

Camp Griffin Feby 5th 1862
My Darling Love -

I recd yr first letter
as I came in for picquet yesterday
morn, & another this eve. Both real
good letters. I have wanted to see
you more than ever since I came
back. I never loved you so much
my own angel - You must be
very careful to remember all darling
because you know I cant live without
all yr love & devotion. I felt badly
that night because I thought I saw
evidence of yr old hobit of familiarity
with gentlemen. I would not for the
world have any one think you cared
to please gentlemen as girls do or as
married ladies sometimes do.

I dont want any one to feel at liberty
to flatter you or pay you any
special attention. I just want you
to be my own dignified & darling
wife. all mine & always mine -
You are all that I have to care for
& I want all yr love just as I love
you. I shall be as glad as you to get