R: OK. [NR] **│** In the next week, [T] **│** I will see my cat [E] **│** at my house [PL] **│**in [TOWN], [PL] **│** Massachusetts. [PL] **│** My cat’s name is Angel Baby **│**  and I found her in the tunnel. **│** She is white **│** and calico on the top **│** and everyone always says that it looks like she has bangs **│** because she’s got a black **│** head from her eyes up. **│** She’s so awesome **│** so I know when I come home, she knows when I come home. **│** She will meet me [E] **│** at the top of the stairs [PL] **│**and she jumps up [E] **│** and lets me pat her. [E] **│** Then, she usually wants cookies **│** so I’ll say, “Cookies, cookies!” [E] **│** She looks at me [E] **│** and goes right to her little scratch pad [PL] **│** where I will put her cookies down. [E] **│** She eats them [E] **│** and then she, if I am lying on the couch, or if I got on the couch, [E] **│** she’ll keep going back and forth. [E] **│** She’ll want me to get the blanket [E] **│** just so so she can lie down in my, my crook of my hip. [E] **│** She will just lie there all night [E] **│** because she’s so content. [E] **│** I can pat her all night. [E]  **│** And, um, she is just totally awesome, [R] **│** but I won’t pick her up. [E] **│** I can’t pick up. [R] **│** That’s the one thing that I can’t do  **│**  because I only do that when she’s going to the vet. Um… (5s) **│**

R: Oh, I hope that when I see her that first time that she looks OK [ET] **│** because the last time I went on vacation **│** my friend said she wasn’t cleaning herself **│** and she looked disheveled **│** with nappy hair **│** so I really hope that doesn’t happen this time. [R] **│** I hope she looks like she’s been cleaning herself and, um, (3s)[R] **│** I am just going to be so happy to see her. [ET] **│** I just can’t wait. **│**

R: (3s) Um, (3s) I don’t know. (7s) [NR] **│** I can imagine, [NR] **│** actually, I know she’s probably shed all over the house. [ET] **│**  I am going to have to clean that up. [ET] **│** I grew up with ten cats **│**  and she sheds the most **│**  even though she’s a domestic house cat **│**  She sheds a lot, [R] **│**  But, she’s just awesome. [R] **│** I can’t wait to watch television with her **│** and lie on the couch together **│**  and snuggle. **│** I will be happy to let her know that I’m home. [ET] **│**