

POETRY CORNER

A NEW LIFE

Death is just a threshold,
A portal through which to traverse
To a new life in a new time
Full of the richness of loving and
strife.

Our work in this time will end
And death will hurry us,
Accompanied by the music of the
life,
To a new and richer orbit.

We'll not find brightness and light
When death walks forever in our
mind.

Fear of this thing called Death
Is only fear of the unknown.

What will happen when I die?
My soul to dust. No! No! say I,
Through the portal, o'er the thresh-
hold

Death will gently guide my soul
Into the newness, into the light
Of a new time, a new life.

Eileen Lowe
4 Nov. 1975

A FRAGILE AFFAIR

Moment by moment
we pass through
each other
and see into each other
as if body and soul
were glass and water.
We drink from each other
and become intoxicated.
When the sun beams down,
our eyes reflect
dreams of rainbows in the sky.
When the water is mixed
we cannot tell
one from the other.
But, we are still
two separate glasses . . .
having two separate lives . . .
living in two separate worlds . . .
with a foreshadowing of fate
to break each other.

Mary Belinda Eldreth

SACRIFICE

As I look at your picture in an
old Davie High yearbook
I remember how I knew that you
were "THE

MOST
BEAUTIFUL
GIRL
IN
THE
WORLD

Then (as usual) time passed
on
(that's the way it
almost
always
happens - right?)
things and people
(that's us)
changed and something
died.

All this because we
didn't know
being
in love
meant having
to
SACRIFICE.
Ervin Waller

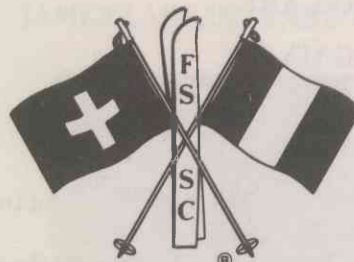
YOU

(For Lack of a Better Title)

All my lonely life
I've dreamed of you.
You're like a fairy tale
You're a wish come true

So many times I have tried
To let you know I'm glad you're
mine
And I want to love you so much
Because you're so very fine

In every way you've pulled me
Through the problems of each day,
Why can't I make you see
That you're my whole life,
And you will always be
Such an important part of me?
Ron Wishon, Poet



French-Swiss Ski College
BLOWING, ROCK, N. C.

STUDENTS LEARN

STOPPOWER!

STOPPOWER is the revolutionary
new technique to learn to stop and
control snow skis the first time you
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gram. The method is designed to be
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ticipants in this special program.
2. STOPPOWER enables students
to stop the first time on skis. Be-
ing able to stop means control of
the skis.

3. PLACE:
French-Swiss Ski College
Blowing Rock, North Carolina

TIME:
6:00 - 10:00 p.m. Wednesday
nights starting January 14, 1976

REGISTRATION:
Register for Snow Skiing at
Wilkes Community College on
January 5 or January 6. Orient-
ation will be held January 8 at
7:00 p.m. in Room 209 of
Thompson Hall. At this time a
\$2.75 tuition and a \$25 deposit
will be collected. The remaining
amount will be collected \$4.00
as you go skiing.

COST:
\$45.00 Skiing
2.75 Tuition
\$47.75 Total

FOR CHRISTMAS I WANT

- DANNY GAMBILL - a million dollars
and a whole pocket of spending money.
- JENNIE VANHOY - Lots of snow.
- WAYNE BOUCELLE - I've already got
my Christmas present early, my freedom!
- CHERYL MILLSAPS - Barney.
- JOAN SPICER - Dennis Reynolds.
- GLENDIA GOODMAN - 10 inches of
snow.
- KIM WATTS - I don't believe in Christ-
mas unless you're a Christian.
- BEKAH REESE - a Mercedes Benz.
- DIANE ROLAND - a Cocker Spaniel
puppy.
- BUD MAYES - a Doll, 5 feet 2 inches,
blonde, that giggles and says "yes" when
you squeeze her.
- BECKY ELLER - peck of fuzzards.
- DONNA GOODMAN - a husband.
- BECKY PENNELL - anything or any-
body that comes along.
- CARL WARE - banjo, new car, bunch of
albums, sunglasses, frisbee, basketball,
and all I can get from anybody and more.
- PHYLLIS REYNOLDS - my family room
finished.
- LINDA PUGH - for everyone to be super
happy.
- WAYNE BROWN - freedom.
- JOYCE BYERS - Wayne tied up with a
big red bow.
- WAYNE ADAMS - an Easter basket.
- HELEN DANCY - something new to
wear, like a new dress.
- FRED HOLBROOK - a \$16,000 classic
sport Mercedes Benz, gray with black
vinyl top with all the extras.
- KEN McNEIL - money.
- DEBBIE KELLER - put apples in vend-
ing machines and a jar of molasses.
- MRS. HENDRIX - time to rest and be by
myself and get my MARP completed.
- BOB GOFORTH - I want to hear from
Nova.
- TERRIE CALLIHAN - a Celica, thous-
and dollars worth of new clothes, and
1,000 dollars in my savings account at
First Citizens.
- RALPH COUSINS - Love.
- JACKIE GRAHAM - Brother Fox.
- BONITA GRINTON - Albert Horton.
- RICHARD CARDWELL - a piano that
will conveniently fit into my extra room.
- SANDRA RATCLIFF - Fiat, swimming
pool, diamond studded platform shoes.

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