

Becky -

First of All thank You for Writing. I know You are Mad And Upset. I take the Blame for Causing it - I guess. But it was Only Done to Try And Help You when You Called And told Me You Were going Home - it Really Caught Me off Guard. The Last thing You Said To Me the time Before was "I Don't Want Anyone to Even Bring Up Princeton or My family Again." The Next thing I know You are going Home. Becky - if that is what You Really want - then I'm Happy You are Home.

You talk About My Changing feelings, You Have Run Away from Home twice And for No Apparent Reason Shut Me Out of Your Life twice. The Last time we talked - when You were Heading for DELEWARE - You Said You Only Wanted to Be Happy. That is good. But Happiness is Not Running Away in the Middle of the Night - And it is Not "Not Talking" to A Close friend.

Becky - I Still Want to Be Your friend. I NEVER Meant to Come Between You And Your Parents. When You Came Home And when You Went to DELEWARE - Both Times You Talked of Hating Your Parents. I Hope the Same is True Now. That You Really Don't Hate Me.

I Have just A few things to tell You. I would Like You to Call Me. I won't Bother You or Your family Any more. If You Call - I promise Not to Ever Bother You

Again. I just Don't Want the friendship to end like this. I thought no matter the circumstances we had wanted to stay in touch. This doesn't seem very friendly to me. Please call - Give me five minutes - And I will never bother you again. I Don't Want To Be Your Enemy. I Can't understand how you can hate me so. I Didn't Do Anything To Hurt You - I'm Really Sorry You feel this way.

Becky - Stop And think if I Have Ever Lied to You you know darn well that I never have. I'll comment on your accusations. I know you won't believe them because your mind is made up. - But I want to explain anyway. Hopefully - We can talk and at least air out our differences.

#1 - The letter I sent you was nothing that Missy couldn't have read anyhow. You say - You know me - then you know how emotional I get. God - the last time I talked with your Dad and Eric at the park - I cried right in front of both of them. I came a great deal for you. When I couldn't get in touch with you - I got very worried. Both times I called said you were at the other place you said you lived in a bad neighborhood. I over-reacted and got scared. I Didn't know what had happened to you. I am still upset about it. This letter was the first contact I had had with you in almost a month. I Didn't know where you were on 11/24/01 or

where. I've Called My Mom & Dad And Am Heading Home. We're Arguing over Trivial Stuff But I took it As the Cold Shoulder - "Hey Kim Good Bye - I Don't Want Your Friendship Anymore." - If You Didn't Mean it That Way - Fine. Again - You Say You Know Me - Then You We Have Constantly Argued. But We Have Always Been Able to "Talk" them out. Even though we're Not Talking - at Least We Are Writing. I Hope You Want to Solve This As Bad As I Do. It Really Hurts to think of things Ending Like This.

#4 - We Calling Your House. I Called Three Times. Twice I WAS told You Were gone - The third Your father Said You Didn't Want to talk with Me. - I Haven't Called Since. BELIEVE Me - I've Wanted to - But I Didn't. I Somehow get the feeling that Your Parents And Us Have Traded Places. If You will Recall - whenever Your Parents Called or Sent Letters - I Always Wanted You to Read or Listen to them. Same Circumstances Apply Here. PLEASE give Me A Call And tell Me You Don't Want to talk to Me Again. Don't Hide Behind Your Parents As Protection.

By the Way - You Didn't Ask for this But I Will give it Anyway. When the time Comes to LEAVE Home for whatever Reason - Do So through the front Door in Daylight. Do Not Run Away. Think Things through. HAVE A PLAN - And Act on it Even if It's

Happening with you. I'm Sorry I Had Such A Mess of it But - I was Worried. As far As Missy Reading The Letter - That Would Have Done Nothing To Change Her Mind One Way or the Other. She BELIEVES We Had An Affair And My Concern in The Letter Probably Added To Her Beliefs - I'm Sorry. But All The Times You Came - Probably Did Also. They Are going to BELIEVE Whatever They Want Anyway. The way things Are Now - it Doesn't Matter As far As Missy is Concerned - She Has A Lot of Room to Criticize You And I. It is Easy To See How She Wanted To BELIEVE All That - it fits Her Life Style. Oh well - That is Not My Problem - But it Shows We Had To Think of Her Judging Us And Living in Her Lifestyles.

#2 I talked with John Long - or At Least the Operator Did Three Times - I Do Not Remember Exactly What Was Said. I BELIEVE What You Said is On the tape I took it that you Had the Messages And Didn't Want to Talk with Me. I Can't tell you Even Which Call it Was. All I know was I Wanted to talk with you. If I over Reacted - I'm Sorry. I Don't Care what Other people think, you And I know the truth. I'm Sorry if I Cared too Much. I only meant your Best Interests At Heart.

#3 We Hanging Up When you told Me you Were going Home. I was Upset - I thought We Had A Good Line of Communication. We Had talked Several Times And I Was Sure you Were Doing what you Wanted. Then Out of No

FEEL guilty. Do You Remember in the Letter You had on the PLANE - Now I Told You My feelings About Everything had CHANGED - Well this is the same PRINCIPLES. I Really Have Changed. - I'm Not Sure for Better or Worse - But I HAVE CHANGED.

#7 - Along the same Lines - You will HAVE to forgive All the Phone Calls. Nancy CALLED Nancy II, Teri Atwell, Loren Ring, and Mr. Strack to try and Contact You. Last Week I Had A Nervous Breakdown. Can You BELIEVE That. Mr. - with the Supposedly Cast Iron Will. - I Really tried to get A's in School. I Studied till All Hours of the Night. - Then with the Alcohol And Everything - I just came UNGLUED. Anyhow - Everyone CALLED or Came By to See Me - I kept Asking if Anyone had heard from You. So Nancy CALLED All these people to get in touch with You. Nancy Frank Said Your Parents kept telling Her You Were Gone. She Said She thought She talked to Your Sister Once. Anyhow - Sorry for the Disturbance. I'm Better Now - Still Spitting Up Blood - But Not the Deep Depression. Football Camp Helped. It took My Mind off Everything ELSE. Boy is John W. doing great. I Hope you Will Come See A Game. We're going to Make the playoffs - I promised A Bunch of People. This Year it will happen.

#8 - What Are You doing for School? As I Said Before - the guy At Elmhurst was Really Interested.

Disapprove - Do so in front of them Not Behind
their Backs.

#5 About Acting Immature - Maybe I Am. But
that is Me. I Sore to Great Heights and then fall with
A Thud. I am Sorry if I Embarrassed You As far
As My Giving Your Parents And family the Wrong
Impression - I'm Sorry. But to Stand Beside you through
All the turmoil, to be is more Basis for their
Reliefs than A Letter And trying to Call You. I am
Sorry to HAVE Over Reacted this way. I thought I
Explained All that in the Letter you Read in the Private.
I Also was going through A Very Emotional time At
School. Someday - if you want - I'll tell you About it. Another
Variable was Very Prevalant - I Almost Hate to tell you - that
you'll think less of Me - But Right Now I'm Not Sure
that is possible. Anyhow - I Started Drinking At School.
And I Don't Mean A Glass or two. I was pretty well
gone the Night you Called At School. That is No Excuse
for the way I Acted - Just Wanted you to know.

#6 - As far As My finals - You were Right - I
Don't Funk them. But I got 2 "D's" And A "C". I
Didn't tell you that to make you feel guilty. It is
Not your fault. I Should have handled the Situation
Better. I Didn't - Me - Not You - Me. It was My fault.
I Really Broke Up. I have Never felt So Alone in
All My Life. Anyhow - Again - that is Not to Make you

For your friendship. There is no Friday on that.

Well. You should feel pretty good. I've never written a 2 page note before. No wonder my hand is so tired. I should have typed it.

I'll mail this now. It is 1:00 PM July 28th.

You should get it tomorrow the 29th. I will leave a schedule of when I'll be home if you should want to call. I hope you do. If nothing else - to say "Good-Bye" in person. I promise I will not bother you any more. Until I hear from you.

PLEASE CALL -

LOVE
LW

Wed

3:00 - 4:30 pm

10:15 - 11:00 pm

P.S. You are welcome to go to Florida - know you don't - but the offer still applies.

Thurs.

Home Alone

9:00 - 5:30

10:15 - 11:00

P.S. P.S. - Are you sending back reminders or do you still have them? If you want them fine - if not I'll take them instead of throwing away.

P.S. P.S. P.S. I hope you find what you're looking for!!

Friday

1:00 - 5:30

10:00 - gone!! Looking for job.

You Can Call Him Yourself. His Name is Matt Klimetz (Question Spelling of Last Name). You would Like Him - He is Real Short - Just Kidding.

#9 forgetting - I thought You Said You Knew Me. I Never forget. Confuse or Mess Up - But Never forget. I Remember May 12 Better than You Do. I will take that To My Grave with Me. Especially if There is Not A Second Chance. I Had Really Counted on that - But You Never gave Me A Chance To Explain - Oh Well - if You Can - Ask Me About it. As Long As We Are Recalling Dates. How About These. April 9, May 3, May 17, June 10. If You Remember All Those - I owe You A Chocolate Shake. If Not - You Owe Me One. Deal? I know You'll Remember 2 - But No Way All four. If You Don't want to talk to Me - At Least Write And See if You Remember them.

#10 Along the Same Lines As forgetting. I will Send You the Pictures, Pen, Clipboard, and other Stuff if You Want them Both. If We Are going to Enemies than I'll Send them - I would Rather Have No Memories than Bad Ones. If You Want to Remain friends - I'd Like to keep them. They have A Lot of fond Memories - if We Can Get Over the Pain of Hunting One Another. I Never Ever Meant to Hunt You. If You Believe Nothing Else - Believe that.

#11 As far As the Money - I Understand Your Point. Even though it was for A Vacation - that isn't As Important.