Dear Notts,

Sort of rainy/dark day today. Got my lunch from work short for no good reason at all - so didn't get my swim in. Then in the afternoon we got a question from Korea - Why don't we take more POWs? I thought of saying something to the effect that the army is totally inadequate to fight this war - which I think is in my judgement. However, I dutifully summed up some reasonable plausible and imaginative reasons and they fold. So get a good rest. Other than that the day was above average in things to do, so it went fairly fast.

The lovely weather continues. It is now 8:15 pm and is 70 outside - about 67 in here - brrr! It is getting dusty and dusty outside as the time lengthens since
the last rainfall, but you have never seen any more clear, consistently beautiful days anywhere than we have had the last 2 weeks. I hope some time after the war we can come here and enjoy this beautiful country and climate with no war, Americans and dust.

The word is out that the VC are going to make an all out terrorist effort against Saigon Americans from noon on through Tet. Our ARVN counterparts at CICV are really concerned—the first time in living memory that they have been. This is a bad sign because they know the VC infinitely better than we, and they have "tactics" that we could never develop. Fortunately, I can get most of the way to work on a road inside Tam Son, which is fairly secure, and I am never standing at bus stops and such, so that which are prime targets.

Just had a couple petit баба—au—shum which Gram sent me in a can. Yum—ay.
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