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## Hello Dear Reader,

This collection has been through a lot to arrive in your hands. Against all odds and setbacks, he has made it! Through our vigorous discussion on pieces, through the deadline extension, through fights and tears and anxiety, he has made it; he is beautiful. I hope you agree, lovely reader. Reader, you are the first person I want to thank. Without you, I fear this journal would fall into an existential crisis. I would hate to see eighty-some pages question their point of existing. So, thank you for perusing these wonderful stories and art. Hopefully, you find something you like.

Staff, it hasn't been easy. Now that it's over, however, there is nothing we could have done to create something better. All those hard moments have shaped us just as they have shaped the journal. Thank you for your time, your opinions, and your love for PLR.

Trina, we literally wouldn't be here without you. You have fought for this club again and again. Thank you so much, PLR will not be the same without you. I hope you enjoy your well-deserved rest with your kids and your dogs.

Lastly, I would like to thank, more than they will ever know, the reader who skips reading notes from the editor.

See you next semester,

Eleanor Zilius

