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Camp of the 23<sup>rd</sup> Regiment of Michigan Volunteer Infantry  
Bowling Green, KY, May 25<sup>th</sup> 1863

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Your Affectionate Husband

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