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Dear Frances,

I've no doubt David has already told you the news about Sandy, — Joan phoned me this evening from Loughor in S. Wales where they had gone yet again to try to help the impossible Barbara over her move out of The Sanctuary. One can only be grateful that Sandy's end was swift, just an immediate heart attack, but Joan is left camping out in a more or less empty house &, as it was unattended, there has to be a coroner's inquest, & then I don't know how she will proceed. I don't think Barbara will be at all understanding. I'm so glad I came when I did both to see you & to go on to there. I think there will be cremation & a memorial service. Very much love to Joan