ time but don't you think after what I gave - not body etc. ~~and~~ my honesty, concern, and my love - (which was not enough) that you at least should try to explain yourself in some way, I don't think it's asking to much if it is just forget it. Tear this shit up when you finish reading. I must be a fool or easy sucker cause

I thought some way some how it could've worked out but I was wrong and now I understand I didn't have that much to offer you. And whatever you had to offer you didn't want to and I can accept that for whatever the hell it is and I ain't going to act no fool or bother you etc. I ain't laying no trips no where cause maybe you did it and it was my fault. I don't know but I want to. But don't worry I won't bother you. If it don't fit don't force it and I can definitely let it go. Take care of yourself and be good. Monique said hi! I wish the boat would leave so that I wouldn't add on to this letter everyday I say I won't and I do anyway! I guess I explained all of this stuff happened to me before. I don't know if you knew it I was pregnant and Tom went with her. And she knew it and I've hated her every since and still do. If nothing else pride wouldn't let me go back with you after you approached her. Yes I'm pissed and upset and I want to understand. You had all of these plans moving in etc. What were you doing trying to fuck with my head? I guess you don't understand the word loyal if I sound bitter, I am but I'll just drop it at that and quit harrasing you. work for Dad and Socialism ~~EE-2-1-5B~~

I hope that you do, if not now find somebody who you
can be faithful to and who will be faithful to you. I
know its crazy you really shit on me. But I did like you
I know I was to weak but may be somebody else and you
can hit it off may be one day it will be shanda!

to respect me. So as soon as I left you
just ran over me right? I'd appreciate
some response to that one. I was very
honest about myself with you and I thought
you were with me but now I see that I
was wrong on a one way street. Now you've
answered your question who was going to break
us up. And you were so worried about me
liking Jim, I wish I could then I wouldn't
have to, never mind. Anyway I know you
hate me etc. or whatever. But if nothing
else I think you owe me some type of
explanation. When I get back I want
to talk to you if we have anything to
say to each other. (which will be as soon
as my replacement comes in on the Albatross)
Until then I'd appreciate a letter explaining
yourself in some way. Here are some letters
sent to you. Send me an answer with

I wrote
on one?
sorry
hub?

Sweelyn or Lisa when they're about to get on
the boat to give to me. If you don't send a
letter cool, I won't bother you, now or when
I get home. If you ~~do~~ do we can talk
only because I want to understand what
I did wrong and I'm still going to go
my way. I think being a lone is fine
for me and you took the first step to
make it that way. I heard you were on security
good, work hard for Dad because he's the
one who deserves your best and that's all.

EE-2-1-3C
Sender

Cleveland. Here is a piece of paper & pen. W/B "

I don't know if you have received any of my letters but I know you'll get this one. My first letter I told you how

much I missed you, my ~~thru~~ second one

told you how much I hated you

and Leslie's told how much you

hurt me etc. First thing I want

to clear up is I'm not pregnant.

Second thing is I want you to go

ahead and do what ever you want

to do with who ever you want to

do it with you don't have to wait

to see what I say or if I'll object

you can take somebody to the committee

with my blessings. Third thing is

you can take the things out of

my loft if you want them back or

you can wait until I get there. I

want you to know at first I was

shocked and hurt when I heard that

you had approached Shamela and asked

her to go to the committee with you

and to fuck you. I didn't understand

why you would just do that to

me knowing that I thought we were

together and I was being loyal to

you. I didn't think I had done

anything to deserve this. But I

realize I was weak and I let you

take advantage of me, you didn't have

you told me
not to believe

what I heard
until I ask

you. And
I'm doing

just that
be honest

I heard
this from

a reliable
source.

EE-2h-~~HR~~
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I worked nights in the mine which
helped immensely. Work so all that
makes me worth it. Why I came
to be without protest & I feel that
I have been a valuable unit because
of this my first marriage & children
maintained & I felt that I was
helping to support one of the workers
of the mine. I never let up with
OS & I think I was there apparently
I never let up with the work
I did not let up at all
I did not let up at all
I did not let up at all
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London and London and then I will
couldn't do anything - might be wrong
I cannot see for anything I don't
mean PS just in case London the
work. At least I remember I visited
I could present yesterday - mostly
exhibiting I couldn't handle it. By the
way, I presented some Shakespeare with
a note I put in your box - I don't know
how to get it. I like working - it's
been even today than handle it.

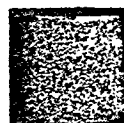
Dear "Dad"

Check brace on Nell Smart arm it may
be hiding a device. I would like to explain
to you of the things I saw David & Nell did
what I saw. that is what made me watch
everything close I am sorry Dad but I
am watch every thing I don't trust. When it
come to you and your Fannie Jordan
life I don't want anything
happen to you. forgive me please
Dad if I am wrong Thank you Dad

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Go "Dad"
(Important)

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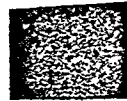
TO: DAD
FROM: Lee

- I CONCUR W/TERI ABOUT LIL

LAST NITE WAS NO DIFFERENT THAN ANY OTHER, COULDN'T SAY ANYTHING CIVIL TO HER. AFTER FINISHING TRAFFIC SAID 'TAKE CARE' SHE RESPONDED 'I WON'T FALL INTO A MANHOLE'.

- MESSAGE THAT WAS GIVEN WAS SO IMPRACTICAL + ILLOGICAL TO HER YET MARTHA UNDERSTOOD IT + HAD NO PROBLEM W/IT. AS SWIFT AS LIL IS SUPPOSED TO BE WHY ADMIT OVER THE RADIO THAT LEGAL ACTION WILL BE TAKEN AGAINST US. STRANGE -

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MINISTER

- CARMICHAEL WAS DEFENSIVE OF US. AT MTG. IN KAITUMA THIS AFTER-NOON HE WAS ASKED WHY "OUR FRIENDS IN JONESTOWN HADN'T VOTED IN REFERENDUM - HE SAID THEY ARE ALL REGISTERED BUT HAVEN'T YET SATISFIED THE YEARS FOR CITIZENSHIP. HE WENT ON - IT'S NOT A MATTER OF THEM NOT WANTING TO VOTE, THEY DO, BUT HAVE TO SATISFY TIME PERIOD FOR CITIZENSHIP.
- HE ALSO COMMENDED US FOR RENDERING SERVICE OF CUDJOE, HOPES WE CONTINUE SERVICE - THIS ALL DONE PUBLICLY

EE-2-L-6B

To Jim,

I found this & did not want to throw it away because I thought it might inspire some or let some people know a little too Lynette thought & championed your truths. It certainly inspired me this morning. Thank you for being our leader, Thank you Lynette for keeping you from fascists for us. Thank you for all the great heroes such as Lynette & the Rosenbergs for their character in the struggle.

My first inclination is to say I can't relate to Diola's thoughts on elitism because right now I'm in the right frame of mind (being grateful as I always should be but am not). But I can I have often rationalized my own pittingly of slight discomfort, to justify my anarchy my total insensitivity to other people, my taking special privileges. I justify that I've earned these things, I haven't bothered you too much ~~so I deserve it~~ compared to other people so I say I deserve it. I have felt self righteous that I never wanted a fuck from you, but then to see I am a sick ~~anxiously~~ clinging child who constantly needs your approval of trust. When Pebbie left I intellectually knew you shouldn't or couldn't trust anyone, but to suppress my own responsibility in the matter I began to rationalize my negativity saying "I should be trusted I should be involved with strategies I was just as good or better than most of who

EE-2-h-7A

Jim!
From: Terry

I termed "elitist" in the radio room, when whatever I might have been seeing was me! Then you jarred me (as much as I hated it but you spared me from the floor) that I was asking for trust when I too, as folk put it should have been shot for feeding the negativity of one of the most malicious defectors. That I too have that ~~defector~~ ^{defector} in me. I still want to say to myself I couldn't have been more responsible than anyone else, but I am and thanks to you I can use it to start to recreate & be productive for Communism. It hurts to realize I have for so long wanted your approval rather than just doing things because it's right. because its for struggling for oppressed people.

I couldn't relate to going back to the states, I couldn't make it nor do I want to make it, but until just shortly did I feel the real struggle (and it is feeling too little) for others of the world. I had the conscience of being perfectly contented with building socialism for just us & then gogans could follow & evolution could come from here. But this is what the news has done for me, made me think & deal w/ suffering of others deal with that I certainly don't deserve this socialism more than they. Thank you again for not shooting me - I know your love but I took for granted. In fascism the cause of a defector plus the defector gets shot.

TERRY
EE-2-L-7B

meditation Nov 3/1972

Perhaps it does afford some comfort to the victim of a nagging conscience to seem to have had a REASON, however false, to justify in some small way the evil wrought against his fellowmen. Thus evasion leads to obsession and the outward manifestation is harm to downgrade those who have done him or her no harm.

It is unwise to sponsor "peace" while promoting discord such as "watch J, she is up to no good" and when the listener protests that he has seen no dirty work being done by So + So - (Jones) the peacemaker counsels, sagely "wait and see. So + So will undermine you just like she did me." Time passes, sometimes years of time and the prophesy remains unfulfilled. Who could BLAME "So + So," then, if the warned started "watching" the author of the warning - only to find that it was she who was doing the dirty work she had been accusing "so + so" of doing and that So + So had not undermined her in the first place.

EE-2-h-7C

I have never seen love, favor, friendship or condition of things or numbers of persuaders with which I would not dare

dare to differ in defence of "Right".

I could not quarrel with the color of person, animal or thing for I have gazed too long upon the sweet enchantment of God's universal decor and listened too well to the wail of the abandoned and the oppressed whose color, often, did not match mine, but whose pain was no less for ALL THAT

And color reminds me, tonight, of the bastard word "nigger", spun off from the word "niggard" which rolls so glibly from the tongues of the ignorant and the uncaring. 'Tis strange that ALL the niggardly I have met have been "WHITE".

Meditation Nov. 4 - 1972

Wonder why some folk thinks I am "not aware" of their part in the late attack on James and the Churchmen? Or that I would have been too stupid to have documented my findings; all along, Lurid story tho' about the big "Black Nigger" looming up to challenge her in the drive way of this so-called well armed hide-a-way -- (after midnight --) as she innocently rode with the Bell-Weather of the (so-called) Questionable Flock -- and ^{no} doubt

5/28/78

Dear Dad,

I apologize for taking up ~~the~~ your time and the people's time just to get my shit together. Also I thank you for giving me a chance to change and to grow. I'm going to work on myself and I'm going to study hard in electricity and refrigeration. I'm going to use my head for the cause.

Thank you Dad,
Janice Johnson
EE-2-k-8

To: Dad
From: Clara Johnson

*P.S. I think
Oreen should be
checked for a gun.
She loved her gun.

May 24, 1978.

Dear Dad,

Before I came here, I made two statements that I think I should mention to you. You may have heard about them from others but I feel that I should report myself for saying these things.

① Once I said, "My mom + my children are already in Jonestown, I don't care if I ever get there. They mean more to me than anyone else and as long as they're safe, that's what matters to me."

I was "upset" at the time but I know the feeling had to be deep seated in me or otherwise I would not have stated such a negative unsocialistic thing. I should never have been only interested in my relatives being here but should be deeply concerned about others who want to come here.

EE-2-1-9A

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② The second thing that I said shortly before leaving L. A. was stated when I thought I was under a lot of pressure. Vivian Anderson, Mercedes Guildry (who are here now) Green Poplin, & the Medlocks were giving me hell in those days. I was in the process of packing all of my things that I had planned to bring over here at that time but had not finished packing.

On that particular Saturday morning, Mabel Medlock came to visit me again and I suddenly felt as though I had to get away fast. She made me so angry that I left the room and went into the bathroom and started crying (I didn't want Mabel to see or hear me crying, I called Kay Nelson and said that I couldn't take it

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any longer and had to get away. She suggested that I call S.F. and tell Sandy how I felt. I did. I told her who was upsetting me and why. I felt that I had to get away fast. I really think I was stupid enough to think that if I came here and returned that I could help in L.A. and on that particular day I told Sandy that I was not ready to come and stay here but wanted to come here and if I could not come right away, I was going to go some where. I really was crying for help at the time. I realize, ^{that} now, in fact, I realized that before I left but never thought about writing you about it. If I had really wanted to leave P.T. I don't think I would have called and let others know

EE-2-1-96 (over)

that I was planning to leave. I also told ^{my} later what I had planned to do. I can see now that it was all very selfish and stupid of me and I'm really sorry that I let myself get in that rut. I do remember saying to Sandy that I couldn't get my things packed and needed to return to take care of that & several other things. I spent a lot of time helping Mercedes, Vivian & Owen and did not organize nor use my time the right way. So all of a sudden, I found myself running out of time. I really thought, felt, and acted like a fool. I realize that now. But — it was not my intention to leave P. T. I really wanted to get away from the sisters I mentioned and my relatives (aunt) in Texas who telephoned 2 or 3 times a week.

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I really wanted to come here but at the same time, I was afraid. Being the kind of mom that I've been and still is - I was afraid to be too near my children. I was afraid that if I were not very careful, I would somehow ~~begin~~ ^{try} to interfere with their lives. I had seen some of the mistakes that I had made before and was concerned that I would mess up a gain. However, my desire to be here was stronger so I wanted to come.

Dad, I feel ^{so} guilty about not being able to stay until it was the right & best time for me to come. I didn't give that any thought ^{at all} I let my emotions rule me and that was so wrong. I did miss my mom and the children very much but that

EE-2-4-9E (over)

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was no ~~excuse~~^{excuse}. Nor was there any
excuse for me to let the lies, I was
beginning to hear in L.A. before I left,
affect my thinking at all. I should
have worked harder than I did - helping
our cause. I would not have had so much
time to think about myself then. After
Tom and I separated, the children & I were
constantly together. That was bad for me and
bad for them also. I never received affection from
my mom and I guess I really never knew
how to show affection without interfering. I
can see I have a lot to learn. I feel so guilty
about my actions. I never thought about what
you were going through at all. I didn't know
about Stoen and other problems before I came.
I had told Johnny Jones that I would
be in Steering Committee meeting Monday night but
didn't attend because I wanted to see the films
and go to the News Class that night. I'll attend
from now on.

I thank you, Dad. EE-2-1-9F



EE-2-h-10

Dear Dad,

I would like to request again some form of isolation from the general community. I cannot go about my daily business without meeting head on with someone paranoid about food sometime during the day - even when my contact is innocent - tonight Grover was dropping his food so I took his orange and held it. Joyce Touchette took it from me asking me for the other things which I took from Grover's plate (which was nothing). So from now on Grover's food can go in the mud before I can try to help him (which makes no sense to me). I am still upset about being found guilty of taking the 12 sandwiches. What upsets me (Or at least one of the things) is that if I had taken the 12 sandwiches and confessed I'd not have gotten any sentence. What have I learned? I didn't want to learn that.

I don't expect that I'll be able to stay out of trouble with this going on. It's like I said in the meeting the other night, Sometimes you want to go away for a while so the hell that you are in (trouble) can blow over so it is better when you come back. I really identified

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with Ricky when he ran off. I found myself thinking "If I had known he was going to run..." But before noon I was feeling so guilty for thin thinking that I was in tears. Anyway, back to the subject. I think a reasonable time is until I weigh 125 to 135 lbs. I will accept work on Public Services, as long as I can do my night work in the Nurse's office. Or perhaps I could work on the project of the house where people could go for some solitude, not coming into the city at all until a certain time at night, after dinner. It is very difficult for me to cope with the attitude held by many people right now and I truly believe that I will be accused of taking food until I am forced on PS by public pressure

Thank you, Dad

Sm. [unclear]

EE-2-k-11B

Dad,

I'm sorry to be bothering you again but I know that you know I have been talking to Cleveland since I got home and if you didn't know I wanted to tell you. When I was talking to him explaining to him what was happening with me, why I had not talked to him on the radio etc. When I told him about what he had done to Shanda he denied it and said he'd rather get with her and you to clear this up because he hadn't said anything like that to her. He said the only time they had talked she had made some smart ass comment about me as a bed partner or as somebody's bed partner. Maybe she was lying or misunderstanding something when he talked to her. Or maybe she lied altogether personally I'd believe the latter knowing how much I dislike her and vice-versa. Anyway he said he was going to talk to you about it tonight.

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hope that he does. And whatever happened gets cleared up. I like him and I know it's probably wrong by everybody else's standard but if he didn't do it I don't see what's wrong with it. I apologize for writing those stupid ass letters to Leslie and Cleveland. I'm glad that they didn't get them. I was upset, paranoid etc. when I wrote them. I imagined everything was happening here. As far as everybody thinking I should confine in Ava I think or know I wouldn't or couldn't because she has been too hypocritical with me about not liking him or whatever so I just don't do it. She says one thing to me but does another thing in front of people. But I'm glad that she's not on my side. I did try to make up for being a fool by trying to work but I knew it's not as much as I should've. I didn't want.

EE-2-4-12B

to be trying to sneak anything
that's why I wrote to you, I rather
have this stuff straightened out.
Because if its just her word against
his I believe his. I've been through
this same situation with her except
I was pregnant and with Tim and
he swore he hadn't done anything.
Maybe he did after all. But I just
cant believe what that girl says.
If its true then I'm wrong. I
also would rather not work in
the radio room splitting up the time
with Shanda. I'd prefer not to be
in touch with her in anyway.
I'd rather just be a house parent
and work in the fields. But if I'm
really needed to be in the radio room
and Larry's office I'll do it because
none of it is half as much of what
you have to put up with.

Thank You,
Dandi
EE-2-L-12C

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 Dad's Analysis
 Alfred James Test July 4, 1978
 Questions Analysis
 Dad: Dad didn't really want to live it
 but he had to do it thought at times
 I like after you give us some general ideas
 Think about your ideas just to see what it would
 be like. I admit that I don't love you cause
 The reason I don't know how to love an I resentful
 I do to authority figures cause they make me do
 These things right but I realize we didn't have authority
 things is cause that we wouldn't have this movement
 I think I admit that I wouldn't go to jail for
 I'm you cause I don't like to be pinned up
 above an as for dieing for you I really don't know
 everyone if I would but I doubt it. an I don't think
 else I could really come to killing myself
 but would have to make someone else
 do it how ever I do want to have a lotta
 together where we all die. Dad I admit
 that I think alot about my self an
 very little of others that I lazy
 resentful to work, an don't like to
 obey orders I realize that I need
 ee-2-13A

Self-analysis on 2007

To Dad from Alfred James



I also help in these areas. Dad I can't say
 belittle I'm sorry for it when I'm really not
 People all's I can say is I'll work on
 it to the best of my ability and I'd
 appreciate any help I can get.
 I also admit that I'm a very
 impatient person who wouldn't tell
 most on some cause it's right but
 just to get back at them and
 I don't appreciate the things
 you've done for me enough.

Thank you Dad from

Alfred James

Dad I'm also disrespectful to senior and
 feel that I don't owe any thing to
 them cause they didn't do any thing for
 me but they did and I think I know too
 much and block my own way to learning and
 I don't want to listen to any one.
 I also want a lot of attention that I
 can't get so I act up sometimes.

Ron Ruby Johnson
Senior Center
Evaluator

Dear Dad,

In my heart, I know I do lots of things + I don't know all of socialism, but I'm willing to learn + willing to be taught all about socialism. To you, you're all I've got.

In my lifetime I wished I had known you a long time ago

I wasted so much time doing the wrong things that if I'd known you a long time ago maybe my life would have been better. I feel useless to you, I'm blind now + I can't help do anything. I have to have people lead me around. You're the kind of person that makes me want to go on living + as far as me wanting to go back to USA, I would never turn against this, I would not have anywhere to go. Where would I go -

I have nowhere to go + nothing to go to. You are pouring your heart out to us + it was once at a time that I was going to just look sick + was going to lose my eyesight + lose my job + I didn't want to live and some-thing made me want to go on living - it was something in you that you said that made me want to go on. Over here one time you gave me something to fight for. I don't know how I can ever thank you - can't ever repay you for my life. but I can't ever stop

thanking you. If something ever happened to you + mother, I'd be lost. You're my dream. You saved my daughter's life, + I can't

ever repay you for Ruby's life + I would never turn my back on you. When you told me to leave the U.S. they asked me who was the President + I couldn't ever think of his name - I forgot his name. I'm trying so hard to learn things now.

(we don't have any) socialism teachers now and I'd like to learn more. What I think of Jim Jones couldn't be expressed in words.

There's no one else. After you there is no one. I could go no further. I couldn't even to Mother, because she's so sweet, so love + so precious - couldn't find the dearest + dearest

people because you couldn't leave her out - she's right
in there with you ~~doing what~~ she's carrying the ball with
you - I'd had to say something about her too. I'm very proud
to have a sweet & loving mother like her.

I'm really sorry about a lot of unnecessary junk I bought
in the states, because if I had the money look what we'd have had
here.

About a 8 hour day, we are not ready for money. You
have to have something ahead to do this. also if we are not
producing at 10 1/2 hours, how can we produce at 8 hours? In 8
hours not a much would get done! We don't even have enough
land cleared for all these people coming.

Thank you Dad, for your protection and your
care and for your love.

Ruby Lee Johnson

Ruby Lee Johnson

EE-2-4-14B

Father.

I thought I'd write a letter to explain my actions so you can understand what I'm doing. Well I start liking Cleveland not to hurt Tim because at the time Tim really didn't care we just knew then everything would be better as long as we were apart. We didn't fuss, I could talk to him and vice-a-versa (or at least I thought so) I know everybody kept saying he was no good etc. But I didn't really listen because I've heard that so much about myself

EE-2-L-15A

from just about the same people or their attitudes unless I liked Tim I'd just be this and that so it just drew me closer out of my own hostility to Cleveland. Anyway I was a fool I know and it's not so much that I didn't think it would happen. In fact I wouldn't have been so taken by it if it had been somebody else but it was Shanda. And the same thing happened I was pregnant and Tim wanted Shanda so I just had an abortion by myself and she knew too. But that's one reason I was upset or surprised...

That girl is just my carma I know that.
EE-2-h-15B

Anyway I don't mind etc. that's life so
I don't let it effect me. I'm sorry I let
myself get into this predicament I know
I'm a disappointment to you and you're
upset. I expect that. I want to go to the
doctor etc. by myself because if I am
pregnant I got this way by myself. And I
expect everyone to be upset with me and.
I don't need comforting etc. I'm fine.
As far as me going with Tim I know
everybody says I'm making a mistake
I probably am but I don't really believe
it in my mind. I don't blame anything
on Tim it's me. But we agreed so much

EE-2-h-15c

I know everybody does and the last
few weeks we were almost physically fighting.
I know Tim didn't mean any harm etc.
but he has always reminded me that
I wouldn't done this or got that if I
hadn't have been married to him which is
no doubt true but my only identification
of myself was through him, of course he
told me I was smart etc. I don't hate him
maybe it's just a block or something I
only want to be friends with him because
that's only what I feel and anything else
would be a lie. I know I'm not worth
anything without him or ^{at} least not half
EE-24-15D

as much. I'm not trying to hurt him or
get back at him because I don't have
anything to get back at him for. And
since Cleveland made his choice fine he
can go it's no big thing. But I don't
want any relationship with nobody. I
may be wrong but I made up my mind.

Tim can have a relationship with somebody
else maybe sooner or later. ~~but~~ I want him
to be happy and his relationship to be happy
I'm sure he will be. I just want to have
my life without males. As far as this lab
goes I'd like to come home and get Monyelle
settled and be able to study there for a while

EE-2-h-15E

and then come back to do it. I'd like to
get familiar with the subjects before
trying to learn something that will
take longer. I thought I was to learn
blood typing, crossmatching etc. for transfusion
and he sent me a list of everything else
except that. I don't want to appear all
ignorant when I'm trying to learn
something I can't pronounce. I'd also like
to get Monyelle's and Marchelle's birth certificates
and passports. Then I'll come back to G.T.
I think it will take 2-3 months here
and I'd rather have Monyelle in J.T.
I'm sorry to be taking all of your time
EE-24-15E

2-7-78 - people who thought 10 man might do what they did

① Ollie Smith -

Eugene Smith - "dick" -
Joe Gram - People want to get away - on bridge you don't have to talk - except you have freedom to talk - accumulate time off & be able to take a day or two off to get into whatever they want to do

Becky Flouris - people can't take pressure & confrontation

Angela Cassanova - people take advantage of your love

Edith Cullen - Teenagers don't feel they have to place in society - run down by adults - not enough challenge for young people. Intelligence without challenge the school gives

Bessie Widley - people do not participate enough - take you too much for granted - named especially

Victoria James, Willie Lewis, Floa Landrum, Thelma Jones, Eliza Jones - They don't listen when you giving

the new set of tape is on. Also Aula Ludden, Betsy Miller

Carrie Plummer, Mary Ellwood

Pauline Grant said she felt she wanted to run into

the "house" to be alone because she felt she was

not liked or wanted around. Divided people into

2 categories ① those who pick on her & tease ② those

who saw this & did nothing about it. She also liked

the no talking rule in P.S. feels it is a protection

from the cruelty of people. Praised a supervisor for

stopping a child from teasing her & said that was

the "kindest act" she'd ever experienced. Asked if

she liked children - reply she likes ones who are quiet

reserved & inhibited. Threatened by those uninhibited &

outspoken.

Jackie Lockelle - feels ^{own} pride will overtake us when we

can't take pressure.

Jimmy Cardell - feels people are spoiled - complain about

kind of work they do, feel they're hostile about news &

what your expectations of us are. People think it's

too hard to be a communist.

Greg Connolly - people won't make changes & want to

do their own thing - get out of fire.

Edda Thompson - says young people waiting their chance to

see if someone makes it home then they will try to make it.

BB-21-16A

② Earnest Jones - lack of concern - ~~and~~ destruction of property -
Robin Schetter - people "think" about leaving because they think they had it better off in the state
Deborah Jones - ~~poor~~ like structure & criticism, not enough sensitivity to get ego out of the way & realize what it will do to others
Margaret Loman - not content with their surroundings, should respect others feelings. She felt she didn't get enough personal attention, that was her motive for wanting to leave at one time. Rides full of fear of rejection
Marion Kinglsey - people who try to justify their discontent - in their own paranoia don't assume enough guilt & wants to escape guilt
Joanne Johnson - worried about own self image after confrontation - hostility
Gyenia Peal - people dissatisfied & unhappy
Lack of concern for others
Aria Carter - as long as nuclear war hasn't hit, people are always going to want to go back. They think there's still something there for them. She's willing to work to make Georgetown go
Lana Barbara Hoyle - she didn't think there's for 10+ who be foolish enough or naive enough to go into jungle just maybe back to states
Sam Bradshaw - potential traitor in all us & we all have a price of sell out
Mike Carter - people don't face reality of world situation, self centered, might get depressed & do something stupid, no matter how it affects others
Carolyn Doonan - agreed with most reason given already - People don't understand the dialectic or the principle of positive & negative
Mike Demore - people like their own way & will rebel against principle - like comments during people's confrontation causes paranoia that they can't deal with
Lenny Silver - doesn't think the youth are thinking about leaving but the older ones think the youth are strong due to structure. She feels she is

③ basically a coward. Their sick paranoia & rejection causes them to run. Feel confrontation is a punishment not a help. ^{strenuous to deal with} Mercedes Guidry - had some experience as a family member. doesn't think Ricky is the worst, but around close.

Janita Green ^{people} don't want to follow leadership & want to get off to themselves

Larry Schecht - is capable of defecting but not exactly what Ricky did.

Nick Hopp - people aren't capable of coming out of animalistic state; unable to take confrontation

Quality of community; need for privacy - own space -

Tendency in humans to want to see what's on the outside in spite of warnings. want to test limitation they have to live within. Might see more in future

Kathy Jackson - need to watch the "way" people want to leave. Such as diversionary act of gun shot.

Ornel Stales - Ricky didn't speak to her when she spoke to him - Young people hang & don't work.

Vera Tally - loves it here, feels youth needs to be taught how to work.

Gladys Roberts - loves it here doesn't want to leave
Tom Rice Jr. - Thinks prospects of new city is good.

BB-24-16C

Carlynn - These are the people who spoke to
night and their statements. Dad wanted me
to take down each of their statements.

July

BB-2-4-16D

Dad ^{from} Ava

I made a statement today about me wearing my shoes tracking manganese in my house. Also I said it made the Pavilion look messy, when it rained.

I didn't hear the decision or discussion about covering the road during Peoples Rally.

I agree it is much safer and considerate for everyone.

If I would have known about the discussion I would have kept my mouth
EE ~~2-12-17A~~

shit. I apologize for
saying anything, too
late.

I agree with the
decision and
In fact, I have
said that you don't
slide with it on the
road and it was much
safer carrying babies.

EE ~~118~~-2-k-17B

from Tim Jones

23/8

I feel that Val, don't want to see her mom, she has told me a lot of times. She feels ~~embarrassed~~ ashamed of her, and thinks her mom will make trouble for J.J.

I don't know Val mom really I met her a couple of times (friendly). I don't wish her here because I feel that maybe in some way Val has feeling for her. Val said one reason she hated her mom was that she didn't stay in ~~to~~ the ~~hosp~~ hospital the time of her operation.

by her mom having all
of the money she has I
would think that she may
have sold out and come to
spy on J. By no means I
have no interest in seeing
val mom. and I don't think
val wants to see her also. val said
that her mom, don't have the money.
and val said that she won't do want
she been told so, she will have to
be talked to about this
right now I am going to talk
you to her & do want you
Ray said, for that reason only.

Jim Jones (N. J. H.)
EE BB-2-4-18

from Val Jones

23/8

I do not want my mom coming. In my whole 20 yrs of life I only spent about 3 yrs with her. I think I am better off without her. I don't know where she has gotten all this money to travel around with. I wouldn't put it past her to be paid off by the C.I.A. To me she's the most ~~vulnerable~~ vulnerable in my family. I will not leave w/ her. I'm living the way that I want to live and she has no business interfering so soon. I wouldn't mind if she came maybe a year or 2 years from now. But coming so soon and I've only been here ^{about} 5 mos disturbs me. She's never been this concerned about me before and as far as I'm ~~concerned~~

concerned she can skip by Guyana
and go on her way because the
gone mine.

Valerie Yvette Jones

EE-2-k-19B

Dear Jim

I wanted to tell you, (not that you need such statements, but I felt this way so am putting it in writing) how painful it is to hear about the cancer cells in your lungs. I have learned to carry on ~~on~~ without your direct presence but I always can take for ~~grate~~ granted that you are there with all your burning commitment to us and to communism in the world.

I vow my commitment to ~~me~~ what you have stood for so long despite the fact that my commitment is such a emerging imperfect one compared to your complete egoless commitment.

I thank you for your never failing love and for letting me learn to leave immature dependencies aside (not that I claim any tremendous maturity) but I have learned that attachments in this world ~~are~~ lead ~~nowhere~~ nowhere either for the individual or society.

I especially appreciate the trust you have put in me over the years so that I have grown. I know this sounds like an epithaph (sp?) and I don't mean it to be but the PM says that we often ~~don't~~ tell our appreciate to people until it's too late, and on that I agree with him.

Thanks again, and I deeply hope that your condition can be treated. I know that is selfish as you have served past any expectation of a ~~me~~ human being or even any notion of a savior, but I am selfish in wanting you around.

Sharon

Sharon

EE-2-4-20

7-11-78

Dad,

I am guilty of having an elitist attitude that I'm very ashamed of. I'm happy that Dick Shroppe wrote that letter to you because it has helped me to understand my attitude. I have been very worried about some of the thoughts that have run through my mind even though they were foolish. I suppose this is something that happens and now instead of pushing those thoughts back, I can bring them out and take a good look at them and deal with them. To admit ~~to~~ my elitist attitude will not be enough, I must correct it starting now. I am making my commitment now - I will stand for Socialism even if my children should fail to stand. This is the only real thing that has ever made sense to me. In the past I have not understood the reason we did some of the things we did but I said to myself, "I'll follow even though I do not fully understand." Because

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I've never known Dad to be wrong and
my conscience would haunt me forever
if I refuse to do my part and later
realize how wrong I was. I feel better
now that I decided that. I am certain
that I do not wish to return to the
U.S.A. I want no part in that
Capitalist - Imperialist Country that
has killed Blacks & other poor people
all over the world. I feel extremely
guilty about the money I wasted
that went to support racism, CIA
murders, wars & etc. I am going
to work harder than ever before to
prove my sorrow because it is right
to work, it is right to care, it is
right to help. Bring about socialism
in the world beginning here in Jonestown.

Thank you, Dad,

Clare John
EE-2-k-21B

Jim,

I am really sorry about falling asleep in the Radio Rm. last night. I caught most of the conversation, but please don't think I'm not concerned. Like I said before, "use me." I cannot sit down for 1/2 hr. before I fall asleep. I fell asleep in the movie & with the guest yesterday. I don't know exactly what I'm taking but it really effects me. I feel awful, I am concerned about our future. I'm sorry

Shanda James



EE-2-h-22

Jim,

Sorry about Prokes & Stephanie. Hope I didn't cause more problems for you. I really think Prokes went about it wrong but it's too late now.

I'm willing to say or do anything to change it or fix it. I didn't know Stephanie was coming on to you. I know other - other persons, so, I'm to blame.

Shanda

EE-2-1-23

20/1/23/2023

Sept 5
Tues.

Pat Keeler is another person I'm suspicious of. Shortly before I left S.F. Pat made the following statement in council and several times after being counsiled:

"I hate all of you.

I don't want to be here. I'm just waiting for my money then I'll leave this place." She had been keeping company with Don Javier, who created division between Pat and Margie, his black wife, whom he seems to dislike. When you sent a message to us in S.F. "if you have doubt and no faith do not take the cloth", Pat was one of three people that I observed who did not

EE-24-24A

take that cloth.
Pat comes and goes at
all times during the night.
She says she's not afraid
because she knows a lot
people in the area. She's
been observed talking to
outside brothers, ^{white on security} especially
the guys who worked on
renovating the apt. building
across from our back lot.
She became upset when
advised by A.J. that this
was unwise - as we're ~~never~~
never sure of what we might
say. She said she would
be unable to do security if
she were to stop talking to
them.

Frances Johnson

EE-2-L-~~243~~
24B

To: Maria
From: Yina
Re: Kathy Barrett

Merely as a point of information
I thought you might like to know
of a conversation that I had with
Kathy Barrett several days ago.
After the first night she had
worked as a server with the guests
she told me the next day that
Jack Beam had asked her to remain
until they were done to serve Dad
because no one at the table should
be doing it he'd said. At about 12:00
Kathy said she gave everything to
Jack & said she was leaving she had
to get up at 5:00 for work and couldn't
get a replacement on her job if she
stayed so she just left. Joretta
Coomer then told her that she would
work in her place anytime she had
to serve Dad and it wouldn't be any
problem.

This incident may seem like nothing
EE-2-K-25A

From: Cheryl Johnson

presence
10-4-78

Dad,

I wrote you a letter on Monday night after my daughter, Janice Johnson was given a warning by the jury because she had not observed Mark Sly's behavior at a meeting. I wrote & said I thought she should not receive a warning that time but feel that she should have been told that from that time on, anyone not observing those around them would receive a warning. ^{THIS WAS POINTED OUT} ^{OR 2ND SLICES THAT} ^{APPEAR HER ILLNESS...}

I am very concerned about Janice. She is on iron 3 X's a day, was ill with Strep throat & is still on medication for it. Janice has a tendency to being ~~strong~~ frequently depressed. I don't want Jan to grow up feeling about herself as I grew up. She has a very poor self

EE-24-26A

(over)

image in the first place
and I can see her falling
apart again. Janice was
tested when she was quite
young + found to be gifted in
some areas. Her inner conflicts
seem to be holding her back
now. She expressed to me the
difficulties she had before coming
here ~~to~~ being called "black"
darker than her brother + sister + etc.
She cried while telling me all this.
Now it seems that she is constantly
on the floor while Jimmy + her
sister are being praised and I doubt
if this helps her. I am concerned
about her emotional health also. She
had begged to be involved in dancing
+ singing but had not been included.
I feel that my child struggling
+ begging for a chance and it
hurts me to see her growing up
feeling that she had nothing good to
offer - that she is not good. I love you, Dad,
Mum + John

Janice has had a lot of
things to hurt her and she
has managed to live her pain
and I don't think that's good
because it comes out in other
ways. Our only hope is here
in Jonestown and I don't think
want her to feel as though
loved

even here, she can't make
it. I would appreciate it
if she could receive ^{Counseling} ~~Counsel~~
or something. I'm deeply
concerned about Jan. She
holds too much in and ^{Thank you, Dad}
tries too hard to appear ^{strong.} ~~strong.~~
strong.

EE-2-1-26

Did I waste it? I don't know. I
wonder that if I seemed like I
wanted to go with Al cause she kept
asking me what I thought about
it. I'd see her but talk to
her about after she said she
didn't want a relationship.
I'm sorry I wish I had not
said anything I made my self
sick to get into S.C.U. so I could
see her. I wasted a lot
of oxygen that could have been
used on someone who really
needed it. I think what I
meant was by Alfred

James.
At the time that I was highly
up set & I said to my self
if I couldn't handle all that
happening to me I was
going to commit suicide
but it didn't work out
I got in S.C.U.
what I mean is I wanted

company of adults & well
Rhonda is busy most of the time
so she can't spend time with me
& Beverly got sick & was sent to
George Town & she went state side
Guy wasn't much fun Ebon James
Worked from 3 to 11 p.m. so I can't
talk to her & then Rhonda got sick
& I said The Fuck with everything
so I went home & held my
breath, then when I didn't pass out
I quit & went on about my
business. Fell asleep in the pavilion
TO & that when it took
full effect

DAD

5-18-87
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I was in the
afternoon
at the
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at the

RE:

29. 9. 78

Pink - Rpatity
From: Lee

A CHILD HAD DIED A WEEK
AGO OR SO BECAUSE THERE WAS
NO VEHICLE AVAILABLE TO TAKE
CHILD TO PAKERA HOSP. IN THE
RIDGE -

FOLKS WERE CONTENT TO JUST
SIT + LET SHIT REMAIN THAT WAY -
NO VEHICLE FOR EMERGENCIES -

I SPOKE OUT ASKING WHAT COULD
BE DONE TO GET A VEHICLE - WHO
DO WE SEE, WHAT'S THE PROCEDURE -
AFTER A FEW MINUTES THEY WERE
CONVINCED THEY SHOULD PURSUE
THIS + HAVE A DELEGATION CHECK
W/ ADMINISTRATION IN THE RIDGE -

RUSSELL SAID SOME WOMAN
SITTING NEXT TO NURSE WHITE
ASKED IF I WAS TRYING TO START
TROUBLE -

THAT'S IT - FOLKS ARE JUST
EE-2-N-28A

SITTING AROUND IN KAITUMA W/
NO FUEL TO POWER GENERATOR,
AND NO FOOD IN RATION STORE
NOT KNOWING HOW SOON THE GOVT.
BOAT WILL COME IN W/ SUPPLIES.

Pharma

EE-2-h-28B

To Dad

Please forgive me if my statement concerning us going to Russia was interpreted as my being an elitist. I said that "no matter where people go they will always act the same." I never said or thought that we didn't have good people here. I know for a fact that we do. I know a little of their sacrifices and sufferings. I know most have suffered more than I have ever dreamed of. I think the adults have grown as much as they want to. I definitely think the children should be given a chance to grow up in Russia or some communist society.

I think loyalty among the adults and teens, is as long as a fuck. I can't see taking the shit we have brought over from the States to Russia or any where else.

I don't feel that I'm above anyone here or ~~any where else in the world.~~ I guess I feel shitty about my own selfishness and lack of awareness and commitment. The best way to defend that is to strike out at others, which is wrong. I can see how this can be interpreted as being an elitist. I will change this today. I do enjoy the seniors and children, and don't mind dying in order to make their freedom possible.

I hate John and what he represents and I just didn't want my children to remain in the middle of his insanity, and mine. I have talked to Doug Sanders but not on a relationship basis. I'm not a fool and would not jump into a relationship just to get back at John or anyone else. I know all relationships are the same and Doug is married and I would never fuck over another sister unless it was for socialism. I'll discontinue talking to him and the other males I talk to

EE-2-29A

I know people will gossip no matter what happens.
~~if~~ If I wanted a relationship I've got enough sense
to go through the proper channels. and with a single
man. I enjoy Stephanie and Marchelle and the other
children and that's enough. It really does bother
me that every time I talk to a male, they're
either my boy friend or I'm fucking them. I heard
gossip that I didn't even get upset about, that
I had to come to Guyana because I was pregnant
by Sebastain and come over here to have a secret
abortion. I fucked Joe away from Leslie and more
bullshit. It's sad to me that I'm doing all of
this and getting away with it. I really don't care
what anybody says about me because I know myself
and I know what I will and won't do about
life in general.

I'm sorry to take up your time with
Dull shit.

Thank You
Dad

from Ava

EE-2-k-29B

To: DAD

From: Laura Johnson

6 July 78

Re: My response to Dick Tropp's letter

Coming from white, elitist background - I feel is enough to make me constantly schizophrenic - one side close to treason - selling out, living in an illusion that I don't have to relate as oppressed. The other side of me is committed to communist ideals (that is Jim Jones' ideals - the purest form of communism). I have cycles of more one than the other, etc - in spite of my realistically seeing that I couldn't make it under capitalism ever again - some of the illusions persist - kind of like a "sane" person considers at times "insane" actions. I know that if I ever did leave within the first 24 hours, the pointlessness of it all would make me go back to the same escapes I used before - sex, drugs, whatever. I just cannot imagine ever working with assholes like Debbie, TOS - or taking racist positions. For me, the hard part of being a Jim Jones' communist (or at least moving in that direction from a far off point) is that both mind and body have to move - I can physically live postulatively, or follow rules (except for my fucking in Georgetown) share, not complain, stand, sit, clap, work, be on time, etc - those things are generally not my problem. My problem is having to mentally be accountable, to make numerous mistakes and having to be accountable for them, to be accountable for not working as many hours, with as much effort as I know I should - I guess "Conscience" bothers me - it bothers me that it doesn't motivate me like it should. I don't like myself and like less and less as I see my shallowness. About treason - I don't feel I've committed the treason of leaving - I know my efforts are so lax as to be treasonous though. It is clear to me that life outside is a total void - with his last thought of being having intellectuals shot as they no longer have usefulness - I wrote up before - that is why I'd like to carry a bomb in to where TOS or others are and blow us all up. I do know I could do that. I really feel certain that I wouldn't fail in that. In day to day things - I make so many mistakes, I'm not what I should be - that I feel I'd be more useful with the bomb idea. I think I could get myself killed if captured by enemies. I could live through jail - the more diverse kinds of life or death, I have confidence in myself - specific situations with specific responses from me are things I can handle best. I agree Debbie should have been shot before this point - before she left Guyana. I'd ever thought I planned to leave - I would be saying I'd rather die than keep living day to day under Jonestown law - and

I would rather be shot than EVER doing the traitorous things Debbie and others have done - I know I have problems but I am certain that these things are fully integrated into myself - not adaptations but really inseparable -

1. I never want riches to be wealthy to have commodities
2. I never want white associations (if I were outside)
3. I never see capitalism as anything but an oppressive giant
4. I don't trust anyone outside of myself - Only trust Jim Jones and those near him who have been taught so much - Carolyn, Terri B, Maria, Jean B, June, others
5. I know ^{too} people are starving to death daily and in the US as well as other places.

These are just some observations I've made - kind of like VISITATIONS.

Pat Grunnet - She mentioned that ever since she left Tanzania and Peace Corps, she's known she'll go back there sometime - still believes it -

Annie Moore - She jokes alot, always did talk mostly about her job + told funny stories from there, I think she's committed to Carolyn, Kimo, more than Dad - her conversation is rarely about here and now - my own opinion is that she's best off not in Georgetown -

Edith Roller - she's not flexible as a room mate - she gets uptight over disruption of her personal routine

Rita Lenin - her daughters Beth + Mary work nights, spend alot of time at Rita's cottage as does Janet. I think she hasn't freed them enough to be independent. They sleep at her cottage often instead of their own separate cottages - I don't know if its for her benefit or theirs

Peter Wotherspoon and Mikeland - Mike was counselled for telling Shirley Baise that he'd heard gossip about himself, Peter staying around so much together - he was very defensive about his position as a heterosexual, and his function as Peter's supervisor - he was too defensive, I thought - and I think he's probably screaming Peter - may have been asked to keep Peter off children - whatever, if so, he's showing his reservations or rebellion.

Christine Lucientes - has been having news discussions w/ Odell Rhodes, Sebastian Mc Murray - others male + female. There is some sort of friendship or something there - to me, Odell is divisive, anarchistic and plays a game of looking important and more dedicated - does not support authority but strongly and vocally confronts anyone not comarately supporting his.

EE-2-h-30B

Dad 10/6

From: Ava

First of all, I would like to criticize myself.

1. I'm a big-mouth and will confront anyone very hostilely if I think that I'm right. It's also hard to change my mind, if I think I'm right.

2. I have wasted money, time and unnecessary effort in the States, that could have been used for our family.

3. I back off of leadership, mainly because I hate people I think they are phoney and crazy. Also I feel as a Black woman, there is very little respect from the majority of people in J-town. I think the majority of people listen to white women and men before they will a black woman. I think they listen to men over women period, regardless of how much assholes they are. All of this could be over-reactions and paranoial.

4. I hold hostilities and grudges.

5. I'm too critical of others and don't speak up enough. My reason is that I think people won't change. I feel there's hope for the children.

I will work on all of my faults.

I would like for another couple to adopt Marchelle and for John and myself to sign some phony papers without his knowledge. I will still raise her and be responsible for her.

I will then like my divorce. I think John is power hungry and crazy. I think he's playing a phoney Daddy role because his shit is inconsistent and if his love demands something, that's first, responsibilities second, then Marchelle, lastly Stephanie, if he happens to see her.

I think there will be more problems and pain for my children, if he has anything legally to do with them. I think all of the children are the most important thing in life and I will get myself together in all areas to help make their lives better. I respect and appreciate you for showing us communism. Thank-You Dadee 2-1-81

I think a handful of Adults, and Teens should
take the children to Russia or some communist place.
It will be nice to everyone even though I think we
will never know in this life time.

EE-2-4-31B

To Dad

Ever since the incident with Christine and Thurmond I have not really been myself it has put a deep effect on my feelings. I'm fighting it each day but sometimes it gets real hard, because I keep getting flashbacks in my head of what I seen and what she told me about what she and Thurmond did when they suppose to be watching the animals all night and how her best friend knew what was going on and kept on letting it go by. sure I admitt that I have hurt people feelings. ~~cannot stop~~ but there is also a time when hurting peoples feelings come to a stop I guess in one way I had it coming to me things just don't happen they happen just.

When I was growing up in New York I use to always wonder why did the man always beat up on the lady I use to see it almost everyday at least I could say I have never beat up on a girl, I try to beat them up with words.

I think about certain films I saw, like the learning tree how a young black man girlfriend got fuck by a white guy then I think about Sonny Carson when he went away to prison and come back and his girlfriend was fuck by drugs and dope, but the most important thing that comes to my mind is dad when you was sitting in a classroom and how someone drop your girlfriends panties on your desk

EE-2-4-32A

just because you didn't want to have sex
with the girl ~~because~~ because you wanted
to show respect for her.

Dad don't worry I am not going to do anything
stupid because eventually my feelings will
change. I sure did learn that in a relationship
there is a awful big chance of getting hurt
and when you do ~~it~~ hit, it hits like a ton
of bricks.

I know its not the end of the world for
me its the begining believe me when this
does fade away I will damn sure will be
stronger. Dad people should understand
that life is nothing if don't have a cause
to die for. Dad the way I feel now
seem like it will never be the same again
for as long as I lived I will never forget
this incident because it was a part one growing
up

without you from your son
dad this is a cold cruel world
Ricky Johnson

EE-2-1-32B

I FEEL GUILT about a whole
lot of things FOR a STARTER
WHEN WE had to see the
movie about high hitler
EVEN EN KNOWN I SEEN IT
ONCE before I should have
PAYED more attention to
the movie.

AND when I heard about Jim
AUTHOR I STARTED TO FEEL BAD
BECAUSE I SHOULD BE THE ONE
SHITTING THE EXAMPLE AND I FEEL
I'M SHITTING ON THE NAME JIM
I SHOULD JUST CHANGE MY NAME
BECAUSE I'M NOT LIVING UP TO IT
OR TO YOUR TEACHING AND I KNOW
IT WILL MAKE YOU FEEL BETTER IF YOU
KNOW I'M STAYING OUT OF TROUBLE
AND ONE THING I FEEL BAD ABOUT
IS WHEN I GET ON PSK AND I
NO I GET MY SELF INTO TROUBLE
FOR STUPED SHIT WHEN I CAN
USE MY HEAD AND STAY OUT OF
TROUBLE AND TO WHEN I WORK BY
STEVEN AND AS MUCH TIME HE
HAS SPENT WITH I FEEL I'M SHITTING
HIM TO AND ALL THE OTHER BOYS
JIM, JIM ETC AND AND I FEEL GUILT
TO IS EVERY DAM TIME I GET MY
SELF ON PSK AND PEOPLE ARE MADE
AT ME WHAT I MEAN BY PEOPLE
CE-24-33A

~~and what really made me think~~
~~to AI~~

his people my ago I talk
and Bullshit with alot and
to all my Bullshiting I DO
when I shouldn't RE DOING IT
will stop, I fill Quilted enough
about writing this Because
all the other 2,000 OR MORE PAPERS
you make your self READ, I'm going to
change Because for one it is right
and when I get my days over
with I'm going to get out there
and DO RIGHT-

This is all the guilt I have
and will change

BILLY JONES

Billy

JONES

EE-2-L-33B

Dad

Please feel free to call on me for any job assignments, day or night. I know the work load is extra heavy, especially with the key people away from the family.

I am willing to learn new assignments and help in any way possible.

I would also like to read all reports coming in from town and stateside, so I can be aware of what's happening and contribute something.

I will get my ass more on the ball. I do wish you could go somewhere and your daughter get your health care taken care of. Ava

EE-2-1-~~34A~~

34A

I will be a better example.

Also I don't mind helping Maria
go over notes daily and follow
through on telling the people
your responses.

Maria just
just

AVA

From
EE-2-4-34B

To
DAD

12-Oct-76

Dad,

Ava gave me the message from you about becoming a doctor. Thank you so much for your thoughtfulness. However, the research paper I did was info from three different books and I just compiled the info from the 3 into 1 paper. It was certainly no outstanding ability on my part. There are other people who want to become doctors and it would indeed be an honor (and responsibility). I'm 30 years old and have lived most of my life. Perhaps a younger person should be considered.

Faults

- ① I am not above average intelligence
 - ② I generally try to get out of responsibility.
 - ③ There have been times I could have volunteered for things but have not because of selfishness.
 - ④ I could use my time more wisely.
 - ⑤ I have always felt competitive with Joyce P.
 - ⑥ I am not as compassionate or as empathetic as I should be.
- I do appreciate your consideration.

EE-2-L-35 Sharon Jones

Dear Dad I no I done feelist thing back
in the States by buying some Cars and
~~Furniture~~ Furniture all that Drest and Berks
and a lots of Cloths I could have done with
out if I had your teaching like I no now
from your teaching I hate when you talk
about the take and money waste on things we
could have hope the Strave Children in the
world and in Africa that why I am trying to
work so hard to make up for the thing I had
and done that no wasint right, Dad I am
Ashame, Dad.

Thank you Dad.
Carol Ann Jones.

EE-2-1-36

7-12-78

20 Dad

To analyze my self I have moody days and I dont like my self for that. I want to help some time I feel in my mine I cant do it well enough then I let some one else do the job. that is one of my hang up.

I get angry with my self when you tell the news I cant remember what you say long enough to write down that upset me very much. when I get so I cant do nothing I dont want to stay around.

I am so glad you let me be one of your children and I am glad to have a mother like our mother. going to class I am glad maybe I can learn how to read and spell. Dad what I miss in the state I dont really miss nothing. some time I think about my so call sister & brother and wish that a one could see your good work.

Gladys Jackson

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