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March 29, 1947
Convent, La

Dear Bro. Sawyer.

Have just received your letter and was very glad to hear from you. My health is good except that I sleep too much and have caught a slight cold but I can still sing so I am still as happy as ever.

I know you must be proud of your team and I hope them and you all the best in the world. I hope that by now your boys are attending your Sunday classes for they can never begin too soon in the study of the life of Christ and the life He wants all men to follow. I am sure that if they could realize just how quickly the events in life can change and how dangerous it is to remain unprepared through God, for the many trials that arise out of life, then they would freely give their hearts and life to God.

The State Supreme Court refused to grant me a new trial but that is as I expected for the men of this world can not be as understanding as God. I still am not worried for I know I have God

forgiveness and that he is ever now by
my side. As we know God gives and
God takes away just as he sees best to
do and in him I trust, for God is all &
in all. I expect to hear some time next
week when they have set the date of my
Operation. Let not this news trouble you
for all things are possible through Christ and
I am still happy for I know that there is
a better life beyond, where there is there
cause for me to fear death which must
come to all men.

Well that is all the news for now so
give my regard to your class and tell
your team that I wish them all the luck
there is. Write again soon for your letters
are more than welcome. May God bless
you.

In Christ
Alonzo