

take in the Boston Symphony
this next week and all my violinist
friend who plays in it. I had not
heard any music since last

Christmas so I do need some and
you know I can't listen to
Radios at all because they hurt
my ears so.

My trip to Africa with Papa &
note was very hard. And the
result of the election has crushed
me.

Evellina dear I am holding you
tenderly in my love against
my heart these days. I know
so well how you feel. I do hope
you are not having a severe
reaction. Much love to you all
I will write again later. Gutzwill

from Gertrude Lukens
sympathy at death
of Elton
Biddle



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Dear Evellina,

I here are some letters which you
may wish to keep with the others
you saved at Elvira. Mr. Feris's
your sisters will wish to see but
as I am not sure where they are
now I will ask you to send it to
them.

I miss you girls terribly. It has
been such a joy to be with you.
I can't write fully tonight about
how I feel about it as I am too
exhausted. I can't seem to
drive myself these days more than

a certain amount each day and as I have to rest on my bed most of the hours of each day I am going to stay in New York longer than I planned because I can't as yet attend to the things I wish to do here. And I want to have some music and I need it as much as food and air. This afternoon after resting all the time until time for the concert at 3.00 I heard the Brazilian pianist Guionar Novais who has not been playing here for six years. Trauma and I used to hear her frequently when she first came to New York.

So, we have playing in our park and its gifts are many presents to us. I can hardly come down to earth where the concert is over. She is a delightful personality and a dignified and modest. Her speaking of tones is beyond description. My college friend married Richard (now husband design my knees could) went with me. I am so exhausted but my soul is so satisfied from that exquisite music.

I have seen Wells George a lot as he can visit with me here while I rest. I think I shall be here a week longer and if so I can