

Florennes, December 16, 1954

Mister Georges,

Do you remember "little Jacques" from Belgium?? d'Aubange?.... At Madame Meny?? It is he who is writing to you right now. Growing up I have thought about you a lot. You spoiled me!! Maybe you have become a "mister" and you will not pay attention to this letter! I still want to write to you. Currently, I am engaged in aviation. I am in Florennes where I hope to become a pilot on a reaction aircraft. Maybe, I will go to America?? Who knows what the future holds for me? I'm writing this letter to wish you and your wife a happy holiday and all of the happiness for the new year. I hope this year brings you joy, happiness and prosperity! As I'm finishing this letter, please accept, mister George, my most sincere friendship and my good memory.

Jacques

SDT. V.C. 53 MENY Jacques

II Wing de Chasse

II Escadrille

Base de Florennes, Belgium

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Aubange, May 26, 1945

Dearest Georges,

Your address is so complicated that I fear that my letter will not reach you.

Like you, we were so sad from your precipitated departure, but we continue to have hope to see you soon in Aubange.

Come whenever you want, you will give us a real pleasure, and if we are warned in advance, you will come back to have dinner with us.

My daughter went to join her husband at the seaside in Heyst since 15 days, because he is leaving on Monday 28 for Germany.

He will not be able to see his little Christine who is here with me.

I have nonetheless good news from Andre, here is his address:

O.A.S.

Soldier Bertrand Andre 5021898

II Brigade III B 3rd company

He told me in one of his latest letters that he wrote to you twice and that he had not received a response.

My dear Georges, you have the good friendships from all of the people who met at Aubange.

Please receive our affectionate thoughts as well as a good kiss from the two littles to their American friend.

F. Bertrand

Your letter only reached me on May 24.