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Mr. Amon G. Carter
c/o Fort Worth Star Telegram
Fort Worth, Texas

Dear Mr. Carter:

I don't know what to say, how to express what is within me. But I do want you to know how I am affected. But I feel that you will learn that he came through all right. He must have.

I was in Fort Worth Friday. I wanted to see you but knew how worried and distressed you must be.

Something that impressed me was how everyone I met was broken up about it; the wonderful, grand words that were spoken of your boy. In the hotel and everywhere I went I heard expressions that I know would have done your heart good if you could have heard them. People in every walk of life, negro servants, everyone, told of what a fine, fine boy he is. Fort Worth people, those who know you the best, deeply and fervently share your anxiety and your hopes.

Sincerely,

Gene Howe

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