

The wires, letters and telephone calls received when my son, Lt. Amon Carter, Jr., was liberated from the German prisoner of war camp meant more to me and the members of my family than I can express in this brief letter of appreciation. It was exceedingly good to know that so many of our friends and acquaintances were so interested in his welfare and shared with us the joy of his liberation.

I am happy to say that he came through this trying experience in good shape, all things considered, and is still in the Army.

I trust you will pardon the long delay in acknowledging ^{but} and thanking you for your communication ~~which~~ I assure you my appreciation and that of my family has not been lessened, but on the other hand enhanced as the result. Your expression will be one that we shall always treasure.