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Love, Steve

The job sucks. The boss is a shit-head. He's mis-managing a revival of the failed project that has already cost \$6 million. I didn't do well on the Civil Service mid-management ^{exam} so chances of advancement are nil for another year. But things are very good between Carol & I. I had quit allowing myself to believe I'd ever find anything this good. Now if we can just have about 30 more years...

I Saudi! best card
but I got this one instead.

and delivered no dictionaries! third week he delivered Monday, had car trouble Tuesday, & borrowing car the rest of the week. Amy has no job, all ^{her} ma & pa are giving her a free ride. She gets good grades, but she is a disciple rather than a student, & her bachelor's degree will be worthless as Tom's I plan to cut my contributors at the end of this school year. I've done enough.

Dear Deb,
I don't know your new last name! Does it feel different being married? Carol & I are starting to talk about it now - talking about it no longer makes Carol's stomach hurt. We have plenty of time to think about it, because although Carol's divorce was final last summer, they still have to get a Church annulment. The pain & guilt are pretty much over for her, but ended just recently, when her ex found himself a new woman. He's sort of about Carol doesn't feel responsible for him anymore. If his new romance doesn't work out, it won't be Carol's fault. Carol is ^{also} feeling better because she has reconciled with her parents. I've been attending family gatherings with her. Tom quit his waiter job and is peddling big leather-bound dictionaries. He drops them off at business establishments - I assume because we can get in the door - and comes back a few days later, hoping they'll want several of them. He was sure he'd make \$500 a week, so he started by taking a 1-week vacation. Several weeks he had car trouble