

Thursday, September 24, 1992

Marathon \*

Mort's still trying to install the SSB. It is a very big job. It will probably take him a week. Oh well the weather is not settled enough to varnish. (I am tired of the <sup>visque</sup> regime on the aft doors. Maybe tomorrow.)

After the usual clean up duty, I spent the day preparing dinner for tomorrow. I cooked the pasta, crisped the lettuce etc. There would be too much to do to leave it all for tomorrow.

Mort & I went to the Quay for dinner. Superb as usual. Mort had Veal, and I had Frog Legs.

Friday, September 25, 1992

Marathon

It is a little sunnier today. Maybe, Mort will get that last coat of varnish on.

No way. Rain, Rain, Rain. Mort spent the working on the Single Side Sail installation. I spent the day getting ready for Laurel & Dave.

They came at 6:00 PM. We had "Mock Kiska" as I had promised Dave. Chicken w/ lemon & Capers, Bow Tie <sup>all the</sup> Huge Salad, Cookies & Coffee. It will be Dave's 38<sup>th</sup> birthday ~~to be~~ Tuesday, so we gave him a card a cookie with a candle and we sang happy birthday.

Dinner was good, but the only thing great about it was my salad.

Saturday, Sept. 26, 1992

Marathon

More Pain! Most took the vinyl & tape of the aft door, He just will never get to them this week. I defrosted the upper freezer in preparation for pulling it from Coates Monday. I helped Most pull wires for the S.S.B. I think the visit was a Pilot House installation looks great. Now he has to put the tuner in topside and the antenna.

Dessert was left over from yesterday. Very good.

Sunday, Sept. 27, 1992

Marathon

Today we go to Hollywood to have Rosh Hashana Dessert with Kate & Ruth and her sister & brother in law. Helen & Eddie may come over for coffee.

We gave a gift to Jim & Linda. They wanted to visit family in Lauderdale.

We had a great dinner at Ruth & Kate's. Ruth sister Helen and her husband Larry were there. Very nice people. Helen & Eddie Greenhawt came over before dinner for cocktails and a brief visit before their dessert with their children a few blocks away. It was good to see them.

We spent the night on their sofa bed. They are wonderful generous people. We enjoy them.

It was a good day.

Monday, Sept. 28, 1992

Hollywood  
Ft. Lauderdale \*  
Lighthouse Pt.

We left Nat & Ruth's by 9:00 A.M.  
Drove into Lauderdale to Boat V.A. Publix and then  
to see Bobbi Cotton in Lighthouse Point & get the new Bunny Scales.  
After that we drove to Costco to re-provision, then  
back to Marathon. We were home by 4:00 P.M.

A long but good day.

Dinner was Smoked Whitefish, Lat, Bagel, etc.  
Yum!

Carol called. She saw the surgeon. She must have  
surgery a week from Wednesday. I/we pray it will  
all be well. I'm so frightened for her. I love her a  
bunch.

My knee is still giving me trouble - achil & myoflex again.

Tuesday, Sept. 29, 1992

Marathon

Spoke to Carol again early. She is hopeful but scared,  
Jimmy is a basket case, she says. He has a million questions.

All day Mort worked on the A. S. B. and ran errands  
pertaining to it's installation - materials, etc.

I stowed all of the purchases we made, washed,  
Boat cleaned and read. I am feeling very low.  
I've got to jolly myself out of this. I hate the feeling.

Dinner should be steak & salad.  
My knee is not as swollen.

Wednesday, September 30, 1992

Marathon

(No starch today. I'm beginning again)  
The weather is still crummy, but it isn't a hurricane. I worked at the usual today, and Mort is working on installing the tuner.

This is an O.K. day, but not fun. I guess I'm spoiled. I like it when we have fun. We have to make an effort. I know if the weather improves that will help.

Also, we will be helped by the arrival of some of our friends, Bob & Nancy Page, Maddy & Ron, etc.

Dinner tonight is Cornish Roaster & Asparagus.

Thursday, ~~Sept~~ October 1, 1992

Marathon\*

A pretty good day today. Mort began the finishing touches to the S. L. B. I did my usual chores, then went off to market.

I returned just as Mort finished, we stowed the groceries, and had lunch.\* The afternoon was spent reading, talking, and in Mort's case napping.

(\*Lunch for me was a small salad. I'm still trying.)

We played Gin during cocktails, then had delicious liver & onion w/ mashed potatoes for dinner. (My first meal actually today. I only had 2 or 3 tablespoons of potatoes.)

We saw Victor Victoria on the T.V. It was wonderful, as usual.

We went to bed in a fine mood. It was a good day. Note: My palms & feet itched tonight. (cig.???)

Friday, October 2, 1992

Marathon

Today we have an appointment with Dr. Operchal to have our eyes checked and refracted. We both need new glasses.

The only change in the weather is that now we not only have clouds and intermittent rain, but we have wind. The temperatures each day these past 2 weeks has been cool enough to open up and turn off the air conditioning, but the rain won't allow it.

It has really been a crummy summer weather-wise. It is pouring cats & dogs.

\* diet news.

\* I'm going to try being good today. I'm two notches and threatening. Most importantly is the fact that I feel uncomfortable. Will I ever learn?

Dr. Operchal says the lump on my eyelid may be skin cancer. I have a biopsy Monday afternoon. Shit!!! If it is and I have to have it removed he said an Ophthalmic Plastic Surgeon would do the job.

We went to Shuckers for dinner with Dan & Elnor. It was at Shuckers new location. Mort had fried Oysters and I had raw oysters & Dams.

Saturday, October 3, 1992

Marathon

It seems a little brighter today <sup>weather wise.</sup> I feel like "shit" about my eye, but I'm trying to be a grown up about it.