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my dear husband I recat myself this morning  
to order to you more kind and a bussing  
letter the recidea in pda y ana the date of  
it was the 3 of this month ana was glad  
to be from you a give ana to be the you  
was well ana a doing so well ana to be  
you say in your letter the way the if the  
you will get to come for in this winter  
I think it is a get in time for it has been  
a long time since you was at home  
ana I want to see you ill get to come here  
this month for I had with all your come  
here the ana to be you say the you are a  
coming ana not coming my dear  
if you did more be had I do want to  
see you I think the you would come for  
the nothing of this part the I want  
to see as bad as will you ana it seemed  
to me the I want see you sure I did  
in time to come to see you but you  
say in your letter for me not to come  
ana I want think be had but I am not  
able to come at this time for I am not  
sarah able to be up by time but I  
have to go all the time ana I want to see you  
ill get to come for ana the you  
ill see the condition the I am in  
ana they you ill see how I am  
suffer I can't write to you what I am  
suffer ana you but myself how I am  
suffer ana I want you to come here if  
you can.

The children is well at this time and  
I hope the the will remain so and you will  
in you later for me to kiss the  
children for you I kiss them for you  
every day and I hope the you will get  
time to kiss them you self some  
for it would do me and every good to  
kiss them for you and you so far  
from them but I hope the time is not  
far when you will be at home  
with them to stay with all the  
the time and then we can see soon  
perhaps for I can't tell you I see  
more peace in this world for you  
are all the peace that I have in this  
life and I don't hope the I will have  
the pleasure of spending rest of my days  
with you and you I would not  
want to see you self become a  
widow as then with you I would  
want you to try to live in peace of  
the Lord for he able to spare you then  
as well as he is here and I would  
want you to put your trust in him  
I pray for you all the time and  
I hope the he will be with you though  
this all war and you may be  
spare to get home and give to you  
family a gift for I can't tell you  
the will have a bad time of it were  
I would like to see for this time  
write soon and I will write to the  
at the end of the month

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Alabama

January 20, 1864

my dear husband I Seat my Self this morning

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anser to your moste kina ana coureing leter we reseived yesday and the  
date of it was the 3 of this mounth and was glad to her from you agin and  
to her that you was well and a doing So well and to her you say in yor  
letters that you think that you will get to com hom this winter I think  
it is agin time for it has ben a longe time Since you was at home I done  
hope that you kin get to come home this mounth for I had rotha see you come  
than to hear you Say that you are a coming and not Com home my Dear if you  
do miss me bad I doe wount to See you I think that you woulde come for ther  
nothing on this earth that I wount to See as bad as I doue you and it Seems  
to me like I wount See you sune I did inten to come to See you but you Sad  
in yor leter for me not to com and I will think about it but I am not able  
to come at this time for I am not rale able to be out haf my time but I hav  
to go all the tim and I am in hopes that you will get co come home and then  
will See the condision tha I am in and then you will See how I done sufer  
I cant rite to you what I have sufer and worse but my Self low I done sufer  
and I wont you to com hom if you can the children is well at this time and  
I hope tha they will remain So you Sae in you leter for mie to Kiss the  
children for you I Kiss them for you ever day and I hope tha you will get to  
com/<sup>hom</sup> to Kiss them you Self soun fir it dousnt doue me enny good to kiss  
them for you and you So far from them but I hope the time is not far away  
when you will be at home with them to Stay with all the time and then we can  
see <sup>som</sup> /o plesure for I can tell you I See nore plesure in this world for you  
or all the plesure that I has in this life and I doue hop tha I will hav the  
plesure of Spending reste of my days with you yet and I wount you not to  
(manaser)  
forget yourself because a master is ther with you I wount you to try to live  
in sacrifice of the lord for he able to spar you there as well as he is me

her and I wount you to pute your truste in him I pray for you all the time  
and I hope tha he will be with you through this old war and you may be  
spared to get home agin to your family agin for I can tell you tha we hav  
a bad tim of it Sure I wounste to come to close for this tim rite sune  
and fail note Martha

Ann Worrick to Thomas Worrick

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