

Dear Jochee,

I do not think Peter meant to offend you. I was not in the house - I was putting out the trash. I do not know whether he thought you were getting ready to go to bed - or whether he just decided to push you out. That does not seem like him.

Even if he ~~realized that~~ ignored the fact that you still wished to use the living room, I wish you would try to overlook his obtuseness and selfishness. You overlook so many offenses from your parents, from your patients and I suppose from me. In this case I did try to arrange things so that you would ~~be~~ have full use of the living room - but your habits are so different from those of Peter's that I guess he just did not understand the message.

In this connection, Think a little of me
and how I have tried to fit into the
pattern of Konnarock - not very well
perhaps, but I do try. Please turn
your thoughts away from anger and hurt
pride to loving Thought for me. These
Visits happen so seldom - can you not
overlook the ~~offense~~ offense this time?

Please try to forget your anger
and turn your strength and attention to the
person who needs it.

Would you take a little walk
with me? The night is clear and not
too cold. Then we ~~could~~ could sleep?

Love
Margaret

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