

Dear Rita,

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Howdy! I got your wonderful letter + I hope you got mine. Your trip sounded great. I've only been to Europe once, (Paris), + I was really sick which sucked big time.

I don't draw at all. I read a lot + I crochet. I'm working on a sweater right now. I also love to dance, but don't have much of an opportunity for that in here (although sometimes I just can't help myself - everyone is used to my dancing by now).

I do love yoga, but the idiots at Rec stopped letting us check out mats. They're calling it a "Security Risk" because guys would take them outside. Completely absurd. I did, however, break down today + do it in the mop closet here in my unit right before I started writing. I feel so much better when I do yoga!

I can receive small pictures, but technically we're not supposed to have anything on our walls.

It's great that you met someone you like on your trip.

I have a few favorite writers. I love Isabel Allende - her writing is like poetry. I'm obsessed with George R.R. Martin's 'Game of Thrones' series ('A Song of Fire + Ice'), but didn't like some of his other short stories. Anne Rice is fabulous. There are a few others I like.

Love the quote!

Hugs, 