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Dear Shirley Nancy stands here ~~coming~~  
talking to me. They came Tuesday and  
are staying untill after Thanksgiving.  
Habe goes back for one run.

I wish that you wouldnt feel that Jean  
is gone intirely out of your life.

I believe if you think of her as being  
near, you will realize that she is.

as I grow older, more and more I feel  
that there is much beyond and

outside of our simple lives that we  
can not see or understand but is

in the hands of one who does.

This mighty universe could not  
have come by chance. There must  
be a guiding hand. Dr Kent used  
to quote this

God never wasted a leaf or a flower

He will not squander souls.

I dont know where its from

and again, from Browning,

Alas for him who never sees

The stars shine through his cypress  
trees

252 Locust St. Tay's

who hopelessly lays his head away  
nor looks to see breaking day  
across the cold marble flay.  
Who has not learned in hours of  
that truth to flesh and blood <sup>faith</sup> unknown  
that life is ever lord of death  
and love can never loose its own.

Vera and Harold are so brave  
they are alone now but make it  
just as usual when one goes in  
there tho you know they are broken  
hearted. They keep up for each other.  
Dad will be there wed. unless  
something unusual happens.  
we were all out to evening  
meeting of club last night.  
Our committee entertained and  
of course I am tired this morning.  
we are going to Elva for dinner  
and its nearly dinner time now  
In great haste Love Mom