

My dear  
 Brother  
 I have  
 just  
 received  
 your letter  
 of the 21st  
 and am  
 glad to  
 hear of  
 your  
 recovery  
 I am  
 ever  
 your  
 affectionate  
 brother  
 J. Adams  
 March 21 1826

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My dear Mr Adams

In two days we  
 have seen the  
 weather  
 quite  
 different  
 from what  
 we expected  
 it to be  
 and the  
 wind  
 has  
 shifted  
 quite  
 much  
 since  
 we  
 left  
 the  
 coast  
 and  
 the  
 sea  
 is  
 very  
 rough  
 and  
 the  
 wind  
 is  
 very  
 strong  
 and  
 the  
 ship  
 is  
 rolling  
 very  
 much  
 and  
 the  
 crew  
 are  
 very  
 fatigued  
 and  
 the  
 provisions  
 are  
 nearly  
 exhausted  
 and  
 the  
 water  
 is  
 very  
 scarce  
 and  
 the  
 men  
 are  
 very  
 weak  
 and  
 the  
 ship  
 is  
 in  
 great  
 danger  
 and  
 we  
 are  
 very  
 anxious  
 to  
 see  
 you  
 and  
 to  
 hear  
 of  
 your  
 recovery  
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 am  
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in a day or two every return  
to I am for her usual friends -  
reply in return of her last letter  
& I am certain you will  
remember since I came to I am

Yours  
Mary

GH  
mark  
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