


note & card sent
7/22/87

9 July 87

Dear Dad:



Enclosed please
find my check (\$25 U.S.)
for renewal of my Western River
membership. Happy to learn
it is operating again.

I am coming to
Bozeman for a week or 10 days
about August 10 - and am
in hopes that Dave will
be able to join me so
he can practice his casting
at "Four Horses". Don
Cotton & I plan to come
right after Labor Day - We
are all looking forward to
seeing you.

The little river that runs through my neighborhood has provided some fun when the conditions are right. Nice rains rising to a Lt. Cahill level. My best fish was 17" - not bad right in the middle of a city of over 5,000,000 people. Thank God they don't all fish, I just wish their kids would get a job or take up golf.

Would you be kind enough to ask Greg to save a copy of your book for me, and I'll pick it up when I come down.

Best regards to all

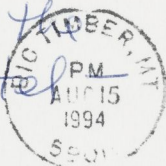
J. L.

We have had a long mail strike - hope this reaches you.



Sunday Night,
Big Timber @ the
Grand Hotel

VOSS INN



Dearest Bud,
Where's the 'CAKE?!!?!?

Theresa, Bob

Carol *[Signature]*

**Voss Inn Bed & Breakfast
Bozeman, Montana**

[Signature]

Bud Lilly
2007 Soundough Rd.
Bozeman MT

59715

A personal note:

Bob, Once again, thanks,
very much for your
support and help.

It's an honor.

All My Best and
Take Care!

Hello to Ester!

A stylized, cursive handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a large loop at the start and a long horizontal tail.

THREE FORKS

MONTANA

At the Headwaters of the Missouri River

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Bud & Ester,

Thanks for your support of
the Headwaters Trail this past
year. Your help was very
much appreciated.

Thanks again,

Gene

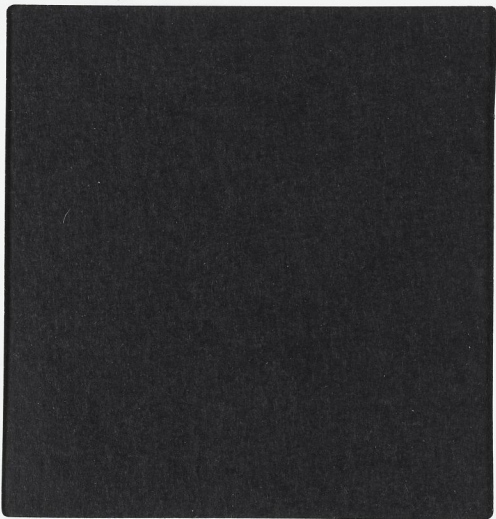
City of Three Forks
PO Box 187
Three Forks, Montana 59752
(406) 285-3431

Mayor of
Three Forks





Happy Holidays



Merry Christmas Bud & to all.
the family. (s)

I sure enjoyed my fishing
with you and Jack this year
Hope all goes well with you
for 88. Try to make it up.
here if you can. Love,
Dave.

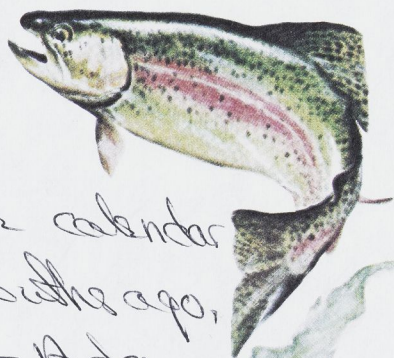


*Best wishes for the holidays
and always.*

Marie Anne & Gene



2/1/85



Dear Esther -

Here's the calendar
I promised months ago,
That's my life - A day
too long or a ~~short~~ short! Hee!

Rec'd the ~~hard~~^{leather} bound paper
today for me to review before
being sent to MK and it's
a good thing. Two mistakes!
So it's back to Sun Lethe to
correct & then have rebound.
What a botched up job they
are doing. This is the 2nd
delay + our 4th rejection!
Oh, to have your "ear" again,
Poor Carrie. I think she dreads
my calls,

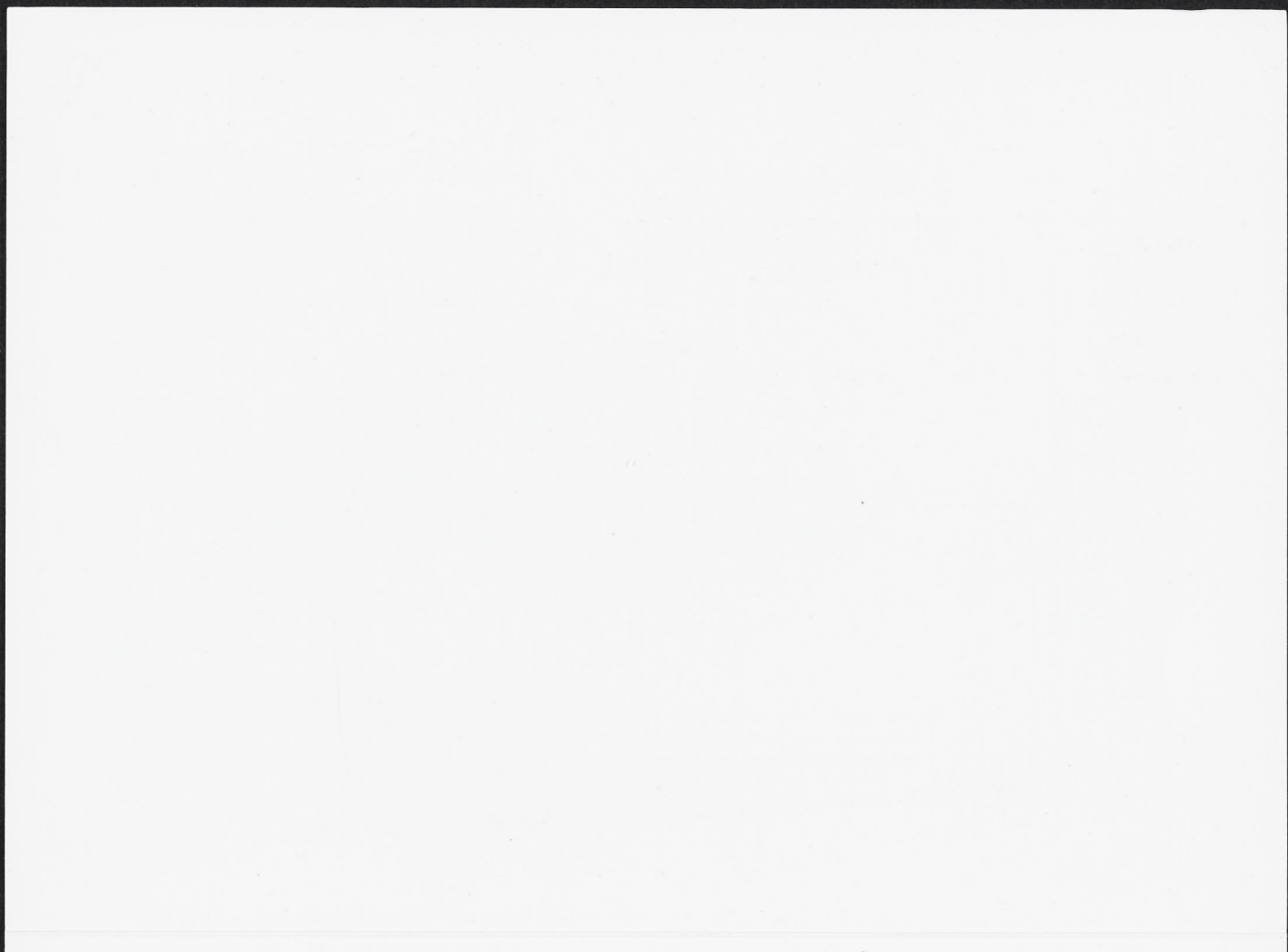
Hope you're feeling better,
I'll call when we get back,
Love Bobbi over -

can you give Bud his photos
back. Sorry about your photo
being so small - it was
accidentally put in the wrong
block + then in the rush
I couldn't change it. As
it turned out, I could have
because Sun Litho never
made their Dec. 1st deadline!
I know I've gotten many
more gray hairs, we
just hope all our efforts are
finally worth it + that
the IFFC made loads
of \$\$. Thanks, especially for all
your help - both of you!

Love again

B.





September 25, '98

Dear Bud and Ester ~

We hope that you'll
enjoy these photos of a
happyst time at your wonderful
hotel and fishing "spot."

Thanks so much for a fun and
an educational time ~

Love
Terry



Yellowstone Bluffs

If stopping in Kiribati, come prepared

Even in the small islands of the central Pacific there lurks an occasional bureaucrat.

The Kiribati government has issued a warning that American visitors without visas will not be permitted to enter the country. Once there, Americans can be admitted only if the US embassy's office in Suva, Fiji issues a special permit to waive the legal requirement.

In North America, visas are available from British consulates for US\$9.60.

Free bicycles available for Tokyo sightseeing

In crowded Tokyo, bicycling may not be the most obvious way to see the city, but a growing number of visitors are taking advantage of the city's many free-of-charge cycling facilities.

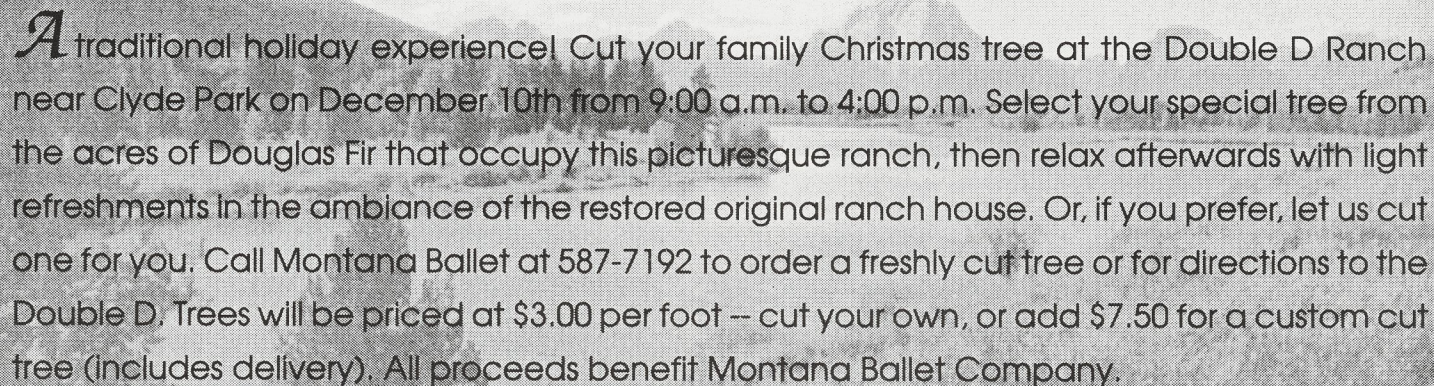
Among the most popular is the *Palace Cycling Path*, a 3.3-mile trip which circles the Imperial Palace grounds. Free cycles are available on Sundays only from 10 am to 5 pm (4 pm during winter).

The *Jingu Outer Gardens Cycling Center* also is open on Sundays (and holidays) from 9 am to 4 pm. Here cyclists ride along spacious public gardens connected with the Meiji

NOV 17 1994

The sugar plum fairy requests the honor
of your presence at Montana Ballet
Company's 11th Annual Nutcracker. This
delightful production boasts live symphonic





A traditional holiday experience! Cut your family Christmas tree at the Double D Ranch near Clyde Park on December 10th from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Select your special tree from the acres of Douglas Fir that occupy this picturesque ranch, then relax afterwards with light refreshments in the ambiance of the restored original ranch house. Or, if you prefer, let us cut one for you. Call Montana Ballet at 587-7192 to order a freshly cut tree or for directions to the Double D. Trees will be priced at \$3.00 per foot -- cut your own, or add \$7.50 for a custom cut tree (includes delivery). All proceeds benefit Montana Ballet Company.

Photo by Fred Decker

FISH ALASKA

KATMAI FISH CAMP



WEEK OF SEPT 4th TO 11th
GOOD TIME TRAVEL - BURBETT, WA.

For more complete information contact:

Tony Sarp
2825 - 90th S.E.
Everett, Washington 98204

(206) 337-0326

ASK ABOUT GROUP RATES

JD LOOZ OR Bob DouTO

JENNIFER
\$430.00



Nonvianuk Lake - Origin of the Alagnek River

Camp

The Katmai Fish Camp on the Branch River (*Alagnek, native name*) is located at the site of an abandoned native fishing village. This is in the heart of the famous Bristol Bay sportsfishing area. Nearby Katmai National Park encompasses approximately 10,000 square miles of the Alaskan peninsula. The town of King Salmon offers jet air service. When you stand on the banks of the Alagnek, you know you are truly in the wilds of Alaska. The abundant wild birds and game within this area are visual evidence of this wilderness area. For those who appreciate the privacy and seclusion this river offers, the memorable days spent here will not soon be forgotten.

Katmai Camp is not a luxury resort, but a neat and comfortable lodge where fishing is the fascination. After a day on the river, you will enjoy good food and drink, and our Alaska sauna.

The Camp includes accommodations, boat, meals, float-plane transportation to and from King Salmon. Each party of 3 will be guided by one of our professional guides. For a nominal fee, fishing gear will be provided. There is a direct jet flight service available from Seattle to King Salmon via Wein Airlines.

Fishing

Catches comprise, depending on the season fished, Arctic Char, Northern Pike, Arctic Grayling, huge Rainbow Trout, Dolly Varden and all five species of salmon. Also, one of the largest Sockeye runs in Bristol Bay numbering in the millions and King Salmon that run into the 70 pound class. We've hooked 'em larger, but have never been able to beach them because most of our fishing has been on flies with fly rods. If you've never caught a Sockeye on a fly, you don't know what you've missed. Their fight, is by most standards, better than Steelhead. The average fisherman can catch 25 to 40 fish daily.

We have produced huge Rainbow that have run into the 12-20 lb. class and Northern Pike that may weigh as much as the high 20's, large for anywhere in Alaska. Even more exciting is the water — crystal clear, with it's origins from Nonvianuk Lake. It does not run silt laden as most Alaskan glacial rivers do. The Branch is in Alaska's only designated trophy fish area as well as a wild and scenic river.

Silver Salmon average 8 to 12 lbs., and many in the 15 to 20 lb. class. August and September is the time to book trips for these species. Average fly fishermen can catch 30 to 40 fish per day. The Silver Salmon is the most aerobic Pacific salmon available.



10 lb. plus Rainbow Trout

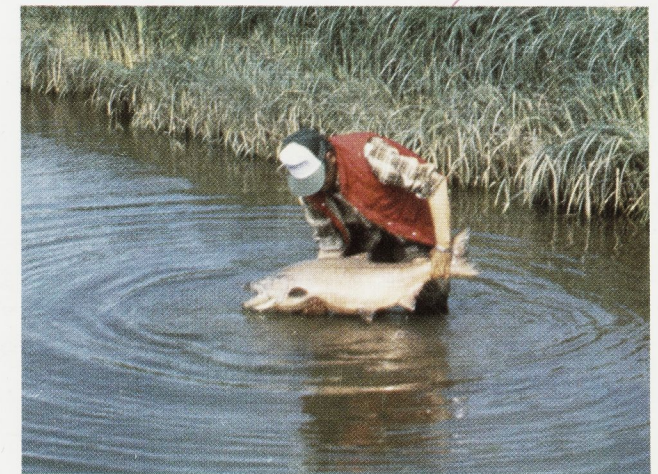


Average 5 lb. Rainbow Trout

For those who haven't been there, it's difficult to imagine the fantastic quantity and quality of fly fishing in Bristol Bay, Alaska. Other places may provide the opportunity to catch very large fish of one or two species, but I know of nowhere else that provides the diversified freshwater fishing available in Alaska.

We have freezer facilities for taking care of trophy fish. We box your fish for shipment to take with you.

Jack Troutman
BX 545 98003
Rivkland, wa



55 lb. Chinook Salmon

206 922-1252

KATMAI FISHING CAMP SPORTSFISHING CALENDAR

Species of fish available during the week beginning	June			July					August					September			Oct
	13	20	27	4	11	18	25	1	8	15	22	29	5	12	19	26	3
Rainbow Trout Average size 3-7 lbs. Trophy size 12 lbs.	S* F*	S* F*	S* F*	S* F*	S* F*	S* F*	S* F*	S	S	S	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*
Arctic Char/Dolly Varden Average size 2-4 lbs. Trophy size 10 lbs.	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*
Arctic Grayling Average size 1½ lbs. Trophy size 3 lbs.	S* F*	S* F*	S* F*	S* F*	S* F*	S* F*	S* F*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*
Lake Trout Average size 3-6 lbs. Trophy size 20 lbs.	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Northern Pike Average size 5-8 lbs. Trophy size 20 lbs.	S	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S	S
King Salmon Average size 25-35 lbs. Trophy size 60 lbs.	S	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*										
Red Salmon (Sockeye) Average size 8 lbs. Trophy size 12 lbs.	S	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S									
Silver Salmon Average size 8-12 lbs. Trophy size 18 lbs.								S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*		
Humpback Salmon Average size 4 lbs. Trophy size 9 lbs.					S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*							
Chum Salmon Average size 12 lbs. Trophy size 18 lbs.	S	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*	S*					

Code: S = Spin & casting gear F = Fly fishing * = Peak Period



What to Bring

Hip boots or waders — be sure and bring a good pair of either hip boots or waders. Hip boots allow more freedom with climbing in and out of the boats. Clothing — wool trousers and socks, light thermal underwear (heavier during September), a lightweight down-filled jacket, ¾-length rain gear with hood. Casual clothes and walking shoes for around the camp.

Also bring along sleeping bag, sunglasses, camera, plenty of film, personal items and medicines. Liquor — bring of your favorite liquor or beer if preferred. Wine is served with meals.

Fly-fishing gear — bring two rods, an ultralight and a 8'-9' medium weight rod. You will want to have both floating line and either sinking line or sinking tips. Both reels should have 200 feet of backing and 4 to 8 pound leaders. (Use heavier leaders for King Salmon).

Flies — bring a good assortment of wet and dry flies, including polar shrimp, royal coachman, silver Hilton, Skykomish sunrise, mayfly, mosquito, grey wulff, black gnats, cahill, blue quill, fluorescent streamers, large streamers, and teeny nymphs.

Spinning or casting gear — bring an ultralight and medium action rod with spools of 6 and 10 lb. test. (Use 20 pound test for Kings).

Spinning lures — should be single hook. 4" Daredevils and Pixies; #2-4-6 spin and glows (pink and red).

If you want to fish for Northern Pike, you should include weedless Daredevils and 12" wire leaders. Also bring several different sizes of snap swivels. Note: Other lures and flies generally work, so bring your tackle box.

Terms and Conditions

Deposits Required

A deposit of one-half of the fishing package cost is required to confirm space. Full payment is due 60 days prior to arrival date. Reservations made less than 60 days prior to arrival must be paid in full at time of booking.

Cancellations

For cancellations received after final payment date, a new fish date will be arranged or a 25% to 100% cancellation fee will be charged.

Extra Cost Provision

At all sportfishing package destinations, weather can occasionally affect the scheduled and non-scheduled flights. If, due to weather or other uncontrollable reasons, you would have to spend an additional night, you would be responsible for your own hotel/lodge and meal costs. Neither the camp operator nor participating air carrier will assume any additional expense.

Flyouts

Fishing or Sightseeing can be arranged on request in our Cessna 206 float planes (6 passenger).



PRICES

3 NIGHTS 4 DAYS
\$995.00

4 NIGHTS 5 DAYS
\$1295.00

7 NIGHTS 8 DAYS
\$1595.00



#1 USD = \$1.11

AUSTRALIAN
DOLLAR

KIRIBATI

1/20/84

RATE OF EXCHANGE: Listings show rates in Australian dollars. For quick and approximate calculations of rates, see the box on page 12.

CHRISTMAS ISLAND

CAPTAIN COOK HOTEL, Christmas Island, Kiribati. Cable: COOKHOTEL, CHRISTMAS. Mr. Boitabu W. Smith, manager. 10 min. from airport. Transfers A\$4/person. Located on northern peninsula of Christmas Island, 3 mi. from the nearest residential area. 50 yds. from ocean beach. Group rates available upon request.

Rates. 24 units. SWB A\$40, DWB A\$51. 12 a/c rooms. SWB A\$48, DWB A\$59.

Facilities. Dining room, bar, beach barbecues. Kiribati dancing and singing. Films and lectures on plant life, wildlife and topics of general interest. Handicraft shop. Mopeds, boats for hire.

Booking reps. 10% commission.

TARAWA

OTINTAI HOTEL, PO Box 270, Bikenibeu, Tarawa, Gilbert Islands, Central Pacific. Cable: OTINTAI. Phone: 551, 552, 553 Blk. Borerei T. Uriam, manager. 15 min. from airport. On coral atoll facing lagoon.

Rates. 20 a/c rooms. A\$37 SWB, A\$45 DWB. 10 twins A\$22 single, A\$30 double.

Facilities. Dining room, beer garden, bar. Traditional entertainment

arranged on request. Picnics and barbecues. Rental car and taxi available.*

TRANSPORTATION KIRIBATI

AIR TUNGARU, PO Box 274, Bikenibeu, Tarawa. Cable: TUNGAIR. Telex: K123. Mr. Tory Moi, general manager. Operates Riley Heron and Trislander aircraft on scheduled services throughout outer Island of Kiribati, formerly the Gilbert Islands. Once fortnightly service Tarawa-Honolulu via Christmas Island and weekly Honolulu/Christmas Island using Boeing 727. Trislander/Riley Heron aircraft available for short notice charters, schedules listed O.A.G. and A.B.C. guides. Heron service weekly to Funafuti. Outer islands include Abemama, home of Robert Louis Stevenson in 1889, Tabiteuea, known for its dances and betio, World War II battle ground. For complete details write direct.

MINISTRY OF LINE & PHOENIX GROUPS, Christmas Island, Republic of Kiribati. Cable: LINNEX, CHRISTMAS. Patrick Lawrence, development officer. Offers organized 9 day wildlife, fishing and diving tours. Chartered boats leave from the London Wharf for visits to bird sanctuaries of Cook Island, Motu Tabu, Motu Upua and Ngaon-te-taake. A\$8-40/person. Also excursions by road to other wildlife reserves and to Poland and Paris. Boats for hire with skipper A\$17.50/hr. Lagoon fishing punts for hire with crew, A\$130/day, A\$70/half-day. Deep sea fishing boat available with experienced crew. Lobster fishing safari arranged. Pickup trucks, motorcycles, and mini-bus for hire from A\$12/day, m/cycle to A\$600/week, mini-bus.*

Kiribati: the basics

•**Getting there**—Air Nauru and Air Tungaru fly into Kiribati. Direct flights operate out of Honolulu on Air Tungaru going by way of Kiribati's Christmas Island. The international airports are in Tarawa and Kiribati (Christmas Island). There is no airport departure tax.

•**Getting around**—Air Tungaru provides domestic air services to 16 airstrips.

U-drive rental cars are available. Traffic moves to the left. Buses operate between villages and in Tarawa (A30¢-75¢, US27¢-69¢).

There is ferry service between Bairiki and Betio daily every two hours (fare A70¢, US64¢) and between Bairiki and North Tarawa three days a week (A\$2, US\$1.83).

Taxis are available in all cities. There is airport transfer service. Bus fare from Bikenibeu to Bairiki is A55¢ (US50¢).

•**Entry/exit**—Valid passports, onward

tickets and visas are required for all visitors. Visas cost A\$40 (US\$43) and are available at the British Embassy in Tokyo.

Smallpox and cholera vaccinations are required.

•**Weather**—Kiribati has tropical maritime weather. The temperature ranges between 26°C-32°C (79°F-90°F). There are two main seasons, March-October when northeasterly trade winds blow, October-March when westerly gales and rainy weather occurs.

•**Time**—Kiribati is 20 hours behind Pacific Standard Time (22 hours for Christmas Island). When it's noon in Los Angeles, it's 8 am the next day in Tarawa.

Normal business hours are 10 am-3 pm for banks, 8 am-4:15 pm for offices, 8 am-5 pm for department stores and 8 am-10 pm for shops.

•**Money**—The Australian dollar is the unit of currency. Rate of exchange at press time is A92¢ = US\$1. Tipping is not the accepted practice. There are no service charges or taxes. There are no restrictions on importing or exporting local currency. Local currency can

be reconverted at departure time.

•**Language**—Kiribatese and English are the official national languages. Street signs are in English.

•**Public holidays**—Major public holidays for 1984 are Good Friday and Easter Monday (April 20 and 23), Anniversary of Independence (July 13), Youth Day (August 6), Christmas and Boxing Day (December 26). Banks and offices are closed on these days.

•**Communications**—A25¢ is required to send a letter to the US by surface mail, A50¢ by airmail. Post office hours are 8 am-4:15 pm Monday to Friday. Letters can be mailed at post offices in main villages.

Cables can be sent from post offices 8 am-4:15 pm Monday-Friday. Local telephone calls can be made at post offices in Bairiki, Betio and Bikenibeu. They cost A2.5¢ for three minutes. It can take 5-10 minutes to get an international telephone call through to the US.

•**Assistance**—There are tourist information centers at major hotels. Air Tungaru offices and the Kiribati Visitors Bureau in Bairiki. See page 7 for address.

Interstate Book Manufacturers
2115 E. Kansas City Rd
Olathe, Kas. 66061
Attn. Tom Smith

Kenny Holland
Castle Lodge
Box 281
Emigrant

Stillwater Valley Ranch
Box 6
Nye Montana Sch. of F.T.

Canyon Creek Ranch
90801 P. St. Suite 1815
Lincoln, Nb (Big hole)

T Bar 3 Ranch
West Fork Stage
Darby

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Big Timber

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McLeod

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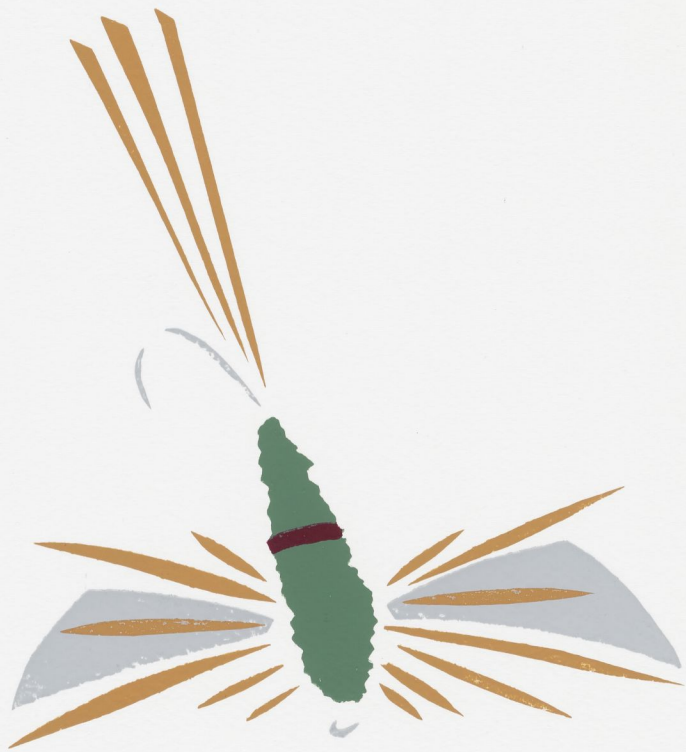
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Box 457
Choteau

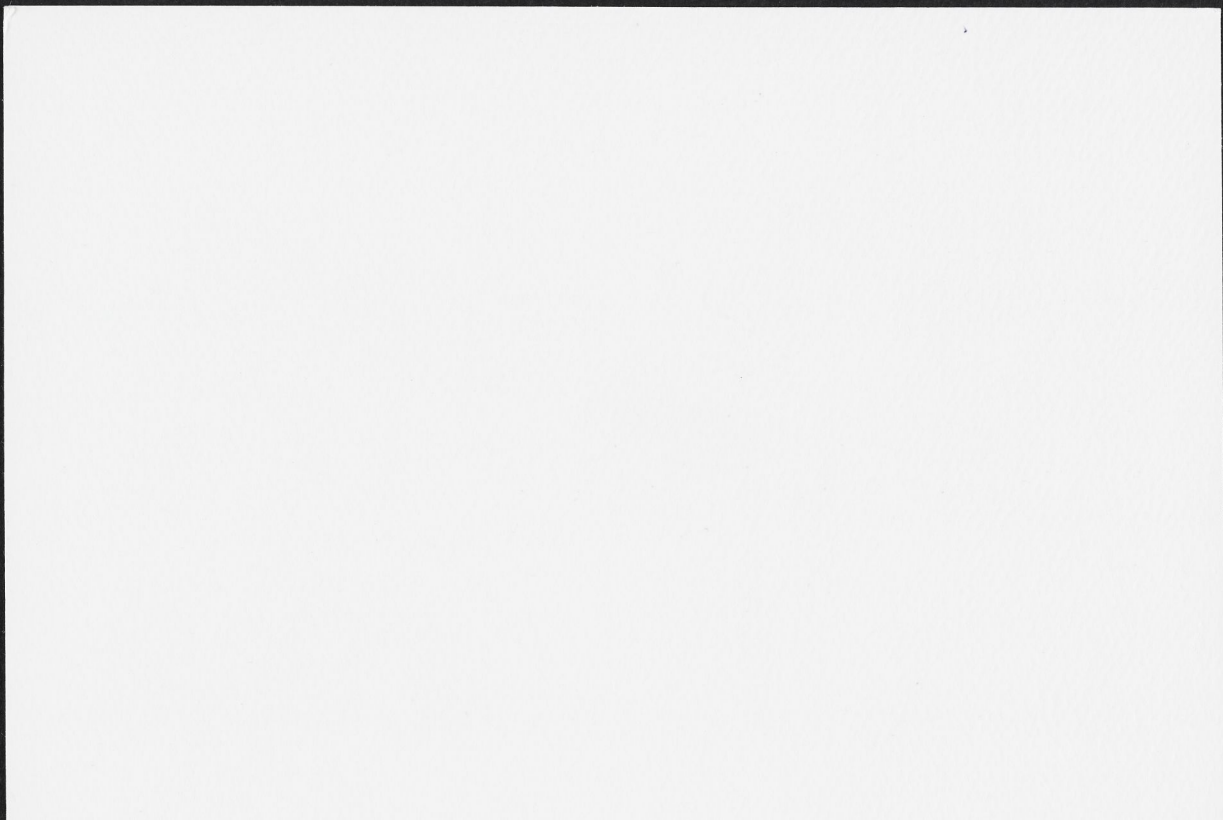
Smith River

Missouri River

Ambassador — Chuck, Cal
Cory, Estan
Phil

Red Lilly





5/31

Bob,

Thanks for spending some
of your Memorial vacation
with Bruce Vento. I expected
you to be with him a couple
of hours — not the whole day!
Hope you find the present
wof-l for replacing what you
lost. Best, Mitchell

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Mr. Bud Lilly
2007 Sawdough Road
Bozeman, Montana
59715



Hi, Bud,

I've just finished reading Ly's book on the Yellowstone Country, and thought I'd drop you a short note to say that remark that it was really enjoyable reading and well written.

Stories like those always reinforce what I already know - that we are among the "fortunate few" who are privileged to enjoy this jewel of nature on a daily basis; perhaps, undeservedly so.

Best has just written me a card saying that you're feeling much better

saying that you're feeling much better than in September. I'm glad to hear that, as Cal had said you were 'acking'. Hope you've been out to catch some of the browns' spawning ("rutting?") runs.

My summer, especially while Gos was in West, was great, but we really missed our annual outing with you. I hope next summer rectifies that, and hopefully we can wet a line together more than one time.

Always best regards to all
The Lilly Clan,
Red

"A MIX UP"
Painted by Charles M. Russell 1864-1926
CMR title, copyrighted July 21, 1911

Dear Bud + Esther

Really enjoyed our get-together but I AM Embarrassed over the quality of the pictures. The enclosed pictures will enable you to see a few more faces. I always review the family pictures for the ugly and fat ones and Mary Ann Wilky and my mother provide the girly beauty is not predominant so I'll leave that one alone. Also, need to change the male H.S. graduation picture from "Tom" to "Bud".

I plan to contact Wanda Ebbes to review the last box of family pictures and I'll keep my eye out for pictures of your Dad when he was young.

Quiz For The Day?

Your dad married Birdie Reed on May 2 1909 and subsequently divorced her. Therefore, where did Vernon Reed come from that Uncle Tom claimed as his son. Birdie? a sister of Birdie? Or?

Again, Thanks For The Friendship. I told my kids that the smart side of my family all moved out of Nebraska to Montana, Idaho, Washington and California.

TAKE CARE

Charlie + Marilyn

Dec. 5, 1969

Dear Friend Bud and Family;

Upon returning home to Sacramento from a visit in Fresno found your two letters and am very sorry this answer is late. Really do appreciate the new FF98 which I am sure I will like very much. Would like to meet Mr. Clock at the lake anytime and will do all I can to promote their products again this coming year. Will pick it up in the Spring sometime in May. I have a personal mailing list of quite a number of persons I guided in the past years that might fit into your program. Perhaps, we can get together on a number of ideas about the lake which would work out to both our advantage.

Ordinarily the season opens the first of June, or near there, the lake is high, the water very cold, so the fish are scattered. Trolling is the most popular method with all sorts of light trolling lures and equipment, spoons, plugs, etc.

All fishing must be done by boat and a trolling motor is needed. During the trolling season flies may be trolled, using a fly rod, sinking line, Muddler minnow, streamers of different types.

About June 15th the water usually warms up and fly fishing from an anchored boat starts to get hot, as the fish gather in the deep holes and channels. My favorite gear is a 9 ft. No. FF108 Fenwick's rod, a No. 10 Wet Cell sinking line, 5 to 6 lb. test leader, and flies tied on mostly No. 8 and No. 6-3x long hooks. I use a Pfluger No. 1495 Medalist and about 50 to 100 ft. of 20 lb. mono backing on my weight forward line.

The first hatch of damselflies happens about the middle of June and there are many patterns of the green damselflies that really take fish. All sorts of food hatches of the help and grass on the bottom of the lake. The wooly worm is a popular

fly and is used in green, brown, yellow, and in fact most all colors and shades. There are brown leeches which are represented by brown woolen worms, and maribow feathers. There are many types of good fish getting flies and patterns and it would be well to see Bud or the boys at the store and get the low down. The green shrimp fly is quite standard and a good fish getter, and runs into the late fall. Late September and October can be the finest time of the year for fly fishing on the lake. I mean real "hot" fishing.

Bud: I have tried to give you a general idea of fishing on the lake, so use whatever you like or none if you wish. It is pretty hard to name flies and I think it is best to tell them to come in and see you as the seasons are different each year. Hope this helps. We are enclosing a few snapshots with some notations on the backs. Use what ^{over}

you wish and please save them for
us and we will pick them up next
spring. Thanks again and
Tight Lines
From Marya and M.E.

P.S. - We will be at the 16093
Selborne Drive address from
this weekend until after the 1st
of the year. We don't have any
slides but will try for some
when we see our birds next week.

larva

pupa

Rhyacophila species (The Grannom of the Beavertail)
Known as Little Green Caddis and Rock
Worm. Does not build a case until ready
to pupate. Our second most prevalent
species. I have found it on upper and
lower Madison, Grayling, South Fork, Henry's
Fork and Firehole. Very common in Hayden
Valley stretch of the Yellowstone.

larvae (cased)

pupa

Brachycentrus species.

Our most prevalent caddis - there is
no stream in the area where I have
not found it. All the fish I've opened
since 20 Sept. have been full of the
cased larvae. No commercial pattern.
Adult is known as grey caddis. The
best dry imitation is Don Martinez's
Snake River Caddis (below) also known as
the Killer Diller. Larvae, pupa and adult all good all
streams. Pupa very good Big Horn Ford stretch of Yellowstone.

Killer Diller or Snake River Caddis

My Skunk Hair Caddis represents *Hespero-*
shylax, our largest species but not found
in all streams. The adult is golden brown
about size 10, 2x. No commercial pattern
of cased or adult forms.

We have other species but they are
either too scarce or too small to
bother with. The sizes enclosed are about
right for the naturals in this area. As far
as I know, no caddis patterns except
the Snake River caddis dry pattern are available
hereabouts.

Case

W. L. CASE AND COMPANY
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April 30th 1969

Dear Bud:-

I thought you might want a couple of the enclosed clippings; I'm sure you wouldn't want to forget either Elliott Donnelly or George Sniffette.

We've had a lot of favorable comment about your talk and pictures from our members; I enjoyed it very much and I know everyone else did.

It was nice to have you with us, both at home and up at Wini's cabin. Sorry the fishing was so poor, but that's quite usual for early in the season.

We're looking forward to seeing



Case

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you in West Yellowstone this
Summer, and I will probably be
in touch with you before then.

Best wishes to you, Pat, and
all of your family.

Yours truly,
Fred.



DEC 26, 1970

Hi Bud,

NICE TALKING TO YOU ON THE PHONE A FEW DAYS AGO. HOPE YOU CAN COME UP WITH SOMETHING ON THE CLINIC - IT SOUNDS LIKE A GREAT IDEA.

AM ENCLOSING A COUPLE SLIDES WHICH YOU CAN USE ANY WAY YOU WANT - CATALOG, PICTURES FOR THE SHOP, ETC. THESE ILLUSTRATE TWO OF OUR BASIC PATTERN TYPES - THE NO-HACKLE AND THE PARADUN. EITHER CAN BE USED EFFECTIVELY TO SIMULATE THE FRESHLY HATCHED MAYFLY DUN. I PREFER THE NO-HACKLE BECAUSE I THINK IT IS NOT ONLY MORE REALISTIC IN APPEARANCE,

BUT ALSO MORE EFFECTIVE. HOWEVER, THE PARADUN IS ALSO VERY DEADLY AND IS A GOOD ALTERNATIVE FOR THOSE ANGLERS WHO JUST CAN'T QUITE ACCEPT THE IDEA OF A DRY FLY WITHOUT HACKLE.

THE 2 FLIES ARE WHAT WE CALL A GRAY/YELLOW NO-HACKLE OR A GRAY/YELLOW PARADUN (1ST COLOR IS WING COLOR & 2ND IS BODY COLOR). THEY IMITATE THE DUNS OF THE FOLLOWING SPECIES:

		<u>EMERGENCE</u>
^{MERELLA} EPHE RELLA	LACUSTRIS	JUNE 5 - JULY 30
EPHEMERELLA	INERMIS	JULY 1 - AUG 30
EPHEMERELLA	INFREQUENS	JULY 15 - OCT 30

THEY ARE CALLED PALE MORNING DUNS AND ALL LOOK VERY SIMILAR, EXCEPT FOR SIZE - LACUSTRIS IS #16 - #18, INERMIS IS #20 - #22 AND INFREQUENS IS #16 - #18. THIS CLOSELY RELATED GROUP FORMS ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT HATCHES IN THE WEST. WE'VE FOUND

THEM ON HENRY'S FORK, THE MADISON,
THE FIREHOLE, SPRING CREEK AT LIVINGSTON -
ALL OVER.

LET US KNOW WHAT ELSE
YOU NEED - THESE SLIDES WERE JUST
A STARTING POINT. WE CAN SUPPLY
PICTURES OF NATURALS AND/OR IMITATIONS,
MATCH CHARTS, ETC. IF YOU TELL
US EXACTLY WHAT YOU WANT, I'M
SURE WE CAN COME UP WITH IT.

HOPE TO HEAR FROM YOU SOON.

REGARDS,

Doug

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Date 4/21/87

Also sent \$25⁰⁰ m'ship

Bud - thanks for sending me a copy of your newsletter - looks like a good idea to me!

Here are a couple of brochures about our high country fishing. I will be going along as a guide and "host". We'll fish the high lakes for cutthroat, goldens, rainbows and brookies - custom trips to suit the clients.

Had a good trip to the Bighorns last week!

Best regards, ERNIE



The Big Sky Country

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

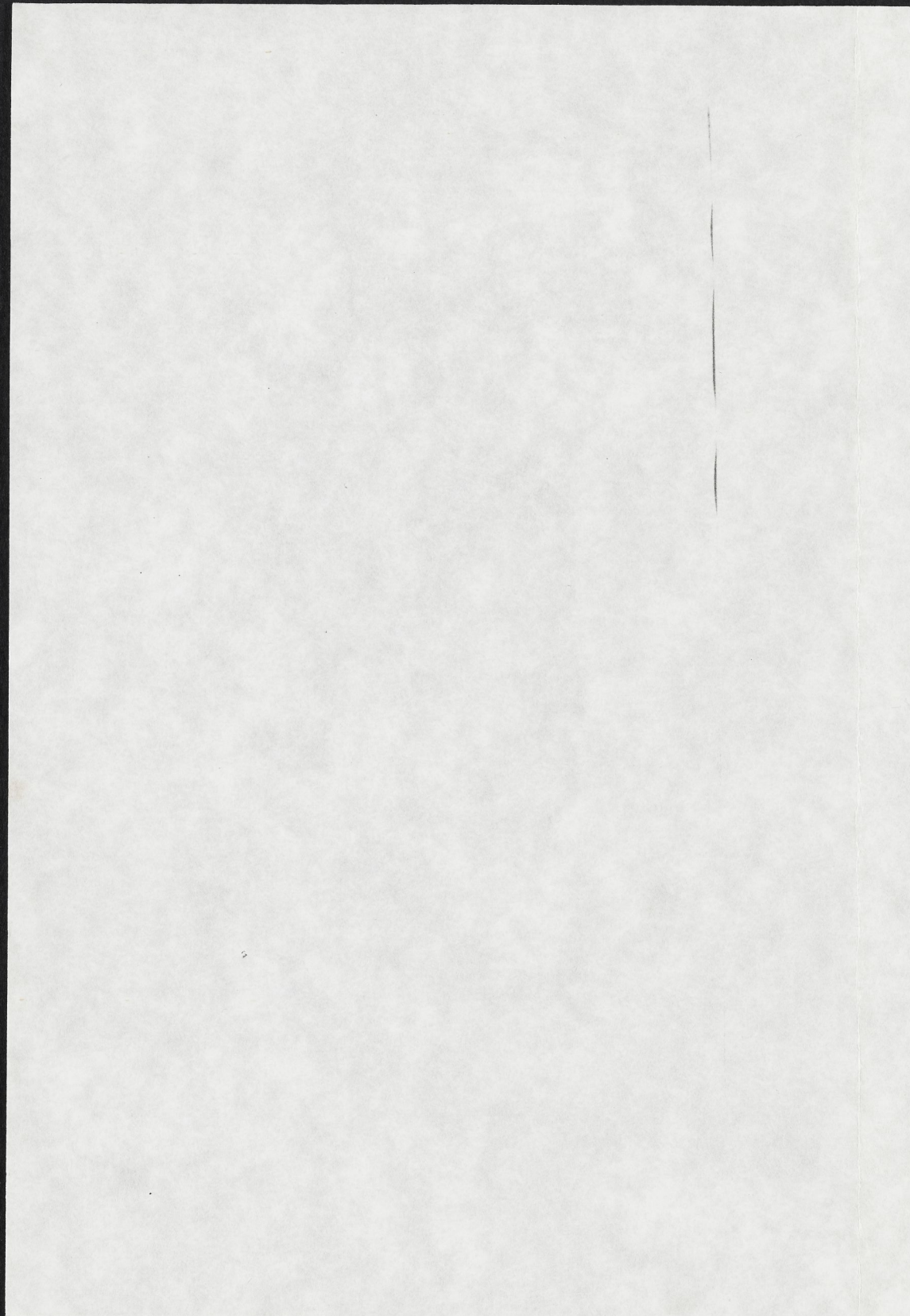
Hey Bud,

I hope that your friends have sent you a ton of these articles, cause it's a great one!

Here are a few bugs to keep you going from Bob Brent.

These rains are saving our bacon so far - Hi to Ester!
Your pal, 7/7/68





Montana Sky

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LOOKING AT AN ENDLESS SKY
FRAMED BY MOUNTAINS
RISING HIGHER
THAN EAGLES FLY
IN THE WIND I HEAR MY SONG

BREATHING IN THE PUREST AIR
MY HEART IS CALMED
BY BEING WHERE I BELONG
I FEEL HEALING IN MY SOUL

MONTANA SKY CALLS ME HOME
TO RIVERS RUNNING WILD
TO WHERE THE FREE HEART ROAMS
MONTANA SKY CALLS ME HOME
TO A PLACE THAT KNOWS MY NAME
OFFERING LIFE AGAIN
MONTANA SKY CALLS ME HOME.

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THE SMELL OF PINES UPON THE BREEZE
I FEEL ALIVE
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WHAT I NEED TO KNOW
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