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The picture you see here is my son Miles when he was just three years old catching his first fish with my husband Ken. Now fast forward to present time. My wonderful beautiful son Miles is 18 and he's now an official Boston College Student. From my front door to his dorm room door. It's 3012 miles. Yes. I googled it. And as of writing this newsletter, we have not dropped Miles off yet. But let me promise. It will be a very ugly cry!

Don't get me wrong. I am elated he is leaving for a higher education college. He is an excellent student to get into what is dubbed a Catholic Ivy League University but my heart still wants to be a mom picking him up from school and having him show me his art work, watching his swim meets and looking over his homework. I loved being his chauffeur. I know this is why we have children to help them be the next generation of good things to come but as a mother of one child it's hard to let go. I'm working on it. I'm sure you'll see me at The Paper Garden more than ever as my mind will be more focused on working to lessen the empty nest pain.

But on another note, I want to let you all know that I appreciate all of the cards and well wishes during Miles high school graduation. How lucky I am to know that so many people are cheering my son on during his next adventure and you're helping me too by sharing your off to college stories. So thank you, and know that I really appreciate it... and just think during the short Thanksgiving break, Miles will be home. I mean a weekend is better than nothing!

A little tid bit about me

Knowing that my son will be home for Thanksgiving makes me think of the story I reported on in Kansas City when I worked for FOX-TV. An airplane of 200 plus young soldiers came back from Afghanistan after a two year tour of duty. Some were just babies. 18 years old when they left and two years later, they came back proud men. I should note, not all came back. And on this Thanksgiving, these American heroes had no idea that their families were waiting for them to arrive at the baggage claim. They were going to be transferred to Fort Riley Military Base in Kansas, but these excited parents waiting were armed with US Flags and homemade cookies and apple pie. I, of course focused on the mothers of these young soldiers and couldn't wait to get the perfect sound bite from them and... I did. They proudly dressed in red, white and blue. I asked one of the moms, "What is going through your mind right now. I just received word the 747 has landed." This mother explained it perfectly and right now, it lives in my head more than ever. She said, "You know the saying Love at First Sight." She added, "That's what happened when my son was born and I laid eyes on him. Today that same feeling is going to happen when he arrives at that gate, and it's a love only a mother could experience."

Now, full circle for me. I know that's what is going to happen for my Thanksgiving. It's all I will need when Miles comes through that arrival gate. Amen

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Christmas in October \$35

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