

Sunday, January 1, 1995 to Marsh Harbour

Saturday, January 14, 1995

- Highlights -

1st Quiet Day

Jan. 2nd, 3rd, 4th Mort did his thing and I got things organized for Bobbie Catlin's Visit. We are really enjoying. The third was my Birthday and Mort took me to Lunch & Dinner out. A fun day.

Jan. 5th 1:55 P.M. Bobbie Arrived

6th } Rummy tiles, eating, Rummy tiles,

7th } Dining, Rummy tiles, eating

8th } A trip to Man-o-War on the Ferry **

9th } Rummy tiles - eating & more eating

10th } Bobbie left 1:00 P.M.

Had Cocktails at Gardner's Cottage w/ Voge & West ^{Musical}

** While in Man-o-War we made arrangements with Darwin at Edwin's Boatyard #2 for "Sheegah" to be hauled out at noon - approx. on the 20th of February. We have reserved a week at the Birds Nest. A 2 BR rental house on the Quay about a block from the yard, and just across from the anchorage. We should not be there more than a week if all goes well.

11th

Went to Albert's Attitude Adjustment hour with Tom Mallory of Raven. Had fun but one was enough (The Junkyard band gets old very fast).

12th

Happy Hour Lips

Friday the 13th

A Happy Day alone with each other.

14th

Childs Play left for Exumas

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We have another Blow today 20 to 30 k.
The Childs left but are only going to Hope Town.
Hopefully they won't get into any trouble.

Since it's a rainy blowy day we are going
to lunch with Katy & Al to Margoes.

I'm still catching up with Laundry from Bobbie's
visit, which by the way was great and worth
every minute of extra duty. He is so easy!

Tonight I'll make Lamb Chops for dinner.
Maybe we'll even get a movie to watch from Lou's
\$1.25 Videos.

Sunday, January 15, 1995

Abaco, Bahamas

Windy, Rained all night, Called Rich to wish him
Happy Birthday (tomorrow). He is 27 years old.
He was very upset since he received in his
mail all the bills from the house.
Mort told him to contact the lawyer to
advise she abandoned house, and to try
to get the Judge to turn house over to Rich. We
would pay ~~the~~ mortgage & put on market.

We had steak & salad for dinner after a really
relaxing day of Chores (light), Rummy tiles and
cocktails.

Monday, January 16, 1995

Marsh Harbour

Everyone in Marsh Harbour has a bad cold. It was
brought here by the folks that went North by air
for Christmas and returned sick. (In the case of
those we know who traveled this happened without

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exception. Now I feel one coming on. (Tight chest sore throat etc.) Last night I began Dopeyclen (A tight chest untreated always signals bronchitis for me.)

So, my dear friend Mort took the whaler into town to buy two chickens (or as Katy Vogel would say - "A couple of dead birds") so that I could make the obligatory chicken soup. (It is scrumptious.)

Bud & Betty Gardner are staying in a cottage on the North Shore (since they sold ~~the~~ their boat Tyl) so that they ^{can} ~~could~~ maintain a taste of the Bahamas and the boating community. He is absolutely ~~the~~ bereft. She is very content. So we invited them to join us aboard this evening for cocktails. We also invited behind Minstral crew Deane and Bill [a really great couple] and Ken & Ruth of Quartet ~~and~~ ~~Buddy & Betty~~
We had a great time.

Jan 17, 1995, Tuesday

Couch In

Great day even though Mort & I were the "Bickersons" this a.m. Nothing serious, it is just the full moon. We had a ^{Party} Marsh Harbour Yacht Club Meeting (an actual meeting). Wonderful music, great friends, and a really great time. Mark & Argie are getting married and we have been invited to the wedding. (I hope to video some) We are only 1 of 6 couples invited. A real honor. It will be the 24th of February.

Wed, Jan 18, 1995

Coach Inn.

Nice Day - good evening. Dinner was Braised pork chops in Bar-B-Que sauce. Watch a "Louis Vedio" and crashed after 9:00 P.M.

Thursday, January 19, 1995

Coach Inn

Margeaux Rose is 7 today.

We were invited aboard Raven to join Tom, Maurreen and others for a slow ride to Guana for lunch. The ride and company were great, the lunch was awful. We had a very good time.

We had no sooner made it back to the boat than old friends, Shirley & Al from Duet, came into the marina and were aboard for cocktails. When they left, we called Margeaux to wish her a Happy Birthday and to send our love.

Then we went to the Coach Inn Cafe for their Happy Hour. Afterward we had Chicken Soup & Crashed. Whew! What a Day.

Friday, January 20, 1995

Marsh Harbour

Cold Front through at 7:30.

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Saturday, January 21, 1995

To Sunday, February 19, 1995

The main situation ^{for this period} is one cold front after the other.

We, of course, continue to frequent Margo's, Wally's, & The Couch Inn. We've had guests aboard, we've done some major cleaning. Been entertained by the Biggs of Wind Mistress at the house they have rented for a month on The North Shore, and had the infamous Laska Dinner^{1/31}. Maureen & Barb & Kip & Michael were invited here for Laskas & Pot Roast at Michael's request, and Kip & Michael didn't show. (I got an Azalea Bush as a peace offering from them.) It actually was a very nice evening - maybe ^{better} in some way - because of their absence. Barb & Maureen were very relaxed and opened up. We had a great time.

On the 10th of Feb. we had the Shower & Tuckler party for Angie & Mark. The shower was a first hand look into the home of a black Bahamian. It was held at Angie's Mom's & Dad's, Mr. & Mrs. "Duke" Lowe. The house was clean, freshly painted and very presentable. Angie said she has never seen so many white faces in her Mama's home. The 11th we went to the Man-O-War Flea Market. Had fun and got to see the "Birds Nest" which we have rented for the week in M-O-W. I took the Crusers Net from 2/13 to 2/17. It is always fun & always a chore. The 15th & 19th of Feb. I packed for M-O-W, and moving into the Birds Nest. On February 13th Anthony had his second Birthday - What a kid. We miss the children.