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MY DEAR RADIO FRIEND:

ANY FRIEND OF PHILS IS A FRIEND OF MINE... HOW BE YOU? AND ALSO AM SORRY I HAVEN'T BEEN ABLE TO ANSWER YOUR SWELL LETTER OF DECEMBER 2ND REGARDING OUR SPECIAL DX SHOW FOR "DXERS EVERYWHERE" AND ESPECIALLY FOR THE N.R.C.

YOUR LETTER WAS VERY INTERESTING AND ENJOYED IT A GREAT DEAL. SO YOU'VE BEEN READING MY MAIL TO PHIL EH... SWELL, SO THEN YOU KNOW THE CONDITIONS DOWN HERE AND JUST ABOUT HOW EVERYTHING GOES. WELL I'M GLAD SOMEONE FROM THAT HOUSE WAS ABLE TO CATCH OUR DEC 2ND DEAL EVEN THOUGH PHIL HIMSELF COULDN'T. FROM ALL THE OTHER REPORTS THAT CAME IN... AND I GUESS ABOUT 45 DID ARRIVE FINALLY ONE WAY OR ANOTHER, I WAS ABLE TO JUDGE JUST HOW THE SHOW WENT OUT. IN SOME SECTIONS, SPECIALLY AROUND WASHINGTON AND SOME POINTS IN VA. COULD HARDLY GET US AT ALL... MOST ALL REPORTS TOLD OF QRM FROM AN OPEN CARRIER THAT SEEMED TO COME FROM A SOUTHERN STATION THAT JUST ABOUT GUMMED UP THE WORKS. GLAD AT LEAST PART OF OUR SHOW CAME THRU TO YOU. I TRIED TO DO A GOOD JOB FOR THAT SHOW AND SOME SAY THAT IT CAME ALONG FINE, SO IF I WAS ABLE EVEN IN THE SMALLEST WAY TO PLEASE SOME... THEN I GUESS I DID MY JOB....

I'M HAPPY TO GIVE YOU THE VERIFICATION YOU DESIRE FROM OUR STATION FOR THAT SPECIAL DX SHOW FOR THE N.R.C. AND DXERS EVERYWHERE. SO YOU CAN NOW ADD THIS TO YOUR EVER GROWING LIST. RADIO STATION WXLQ AS YOU KNOW IS AN ARMED FORCES RADIO STATION ON 1240 KCS, 50 WATTS, AND IS LOCATED ON THE TOP OF CORAL NOB HILL AT FORT BELL IN BERMUDA.

I WOULD LIKE VERY MUCH TO MEET YOU AND THE OTHERS AFTER I GET HOME AND IT SURE WOULD BE SOMETHING NICE, WE'LL HAVE TO WORK ON THAT... ANY DAY NOW I COULD BE LEAVING HERE, IT'S ENTIRELY UP TO ME, BUT THERE IS SO MUCH MORE TO DO HERE AT THE STATION TO FINISH UP, I DONT SEE HOW I CAN LEAVE MUCH BEFORE THE END OF THE YEAR...PHIL COULD GIVE YOU MORE NEWS I GUESS... WELL, HERE'S HOPING ANYWAY.. BY THE WAY, MY FAVORITE SPOT IN THE COUNTRY IS AROUND PHOENIX ARIZ, SO I COULD APPRECIATE YOUR THOUGHTS FOR "THE LAND OF ENCHANTMENT". GOOD DXING FOR THE COMING YEAR AND XMAS GREETINGS. 73'S SINCERELY..

SGT M. WERTHEIM STATION MGR WXLQ.

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