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Miss Anderson
Parish Infirmary
Brownlow Hill
Liverpool

14/1/85

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10 South St *[abbr: Street]*
Park Lane W *[abbr: West]*
Jan *[abbr: January]* 14/85

My dear Miss Anderson

I have been vainly trying
for a moment's time or
strength which is the
same thing to wish
you every New Year's joy
that Infinite Love can give
- but I am always wishing
it you in my heart

You have left your
remembrance as Night
Sup^t *[abbr: superintendent]* in many hearts
in St *[abbr: Saint]* Thomas'. Matron
Franklin, Night Nurse in

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Albert is *[del: talking]* talking
of you still, I am always
hearing of Miss Anderson,
how good she was as Night
Sup^t: *[abbr: superintendent]* so "respected" by
the nurses. Night nurses
often in a difficulty then
Miss Anderson so helpful..
- would you let Sister
be disturbed. Would show
night nurses what to do
& help them. Then

would keep the Ward
during an operation - &
when the operation case came

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back, not standing by
but helping so much at
the bed, kept such
a cheerful holy *[add: holy]* tone in the
Ward. So important.
always knew when Night
Sup^t: *[abbr: superintendent]* Miss Anderson came
in.

Then the best Sisters say
Miss Anderson never
satisfied with her own
work – always aspiring
higher.

Ah! There I recognise
Miss Anderson. I know she

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Is never satisfied with
her own work now –
Always aspiring higher.
And that is the true
good work.

I know how she must
Influence the nurses now
- & raise the whole
night nursing.

And I hope she
does not find it dreary
when she thinks of this

The good Night Sup^t: *[abbr: superintendent]*
Is truly Giving God
“Glory in the highest –
& on earth peace. Good

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will towards men”.

What a noble calling!
Scarcely anything nobler.

How I should like to
hear anything you can
tell me of your work –
It must be very heavy
now. But His
“strength is made perfect
In our weakness” –

What should we do
without that promise?

My best love to Miss
Gibson - & my kind regards
to Miss Palmer. Please

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I have but a sorry
account to give you of home
affairs. “Home Sister has
been very poorly & is
staying here at this moment
Matron too is very ailing –
Miss Pringle, of Edinburgh,
has been obliged to go to
Pau in the Pyrenees for
the winter.

Sister Albert (Miss Stewart)
dined here last night with
Home Sister. She is
particularly brisk & bonny –

So is Sister Airey, (not –

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withstanding Diarrhoea &
Dysentary) at Cairo in Egypt
- very heavy work on night duty now –
as cheerful as a bee.
Miss Stewart is thriving –
is now Night Staff Nurse
at her own request in
Alexandra – She is to *[have?]*
that sistership for Miss
Lila Stewart is leaving.

I can fancy how you have
exercise for every gift
& talent where you are

I trust you are quite well.
It does my heart good to hear
them talk of you.

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Now, again God bless
you & your work, very dear
Miss Anderson.

Pray for
Yours ever affly *[abbr: affectionately]*
Florence Nightingale