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Dear Evelyn,

Dear Don,

Time goes so fast... I apologize for this long delay without writing....your letters are on my writing-table at home since January. Don't have a too bad opinion of me!...

Marie was in Paris some days ago. Unfortunately I had to attend a meeting of the French National Comitee of the C.N.R.S. and was unable to see her. So we have no recent news from Evelyn's health but we do hope you are not too bad, dear Evelyn... Those Chemotherapy shots sound so terrible...

I have been working a lot on the material and the distribution maps from Ksar 'Aqil (Lebanon) and I am now preparing the next field season: July in Dordogne at La Faurélie with a 12 students team and Ksar 'Aqil with a 25 students international crew and specialists : September & October. I was lucky enough to get some money from the W.G.F.I wrote a preliminary paper on the 1969 excavations which is on press. I'll send it to you as soon as possible.

I have good news from François (I generally phone him every two weeks).

No time to practise flaking, except two demonstrations in Universities and I'm anxiously waiting for July during which I hope to find time enough to "do my thing" on blades and cores at the Tixier's

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in Dordogne (little by little our house is getting more
and more comfortable).

François told me he cancelled his project on the Belgrade
Congress, so did I: I'll be on excavations in Lebanon.

Nevertheless I'm still looking forward to go to the States
in December 71. I would enjoy too much to meet you again..
we have lots and lots of subjects to discuss about. A
letter is a poor paper comparing with a presence....

Dom, Juliëtte and I send you our best
wishes and hope we can get together
sometime during 1971.

Your friends,

Dom, Juliëtte, Jacques.

Jacques