

Flora Wong to Charles Wong

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Yin Nin, My Dearest Loving Husband,

I received two of your letters, a check of \$100 and another check of \$200, together \$300. Thank you. You are feeling good which makes me happy. Too bad we are not together now. I know your love for me is deep and I feel the same way about you. I hope God will bring us together soon.

I heard from the lawyer, he wants me to take five photos to him. I will see him on the eleventh. I know you are worried, that is why I am sending you a quick note. I am also sending you three photos which were taken at the park. Soon I will get the passport and will be on my way to take the ship or plane. Wish you well and take care.

Your Loving Wife,

Jong Hai on November 10, 1948

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