



John  
Walter  
Miskimen

From

Hunt Lockie,

Neoga Illinois, U.S.A.

1883.

My Dear John.

Take the world as it is! - there is good and bad in it  
And good and bad will it be from now to the end:

And they who expect to make saints in a minute,  
Are in danger of marring more hearts than they mend.

If ye wish to be happy never seek for the faults

Or you're sure to find something or other amiss;

'Mid much that-debauses and much that-exalts,

The world's not a bad one, if left-as it is."

Your loving

Aunt-Lizzie

Neoga Ill

July 8th 1883.

My Dear Son,  
Honor thy father and mother that thy  
days may be long upon the land, which the  
Lord thy God gave thee.  
Mother

July 8<sup>th</sup> 1883.

Lucy (Mrs. Murray) McKim

To John

May they bark sail lightly  
Or life troubled sea  
And the friend thou lovest  
Prove true to thee

your friend Gertrude Duff

Newcomertown Ohio

Dear Master John,  
Your friend and teacher,

Jas. T. Buff,  
Supt. Pub. Schools,

July 9, 1853.

Newcomerstown

Hiram A. Taylor  
Cassington  
Aug. 16<sup>th</sup> 1883 Ohio

Chas B Taylor

Cos. Weston  
Cos. Weston  
Ohio



John.

Wecome story

Remember me is all I ask  
And if remembrance be a  
Task forget me

Your friend & com.  
Lorrey Dickinson.

Lucie M. Dickinson,

Jan. 6, 1892.

To brother.

Some write for honor,

Some write for fame,

I write for friendship,

And only sign my name.

Your loving Sister  
Bertha

Florence O Ward

69 Wallace St.

Newark,  
Ohio.

Dear John,

May you always live in peace  
And slide along as slick as grease

Your Cousin  
Kate

New Comerstown, O., Aug. 16<sup>th</sup> 1883

To John:

Be honest in all your dealings with  
your fellow man, and be good to  
your father and mother.

From your  
uncle Jim Collier

A simple wish I breathe for thee  
A wish in friendship given on earth a  
Glorious destiny and then a home in heaven

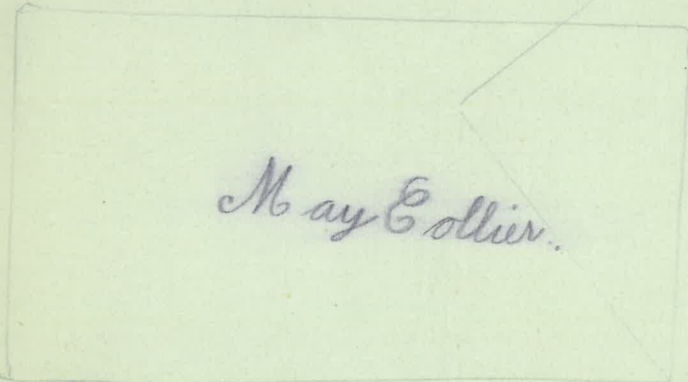
From your

Aunt Carril

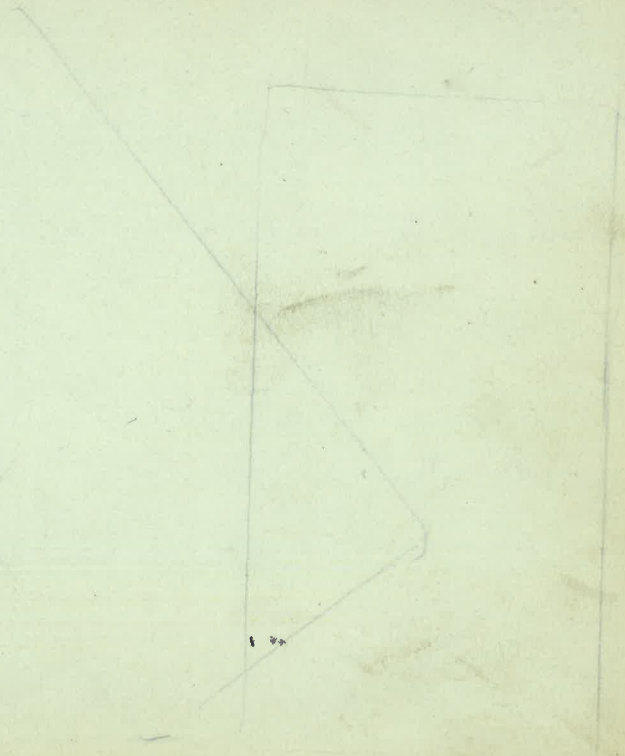
Lottie Collier

Alvin C. Davis  
Newga,  
Illinois

Wanda Mickinens.



May Collier.





Katwit.

Oliver Mishkunen

Newbernston

April 4, 1886.

Ohio.

Don't forget the school-days in the 5th room.

Lizzie Holmes.

Courry Co.

Gran Wert Co.

Nettie Wert.

My young friend John:—

Be honest, upright,  
and honorable.  
Be gentle in all  
your actions!

Eugene Vogenatz.

Sept. 14, 1883.

John.

May success attend you in all your future  
undertakings, is the wish of.

Kate B. McMunn.

Wesga, Ills. Sep. 3<sup>d</sup> 1886.

Frank P. W<sup>o</sup> Mann

Keoga Ills

Sept 2<sup>nd</sup> 1886

"A boy's will is the wind's will,  
<sup>and</sup> the thoughts of youth are  
long, long thoughts"

Truly Yours,

C. F. Sew.

Sept. 19, 1883.

John.



Newbamerstown Ohio

In this book I claim a spot  
Do write my name forget me  
not.

10.—9.—83

Your schoolmates  
Sallie Kennedy.



Compliments of  
Sallie Kennedy.



Perry & Burt

Mary Burt

of the barment.

J. B. Rogers

Maggie Rogers

Jessie Burt

Anna M. Burt

John D. Burt  
William D. Burt  
William D. Burt

George Burt

J. Roe Burt

11/15/91

Compliments of  
Warner A. Dextine

Well John.

Thank you for my birthday.

Your cousin

H. - C.

H. - C.

H. - C.

<sup>m</sup>  
To John

O what a tangled web we weave  
When first we practice to deceive.

Mamie Williams.

John

In your chimney of remembrance  
Regard me as a brick.

Your friend  
Oeil Grater.

Jan. 7, 1887.

To John.



Compliments.  
of your friend and classmate.

Hattie Carhartt.  
Newcomerstown.  
Ohio.

Oct. 26. 1883.

(March 7<sup>th</sup> 1885

Learn while you are young  
that deception leads to  
greater vices

J. H. Curry



Aug 13<sup>th</sup> 1863

May you grow to be as good  
and usefull a man  
as your Grandfatheres  
is the wish of your  
ever loving Aunt  
Nina

Franklin  
Livingston Co.  
Illinois

Jennie.  
Honored by Father and Mother

Jesse Hunt, Thomas McKim  
Plainfield Ohio

To John:-

If scribbling in this album,  
Does friendship secure,  
With the greatest of pleasure  
I'll scribble in here.

November 22, 1883  
Ella Skipp

Feb. 24 1886

Compliments of your cousin  
To Johnny

Eva Miskimen

Sinton Mills  
Ohio

To John.

Your friend

Mary Paulson.

New Comerstown

Ohio.

March 14<sup>th</sup> 1812.

Mary E Paulson



To John

When this you see  
Remember me  
Compliments of your  
Friend & well wisher

Mrs. H. C. Starker

May 8<sup>th</sup> 1885

N. C. Town

Newcomers town Ohio. Sept. 27. 1883.

Cousin John:—

Upon this page I own a spot  
To write three words "Forget me not."

Your friend & cousin.

Ara Miskimen

In a  
hurry.

Johnny:

In time we transact business  
for eternity; whatever, therefore,  
we do now, should be done  
well.

Ever your friend  
Billie Hicks.

Sept., 26, 1883.



Cousin John:—

Above all else to thine  
own self be true,

This done thou wilt not  
prove false to anyone.

With Best Wishes

Geo. L. Williams

Apr. 16-1855—

John: -

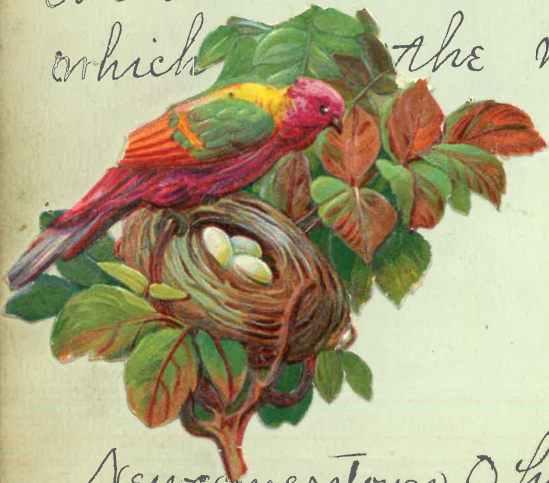
Accept the good wishes  
of a friend.

Mrs G. L. Williams,

Apr. 10-1855.-

Friend John:

It is from our hearts and not from  
an outward source that we draw the lines  
which weave the web of our existence



Wick W. Wood  
Editor Index

Newcomerstown Ohio  
July 16, 1883

To John Miskimen



The mill will never grind with the water  
that is passed.

Your friend

Lade Wood

Newcomerstown Ohio

July 16, 1883.

James M Burt

Mary Ann Burt

John Burt

Elizabeth Greter

Ann Carter

Lewis Carhart

Shelton Dickinson

Elizabeth L Burt

Will A Dixon

Charlotte Dickinson

Kate P Davis

M. L. Carhart

Ellen B. Dyke

James Braden Burt

Annie W. Custer

Frank. L. Burt

L. Philip Burt

Harriet - P. Rogers, Burt

Mrs J. Custer

Mrs H. J. Custer

Margaret J. Burt

Kinmont Taylor

A. J. Custer

Byron C. Davis

Frank Westimer

Harry Burt

Wm. G. (Becke)

James L. Rogers

Key W. Miskimen

Idie Miskimen

1844

Ever remembered - John

May your life be a golden page,  
 Let not up to this point be  
 One which is written from with age.  
 Be true,  
 In camp E. Roche,



Am...

John - Some may wish thee happiness  
Others wish thee wealth.  
my wish for thee is better far  
Contentment - Bless - with health -  
Grande Co. Burl -

West-Keafayette Ohio

Aug 13 1880 -



"Work is the engine that - draws  
the car of success"

Kate Toles

In ascending the hill of Prosperity,  
May I never meet you coming down!

Your school-mate,

Newcomertown,

Rena Bogerity,

Nov. 6<sup>th</sup>, 1883.

John: -

May you know sorrow only by name.

Your aff. cousin

Emma M. Munn.

Coshocton

Ohio

July 18., 1843.

Though the mills of God grind slowly, yet  
they grind exceeding small;  
Though with patience He stands waiting,  
with exactness grinds He all.

Your friend,

Ella M. Cleary.

Compliments  
of

Lizzie Holmes

Conroy  
Ohio

Jan 6<sup>th</sup> 1857

"Consider each day of your life a leaf in your history, making thereon no record which you will ever wish to erase."

Your friend & teacher.

Agnes Deary.

Sep. 12. 1883.

John:

What will it matter bye and bye,  
Whe ther your path in life is bright or  
dark, Whe ther it wound through light  
or dark. Under a grey or golden sky,  
When we look back on it bye, and bye.  
Your friends, Hattie S. Hale,

Harmar, Ohio

July 5<sup>th</sup> 1884

Your cousin,  
James M. Williams,

Cashota, Ohio,

May 6, 1885.





Wickham Ind

August 16<sup>th</sup> 1883

Dear John.

Be kind and gentle, honest  
and true and you will  
have friends like your  
Aunt Belle & I mean.

Elkhart Ind. Aug. 13<sup>th</sup> / 883.

John:-  
Gone many, trust few,  
And always paddle  
your own canoe.  
Your friend  
Dorothy

Shewcomers town, Ohio,

June, 10, '84.



Your Cousin

Kate Wickman

Aug 27-1857

New Phila  
O.



Compliments of  
Your Cousin,

May 5, 1856.

Lucy Dickerson

Rachel

Rachel Wiskimen

Jan. 10<sup>th</sup> 1894.

Rachel Wiskimen

Rachel Wiskimen

New Comerstown

Ohio

Friend Johnnie—

Proverbs—1—8.

July 9<sup>th</sup> 1883.

Your Friend

Mary S. Duff.

John Samuel,

May no dark trouble ever fling  
Its shadow o'er thy path,  
But all things lovely, all things fair,  
Be Thine in life and death.

J. P. Leland.  
N.C. Town, C.

June 28, 1855



John:—

Be noble in every thought

And in every deed.

Your cousin Mammie.

Oct 25. 1883.

That you may ever be worthy of  
the name of John Mistimer is the  
wish of your Cousin

W. G. Williams

May 6<sup>th</sup> 1885

Lima, N. Y.

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Carrie Mythe Williams  
Lucas N. Y.

May 6<sup>th</sup> 1885.

James W. Mc Mann

Coshocton Ohio

February 25<sup>th</sup> 1886  
Mary Mc Mann

"God wants the boys,  
The happy hearted boys.

God wants us all his will to do.  
In sorrow or in joy, to be his precious pearls,  
God wants us ever to be true."

Your friend,

Callie M<sup>o</sup>. Fadden,

9-21-83.

Wm Wilson.



Compliments  
of  
W. A. Wilson

Nov. 6, 1855.

Complements of

P. S. Miskineus.

Oct. 28. / 83.

Compliments of  
Alice Grater.

May 4, 1886.



Compliments of  
Jesse H. Smith  
May 28/86.

Compliments of,

June 15, 1885.

Ada Siffert.

May Dinner  
Newcomerstown,  
Q.

May 14, '86.

John:

Compliments of Your Friend,

Lizzie Cool.

Navarre Ohio, June 15 1878.

Compliments of  
Minnie Neighbor.

Jan. 8, 1887.

Compliments of,  
Daisy Mulvaney.

May 5<sup>th</sup>, 1876.

Compliments of  
Bertha Shaw,  
Newcomerstown,  
Ohio.

Sunday June 26, 1887  
To P. Mulvaney.

Friend John-

Sailing over the stream of life  
In your little birch canoe,  
May you have a pleasant voyage  
With just room enough for two.



Aug. 19<sup>th</sup> / 1883.



Compliments of  
Jennie D Knowles.

Newcomerstown O. ... May 11 1886.

Rollin. Vogwitz

Compliments of  
Mary Bowleson  
City.

Cousin John;

You ask me to write in your  
album,

I hardly know how to begin

For there is nothing original  
in me.

Except "original sin."

Your Aff. Cousin  
Mabel Toler.

June 23<sup>rd</sup> 1891  
San Francisco  
Calif.

John:—

True friends are jewels,  
But, like jewels are scarce.

Jan. 7, 1887. Your Friend  
and Neighbor.

Laura Zimmer,

May 10, 1886.

Compliments of  
Bertha Sultzer.  
Newcomerstown.  
O. May 27, '86.

To John

When on this verse your eyes  
does glance think not these  
words come here by chance  
but one who love you  
dear took up her pen  
and plac'd them here  
yours Truly

Jan 2, 1884

Alice Brown



East of all corner Station.  
March 18th 1884