

Friday
Nov. 15, 1969

Dear Don,

Can't realize I've been here for three weeks.
On the other hand it seems that I never left. I
swung back into routine with no effort. All
seems better, for this year I haven't had flu -
and they say energy is a soul product -
so my soul must be O.K. But that
there aren't problems. George's X has sent
no child support since June - answers
no letters. In time he will have to pay,
but for now he is doing exactly what he
wants to do, trouble George. So glad
I can be here to see that he doesn't
break her. I prepare to do this with
my life rather than cruise or hunt
you want to feel my time. We are
all in remarkably good spirits, regardless.
Am wondering what you have decided
about your winter. I would favor the
European deal - or the use of mobile rather
than a camper. As I read about it -
mobile homes are usually made for being
put on a stationary spot - and are
moved by trucks.

I agree with you about people in
general - so I try not to be
envious of them in groups. People
probably haven't changed much, but there
are more groups.

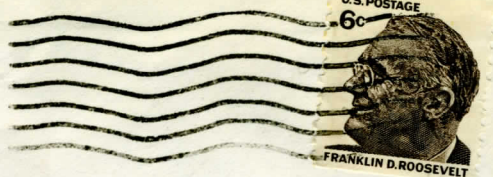
yes - E. always said people
got spoiled. I think he put me in
that category. From my viewpoint
he got spoiled and did his share to
spoil things when he went to Canada.
None of us can stay the same. If
we can change together - fine - If
not we become strangers. I have
stabilized a good bit in the past three
years - and you have made your
contribution.

I have finished Tolstoy and have
found it something of an education.
Think it made me understand how
and why Ernest changed with time.
It is so easy to write you that I

go on and on.

Love to you and Ruth and I
hope your haven't frozen. Weather here
chilly but nice -

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