

Watt-Way

Merricourt School

Berlin Conn 8.4.47

Dear Mrs Roosevelt

As we draw near to April 12th
The anniversary of the passing of our beloved
President, The now immortal Franklin D
Roosevelt, I am sending you a small tribute
in verse, I wish with all my heart that it could
be better, "I would a lofty tribute bring, I would
a nobler lyric sing, To such a great American."
yet, like Stephen D. Bennett. I say. "Please accept it
since 'tis all I have" With sincerest wishes
for your success in all the lovely things you do to
help mankind.

yours very sincerely

- Marie E. Way

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Green valley
Ill. Jan 22-47

Dear Mrs Roosevelt am
giving you a copy of my poem
hope you like it
please answer if you
get this

yours
truly
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Green valley
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IN MEMORY

BY EDWARD WAYMIRE.

F. D. R. WILL REMEMBERED BE,
AROUND THE WORLD, ON LAND AND SEA,
A MAN OF TRUE CONVICTIONS, HE
WHO STOOD FOR RIGHT AND LIBERTY.

HE'S GONE TO JOIN THE HEAVENLY BAND,
WITH THE GREAT LEADERS OF OUR LAND,
AND MAY HIS SPIRIT EVER BE
WITH US, FOR RIGHT AND LIBERTY.

THIS WORLD HAS NEED OF MEN TODAY,
WHO LIVE AND TEACH THE CHRISTIAN WAY
TO LIVE, THAT ALL MAY EQUAL BE
BENEATH THE FLAG OF LIBERTY.