



Dear Son.

I received your kind and welcome letter.

Glad you got the books. You have something good you can rely on.

It is just as good as a college coarse in Theology.

I like my home fine. Boats passed by today – going down the river.

I will be down about the fourth.

Ira was out here today.

Rollie and Thelma are awful good to me.

Rollie is working awful hard getting ready for the Fourth of July.

He is buying a new boat.

He said he would take me down the river to Cape girardeau.

I will try to stay a few days and then come back home.

I have a nice room.

He has it all painted up so nice.

Rollie would like to have you come and work for him.

Rollie bought me a fine suit of clothes, two white shirts.

Take good care of your selves.

Grace & Paul and Louie and family were to see me a Sunday.

I went to the Nazarene Meeting Sunday at the Keil Auditorium.

About 7,000 people were there.

They took the Lord's supper.

Mary took one down at 10:30 o'clock sunday morn.

Then we went out to see Paul ande

Louie was at Paul's

and they brought me home from Paul's.

I think you will be up here soon.

You can do well and give the children a good education.

I will bring No. 4 shot and try to get some squirrels.

Tell all that I am coming down about the Fourth.

Get the address: Linn McDowell

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Florissant, MO B (or 13)

From your Father

after his wife's passing.