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Dear Sally & Jim -

We secured the wonderful picture of the bear. How very sweet he looks - in the picture. I would have had to take it at 300' not 15'. It's great!! Each hair stands out. We'll really enjoy having it to hang with our favorite 'outdoor' pictures. It was a perfect gift - and we do so appreciate your sending it. Only wish you could have brought it down in person.

We're having gorgeous weather right now - in the 60's during the day - in the 20's at night - but Prescott weather in the winter



settled right in - They're going to  
Japanese school - learning the language  
quickly - Guess baseball, computers  
and Barbie dolls are the same  
in any language - at least for 9 & 12  
year old kids. They miss hot  
cereal, chocolate and cheese, but  
can handle the rest of Japanese  
life - even the cold houses.

Know Prescott isn't right  
not close to Reno - but if  
things change - do come on  
down - We don't have a great  
house - but we do have a  
spare bedroom and bath - no  
beats - just Tyler.

Love,  
Bob & Betty Ireland



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Dear Jim & Holly,

Herewith the promised pictures of Jess and Rowdy - with a good friend of mine - thought you might enjoy also one of my favorite pictures of that other guy - taken just before landing at Taylor Ranch some years ago.

Should you wish the Taylor pictures framed just let me know. Will send along some frames into which they could be placed. Maybe we should "frame" Maurice too - add some dignity to the place -

Our northern Arizona winter has been mild with less precipitation than we need. Hope your snow pack is sufficient to provide more water for next summer -

Have a good winter and spring - Hope we see you next summer.

Best regards -

Bob Loveland