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My Dear Liz,

Sadly it now looks as though it is going to be impossible for me to attend THE reunion.

First of all I have had to have a foot operation and have spent the last six weeks with my foot in plaster, so my planned departure for U.K at the beginning of the month had to be postponed. Now of course with World Cup Rugby just about at an end, there is not a plane seat to be had from S.A. to London for at least the next six weeks! Very inconsiderate of them to have arranged World Cup Rugby so close to our reunion!!

I am of course deeply disappointed; I was so looking forward to seeing if there was anyone that I vaguely recognized after 36 years ( although your list of names has helped ring a few familiar bells. Most of all it would have been just so much fun, a factor sadly lacking in today's world).

My brother Derek will however be there, and as he has a flight to Cape Town the following day ( he is a Captain with B.A.), I shall no doubt hear all the news from him and hope to catch up on a few old pals that way.

I would like to wish you all a truly WONDERFUL day. As I have said before I am filled with admiration for you for starting this whole ball rolling.....you deserve a medal for initiative and perseverance. Thank you Liz, I hope we shall have the opportunity of meeting one day.

God bless you all ..... I shall certainly be thinking of you on 24th.

Di Drooper nee Woodward