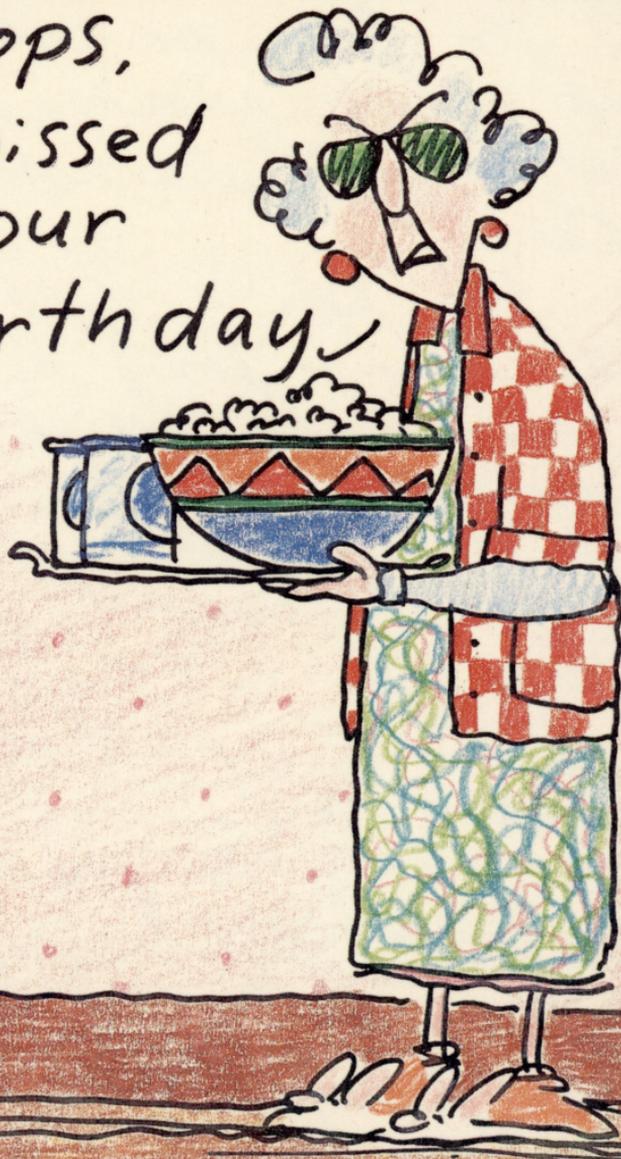


Oops,  
I missed  
your  
birthday,



guyana

Dear Paul,

1/94

Oh, well, I'll just add it to the long list of things I'll be burning in hell for.

So very sorry - this card is late, but honest. The thought was on time! I was looking through some old mail yesterday & found a letter you sent me from Vietnam in '68. There was also a picture of you & Lifer - you wrote it shortly after you had to have Lifer put to sleep because he had ticks. He was the cutest little puppy.

3) Its been so cold here, Paul,  
I can't imagine how cold  
it must be normally out  
there!

Its been a hell of a winter  
already - don't know if my  
mom told you but I had a  
seizure - in the bathroom -  
I broke my nose & I looked  
like a raccoon! I gave  
myself a concussion - was  
stunned up all day. My  
doctor seems more concerned  
to curing the problem, I want  
to know the "why" as well.  
My medication has been ↑  
& I'm fine now - I guess  
it could be a hormonal  
change that altered the way  
my body breaks down my medi-  
cation. So anyway, I'm ok  
my nose & eyes are finally healed.

3) The 3<sup>rd</sup>, my dear friend  
Lane died - he was my  
very best friend & it  
took me awhile to be able  
to deal w/ that. The next day  
Steve Kuchalla (across the  
street) died. Then the pipe  
froze/broke & there was no  
heat - then the Komlas'  
pipes froze/broke & their house  
in Durmont was flooded...  
all in all - it's been a hell  
of a winter! Don't forget the  
earthquake - and my good  
friend Danny lives in the  
Vally & I was so worried  
until I could get through to  
him!

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Hope you had a really great  
birthday, Paul! My love  
to the kids! Love you Bunches!  
Dixie

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