

Dear Miss Rice,

I thought maybe I could come to school and help you work in your record book but I don't think I can come. you come down Thursday night after school and I will help you. Plan to come and stay for supper if you want to. If you can't come Thurs. night come whenever you can.

Virginia

P.S. This is the last chance I will have to help you. I will miss you more than anything else in school next year. you are the nicest and best teacher that I have ever seen or heard of. I sure do feel awful bad because you aren't coming back next year. I would like to tell you plenty more but it would take all night to write it. Maybe I will have a chance to tell you someday. I would like to do a lot for some people & you are one of them. you are the only teacher I have ever really loved, & I love you. love you so much it can't be put into words.

Well, I guess I have said enough. Please do not ever tell anyone what I have told you. I mean every word I have written. I am sorry for things that I have done in school.

the last 2 years to cause you trouble.

One that will never forget you,
Virginia Jane Marshall