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UNITED STATES ATLANTIC FLEET
AMPHIBIOUS TRAINING BASE
Little Creek, Virginia

Tuesday
3 April 1945

Hello My Darling and sweet kids.
How you all. I received a nice
letter from you today. I get
one every day now and seems
pretty good too. I received the
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afternoon that's why they aren't so
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out. I hope those on Alma's film

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are better. Be sure and send them.
Yesterday I received your Easter
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good and thanks a lot. I'll
pay you off with something
when I get my next leave.
Will that be O.K.?

I tried to get in the show
last night but it was too
crowded. It was just like
that picture in the funnies
where Red Brant and the gang
were going to the movies. I went
down to the barracks and took

(3)

UNITED STATES ATLANTIC FLEET
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Little Creek, Virginia

a good shower, read the papers
and hit my sack. Boy I'm telling
you it didn't take me long
to get to sleep as I was so
tired I couldn't keep my eyes
open. You know how I really
miss our little "visits" we used
to have and to feel you close
to me while we sleep. Honey
I think I have shrunken back a
little again. I guess it gets that
way when not in use eh?
How's yours hon - still as

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the guy sitting up on the porch all
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UNITED STATES ATLANTIC FLEET
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Someday we will be together again for always where we can work together and side by side for our future.

But for the present Darling I guess you'll have to hold up that end of the line for awhile and I'll do my best on this end. The way it looks now why it can't last so very long any more. I'll sure be thankful when we can all get home again.

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Tonight I went to the U.S.O. show at the Recreation Hall and it was very good. Tap dancers, balancing acts, a guy with a Charly McCarthy was good, a singer from Earl Carroll's show in Hollywood, magic acts.

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[[note: It is likely there is at least one page missing at the end of this letter given Vasos' usual salutation.]]