

A Letter Home Intro

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Hi mom!
Hey, it's great to be able to talk to you
Ah, I haven't been able to talk to you in really a long time
and ah, my friend Jack has got this box that I can talk to you
from
So I'd like to be able to send you this message
and tell you how much I love you and also tell you
that I think you should start talking to daddy again.
Since you're both there together there's no reason not to talk
And also, um, you know how we used to watch the weather all the
time
on TV, and we used to know what was happening, ah, you know up
there in Winnipeg
And ah, well I met this guy named Al and he's, um, he's the wea
therman now for the whole planet
If you can imagine that, and ah, he's uh, sometime's not popula
r because, uh,
this is very strange but, you know people turn on the weatherma
n
When the weather is gonna be bad, they actually turn on the wea
therman
and uh, say bad things about him and put him down
So, so uh, things haven't been that great lately, uh
you know, day by day is really good, uh, you know most of the t
ime
but every once in a while all hell breaks loose, mom
and the whole thing is just like nothing I've ever seen before
and it, it seems to be happening everywhere
So ah, you know if you're in there, everywhere all the time
All around the whole globe, around earth
So you know, even though Al's forecasts are good he gets in tro
uble
So ah, you know I always know we used to watch the weather fore
cast together
so I thought I'd tell you about that and ah, I miss you
And I know that ah, I-I know that ah, you know I'd like you to
say hello to Ben for me
Ah and, tell him that you know that I'll be around, ah, I'll be
there eventually.
Ah, not for a while though, I still have a lot of work to do he
re
And ah, and so I love you, and ah I hope eveybody's feeling goo
d up there
and don't forget to talk to daddy, bye!