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Dear Amy,

I tried to call you back, too. Good thing we got e-mail.

I'm pleased that you are taking a photography class. I need a refresher course. I haven't done much of it lately. Last year I went up to the Sleeping Bear Dunes alone. I hiked out to the Bear - about 1 mile - on kind of a misty evening that could have resulted in some interesting pictures, but when I tried to take a picture, it sounded like my batteries were dead, and I didn't have any replacements. So I didn't get any pictures. Later I bought some batteries and it didn't make any difference! The problem was that I was at the end of the roll. All I would have had to do is put in a new roll of film. Made me wonder if my mind is deteriorating.

We are going to Ludington this weekend with the canoe and some friends. We will play around on the beach and canoe on Hamlin Lake in Ludington State Park. We will be at the Lakewood Motel.

Love, Dad