

Telephone conversation with Karen--March 16, 1994

We have received letters from both Stephen and Mark. Mark thinks the temple in Orlando won't be completed before he comes in July. He's disappointed about that. He's very busy and very happy. He is an assistant to the President. Stephen is lucky that he's in the Island of Socoku(sp.). He's in the Mekkon sp? capital of Japan it's where they grow tangerines and has a very mild climate which is nice to have during the winder time. He has a native Japanese companion who was raised in the church.

Emily is through with basketball season, but is finding ways to fill her time. Michael is spending more time working at Novatek.

Karen and Michael went up to Utah State and stayed the night at a motel so they could get up early and sign up Michael and Mark for some good apartments that don't allow drinking and smoking. It's called Darwin Avenue or returned missionary row and it's located across from the institute. They were the first in line.

Karen is busy with tax season. All the same with David. The relatives in Provo all went to Emily Neils recital in the Madsen Recital hall. Over 100 people there and it was nice to be able to share that experience with the Neils. She played very well!

Telephone conversation with Liz, March 16, 1994

Emily's concert went really well. She had a lot of friends turn out for it and she did a fine job! Her teacher seemed to be really pleased and said she had a stellar recital. What I liked was having all the family come. It made me realize how nice it is to have the family close enough to support her. Greg just bought his first car. Its a used Nissan Path Finder. It has 50,000 miles on it. He's almost 22 and needed a car. Marty is going to Japan and Singapore for 10 days next week.

John and Erin are busy with school activities. John walks around home with basketball constantly in his hands. He spins it, bounces it off his head etc. In Utah he had to borrow Greg's basketball because he couldn't function with one in his hands. We have had beautiful weather! The blossoms and daffodils are in full bloom. All you cold weather locations eat your heart out. Every year at this time I have to gloat about the weather.