

# Basic Detail Report

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May 25, 1974

Dear Cliff and Joanna:

We were really pleased to hear about your great trip back to Mexico, and of course, about your show. I am still very disappointed I didn't get down to LA while it was there. Thanks for sending the Times review.

We are all just fine and running in all directions winding up the school year. Heidi has signed up for a most interesting summer course. They will spend many hours at school, but will wind the whole thing up with a 10-day bike ride from the Oregon border down to the Bay Area, returning to school on July 16. It should be very exciting for her. Mary Lu got on the varsity softball team, playing either catcher or 3rd base and she likes that in spite of the fact they don't win them all. Janet is going with me and my class on an overnight camping trip next Friday to San Mateo County Memorial Park, and right after school is out she has signed up to go on a four night, three day bus trip to Disneyland, etc. with the Menlo Park Rec. Dept. Our schools will all be over by June 14. For me it has been a superb year! I do love my job in spite of the fact that I am exhausted most of the time, but it is emotional exhaustion more than physical, and I find that 10 minutes in the pool when I get home really does wonders.

We made the big decision on our summer vacation - we sail on July 20th on the Arcadia for Alaska from San Francisco, all five of us. We had looked into many different ways of going to Alaska, and found that this one appealed to Mike the most because it meant no driving, which is important to him at this point! (He has really had a year so far - I don't know when he has ever worked harder than this - just too many jobs for the number of reporters available.)

## letter

### Date

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### Primary Maker

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### Description

Pleased to hear about HCW's trip back to Mexico. They have decided to vacation in Alaska; general family news.

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