

**Letter to Margrethe 1931:**

Oslo 29 Jan – 31

Dear Sister

You can believe I was happy when I received your postcard. Of course, I thought you did not live since I have not received any replies to the last letters I have sent. I have to say God is really good to me he has kept me in his fold and I rejoice with such a savior. As of now (turn page) my children are grownups. Carsten is 25 years old, married and has one son of about 1 year old. He is running business and it is doing well. Helene is app. 21 years old and she is a dentist assistant so she is fine. Leif is 18 years old and is employed in an office.

I run the same business I have done for over 20 years. And praise the Lord it is doing well. (turn page) Yes, time passes when one can be healthy and I have almost never been ill. Have bought a house where I live during the summer so now you have to take a trip over here it is just outside the city and is called Sommerro (meaning Summer peace) so there you can be resting. I hope you are fine, your boys are probably married by now.

I am very much waiting to hear more from you. (turn page)

It is no longer Kristiania, but is called Oslo.

Live well.

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(Upside down is written)

You should ask one of the boys to write to Carsten he understands English. His address is

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