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My Dear Mrs Wilcox

Agreeable to my own feeling
and I trust to yours I wish to return
my sympathy to you. This dreadful
war has made us all feel one
another's troubles and did I say I wish
it were so but alas it is not so.

But they are in the minority I am
happy to say those who do not sym-
pathize with us who are truly Loyal.

My heart goes out towards those
who have bled ones in the Army
and especially those who have Dear
ones who are now suffering in
prisons Oh that they could be set
free and come home to their home
and friends once more. And pray that
our heavenly Father that they may be
released speedily. Some times my mind

gets so wrought thinking about you
son that I cannot bear it so any longer
We have seen Lieut Wilson your son
but I am not acquainted with him
but I feel interested in him now that
he is with our son Lieut Dusen. I
they have been in prison a long
time I think they will understand
what the rebels are. My wish is
Mrs Wilson that your son may soon
come home and be your comfort
And may the Lord keep you and bless
you and yours now and evermore
is the Prayer of your friend
Mrs A. Dusen

P.S.

We thank you kindly for the
copy of the General order which
you sent us it helped us to send
more to our son than we had thought
that we could send. and I do hope he may
get it truly. Mrs A. Dusen