

Stafford Corthouse Va
Feb the 11th/63

Dear Mother

i am seated to answer youre letter that i recieved last night i was glad to here from you. i am very tiard to night i have been on police duty to day mother dont trouble youre self about me for when i am in trouble you shall know it i am well now and tuff and like it first rate the soljour part but the d m niggers they take me down they seem to think more of a nigger than they do of a white man i have had two letters from Cal but he dont rite where to direct to one of oure boys that was with Cal said that he was going to rode island and i haint heard any thing from him since i rote the 3 and sent you a 20 dollar check and i want you to rite wheather you have got it or not if you get it bee saving of it please rite as soon as you get this

Dont fale

This from your son till death

L Wright

to R Wright

i will rite to _ule soon dont forget to rite

[Landers Wright, private, Co. A, 154th New York, *National Archives*.]