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Dear Hal,

Thanks for the nice card, the enclosures and your good wishes. Glad you are still with us!

and for your concerns about me. But if the CIA had had anything to do with my health reverses, they are thoroughly incompetent!

I had my first thrombosis 15 years ago. I've had six operations and I'm still here - almost 78. They aren't very competent if they did not do me in with all the opportunities and all that time, are they?

What Jim was probably talking about is my open-heart surgery of a year ago. I came through it fine but when added to all the other things it left me not able to do much and with strict medical limitations on what I might do.

However, every day is a good day, for the most part I feel fine, so much that I hope you feel as well. And if your appetite is as good you have awright problem!

The restrictions leave me little time for what I still try to do so I have little time for correspondence.

I hope all is well with you and that if you see anyone I know you'll give them my best, along with the holiday greetings I extend to you.

Sincerely,

Harold