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Mexicans react with rage to wall plan

By MARK STEVENSON
Associated Press Writer

MEXICO CITY (AP) — The Mexican government, angered by a U.S. proposal to extend a wall along the border to keep out migrants, pledged Tuesday to block the plan and organize an international campaign against it.

Facing a growing tide of anti-immigrant sentiment north of the border, the government has taken out ads urging Mexican workers to denounce rights violations in the United States. It also is hiring an American public relations firm to improve its image and counter growing U.S. concerns about immigration.

Mexican President Vicente Fox denounced the U.S. measures, passed by the House of Representatives Friday, as "shameful." His foreign secretary, Luis Ernesto Derbez, echoed his complaints on Tuesday.

"Mexico is not going to bear, it is not going to permit, and it will not allow a stupid thing like this wall," Derbez said.

"What has to be done is to raise a storm of criticism, as is already happening, against this," he said, promising to turn the international community against the plan.

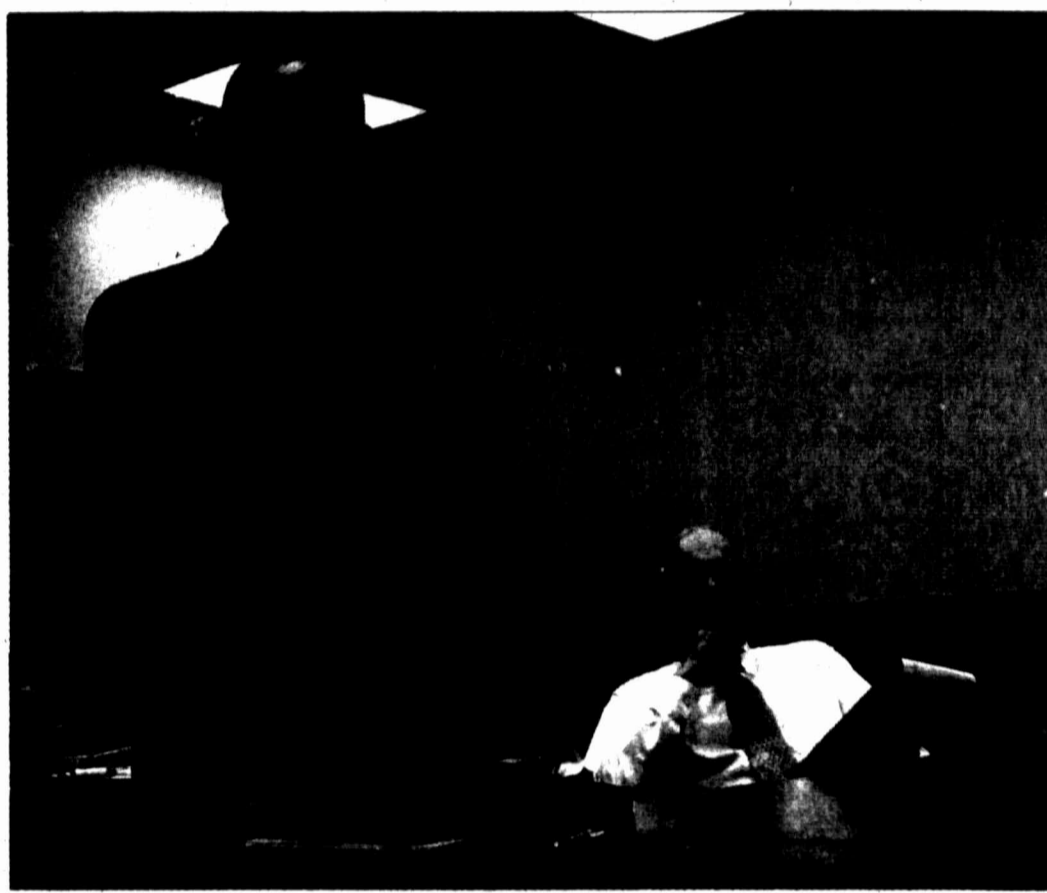
At least 10 million Mexican citizens are believed to be living in the United States. U.S. authorities believe about half of them do not have papers.

In 2004, Mexican migrants north of the Rio Grande sent home more than \$16 billion in remittances, according to Mexico's central bank, giving the nation its second biggest source of foreign currency after oil exports.

Some stretches of the U.S.-Mexico border are already marked by fences, but in some heavily trafficked sections walls have already been erected by the United States, often using 10-foot-high sections of military surplus steel. Those sections, which typically run several miles, can be found in southern Arizona and California.

It's hard to underestimate the ill-feeling the

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HERALD photo/Thomas Jenkins
Tim Long, the administrator for the Midland County Pre-Trial Bonding program, explains the benefits of bonding-out prisoners through a county-run program to alleviate jail overcrowding. Also pictured is 118th District Court Judge Robert H. Moore III, who asked Long and two Midland County District Judges to explain the program to an assortment of local law enforcement officials, ranging from area bondsmen to county officials.

Overcrowding of jail might have a simple solution

By THOMAS JENKINS
Staff Writer

Could the answer to the overcrowding of the Howard County Jail be 30 minutes away?

It certainly could if you're measuring the drive-time between Howard and Midland counties, according to local officials.

Robert H. Moore III, 118th District Court judge, met with a pair of district Judges from Midland County — 238th District Court Judge John Hyde and 142nd District Court Judge Jody Gilles — during a special presentation in the district courtroom Tuesday afternoon.

Joined by Midland County's Pre-trial

"We're not here today to get into a big debate about how we should go. This is simply an educational function and an opportunity to allow you to hear what they've done in Midland County..."



Moore

Bonding Administrator Tim Long, the group presented the idea of developing a pre-trial bonding

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Offices prepare to close for Christmas

By THOMAS JENKINS
Staff Writer

As area shoppers race to finish their Christmas purchases before Santa's Saturday night deadline, many area businesses and agencies are getting ready to take some time off to enjoy the season.

The city of Big Spring will close all offices, including the municipal landfill and compost

facility, on Friday and Monday in observance of the Christmas holiday. There will be no sanitation pick-up on these days as well.

Unfortunately the holiday doesn't extend to emergency services, including the Big Spring Police Department, Fire Department, Emergency Medical Services and Howard County Sheriff's Office, which all report the special day will be "business as usual" for

them. The police department's main office, including the records department, will be open from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. on Thursday and close Friday and Monday.

County employees will get time to spend with their friends and family as well, as the clerk's office and judge's office are expected to close Thursday at noon for the holiday. Both offices will also be closed Friday and

Monday, with other county offices are expected to do the same.

For those planning to take their Christmas grocery shopping down to the last second, the Walmart Supercenter will close for the holiday at 6 p.m. Saturday, and remain closed until 6 a.m. on Monday. H-E-B will also share in the holiday spirit, as it prepares

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Volunteers provide holidays at Big Spring State Hospital

By VALERIE AVERY
Special to the Herald

Texas taxpayers may fund treatment programs for Big Spring State Hospital patients, but the people of Howard County provide the holiday magic.

"Many of our patients haven't celebrated Christmas with family for years," said Billie Christie-Morgan, director of community relations. "This can be an especially lonely and depressing time for them. It has such an impact for them to know that someone cares. The parties, the gifts, the caroling, the Christmas lights, the food — it all touches the patients so very, very much."

The nearly 200 patients arrive at the hospital voluntarily or through court commitments — for some, it's one of many hospital-

izations with more ahead of them. Family often is missing and many patients don't own anything but the clothes they are wearing upon arrival. Volunteers — a 100-member strong dedicated workforce — step in at nearly every turn to provide what the state is not authorized to deliver during their treatment.

"The cost of caring for our patients is increasing with better and costlier medications and just the general cost of health care," Superintendent Ed Moughon said. "We turn

to our volunteers more and more every year to help us fill in the gaps. And what they are able to provide is immeasurable. Not just the money they provide but the time and commitment they give."

"I have seen first-hand how much of a difference it makes in our patients." During this week's Carol of Lights ceremony, when the lights topping the activity building flickered on and patients sipped hot chocolate and sang Christmas carols —

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WINTER BEGINS

HERALD photo/Bill McClellan
It was somewhat fitting this morning that fields such as this one recently stripped of cotton, were frost-covered on the first day of winter.

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CHRISTMAS IS BACK

GREENCASTLE, Ind. (AP) — Christmas and Good Friday are back on the city's calendar after opposition to a Council decision to adopt generic holiday names. Nearly 200 people — many singing "We Wish You A Merry Christmas" — filled the council's chambers before a 4-0 vote to reverse the policy.

"I believe this was political correctness run amok," Councilman Mark Hammer, who was absent for last week's original vote, said. "When we use the terms 'winter holiday' and 'spring holiday,' we're not being inclusive, we're being exclusive."

The council's initial vote caused an outcry in the community of 10,000 people.

4 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT!

SHE'S A BIG GIRL

McALESTER, Okla. (AP) — A baby girl weighing 14 pounds, 3 ounces was born at McAlester Regional Health Center, the largest baby ever born there, a hospital official said.

Lillian Elizabeth Ross was born Friday by Caesarean section to Adrienne and Anthony Ross of Pocola.

The baby already wears clothes made for children 6 to 9 months old.

"The nursery had to go to pediatrics to get diapers for her because they didn't have any that would fit," Adrienne Ross said. "We've already had to start buying her new clothes. None of the stuff we bought will fit either."

Obituaries

Robert Nichols



Robert Nichols, 75, of Knott died Monday, Dec. 19, 2005, in a local hospital. Funeral services will be held at 4 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 22, 2005, at the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Bro. Clifton Igo, Baptist minister of Lamesa, officiating and Bro. Ray McMorris, pastor of First Baptist Church of Ackerly, assisting. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends from 5 p.m. until 6 p.m. today at the funeral home. He was born to J.G. and Lidia Nichols Feb. 8, 1930, in Big Spring and married June Jackson Dec. 31, 1949 in Big Spring.

Robert was a lifetime resident of Knott and graduated from Knott High School in 1947. He had farmed in Knott since 1947 until retiring in 1990. He had also worked at Flower Grove Gin for many years.

Robert took pride in his farming. He was a member of the Farm Bureau and the Farmers' Union of Christian Farmers. He loved to play dominoes and had won the championship domino player at the County Fair one year.

He was a good and loving husband and father. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Ackerly, where he served as church treasurer for many years. He had also belonged to Mt. Joy Baptist Church at Knott.

Survivors include his wife, June Nichols of Knott; three sons and daughters-in-law, Bruce and Terri Nichols of Ackerly, Keith and Gwen Nichols of Lamesa and Martin and Lesli Nichols of Knott; two daughters, Janette Brown of Ackerly and Ann Nichols of Midland; two sisters, Una Royalty of Columbus, Ohio, and Kathleen Cline of Vealmore; 15 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; and many cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents, five brothers and one sister.

Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Big Spring. Online condolences can be made at www.npwelch.com.

Paid obituary

Noma King Wallace

Noma Enid Wallace, 85, of Midland died Monday, Dec. 19, 2005, at Parkview Nursing Center.

She was born Sept. 15, 1920, in Cat Springs to Jesse Calhoun King and Bertha Francis Gerberman. She grew up in Cisco and married William W. "Bill" Wallace Jr. in 1940.

Noma was a devoted wife, loving mother and grandmother, a marvelous cook and gracious hostess, an avid gardener and a talented organist. She served for several years as president of the Midland Senior Citizens and was a volunteer with the Midland Memorial Hospital Auxiliary.

She was an active member of the Church of Christ and a lifelong student of the Bible. Her three sons are all Eagle Scouts and she and her husband were dedicated supporters of the Scouting program.

She was preceded in death by her parents, a brother, J.B. King, and her husband, Bill.

Noma is survived by her three sons, Warren Wallace and wife, Sandy of Coahoma, Jeff Wallace and wife, Nancy of Laramie, Wyo., and John T. Wallace and wife, Virginia of Diboll; grandchildren, Cal Wallace and wife, Sasha of Houston, Stuart Wallace and wife, Julie of Syracuse, Utah, Greg Wallace and wife, Samantha of Laramie, Wyo., Clint Wallace and wife, Kelly of San Diego, Travis Wallace of College Station, Kori Estrada and husband, Felix of Lufkin, Keri Ackerman and husband, Andy of Lufkin, Jesse Wallace of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., Adam Wallace of College Station and Allison Wallace of Alpine; and five great-grandchildren.

The family wishes to thank the caring staff at Mountain View Lodge in Big Spring where Noma lived for the last three years, Parkview Nursing Center where she had lived since November and Odyssey Hospice.

Special thanks goes to her loving friend and caregiver, Maria Rodriguez, who has been such a blessing to Noma and her family for the last three years.

Funeral services have been scheduled for 1 p.m. today, Dec. 21, 2005, at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Roger Hendricks of Leander officiating. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park.

Arrangements are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home, 801 Andrews Highway, Midland 79701. Pallbearers will be Cal Wallace, Adam Wallace, Stuart Wallace, Travis Wallace, Greg Wallace, Clyde Fisher, Mark Harding, Josh Gregg and Kevin Morris. Honorary pallbearers are Clint Wallace and Jesse Wallace.

Memorials may be directed to Buffalo Trail Council, B.S.A., 1101 W. Texas, Midland 79701 or Odyssey Hospice of Big Spring.

Paid obituary

Roy Gardner

Roy Gardner, 65, of Sand Springs died Tuesday, Dec. 20, 2005, at his residence. His services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Big Spring.

Walter Helwig

Walter Helwig, 93, of Garden City died Tuesday, Dec. 20, 2005, in a Big Lake nursing home. His services are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Big Spring.

John Mark Sanders



John Mark Sanders, 50, of Big Spring died Monday, Dec. 19, 2005, in a local hospital. Funeral services are 2 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 22, 2005, at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church with the Rev. Richard Reagan, pastor, officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park. A vigil is scheduled for today at 6 p.m. at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel.

He was born May 24, 1955, to Drs. Virgil and Nell Sanders. He was a lifelong resident of Big Spring and graduated from Big Spring High School in 1973. He was a member of Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church.

Survivors include one brother, Randy Sanders; one sister, Ann Sanders; one daughter, Andrea Sanders; and two grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be made to the Parkinson's Disease Foundation, William Black Medical Research Bldg., Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center, 640 W. 168th Street, New York, N.Y. 10032.

Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Big Spring. Online condolences can be made at www.npwelch.com.

Troy Lynn 'Butch' Williams

Troy Lynn "Butch" Williams, 56, of Odessa died Monday, Dec. 19, 2005, at his residence. A memorial service is set for 2 p.m. today, Dec. 21, 2005, at the Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home Chapel in Odessa.

He was born Aug. 1, 1949, in Big Spring and served in the U.S. Army from 1970-1971. He was an engineer for Lawrence Livermore National Lab from 1976 until he retired in 2004.

He was preceded in death by his parents, J.T. and Julia Williams.

He is survived by his son, Martin Quinn Williams; daughter, Jackie Lynn Silva and husband, Eric of Las Vegas; a grandson; a brother, Tommy Williams and wife, Jo Ann of Rhome; and a sister, Wanda Brooks and husband, Mike of Odessa.

Services are under the direction of Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home.

James Abernathy

James Abernathy, 83, of Big Spring died Thursday, Dec. 15, 2005, at the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Houston. Private memorial services will be held at a later date.

He was born April 16, 1922, in Regan and married Jackie Sanford in 1942 in Comanche. He had lived in Big Spring since 2000. He was a retired mechanic and a Baptist.

He is survived by two sons, Roger Abernathy and James Alvin Abernathy, both of Conroe; five grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife, two sisters and two brothers.

Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Pay your respects online at www.myersandsmith.com.

Daw Kyin Nu

Daw Kyin Nu, 89, of Burma died Thursday, Dec. 15, 2005, at the residence of her grandson, Aung Myint Thein in Big Spring. She was visiting here from Burma. Private memorial services are Wednesday, Dec. 21, 2005, with a private interment at a later date.

She was born Dec. 15, 1916, in Burma. She married Tan Bon Hwa in 1955. He preceded her in death in 1982. She was a homemaker and a Buddhist.

In addition to her grandson, she is survived by two great-grandchildren. She was also preceded in death by eight sisters and brothers.

Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home. Pay your respects online at www.myersandsmith.com.

Rhonda Bledsoe

Rhonda Bledsoe, 50, of Big Spring died Sunday, Dec. 18, 2005, at her residence. Graveside funeral services are 2 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 21, 2005, in Mount Olive Memorial Park.

She was born Dec. 28, 1954, in Big Spring and married Jimmy Bledsoe Aug. 21, 1971, in Big Spring. She was a Christian.

Survivors include her husband, Jimmy Bledsoe of Big Spring; two sons, Jimmy Bledsoe Jr. and David Bledsoe, both of Big Spring; four daughters, Heather Friday of Stanton, Lisa Hodges of Seagraves and Christine Bledsoe and Angel Bledsoe, both of Big Spring; her mother, Bonnie King of Big Spring; two sisters, Gloria Kollene Panaek and Mary Jean Jackson; two brothers, Johnny Mack King and George Zachary King Jr.; and six grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her father and one infant child, Tracy Bledsoe.

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Kathline Cline

Kathline Cline, 81, of Vealmore died Wednesday, Dec. 21, 2005, at her residence. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity between 8 a.m. Tuesday and 8 a.m. today:

- **VANESSA ALVAREZ**, 18, of 616 Caylor, was arrested Tuesday on a Howard County warrant.
- **JOHN RODRIGUEZ**, 24, of 1510 Sycamore, was arrested Tuesday on charges of evading arrest with a vehicle and unlawful possession/use of glue or inhalant.
- **ROY PAIZ GARCIA SR.**, 45, of 2613 Ent, was arrested Tuesday on a Howard County warrant.
- **AMANDA ALMAZAN**, 29, of 2911 W. Highway 80, was arrested Tuesday on a charge of driving while license suspended.
- **VICENTE ZAVALA**, 26, of 2612 Ent, was arrested Tuesday on a charge of driving while license invalid.
- **VIRGIL JAMES**, 48, of 3810 Rice Road, was arrested Tuesday on two local citations and a charge of driving while intoxicated - second offense.
- **DAVID VILLAREAL**, 19, of 1105 E. 13th Street, was arrested Tuesday on a charge of driving while license invalid.
- **BARRY GROOM**, 37, of McKinney, was arrested Wednesday on a charge of driving while license invalid.
- **POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA - TWO OUNCES OR LESS** was reported in the 1600 block of Stadium.
- **EVADING ARREST OR DETENTION WITH A VEHICLE** was reported in the 200 block of Owens.
- **ASSAULT CLASS C/FAMILY VIOLENCE** was reported in the 4000 block of Highway 80.

Sheriff's report

The Howard County Sheriff's Office reported the following activity:

- **DUTCH WESTON BARR**, 33, was transferred to the county jail Tuesday by the BSPD on a charge of driving while license invalid.
- **PAUL MORENO JR.**, 23, was transferred to the county jail Tuesday by the BSPD on a charge of possession of marijuana - two ounces or less.
- **ROBERT PAUL GOMEZ**, 21, was arrested Tuesday by the HCSO on charges of reckless driving and open container.
- **UNATTENDED DEATH** was reported in the 8700 block of Spring Creek Road.

Fire/EMS

The Big Spring Fire Department reported the following activity:

- **MEDICAL** was reported in the 1900 block of Simler. One person was transported to SMMC.
- **TRAUMA** was reported in the 1600 block of West Second Street. Service was refused.
- **TRAFFIC ACCIDENT** was reported near the intersection of 19th Street and Gregg. Service was refused.
- **MEDICAL** was reported in the 2600 block of Chanute. One person was transported to SMMC.
- **MEDICAL** was reported in the 1400 block of North Highway 87. One person was transported to SMMC.

Weather

Tonight: Generally clear. Low 33F. Winds light and variable.

Tomorrow: Generally sunny despite a few afternoon clouds. High 66F. Winds SSW at 10 to 20 mph.

Tomorrow night: Partly cloudy. Low 38F. Winds SSW at 5 to 10 mph.

Friday: Sunshine. Highs in the upper 60s and lows in the low 40s.

Saturday: Plenty of sun. Highs in the low 60s and lows in the low 30s.

Sunday: Sunshine. Highs in the mid 60s and lows in the mid 30s.

Lottery

Cash 5

AUSTIN (AP) — Results of the Cash 5 drawing Tuesday night:

Winning numbers drawn: 3-4-11-30-36.

Number matching five of five: none.

Matching four of five: 76. Prize: \$594.

Matching three of five: 2,880. Prize: \$11.

Matching two of five: 32,969. Prize: \$2.

Next Cash 5 drawing: Wednesday night.

Pick 3

AUSTIN (AP) — The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Tuesday night by the Texas Lottery, in order: 8-5-3 (eight, five, three)

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program in Big Spring similar to the one started by Midland County more than five years ago in an effort to relieve overcrowding in the county's jail.

"A couple of weeks ago I was in Midland, and I was talking with (238th District Court) Judge John Hyde and (142nd District Court) Judge Jody Gilles and became familiar with the concept they are utilizing," said Moore. "In learning a little bit about it, I asked them if they would be willing to come over and visit with people in this community that might be interested in learning a little bit about it.

"We're not here today to get into a big debate about how we should go. This is simply an educational function and an opportunity to allow you to hear what they've done in Midland County and try to assess whether this is a way we might want to proceed in Howard County."

According to the Midland trio, the program has alleviated much of the overcrowding in the Midland County Jail.

"Five or six years ago... we came to a point where the state jails standards came in and told us we needed to do something about the jail," said Long. "We had too many (jail occupants). This was a team effort from the justice of the peace judges, district judges, county judges and the commissioners. This was a team approach. We knew we

had a problem, and we knew the only way we were going to address it was for everyone to come together and become a team.

"Inmate housing costs money. For every person we keep out, that's one less person you have to keep fed and clothed," he added.

Hyde said the program, which allows defendants languishing in jail and unable to bond out by commercial means the chance to bond out of jail under the auspices of the program, also serves to protect the community.

"The main feature I found so attractive is the control of the judge over the defendant," said Hyde. "One of the things we worry about as citizens is someone getting out on bond and committing another offense. One of the features we utilize with the pre-trial bonding program that is not available in regular bonding is the ability of the judge to directly control the behavior of the defendant.

"We have several things we can do. One of them is electronic monitoring. We have a number of electronic monitors that we can attach to the person's ankle and we can track where they are. We can place them under house arrest, where they have to stay in their home. If they leave their home, the monitor will reveal that to us."

Hyde said the electronic tracking devices can go as far as monitoring a defendant's blood alcohol level.

"If they are working, they can be released to go to work," said Hyde. "They can go to church, go see their

lawyer and go see their doctor. Otherwise, they are confined to their home. We also have a SCRAM unit, which is a continuous monitor of blood alcohol.

"I practiced law in Midland for 20 years before I became district judge, and I thought I knew the system pretty well. But one of the things that really surprised me was the high number of felony DWIs we have in Midland County... through the pre-trial bonding, the SCRAM unit allows us to monitor that person's blood alcohol."

All three Midland officials, along with Moore, agreed the program wouldn't have a negative effect on commercial bail-bonds businesses in the area, targeting defendants arrested for non-violent offenses who would pose little or no threat to the community.

"I don't represent to you that it's a solution to the problem in Howard County," said Hyde. "Every county is going to have different issues, I think. But from my standpoint, it works very effectively for the judge to be able to have the type of control over a defendant awaiting trial that we have through this program."

The creation of a pre-trial bonding program would ultimately fall to the county commissioners in the 118th District, as well as the district judge, according to Moore.

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Schools enter holiday season

Herald Staff Report

Big Spring Independent School District classes will let out for the Christmas holidays Thursday afternoon, officials said.

BSISD students will begin Christmas break at 2:15 p.m. Thursday and will not return to classes until Jan. 10.

Other Howard County schools have already closed for the holidays.

Howard College ended the fall semester Tuesday, and classes will not start back up until Jan. 17. However, administrative offices will be open beginning Jan. 4, College President Dr. Cheryl Sparks said.

Forsan and Coahoma school districts both have shut down for the Christmas holidays. Forsan students will return to classes Jan. 5, while Coahoma students will be back in class Jan. 3.

CLOSINGS

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to open from 6 a.m. until 8 p.m. on Christmas Eve, and reopen at 6 Monday morning.

Those people in search of last-minute batteries and egg nog won't be without a safety net this holiday season, however. 7-Eleven convenience stores will be open 24 hours throughout the Christmas holiday.

If you're expecting a package in the mail, you'll be glad to know the Big Spring Post Office will be delivering mail as usual on Christmas Eve, with the windows at the facility closing at noon. Pickups can be made as late as 4 p.m.

Monday the post office will be closed and no packages will be delivered, with the facility set to reopen on Tuesday at 8 a.m.

The Howard County Library will close Thursday at 1 p.m. and is expected to reopen Tuesday at 9 a.m.

The Social Security Administration office will close at 4 p.m. on Friday, and is expected to reopen Tuesday morning.

The Spring City Senior Citizens Center will be closed Friday and will reopen at 8 a.m. on Tuesday.

The Big Spring Herald office will be closed at 5 p.m. Friday and will open again at 8 a.m. Tuesday. Subscribers should receive their Christmas edition papers Friday evening or early Saturday morning.

Elton John ties the knot with longtime partner David Furnish

WINDSOR, England (AP) — Britain's most famous gay couple — Sir Elton John and Canadian filmmaker David Furnish — tied the knot today in a much-anticipated ceremony that capped the first week of legalized civil unions in the United Kingdom.

John, 58, and Furnish, 43, were among hundreds of same-sex couples

taking advantage of a new British law offering same-sex couples a legal status similar to marriage. The law took effect today in England and Wales.

Cameras flickered as the couple — John wearing purple spectacles and a black suit — walked out arm-in-arm, waving to the crowd.

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patients' eyes lit up, said longtime medical services secretary Rita Self, who has played Mrs. Claus, along with her husband, Lonnie, for five years.

"You can't say that it didn't just change their mood," Self said.

And, later, the Ackerly

Baptist Church and the Murlene Williams family, along with a host of friends, provided live music for the 25th year.

"It just wouldn't be Christmas without it," said Murlene's daughter, Shirley Kountz.

Lions Club members, resplendent in their tell-tale vests, passed out fruit at the party — another long-standing tradition.

This week, ALON USA

lent many man-hours doing much of the busy work necessary to pull off Christmas for 200 patients.

"Just think what it takes to get ready for Christmas for just your family and multiply that by about 20," Christie-Morgan said. "We have 200 patients and they all receive multiple gifts and cards and fruit. It all needs to be wrapped,

envelopes stuffed, delivered, stored. We could not possibly do it without their help during this last week of crunch time before Christmas."

The volunteers and the employees who generously give their time after their shift has ended are the lifeblood of the hospital, Moughon said.

"It is really special when a volunteer takes the time to bring them a

sandwich and cupcake or to see that they have a present under the tree on Christmas morning," Christie-Morgan said.

"There are many needs in the world today, however we have plenty of lonely patients who need and appreciate so much what you have made possible for them this holiday."

The hospital treats people with mental illness in 58 counties in West Texas

and the Texas Panhandle. The hospital is funded by the Department of State Health Services.

MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL

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James Abernathy, 83, died Thursday. Private Memorial Services will be held at a later date.
Daw Kyin Nu, 89, died Thursday. Private Memorial Services will be held on Wednesday, December 21, 2005 with a private interment to be held at a later date.

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proposal has generated in Mexico, where editorial pages are dominated by cartoons of Uncle Sam putting up walls bearing anti-Mexican messages.

Many Mexicans, especially those who have spent time working in the U.S., feel the proposal is a slap in the face to those who work hard and contribute to the U.S. economy.

Fernando Robledo, 42, of the western state of Zacatecas, says the proposals could stem migration and disrupt families by breaking cross-border ties.

"When people heard this, it worried everybody, because this will affect everybody in some way, and their families," Robledo said. "They were incredulous. How could they do this, propose something like this?"

Robledo, whose son and mother are U.S. citizens, predicted the measure "would unleash conflict within the United States" as small businesses fail for lack of workers.

He said many Mexicans felt betrayed by the anti-immigrant sentiment.

"We learned to believe in the United States. We have a binational life," he said of Zacatecas, a state that has been sending migrants north for more than a century. "It isn't just a feeling of rejection. It's against what we see as part of our life, our cul-

ture, our territory."

The government is scrambling to fight on two fronts. On Monday, it announced it had hired Allyn & Company, a Dallas-based public relations company to help improve Mexico's image and stem the immigration backlash.

"If people in the U.S. and Canada had an accurate view of the success of democracy, political stability and economic prosperity in Mexico, it would improve their views on specific bilateral issues like immigration and border security," Rob Allyn, president of the PR firm, told The Associated Press Tuesday.

Jose Luis Soberanes, head of the government's National Human Rights Commission, suggested Mexico go further.

"I would expect more energetic reactions from our authorities," Soberanes told local media. "It's preferable to have a more demanding government, more confrontation with the United States."

Mexico has also said it is recruiting U.S. church, community and business groups to oppose the proposal.

And the government has stepped up its defense of migrants, airing a series of radio spots here aimed at migrants returning home for the holidays.

"Had a labor accident in the United States? You have rights... Call," reads the ad, sponsored by Mexico's Foreign Relations Department,

which has helped migrants bring compensation suits in the United States.

The sense of dread connected with the measures is hardly restricted to Mexico. Immigrant advocacy and aid groups in the United States are worried about provisions of the House bill that upgrade unlawful presence in the United States from a civil offense to a felony.

"It would have a horrific impact on immigrants right organizing and immigrant communities" in the United States, said Jennifer Allen of the Tucson, Ariz.-based Red de Accion Fronteriza.

The mistaken belief that the proposals are a done deal — they must still be submitted to the Senate — have caused "just com-

plete fear and shock" among some activists and immigrants, Allen said.

The House bill, passed on a 239-182 vote, includes a proposal to build 700 miles of additional fence through parts of California, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas. It would also enlist military and local law enforcement to help stop illegal entrants and require employers to verify the legal status of their workers.

Mexicans are outraged by the proposed measures, especially the extension of the border wall, which many liken to the Berlin Wall. Some are urging their government to fight it fiercely.

"Our president should oppose that wall and make them stop it, at all costs," said Martin

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EDITORIAL

"Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances."

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OUR VIEWS

Never hurts to question our privacy

All this talk of eavesdropping on suspected terrorists and renewal of the Patriot Act has many of us jumpy. We aren't sure if our government might one day step over "line" and begin looking at what we as law-abiding citizens are doing on a daily basis. We're concerned that if we give up the right to our privacy, we'll lose other rights and freedoms, too.

Actually, of course, our government has always bent the rules a little when it comes to wanting to know what its citizens are doing, usually under the guise of protecting the country. It's no secret that the FBI, throughout its history, has closely monitored many groups and individuals thought to have radical political views.

Most of us want to feel safe, but don't want George Orwell's "Party" or "Big Brother" looking over our shoulders, and we certainly don't want government telling us what we can and cannot do. You'll recall Orwell's book, *1984*, about a totalitarian society in which the government had almost complete control of its citizens. The government was referred to as the "Party" and its ruler was "Big Brother."

You hear frequent comparisons between *1984* and our government today, but the truth is, they are worlds apart. In America, we are free to pretty much do what we want, when we want and with whom we want. There are exceptions — some for legal reasons, others for "moral" reasons. But no one is telling us where to worship or when to worship or what to worship. No one is telling us we can't get a college education or a job if we are a certain sex. We enjoy what movies we want and decide for ourselves what kind of music we want to listen to. We can play rap or hip-hop or country music to our heart's content, though some of us won't mind if you turn the volume down a bit.

That's not so in many other parts of the world, where countries are led by dictators such as now-deposed Iraqi ruler Saddam Hussein and Iran's current president, Mahmoud Ahmadinejad.

Just this week, Ahmadinejad banned all Western music from Iran's state radio and television stations. The banned airplay includes classical music. (Roll over Beethoven, tell Tchaikovsky the news.) Gone, too, are foreign movies that promote "arrogant powers."

The reason for the ban, Iran's Supreme Cultural Revolutionary Council says, is "in order to support spiritual cinema and to eliminate triteness and violence." This is from the same man — Ahmadinejad is head of the council — who earlier this month said Israel should be "wiped off the map." Apparently Western music is causing violent thoughts in Ahmadinejad's heart.

We suspect the ban's intent is less about the music itself and more about keeping people suppressed and under government/religion control. A previous Iranian ban on music was relaxed after the death of Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini. However, Ahmadinejad, who took office in August, has pledged to revert to ultraconservative principles — in other words, limiting people's choices for their own good.

No, our society is far from being under the rule of an Ahmadinejad or a Saddam Hussein. Our freedoms are many.

But it never hurts to question those who seem to want to compromise our privacy — even if it may be for a noble cause.

A SMALL PRAYER

by K. Rae Anderson

May we review our decisions knowing you are watching,
Lord.

Amen

Let the awards season (yawn) begin

When you heard last week that the Golden Globe nominations had been announced, didn't you wish that it marked the end of the movie awards season, and not the beginning?

Wouldn't that be great? One

announcement, one set of awards and it's all over until next year.

Unfortunately, it doesn't work that way.

People in Hollywood love to give out awards. That's because people in Hollywood think quite highly of their own opinions.

The problem is that most people outside Hollywood would freely acknowledge that this has not been a banner year for movies. Yet, movie people with opinions still want to spend the next two months giving out awards.

OK, there were a few noteworthy films released this year. But they certainly were not of the caliber that one might expect of an industry that has been honing its craft for more than a century. Any other business would have gone bankrupt with such a dismal track record.

I am having a difficult time trying to come up with a "best picture of the year." I can come up with a Top 10 list — I grade on a curve in a mediocre year — but I can't think of a single film that deserves that best-picture designation. Maybe I should put "The Dukes of Hazzard" on top of my list as a joke.

No, that's a bad idea. Some slick studio marketing guy will put my quote on the DVD package and pretend I was serious.

I'm sure each of you has your own opinion of what was the best picture of 2005. It's a shame you don't have your own awards show.

Perhaps it would be helpful during this frenzied awards season to know if a certain award mattered in the grand scheme of things. The following is a little guide on which awards matter, and which do not.

Read the guide. Study the guide. Love the guide.

Or toss it away and do something meaningful with your life.

ACADEMY AWARDS — They matter. Last on the TV schedule, but first in your hearts. This is the only one that really matters for TV viewers and people in the industry (the size of your entourage is at stake).

GOLDEN GLOBES —

Unfortunately, they matter. The hype is that this, unlike the more serious Oscars, is a party. That may have been true at one time, but these awards have grown in stature to the point that they actually mean something. Until the Oscars. The only people who care about these awards after the Oscars are comedians who have no chance of ever winning an Oscar. For them, it's either an American Comedy Award or the Golden Globes.

SCREEN ACTORS GUILD AWARDS —

Only matter to actors. These awards are meaningless outside the industry but they're fun to watch on TV because they offer nothing but the categories you like. No directors, no producers, no cinematographers, no screenwriters, no composers, no sound guys, no costume designers, no art directors and no film editors. Just a parade of pretty people.

MTV MOVIE AWARDS —

Don't matter, but are worth watching. They're a lot like the SAG Awards, but without all those annoying old people (over 30). And they have lots of stupid categories, like Best Kiss, Best Villain and Best Use of an Automatic Weapon in an Action Movie.

PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARDS —

Don't matter. No suspense here

because the winners know they're going to win before they show up. Sort of like an election in Chicago. Enough big names to keep it mildly interesting.

BLOCKBUSTER AWARDS — Don't matter. Not sure how these winners are chosen, but I think it has something to do with how many people were willing to pay late fees for a movie at the video store.

INDEPENDENT SPIRIT AWARDS — Don't matter, except to naive people in the industry who still think movies are an art form, and have nothing to do with making money.

CRITICS' CHOICE AWARDS — Don't matter. These are the televised awards handed out by a motley group of TV, radio and Internet film critics called the Broadcast Film Critics Association. Nobody pays attention to them, except to use their over-the-top quotes in movie ads.

LOS ANGELES FILM CRITICS ASSOCIATION AWARDS —

Don't matter. Although a more prestige group than their broadcast counterparts (with a lot less hair spray, too), they are known for tweaking the collective nose of the public by making oddball choices each year.

NEW YORK FILM CRITICS CIRCLE AWARDS — Don't matter. Same as above, only with New York accents.

NATIONAL SOCIETY OF FILM CRITICS AWARDS —

Matter only to other film critics.

NATIONAL BOARD OF REVIEW AWARDS —

Don't matter. This is a mystery organization with unidentified members who may or may not be qualified to judge movies. Sort of like the group that runs the Golden Globes.

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Riney Jordan is one funny man

Riney Jordan was a school executive in Grapevine 30 years, then moved to the Central Texas town of Hamilton.

"We were tired of the big city and the traffic and were looking for a peaceful place where we could settle down for a while and figure out what we were going to do next," says Riney. "We went to a real estate company and asked if they had any interesting old homes we could look at and we found just what we were looking for."

Riney had a fine experience in Grapevine. He was named man of the year there. So leaving Grapevine was a big deal for him. But when he got to Hamilton, it turned out to be his honey pond. He and his wife now own the block of houses where their home is located. His office is across the street from his residence. Yep, office. He has found something to do. He is an after dinner speaker and makes an appearance somewhere in the country nearly every week. He holds workshops for teachers. When I visited him, he had just returned from a speaking

trip to Maine.

"Folks started calling me to come speak to them," says Riney. "They told me they would give me a free meal if I'd come and say a few words. It finally dawned on me one day that I've got a free meal here at the house. I need to start charging if I'm going to do this."

In his speeches, Riney talks about his family and his town. He tells about his son making a decision to join the Marines.

When Riney asked him why he wanted to do that, his son replied, "because I'm sick and tired of other people telling me what to do."

Riney loves to make people laugh.

"Studies have shown that kids laugh 400 times a day and adults only 15. That's sad, especially when you realize that when you laugh, your immune system gets a boost and people who laugh are healthy."

About Hamilton, Riney told me

that when he first moved there nine years ago an elderly woman told him to lock his car when he parked it on the square. Riney asked her if there was a crime problem in Hamilton. "No," the woman replied. "But if your car isn't locked, someone will come along and put a bucket of squash in the back seat. We've got a lot of squash growers around here and they need to get rid of it."

Riney knew then he had moved to the right place. He says car repair is a big business in Hamilton.

"People just drive them for a three block trip, then return home and their cars never get warmed up, so they get clogged up."

I couldn't help but ask Riney about his unusual first name.

"Mama says that she heard it on the Stella Dallas radio program. Riney was a little boy that everybody fell in love with on the Stella Dallas program. But where we lived the reception was so bad I don't think it was Riney and nobody else does either, but you're not going to convince Mama of that. She thinks it's Riney. I've searched the Internet and I'm the only Riney Jordan in the world."



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Take Note

• JOHN MOSELEY, BIG SPRING HERALD MANAGING EDITOR AND LONGTIME COMMUNITY SUPPORTER, is in critical need of life-saving treatment insurance will not provide. A fund has been established at Citizen's Federal Credit Union, account no. 926151. For more information, call Marsha at 263-7331.

• HANGAR 25 AIR MUSEUM IS COLLECTING RECIPES to be included in a 2006 cookbook which will display memories of Big Spring over the years. Share your memories and your recipes. Contact the Hangar at 264-1999 for recipe forms.

• HOME HOSPICE HAS COOKBOOKS with nearly 500 recipes on sale for \$18 with proceeds to benefit Hospice House. Recipes submitted by volunteers, coordinators and owners of Home Hospice. Call Sherry Hodnett at 264-7599 for more information.

• THE HOWARD COUNTY CHILD WELFARE BOARD seeks Christmas help for the 69 children in foster care. To 'adopt' a child or family for the holidays, contact Patti Richard at 432-559-6953 or 268-4550.

• ODYSSEY HOSPICE NEEDS VOLUNTEERS to work in the office and perform patient services. For more information or to volunteer, call 263-5999.

• THE MOBILE MEALS PROGRAM that delivers meals to the elderly and homebound needs volunteers to deliver meals. If you can spare one hour per week to deliver eight or 10 meals, you are needed. About 85 to 90 meals are prepared, packaged and delivered to recipients within the city limits of Big Spring. If you can volunteer, please call 263-4016 before 3 p.m.

• ROAD TO RECOVERY, sponsored by the American Cancer Society, seeks volunteers to drive cancer patients to treatment in Midland. This requires just a few hours commitment each month. To volunteer, or to request a ride for treatment, call LaWanda Hamm at 263-7827.

• LEGAL AID OF NORTHWEST TEXAS is accepting appointments for 2 p.m. until 5 p.m. the first and third Wednesday of each month. Individuals seeking legal advice for matters concerning family law, divorce, custody and child support issues, social security cases, employment and housing may contact the office to schedule an appointment. Criminal cases are not accepted. Anyone recently served with legal documents should call the office immediately at 800-926-5630 or 432-686-0647.

TODAY
• Downtown Lions Club meets at noon at the Howard College Cactus Room, 1001 Birdwell Lane.

• Line dancing begins at 1 p.m. in the Spring City Senior Citizen's Center in the Industrial Park. Call 267-6966 or 267-1628.

• Duplicate Bridge Club meets at 1 p.m. in the Big Spring Country Club.

• Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie meets at 7 p.m. in the Eagles Lodge, 703 W. Third St.

THURSDAY
• Gideon International Big Spring Camp U42060 meets at 7 a.m. in Herman's Restaurant.

• Coffee Club meets at 10 a.m. in Gale's Sweet Shoppe.

• Kiwanis Club meets at noon in the Howard College Cactus Room. Call 267-6479.

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• AMBUCS meet at noon

THURSDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m.; women's meeting; 6:30 until 7:30 p.m. Non-smoking closed discussion meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

FRIDAY

in La Posada Restaurant.
• Greater Big Spring Rotary Club meets at noon in the Howard College Cactus Room.

• Spring City Senior Citizen's Center country and western dance from 7:30 p.m. until 10:30 p.m. featuring Monroe Casey and the Prowlers. All area seniors are invited.

SATURDAY
• Christmas Eve.
• Eagles Lodge Dance at 8:30 p.m. at 703 W. Third.

SUNDAY
• Christmas Day

MONDAY
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• Take Off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS) No. TX

THURSDAY

• AA open discussion meeting from noon until 1 p.m. at 605 Settles. Open Big Book study meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

SATURDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous

1756 meets at 5:30 p.m. Monday in the 11th and Birdwell Lane Church of Christ. A different program is offered every week, and anyone 7 years old or older is welcome to attend. Please enter through the northwest door. Call 263-2786 for more information.

• Evening Lions Club meets at 6:30 p.m. in La Posada Restaurant.

• Concerned Citizens Council meets at 7 p.m. at 500 S. Main St., in the Dorothy Lamb Meeting Room of the Howard County Library. The public is welcome.

• Prospector's Club work night begins at 7 p.m. at 606 E. Third.

TUESDAY
• Big Spring Rotary Club meets at noon in the Howard College Cactus Room.

WEDNESDAY
• Optimist Club meets at 7 a.m. in the Howard

College Cactus Room.
• Senior Circle meets at 10:30 a.m. at Scenic Mountain Medical Center for Sit and Be Fit Chair Aerobics. Those 50 years and older are invited to attend. Call 268-4721.

• Downtown Lions Club meets at noon at the Howard College Cactus Room.

• Line dancing begins at 1 p.m. in the Spring City Senior Citizen's Center in the Industrial Park. Call 267-6966 or 267-1628.

• Duplicate Bridge Club meets at 1 p.m. in the Big Spring Country Club.

• Eagles Lodge Ladies Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. in the Eagles Lodge, 703 W. Third.

THURSDAY
• Gideon International Big Spring Camp U42060 meets at 7 a.m. in Herman's Restaurant.

• Coffee Club meets at 10 a.m. in Gale's Sweet Shoppe.
• Kiwanis Club meets at

noon in the Howard College Cactus Room. Call 267-6479.

• The Prospector's Club meets at 7:30 p.m. at 606 E. Third St. The public is invited to these meetings. For more information contact Lola Lamb at 263-3340 or Doyle and Virginia McClain at 263-8407.

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• Eagles Lodge Dance at 8:30 p.m. at 703 W. Third.

third Mondays each month. For more information, call 398-5522.

TUESDAY
• The Multiple Sclerosis Support Group meets at 6 p.m. Tuesday in the College Baptist Church Fellowship Hall, 1005 Birdwell Lane. Call

Support Groups

open discussion meeting, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. Open podium/speakers meeting 615 Settles 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

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IN BRIEF

Sidewinders set date for YMCA Christmas show

The public is invited to attend the Sidewinders Gymnastics Christmas show at the YMCA Thursday, beginning at 5 p.m.

The show will go until around 7:30 p.m. and refreshments and pictures will be sold.

The show will be put on by members of the Sidewinders team and students in the YMCA class.

The participants will perform routines on the floor, bars, beam and vault.

For more information, contact 267-8234.

Rangers boost pitching with trade of Padres Eaton

DALLAS (AP) — The Texas Rangers agreed to acquire right-hander Adam Eaton and reliever Akinori Otsuka from San Diego for pitcher Chris Young, first baseman Adrian Gonzalez and outfielder Terrmel Sledge.

The deal was pending physicals, according to three baseball officials who spoke on condition of anonymity because the trade had not been finalized.

Eaton won 11 games each of the last two seasons, but this year had two stints on the disabled list that limited him to 128 2-3 innings and 24 games (22 starts).

Clemson's Bowden suspends two from bowl game

CLEMSON, S.C. (AP) — Two Clemson football players were suspended for academic reasons and will miss the Champ Sports Bowl, and a third was kicked off the team by coach Tommy Bowden.

Senior tight end Bobby Williamson and sophomore defensive end Kwam Williams are academically ineligible to play against Colorado Dec. 27. Junior receiver Kelvin Grant was dismissed for violating unspecified team rules.

Johnson says new celebration tops all CINCINNATI (AP)

Bengals receiver Chad Johnson suggested he has a special touchdown celebration planned for Cincinnati's game on Christmas Eve — one that will top his Riverdance, his end zone punt and his sideline proposal from earlier this season.

Johnson said he hit a deer on a highway and kept the unhurt animal in his garage, hoping to use it as a prop for an upcoming touchdown celebration.

Even if Johnson is serious — coach Marvin Lewis would certainly put his foot down. So Johnson's scheme may never get beyond the talking stage.

Hughey, Sage lead BSHS swimmers in Seminole

By TROY HYDE

Sports Editor
SEMINOLE — Junior Ryan Hughey and sophomore Lauren Sage led the way for the Big Spring boys and girls swim teams in Seminole earlier this month. The boys team placed third as a team, while the girls team came in seventh.

Hughey took first in the breaststroke and led a relay team to another first in the 200 free and a third in



R. HUGHEY LUCAS

recorded the best finishes among members of the girls team. She placed second in the 100 fly and third in the 200 Individual

the 400 free. The relay team was also made up of Cameron Hughey, Daniel Pike and Steven

Medley (IM). She was also a part of the girls two medley relay team which placed sixth and the 200 freestyle relay team which placed fourth overall.

Sage's partners in the relays were Amber Sleight, Anita Guiette and Ashley Oliver.

Pike captured two top five finishes as he took third in the 200 freestyle and fifth in the 500 freestyle. Competing in

the freestyle events for the girls was Oliver, who took eighth in both events.

The only other top five finish was Cameron Hughey in the 50 freestyle as he grabbed fourth overall. He also placed sixth in the 100 freestyle.

Lucas came a place or two, away from the top five as he swam to a sixth place finish in the 50 freestyle and finished seventh in the 100 freestyle.

Jordan Grisham took 11th in the 100 butterfly and the 200 medley relay team of Daniel Budke, Grisham, A.J. Ritchey and Deshae Green finished 12th overall.

The girls also had good individual performances from Guiette and Sleight. Guiette placed eighth in the 100 backstroke and 10th in the 50 freestyle and Sleight took 12th in both the 200 IM and the 100 breaststroke.

Bryant goes off in L.A. against Mavs

Lakers' star scores 62 points, sits out fourth quarter in win

By JOHN NADEL

AP Sports Writer
LOS ANGELES — Kobe Bryant was at his incredible best Tuesday night, scoring a career-high 62 points in just three quarters to lead the Los Angeles Lakers over the Dallas Mavericks 112-90.

The 27-year-old Bryant, who brought a 31.3-point average into the game, shot 18-of-31, including 4-of-10 from 3-point range, and made 22 of 25 foul shots while playing only 33 minutes.

Bryant scored 15 points in the first quarter, 17 in the second, and a franchise-record 30 in the third before taking a seat for good with the Lakers leading 95-61.

The previous Lakers record for points in a quarter was 24 shared by Bryant and Hall of Famers Jerry West and Elgin Baylor.

The NBA record for points in a quarter is 33 by George Gervin for San Antonio in 1978. Denver's David Thompson scored 32 in a quarter that same season, and Wilt Chamberlain scored 31 in a quarter for Philadelphia in 1962, when he set the single-game NBA record with 100 points.

Baylor scored a franchise-record 71 points on Nov. 15, 1960, at New York. Bryant's total is the sixth-highest in club history and the most for the Lakers since Chamberlain scored 66 at Phoenix on Feb. 9, 1969.

The capacity crowd of 18,997 began chanting, "We want Kobe! We want Kobe!" early in the final period, but with the Lakers holding an insurmountable lead, there was no need for coach Phil Jackson to put the 6-foot-6 star back into the game.

Bryant matched his previous career high of 56 points by making two free throws with 1:02 left in the third quarter. He went on to score six more points in the period, capping his amazing night by making a long 3-pointer with 4.4 seconds left.

As the period ended — after Los Angeles had outscored Dallas 42-17 — Bryant held a hand to his

ear, and the volume increased even more. Bryant then called it a night.

Bryant became the first NBA player to reach 60 points since Philadelphia's Allen Iverson scored 60 in a 112-99 victory over Orlando last February.

Bryant reached the 50-point plateau for the sixth time in his career, and the first since March 28, 2003, against Washington. Cleveland's LeBron James had the previous single-game high this season with 52 points on Dec. 10.

Nobody else scored in double figures for the Lakers (14-11), who won for the eighth time in 10 games. The loss was just the second in 10 games for the Mavericks (18-7). The other defeat was a 109-106 setback to the Lakers on Dec. 12 in Dallas, when Bryant scored 43 points.

Dirk Nowitzki had 18 points and 11 rebounds to lead the Mavericks. Like Bryant, he sat out the fourth quarter. Devin Harris also scored 18 for Dallas before fouling out with 3:15 to play.

Mavericks coach Avery Johnson said before the game he would use "the whole team" to guard Bryant, and several different Dallas players gave it a go with very little success.

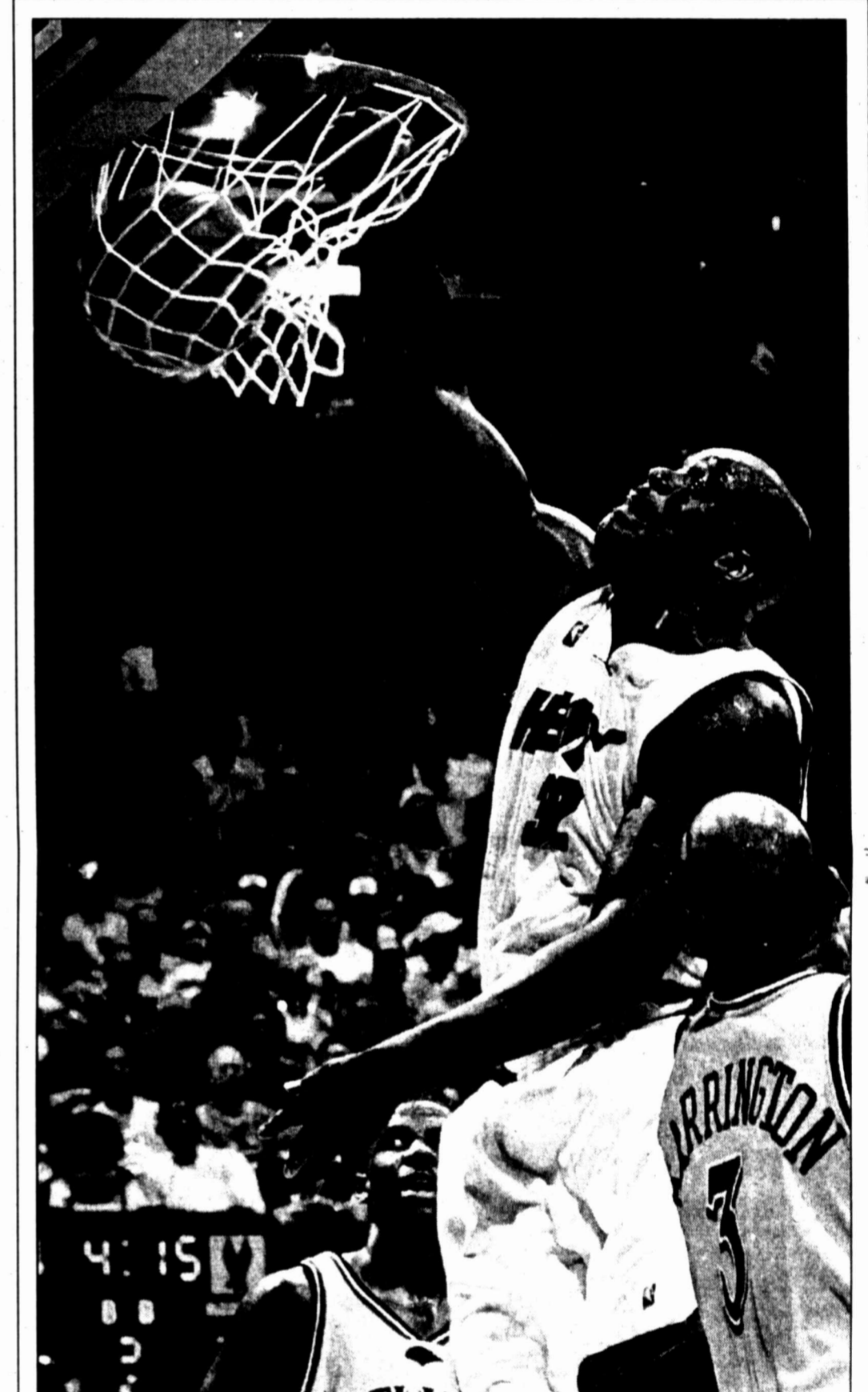
Johnson was ejected after being hit with two technical fouls early in the third quarter.

Steve Javie called technicals on Johnson and Nowitzki with 10:16 left in the period after Nowitzki was inadvertently struck in the face by Bryant, but was called for a foul.

Johnson picked up his second technical 2 1/2 minutes later, leaving with the Mavericks trailing 68-50. Bryant had 41 points at that stage.

Bryant was 11-of-18 from the floor, including 2-of-4 from 3-point range, and 8-of-9 from the foul line for 32 points at halftime. Lamar Odom was the Lakers' second-leading scorer at that stage with six points.

Bryant had 15 points and five rebounds in the first nine minutes to spark the Lakers to a 22-17 lead. It was 25-18 entering the second period.



KRT photo/AI Diaz, Miami Herald/KRT
Miami Heat's Shaquille O'Neal dunks the ball over the Atlanta Hawks' Al Harrington on an assist from Dwyane Wade in the first half. Miami defeated Atlanta 111-92 in Miami, Fla., Tuesday. The Heat won easily as O'Neal finished with 28 points.

Bogut's buzzer-beater sinks Spurs

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Andrew Bogut had the biggest moment of his NBA career.

The No. 1 pick in the 2005 draft made a fade-away jumper as time expired to give the Milwaukee Bucks a 109-107 overtime victory over the San Antonio Spurs Tuesday night.

Bogut also scored the tying basket with 14 seconds left in overtime and finished with 19 points, including five in overtime. He added nine rebounds, seven offensive, and two blocked shots.

"I've never had a buzzer-beating game-winner, but to do it in the NBA against the world champions is a great feeling," Bogut said. "The guy I've always looked up to is Tim Duncan. So, to do this against his team is a great feeling for me."

Maurice Williams scored 28 points and Michael Redd added 20 for the Bucks, who had lost

six of their last seven games against the Spurs.

Duncan had a season-high 34 points on 15-of-28 shooting and grabbed 13 rebounds before fouling out with 22 seconds left in overtime. Tony Parker added 22 points and Nazr Mohammed 11 in the defending champion Spurs' second straight loss.

Duncan, a two-time MVP, scored 11 points against New Orleans on Sunday, but made his first six shots Tuesday. He had 18 points in the first half, helping the Spurs build a 14-point lead late in the second quarter.

San Antonio has dropped three of its last four on the road after losing just two of its first nine away from the SBC Center.

The Spurs took a four-point lead early in overtime, but Williams' free throw after Duncan fouled out cut it to 106-105. Robert Horry gave

the Spurs a two-point lead with one free throw with 20 seconds left before the Bucks tied it at 107 on Bogut's follow shot 6 seconds later.

Parker worked the clock and took a 3-pointer that bounced over the backboard, giving the Bucks the ball with 0.7 seconds left. After a Bucks timeout, Toni Kukoc inbounded to Bogut, who caught the long pass and scored as time expired. A review of the play showed the basket was good.

"He did a great job on the offensive glass, made some big baskets for them and showed some great touch right around the basket," Duncan said of Bogut.

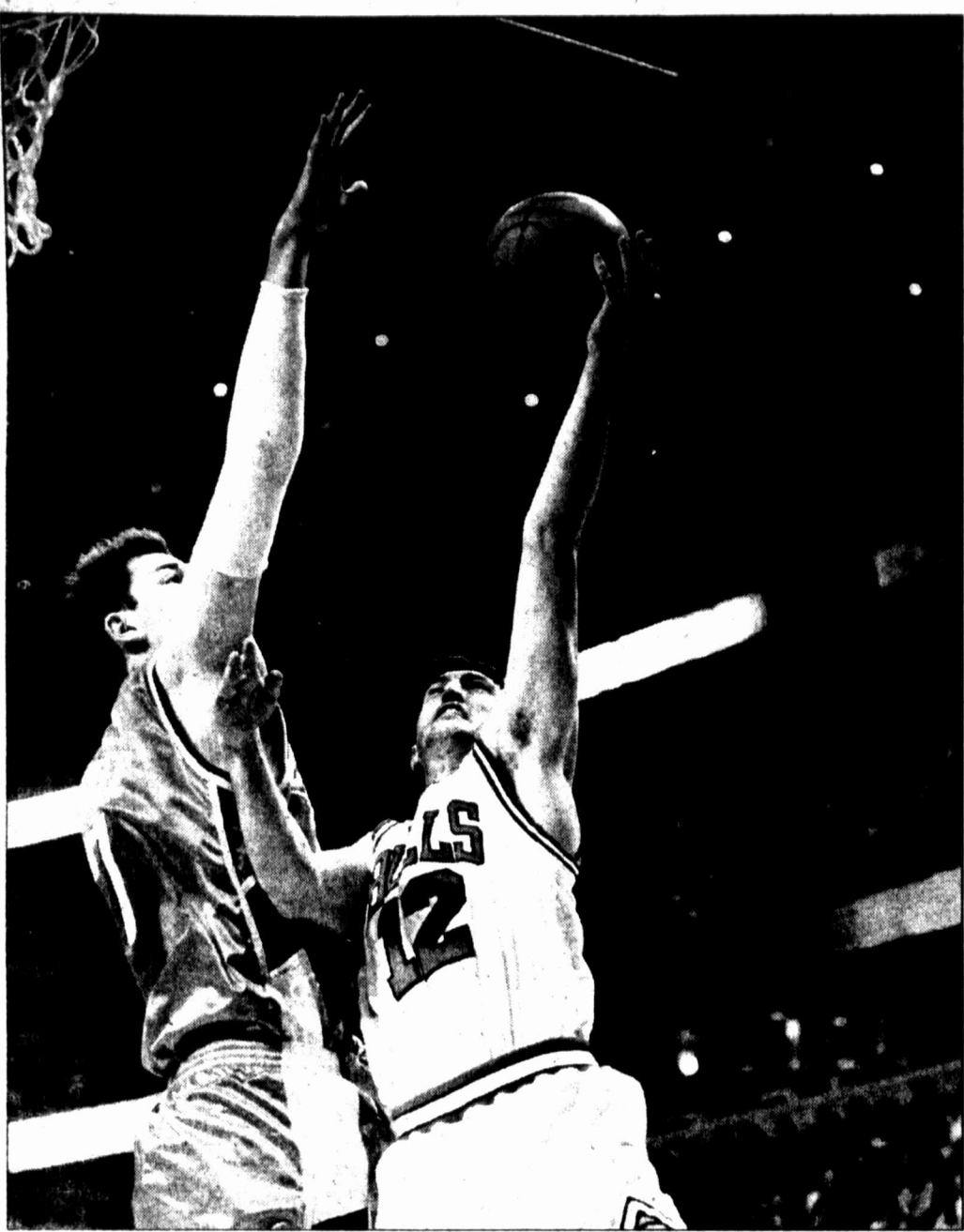
Asked if the winning play had a name, Bogut said that it was just something first-year coach Terry Stotts drew up during the timeout.

"It's not one of those plays you can't really

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Upcoming Local Basketball Tournaments

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- Sands at Sterling City, Dec. 29-31, TBA
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- Grady at Cotton Classic Tourney (Klondike, Grady), TBA
- Howard College men at Park College New Year's Classic Winter Haven, Fla., Jan. 2-4, TBA



Chicago Bulls' Kirk Hinrich shoots over Charlotte Bobcats' Primo Brezec. Charlotte defeated Chicago 105-92 in Chicago, Ill., Tuesday.

Damon leaves Boston, signs four-year deal with Yankees

By RONALD BLUM
AP Baseball Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Johnny Damon gives the Yankees their first big-time leadoff hitter since Chuck Knoblauch was at the top of the order a half-decade ago — an era when New York won three straight World Series titles and four consecutive AL pennants.

Damon's decision to bolt Boston and accept a \$52 million, four-year contract from the Yankees on Tuesday night also provides New York with a center fielder who covers a large amount of ground.

Details of the deal were still being negotiated and Damon must pass a physical, a baseball official said on condition of anonymity because negotiations were not yet final. The physical could take place Thursday, allowing the deal to be completed this week.

Moving from Fenway Park to Yankee Stadium will mean a change of style and scenery for the long-haired, bearded Damon — a fan favorite in Boston for his scrappy play and scruffy look. A razor is in his future because New York owner

George Steinbrenner bans beards and long hair.

"Sad to say bye to some of the greatest fans in the world. Unfortunately they had to see this day, but it's time for me to move forward," Damon told WBZ television in Boston. "They were coming after me aggressively. We know George Steinbrenner's reputation.

"He always wants to have the best players, and I think he showed that tonight. He and Brian Cashman came after me

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practice," Bogut said. "It just worked out."

Duncan tied the game at 100 with a 5-foot hook shot with 9.3 seconds left in regulation. The Bucks called time and Redd

inbounded to Williams, who worked the clock down and missed from the top of the key, sending the game into overtime.

The game featured two first-round picks facing each other for the second time.

Bogut, from Melbourne,

Australia, and Duncan, the No. 1 pick in the 1997 NBA draft, played against each other in the 2004 Olympics in Athens. Bogut's Australian team led the United States before the Americans outscored Australia 24-12 in the fourth quarter and won 89-79.

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Paterno wins coach of the year

By RALPH D. RUSSO

AP Sports Writer
NEW YORK — Joe Paterno doesn't have to say "I told you so."

JoePa, who turns 79 on Wednesday, got an early birthday present Tuesday when he was an overwhelming choice as The Associated Press college football coach of the year.

So much for critics who said the game had passed him by.

Not that he's gloating about Penn State's resurgence.

"The only thing I wanted to do is try to get us back to where we were a good football team and we could be very competitive and make some plays we hadn't made," he said. "We got that done and I feel good about that."

After four losing seasons in the last five years, Paterno and the Nittany Lions rebounded in 2005 to go 10-1, share the Big Ten title and earn a spot in the Bowl Championship Series.

For that, Paterno received 45 of 65 votes from media members on AP's college football poll board. Texas' Mack Brown was second with eight votes after leading the Longhorns to a perfect regular season and a spot in the Rose Bowl.

Notre Dame's Charlie Weis and Southern California's Pete Carroll, whose Trojans will face Brown's Longhorns for the national title, got three votes each.

West Virginia's Rich Rodriguez received two votes. Les Miles of LSU, Steve Spurrier of South Carolina, George O'Leary of Central Florida and Tommy Tuberville of Auburn, last year's winner, each received one vote.

Despite going 4-7 in 2004, Paterno was convinced that the Nittany Lions were on the verge of good things.

In search of playmakers, he landed two of the nation's top recruits in speedy receivers Derrick Williams and Justin King. By doing so, Paterno showed that he and his staff, led by recruiting coordinator and former Penn State quarterback Mike McQueary, were still capable of bringing in blue-chippers.

Paterno believed in quarterback Michael Robinson, who spent three seasons moving from passer to runner to receiver, and gave offensive coordinator Galen Hall and quarterbacks coach Jay Paterno the job of building a system around the multidimen-

sional senior.

Robinson and the fast frosh made the Nittany Lions explosive again, and JoePa had himself a 21st century offense to go along with a rugged defense, led by a throw-back Penn State linebacker, junior Paul Posluszny.

The Nittany Lions had signature wins over Ohio State and Wisconsin and rose to No. 3 in the nation. In Paterno's 40th season, Penn State was just a couple of seconds away from going unbeaten. Its only loss was 27-25 at Michigan, on a last-play touchdown.

Paterno now has 353 victories. Only Florida State's Bobby Bowden (359) has more among Division I-A coaches, and the two will meet in the Orange Bowl on Jan. 3, Penn State's BCS debut.

From 2000-04, Penn State was 27-33 overall, 16-24 in the Big Ten, with seven victories combined in 2003-04. Nevertheless, Paterno has never tied success solely to wins and losses.

"I never felt bad when we were 4-7 last year because I thought we had a bunch of kids that never quit," he said. "And that's the joy of coaching."

DAMON

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hard," he said, referring to New York's general manager.

Damon will hit at the top of a potent lineup that includes Derek Jeter, Gary Sheffield, AL MVP Alex Rodriguez, Hideki Matsui and Jason Giambi. The bottom of the order has Jorge Posada, Robinson Cano and the designated hitter (or the first baseman spelling Giambi).

Bernie Williams' defense declined significantly over the past four seasons, although he is expected to remain with the Yankees as a reserve in a deal where only the performance bonuses remain to be negotiated. And while Damon's arm is not much better, the two-time All-Star will get to a lot more balls in the gaps.

Agent Scott Boras had been seeking a seven-year contract for Damon. The offer Damon accepted was the same as the deal Matsui agreed to with the Yankees last month — \$13 million annually.

Damon said Boston did not attempt to match New York's offer.

Damon is the first star player to switch sides in the Red Sox-Yankees rivalry over the past few years, although role players such as John Olerud, Alan Embree, Ramiro Mendoza and Mike Myers have done it.

New York's first team with a \$200 million payroll last season, had a relatively quiet offseason until now.

The Yankees, eliminated by the Los Angeles Angels in the first round of the AL playoffs, were overshadowed by the splashy Mets, who acquired slugging first baseman Carlos Delgado from the Florida Marlins and signed free-agent closer Billy Wagner to a \$43 million, four-year contract.

Damon, who turned 32 last month, led Boston with a .316 batting average. He had 197 hits and scored 117 runs.

When Myers finalized his contract with the Yankees last week, he gushed about the prospect of having Damon in New York's lineup.

"I would put the over/under on Damon scoring 125, and I'd take the over any day of the week," Myers said. "I think the fans would absolutely love him there, just his hustle and his passion for the game, the way he goes about his business. I think he'd fit in great in the clubhouse, even though I don't know what the clubhouse is."

Earlier in the day, the Yankees reached a preliminary agreement on a \$2 million, one-year contract with reliever Octavio Dotel, who is recovering from elbow surgery.

Dotel would get a \$250,000 bonus if added to the 25-man active roster and could earn \$3 million more in performance bonuses based on games. His deal contains an additional \$2.5 million in bonuses based on games finished, in case he is traded to another team.

He had 36 saves for Houston and Oakland in 2004 but struggled last season with Oakland, going 1-2 with seven saves and a 3.52 ERA before he went on the disabled list May 20.

Southern Mississippi takes down Arkansas State in season's first official bowl contest

By NOAH TRISTER

AP Sports Writer
LAFAYETTE, La. — Arkansas State's improbable season is finally over, and coach Steve Roberts can look back on it with pride.

"There is nobody outside of our locker room that felt we could accomplish what we accomplished this year," Roberts said after the Indians' 31-19 loss to Southern Mississippi in the New Orleans Bowl — the first of the season's 28 bowl games.

"There's nobody outside of our locker room that predicted that we could be in the situation that we were in," he said. Shawn Nelson caught two second-half touchdowns, and Cody Hull added 161 yards rushing Tuesday night to lead Southern Mississippi. But Arkansas State performed admirably, preventing the Golden Eagles from taking control until well into the second half.

Arkansas State (6-6) was in its first bowl since moving back up from Division I-AA before the 1992 season. The Indians tied for the Sun Belt Conference title and became the first team besides North Texas to represent the league in the New Orleans Bowl. North Texas went the last four years, winning once.

For Southern Miss, the win was a happy ending to a season of turmoil. The Golden Eagles had two games postponed in September because of hurricanes Katrina and Rita, had to relocate temporarily to Memphis and played nine games in nine weeks to end the regular season.

Fittingly, they ended their season with a struggle in Lafayette, where the New Orleans Bowl was moved because of Katrina.

Arkansas State tied the game at 17 in the third quarter on Nick Noce's 2-yard pass to Manuel Burton, but Dustin Almond answered with a 29-yard toss to Nelson to

make it 24-17.

The Indians scored on a safety when Southern Miss punter Luke Johnson knocked the ball out of the back of the end zone after a bad snap.

The Golden Eagles made it 31-19 on Almond's 6-yard pass to Nelson with 8:22 remaining in the game.

Southern Mississippi (7-5) beat North Texas 31-10 in last year's New Orleans Bowl. The Golden Eagles were a double-digit favorite in this year's game, and appeared on their way to an easy win when Almond found Nelson for a 37-yard com-

pletion on the first play from scrimmage.

But after Southern Mississippi drove to the 1-yard line, Almond fumbled a snap and the Indians recovered. The Golden Eagles' next drive ended with another fumble, this one at the Arkansas State 48.

Hull, a sophomore, surpassed 100 yards rushing for the first time. Nelson, a freshman, had six catches for 121 yards — both career highs. He was named the game's MVP.

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Tomorrow's Horoscope

BY HOLIDAY MATHIS
This is the winter solstice, the shortest day and longest night of the year. Capricorn welcomes the sun and celebrates his royalty. The weeks to come illuminate issues of status. Follow chains of command, and settle matters of respect. There is always hard, but honorable, work to be done during the solar Capricorn transit.



HOLIDAY MATHIS

ARIES (March 21-April 19). The more you dread a task, the heavier, uglier and more time consuming it will be. Take away the dread — just drop it — and the job could be finished in half the time, if not sooner.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). You are feeling incredibly festive — perhaps more so than you will at the end of the year. So make a toast to the holly and the ivy hanging up, and then turn in early for dreams of sugar plum fairies.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). The planets seem to illuminate the very flaws you would most like to ignore. Consider giving up the battle and simply loving yourself for who you are right now — no changes necessary.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). The one who has not been entirely honest with you is nonetheless trying his or her best. Try to see this person not as a nasty rat, but a scared little mouse scurrying for life-sustaining crumbs.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). There's a balance to strike somewhere between loving someone and smothering them by catering to their every need to the detriment of your own. You are secure in your body and spirit, which helps you make solid decisions.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY
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Legals

PUBLIC NOTICE
The Howard County Auditor will accept sealed bids until 10:00 A.M. on January 6, 2006 for the following:
The purchase of one (1) new 2006 3/4 ton crew cab pickup to be used by the County Agent's office. Specifications may be obtained in the Auditor's Office, 300 S. Main, Room 203, Big Spring, TX or by calling (432)264-2210.
Bids will be presented to the Commissioners' Court at 10:00 A.M. on January 9, 2006 for their consideration.
The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
#4810 December 21 & 30, 2005

(December 21). Adventure awaits you, and it's juicy enough to retell for years to come — you could even write a book. Mostly, you're more open to letting things unfold without your control. January and February are so busy, but at least you have the money to show for it. A wedding in August could be your own. Gemini and Aries connect deeply with you. Your lucky numbers are: 40, 1, 25, 50 and 35.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Become a collector. Collect a circle of acquaintances who contribute positive energy and experiences to your life. Consciously cultivate a cadre of special people from those who cross your path.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). A shy moment is a missed opportunity. You won't meet that attractive stranger in the next seat by expecting him or her to make the first move. A kind look and an understanding smile from you encourage interaction, if it's to be had.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). When you swim with sharks, don't bleed. A calm and composed exterior (even if it's an act) serves you best when caught in dangerous waters. You can find help through your association with a Cancer.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). The wrong answer just feels wrong. Work on honing your ability to listen to your own intuition. Be secure enough to follow your instincts without apology or explanation.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Give away an old resentment as you would a worn piece of clothing. Periodically clean out your mind's closet of thoughts that no longer fit or serve you.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). If you've been living day-in, day-out without a plan, this afternoon is the perfect opportunity to put pen to paper. Make a blueprint. Put each goal in sequence, and set a date to break ground.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). It's time to vote a deadbeat friend off your island. You won't be a survivor shackled to a slacker. Join castaways who are up to the challenge — like Sagittarius people.

CELEBRATE THE SOLSTICE: Throughout human history, the winter solstice is among the most celebrated days of the year, as evidenced through the many ancient markers, structures, stories and rituals around this major solar event (not to mention names: Saturnalia, Yule, the Long Night, etc.). Each civilization has adapted their celebration uniquely in a wide array of rituals. Some feasted, some sacrificed, some had wild parties, some sang quietly around a table. Whatever observance you choose this year, be it a quiet night at home or revelry with friends, I'm advocating you set aside a few moments of meditation — nothing fancy, just sitting, breathing and peacefully centering one's mind for 10 minutes. To assist the process, here is a star mantra for the upcoming season. Hold your mantra in your mind or say it quietly during your meditation.
ARIES: "I heal myself and others."
TAURUS: "I flow with my surroundings."
GEMINI: "I believe and make it so."
CANCER: "I connect with the energy source."
LEO: "Love is the answer."
VIRGO: "I see beyond."
LIBRA: "I live by wisdom and compassion."
SCORPIO: "I breathe in light."
SAGITTARIUS: "I am protected and cared for."
CAPRICORN: "I accept what is."
AQUARIUS: "I follow through."
PISCES: "Magic is real."

CELEBRITY PROFILES: Hosting "American Idol" and radio shows, along with owning a successful restaurant and designing a T-shirt line are just "average" days for the ambitious and focused Capricorn Ryan Seacrest. I predict Seacrest will add even more to his workload this upcoming year — a serious relationship that results in marriage.

If you would like to write to Holiday Mathis, please go to www.creators.com and click on "Write the Author" on the Holiday Mathis page, or you may send her a postcard in the mail.
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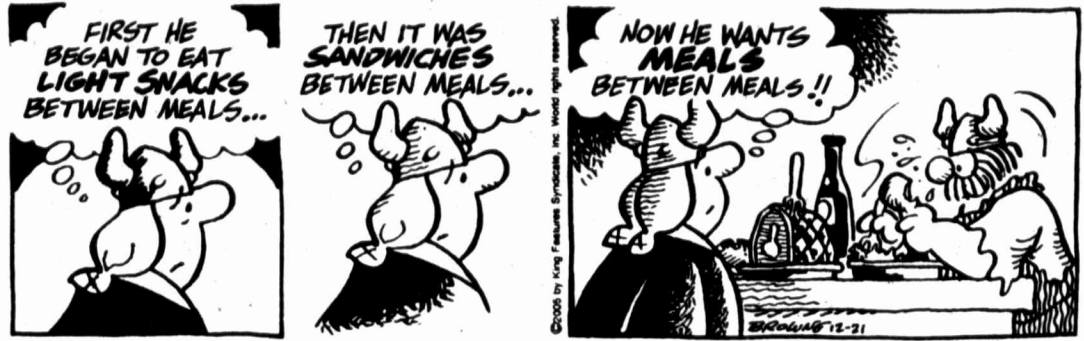
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This Date In History

Today is Wednesday, Dec. 21, the 355th day of 2005. There are 10 days left in the year. Winter arrives at 1:35 p.m. Eastern time.

Today's Highlight in History: On Dec. 21, 1620, Pilgrims aboard the Mayflower went ashore for the first time at present-day Plymouth, Mass.

On this date: In 1804, British statesman Benjamin Disraeli was born in London. In 1898, scientists Pierre and Marie Curie discovered the radioactive element radium. In 1914, the first feature-length silent film comedy, "Tillie's Punctured Romance," was released. In 1942, the Supreme Court ruled all states had to recognize divorces granted in Nevada. In 1945, Gen. George S. Patton died in Heidelberg, Germany, of injuries from a car accident. In 1948, the state of Eire

(formerly the Irish Free State) declared its independence. In 1968, Apollo 8 was launched on a mission to orbit the moon. In 1971, the U.N. Security Council chose Kurt Waldheim to succeed U Thant as Secretary-General. In 1978, police in Des Plaines, Ill., arrested John W. Gacy Jr. and began unearthing the remains of 33 men and boys that Gacy was later convicted of murdering. In 1988, 270 people were killed when a terrorist bomb exploded aboard a Pam Am Boeing 747 over Lockerbie, Scotland, sending wreckage crashing to the ground. Today's Birthdays: Former Austrian president and former U.N. Secretary-General Kurt Waldheim is 87. Country singer Freddie Hart is 79. Actor Ed Nelson is 77. Talk show host Phil Donahue is 70. Movie director John Avildsen is 70. Actress Jane Fonda is 68. Actor Larry Bryggman is 67. Singer Carla Thomas is 63. Musician Albert Lee is 62. Conductor Michael Tilson Thomas is 61. Actor Samuel L. Jackson is 57. Movie pro-

ducer Jeffrey Katzenberg is 55. Singer Betty Wright is 52. Tennis star Chris Evert is 51. Country singer Christy Forester (The Forester Sisters) is 43. Actor-comedian Andy Dick is 40. Rock musician Gabrielle Glaser is 40. Actor Kiefer Sutherland is 39. Actress Karri Turner ("JAG") is 39. Actress Khrystyne Haje is 37. Country singer Brad Warren (The Warren Brothers) is 37. Actress Julie Delpy is 36. Country singer Luke Stricklin is 23.

Thought for Today: "The time will come when Winter will ask us: 'What were you doing all the Summer?'" - Bohemian proverb.

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Answer to previous puzzle

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Newsday Crossword

RIGHT ON THE MONEY by Rose Baum
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- ACROSS
- 1 Helen of Troy's mother
 - 5 On the summit of
 - 9 Word of regret
 - 13 Some simians
 - 14 Heavy gold chain
 - 15 Misplaces
 - 17 Boat wood
 - 18 Veldt grazers
 - 19 Words on the spine
 - 20 Sushi morsel
 - 21 Stall
 - 23 Rabbit relatives
 - 25 Boxing venues
 - 26 Microscopic creatures
 - 28 More up to it
 - 30 Italian-born film star
 - 31 Got nosy
 - 32 Cloudy region
 - 35 "What's for me?"
 - 36 Nursery fixtures
 - 37 DNA component
 - 38 Whole bunch
 - 39 Helps with the dishes
 - 40 Beauty parlor
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 - 47 Swap seats
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Here's a peek inside the holiday hopes & dreams of little ones from the local community!!

Third Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
for christmas I want a bike, tramping, scooder, catle and to see my dad I love him very, golf car and I wot my dog to come bake home. I love my dog. your friend
Jimmy

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a cellPhone. A placestation and I want a 10000.00 dolers pleas. that is all I want for Christmas pleas Bring that stuff for me I want. this stuff alot Plecas Plecas Bring me that stuff
Love,
Pearl

Dear Santa Clau
I don't care what you do to My Presents All I want for Christmas is the love and support of my family. Oh if you dont mind give my presents to the people who need homes.
PS Tell the elves I siad Hi.
Michael

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want 2 present and to the Hurricane people. The present I want are lots of money to pay the Hurricane and my whole family.
Angela

Dear Santa,
for christmas all I want is a playStatoin 2 and X box 360 and let my baby sister have a very merry merry Christmas for my sister she wons care Bear for christmas and marry christmas Santa
Ivan

Dear Santa,
I wish I had Xbox 360 and some games for my game boy.
Colton

Dear Santa,
What I want for Christmas is a Xbox 360 and I want a shell shocker, and I want a Xbox game any kind cause I like any game of an Xbox and I want a Ps2 and that's it.
Joshua

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would want a Play Station 2 and a Football, Game that only works on Play Station 2. Please to keep Texas Free, United States of America, North America, and the World Preec
Tyler

Dear Santa,
For Christmas whate want is a cinderella game boy, a diamondring for my mom, a new shurt for my

dad, a starwbeery short cake game for my sister. a poodle skirt and a poodle shirt. My skirt size is 8 and shirt & size is 8.
Jatiana

Dear Santa,
I want for christmas is a little screen TV and a parrot. I want a computer that works and some books so I can read them I want
Your friend,
Anthony

Dear: Santa,
for christmas I want a Doodlebear. I been wating sinse I was 6 years old. And I want a tex mesanger to and a cell phone and drawing pad markers, crayons and some glue sizors and some mor foony markers.
love Brianna C
3rd grade

Dear santa
For chrstmas I want a X box 360 and some gams for may game boy Advance and a lode fider bick end a foon end a new skatebord and a new backPeck and some new suplais and some books and a new computer and a new jacket and shoes a shinguers and Hats all
Your feand
Alex

Dear Santa,
I want for Chismas. I want xbox 360 or PS2 Donky Kong 3 Herbie Fooly longed.
Fabian

Mrs. Baker
Second Grade Class
Stanton Elementary

Dear Santa,
All i want is a gautar and somthing girly and a vidio know and a new computer and a new and a stuf ahima Big Panonjh and a picter of you and a suft show mah and a balla portsanahd some new skees to ahd say hi to Elvs and the rander to and hi to you and evrywone else to Mary Chrnismas Santa,
Love, Kallie Woodfin

Dear Santa,
I want a snow bord and a x-box 2 and mader-sikle and some majick cards and a cute pupy and a wite and black bear and a mrocun chow car and a horn and a drum vleturick gutar and a toy pangwine and a toy frosty the sowman.
Your friend,
Dominic Gomase

Dear Santa,
I'll like a Robot that cold dance and grab things and it cold do kirite and run and more his hands fast and it has a controlere and

fantastic 4 the moveie.
Your friend,
Tony Ramirez

Dear Santa,
I want a rill robot and a humer and a sell phone and a kereoke mishine and a race car and a new bike and sum majek cards and a soks?
Your friend,
Koden Kennedy

Dear Santa,
I want a Bike and a new shoes and a Bradz doll and a veido now and a soccer dall and a base dall. Merry Christmas
Your friend,
Mercedes Rios

Dear Santa,
I would like you to bring me some macik cards and cane you get me some game boy game and i want a lot of socks and i want beng bag and i would like you to bring me a bumb bed and i want a pair of elf shows and i want a up side down Chrismas tree and i want a gakite.
Your friend,
Ryan Hensan

Dear Santa,
Can I have one of those remote control cars with the music in the truck?
Merry Christmas.
Your friend,
Jonathan Salgado

Dear Santa,
I want a remot control naviator wthan mps player and a playstason 2 and the game Driver 3 and the games grand theft auto 4 and a computer and the game viper racing and Hard truck and a xbox and a alctrik train.
Your friend,
Rick Seisbrecht

Dear Santa,
I would like a gun and a wolet and shirt a sister a bothea a family and a bike a bell a ride and a hug and desk
Love
Your friend,
Rodney Norris

Dear Santa,
I want a seasscar and playstant 2 and a Robout. I want a Raindear. and a catanddog. and Xbox. I want a raidon your slead and new house and a bick I want a spiderm game for pc or xbox or playstant2
Your friend,
Anthony Cawthorn

Dear Santa,
I want a star wars episode 3 game and a humer to und a play station like som to one and Present for pay grama and nike shoes and a present for my mom and a present for my brother to and a

charger for my charger
Your friend,
Esteban Escamilla

Dear Santa,
Can I have a game? A sonic game? I want another game called Shadow the Hedgehog. I love you Santa.
Your friend,
Isaish Hernandez

Dear Santa,
I want a doll randeer and a xbox and a gam and a lot of clows and i want all the Brats stuf and a Brats bed and a Brats room and a Brats prtey and a cahdey thats cald a hershey and a lot of maney.
Your friend,
Daniella Marquez

Dear Santa,
I would like a real puppy and a Brat Babby doll. Can I have a maker baker? I want a suit like you. I want a champalyene from you. I would like some Ballicina shoes and the Suite. I want a snow bord with a tv. I want a Furby. I have present for you It's Milk and Cookies!
Your friend,
Heather Graham

Dear Santa,
I want Xbox game it is The game. The lord of Thering ertun of The King
Love you Santa
Your friend,
Brandon Cazares

Barbara Ball
Kindergarten
Washington Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a toy computer.
Merry Christmas & Love,
Bianca

Dear Santa,
I want a skateboard.
Love,
Isaac

Dear Santa,
I want a bike. You are in my heart.
Love,
Luxie

Dear Santa,
I want a brat doll. I love you, Santa
Raegan

Dear Santa,
I want silver rings.
Merry Christmas, love
Amalia

Dear Santa,
I want some army men. I love you.
Jesse

Dear Santa,
I want a princess Alexis.
Merry Christmas.
Love,
Abby

Dear Santa,
I want a bike. Merry Christmas.
Annalisa

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie. Merry Christmas
Love,
Alex

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie. I love Christmas,
Merry Christmas
Joylyn

Dear Santa,
I want a game boy. Thank you for the presents. Christmas is my favorite.
Love,
Dimas

Dear Santa,
I want a motor cycle. Merry Christmas!
Kamryn

Dear Santa,
I want a princess doll. Merry Christmas.
Cabryna

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie. I love you.
Cassidy

Dear Santa,
I want a power ranger toy. Stay warm santa.
Dylan

Dear Santa,
I want a blue & red motorcyle. Merry Christmas
Brandon

Dear Santa,
I want a car that turns. Thank you for present.
Love,
Joe

Dear Santa,
I want a motor cycle. Thank you
Merry Christmas
Zachery

Dear Santa,
I want a skateboard that is kinda small.
Merry Christmas,
Stephen

Dear Santa,
I want a spiderman. Merry Christmas,
Lane

Dear Santa,
I want a bike. Merry Christmas
Gabriel

Mrs. Brown's Class
Stanton Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want Chocolates, T.V., a barbie looking at T.V. I will miss you when you are gone. Thank You for all the gifts you bring me and for you.
Love,
Briseyda Madrid

Dear Santa,
How are you Santa? Do you like the cold weather? Please birng me toys that color. Bring me toys that are red and green. I want a ball Are you going o be quiet and go to sleep?
Love,
John Erick Villa

Dear Santa,
I want to ask you something. Can you please give me something like toys, a tractor, a truck, a trailer with truck. Could you please bring my sister a new doll and other toys.
Love,
Koby Kitchens

Dear Santa,
Can you bring me a gameboy, a new bike. How are you? I'll leave you cookies when you come. Do you really like milk?
Love,
Adrian Rodriguez

Dear Santa,
Can you bring me a new baby doll? A big cinderella doll. Thank you for all the gifts you bring me. I'll leave you cookies when you come.
Love,
Brianna Marquez

Dear Santa,
How cold is it at the North Pole? How are you doing? Can you bring me a skate board, a four-wheeler, and a cabbage patch doll, and also a scooter and a hola-hoop and I want strawberry short-cake book and stickers and a carebear. For my sister a bear And my sister can have a rocking chair, because she wants to sit in everything.
Love,
Skylee Kargl

Dear Santa,
How cold is it in the North Pole? I have been a good girl. I want clothes for Christmas and some shoes. I also want a pink necklace. I would also like a computer. Have fun giving toys to kids.
Love,
Alexis Bonilla

Dear Santa,
How are you? Are you alright? Are you being good and nice? I want to tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a swimming pool I want you to help us.
Love,
Destiny Castro

Dear Santa,
Hey Santa Claus — How are you doing? I know

Warm Christmas Wishes
No matter where you celebrate Christmas this year, we hope it's filled with peace, love and happiness.
Thanks for being our customer. We look forward to seeing you next year.
Hubbard Meat Co.
500 N. Birdwell
267-7781

We wish you and your family a season full of fun, celebration and great times!
Thank you for all the joy and happiness you've brought to us this year. Enjoy Lots of Holiday Fun!
Enjoy Lots of Holiday Fun!
Glasscock CO-OP Gin
300 CR Coop
Garden City, TX 79730

At This Season Of Hope
Bob Brock Ford
Wishing you the gift of faith and the blessing of heavenly peace throughout the holiday season. For your friendship, we are deeply grateful.
500 W. 4th
267-7424

HAPPY, HAPPY, HAPPY, HAPPY, HAPPY, HAPPY,
Wishing all of you a very joyful holiday season. Thanks
SOUTHWESTERN
2000 Birdwell
SOUTHWESTERN A-1 PEST CONTROL, INC.
262-8814

RING IN THE SEASON!
WITH BRIGHT WISHES
Our entire staff wishes you and your family members, a sparkling holiday season.
We'd like to chime in with warm wishes to you and yours for a happy and healthy holiday season. You deserve it!
From All Your Friends At The City of Big Spring & The City Council
Amy E. Reese DDS
Cosmetic & Restorative Dentistry
267-4182

what I want for Christmas. I want a motor scooter and some toys.

Love,
Bryan Rios

Dear Santa,
How are the reindeer? Are they cold? I want a Big Motor Cycle and I would like you to leave me your Santa hat. I want a robot toy and a pretty necklace for my mom. I hope you like my cookies - I will make chocolate ones with cream on them.

Love,
Noel Regna-Lopez

Dear Santa,
I want a trampoline with a basketball court on it. I also want an air hockey table. I want a blue bike & I also want hot wheels with the chute so they can go fast. I will leave you some milk and cookies. I hope you stay warm.

Love,
Jonathan Aguilar

Dear Santa,
I want gorilla attack for my hot wheels. I want a toy motor cycle and a toy house. Do you like all the cookies that you eat at everybodys house?

Love,
Kyle Wells

Dear Santa,
Can you bring me a heart with chocolate in it? I want a baby doll and I really want a real baby horse. I also want stuff with hearts on it. Have a nice night.

Love,
Eva Banman

Dear Santa,
I want playdough and some toys. What kind of food do you feed your reindeer?

Love,
Savanna Hewty

Dear Santa,
I want a barbie doll. Can you bring me a baby rabbit? I will take care of it. I really want a baby sister to play with. Please bring me a new barbie bicycle. I would really like a daddy. Thank you very much.

Love,
Blair Green

Dear Santa,
What do the reindeer eat? Do they eat apples? Is it cold where you are? I want playdough and I want a wheel that flies in the air. I also want new clothes.

Love,
Nathaniel Clanton

Coahoma Elementary
Kindergarten - First Grade

Dear Santa,
I want a street Bike, and a amashyun (a machine gun), skate bord and bad boys. I have been good.

Love,
Canyon Trinson

Dear Santa,
I want a Play Station game and a purse with Lipstick and makeup. I have been good.

Asia Jackson

Dear Santa,
I want a Lobtop, julre (jewelry) and a Barbe C.D. and Makap (make-up) and I will like a Bike. Ples! Yes. I have been good.

Love,
Victoria MirelLel Sanderson

Dear Santa,
I want a football. and a Keck stand and a arpup (airpup) yes, I have been good.

Love,
Mason GIBB Moore

Dear Santa,
I want a motrsicle, CDs and a rncar (romote-control car). I have been good.

Love,
Brighton Feaster

Dear Santa,
I want MooVess (movies) Dalhass (doll-house) and C.D. MooSSEK (music) of numbrs. I have been good.

Love,
Prelie Smithie

Dear Santa,
I want a Brat and I want a Barbe Has(Barbie House) Yes I have been good.

Love,
Britney Payte

Dear Santa,
I want Ejondr (John Deere Gator), Araden (a radio) antines dog a girl (pug dog) IyUtanLMLdRSTUFMIdad (A motorcycle for my dad) I have been good.

Love,
BRANdy Mier

Dear Santa,
I want MACP (Make up), a Pes (purse) and Shrt pink. and Baby doLL. Yes, I have been good.

Love,
Erin Lowery

Dear Santa,
I want a Street bike and a rock star guitar, and a Skatebord. I have been good.

Love,
Jake Massey

Dear Santa,
I want a powr rangjr, and a play station game. I have been good.

Love,
Kaleb Denton Ryan

Dear Santa,
I want a sKatbord and a drum set and a Gitar, and a hard football Yes, I have been good.

Love,
Tucker Ole Greni

Dear Santa,
I want a BRBE LATOPAND (A Barbie Laptop) A BRBE guitar, Bratz doLLs and EseBakr (easy baker oven) I have been good.

Love,
Sydnie GiLbert

Dear Santa,
I want a tedy ber (teddy bear) and my Little pony SUNSHine babes.

Love,
Mikayla Mauzey

Mrs. Coggin
Stanton Elementary

Dear Santa,
I would want a Mario Party 4-7 and a huge ball and a frog and a electronic plane and a watch and a letter from the president and a folder and a pack of 12 pencils and a crayon eraser and a erase and a trampoline!

Sincerely,
Tristian Radloff

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a Xbox 360 Whith a basket-ball game and i want a bike.

Love,
DeAvdre Goodley

Dear Santa,
All I want for Christmas is a sweing machine, fabric (any color) and art kit, thread.

From
Valerie Villa

Dear Santa for
Christmas I want a PSP, medevil recreation, the game.

Love,
Caleb

Dear Santa,
I Sonia wold like a foot-ball A longhorns Jersey and that wold be all I ask for from you so you can have a lot more Presents for the other Kids.

From
Sonia

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas: 1. A Video I pod

2. I want a baby bratz
3. I want a bike
4. I want a MPS Player
5. I want a F2a2 screen computer
6. I want a Video Now XP
7. I want some new clothes.
8. I want a game cube
9. I want a PSP
10. I want some boots.

And thats what I want to get for christmas by Santa Clause
To: Santa Clause
From: Louisa Rios

Collins
Washington Elementary

Dear Santa,
I would like some staff Rears for my bed and a jewelry and im going to give you some milk and cookes and a bed and I would like a little more of tv santa. I love you how is Mrs. claus doing.

Love
Desiree

Dear Santa,
I would like a Barbie please.

Love,
Alexis

Dear Santa,
I wut a waterboby.

Love,
Lorratno

Dear Santa,
I would like a bicycle and a cat. and a dog and a hamstr and a plastick ball for my hamstr and two cajs for my cats and dog and a Big screen TV for

my mom How or you I love you
Love, Kaylee

Dear Santa,
I would like a drum and a Game boy.

Love,
Jacob

Dear Santa,
Braatz Stuff, game boy, bovd D, brde, bicycle I bdeitree I bratz bid

Love,
Kade

Dear Santa,
Uper Mario baby ball, game boy, game key, Donkey Kong, Mario Party6, Mario Party7

Love,
Zachery

Dera Santa,
I would like I wish I have the Game.

Love
Noan Perez

Dear Santa,
I wan this jewelry chyran, Babie Nawssy, mackup

Love,
Deniva

Dear Santa,
I wish I had a baby cert-er.

Love,
Alejandra

Dear Santa,
I will like a game Key and a Big Screen TV and a computer SpyroSich with craagle and a nuther play Staisin 2 a Stout litle and a chocen litle the Vidoye game and a Toy Perly and a Toy jamces and a Toy Dog and a picter of Aygustine and gmera card

Love,
Justin

Dear Santa,
I would like a Bratz baby and a Barbie and a water baby and a carebear baby and a tv and a dog and a ball and a babie game and a game dog

Love,
Jana

Dear Santa,
I want to have a Barbie car. Ples give me a Bire.

Loves
Makaia

Dear Santa,
HOW are your rain deerp How was your day? I would like a bicycle

Love,
Jeremy

Dear Santa,
I would like a barbie House and little Barbies and a Big screen TV for my Mom and Dad

Love,
Destiny Mata

Dear Santa,
I love you santa. I want a pup. I want a Game for my Play Shin2. I want a dog. I want a TV.

Love,
Ryan

Dear Santa,
I would like a Barbie. how wush Mrs. Claus Bratz a Big Car computer Angeinal

Love,
Santa

Mrs. Downey's
First Grade
Washington Elementary

Dear Santa,
I wand like a PSP and a Xbox and a XIB360 and a new Pastas in 2 and Malugaskr and to nevr skip a day of school and to nevr pl a tibit and to nevr be men and to m ak a too oh me han

Love,
Taylor Christian

Dear Santa,
I wont A playStashin Thank you I Love Nathan Nathan Viasana

Dear Santa,
Plis can you gif me a rells Bratz Thank Love Ashlee Villa

Dear Santa,
I what a god neclis And a cap and a small DVD Disk And a pustr Thank You Augustine Rodriquez

Dear Santa,
I wot Jack in the Box And woudirhors A toy Chron with Cro Chrack A Flyfy tetyer A littl Chry and 4 Sojr's 4 and Cdhs And A chruck and a 5 can's

Thank you
Ian Ian Gonzales

Dear Santa,
you no Waht I Wont Four CHRISTmas I want a PsPaK PlayStathin 3 and xBox 360

Love,
Anthony Aponte

Dear Santa,
Big doll, cindrewella for crismas

Thank you
Love Kelly Kelly Morales

Dear Santa
PSP XBOX PlayStaxshine 360 game boy

I love Jeremiah
Jeremiah Rushin

Dear Santa,
I want a Splgst a ship Thank you. Two plashin I Love Johnny Johnny Juarez

Dear Santa,
Lego Boogle ETTER PERFECT Gage Mills

Dear Santa,
Thank you git me a macup Brandee wud dert Brandee Castillo

Dear Santa,
Thank you. I want a binck Taylor Hull

Dear Santa,
two gath I want Thanks you I Love Magdalena Magdalena Medina

Dear Santa
I yut a Plastshn2 Thank you Isreal Isreal Enriquez

Dear Santa,
Lovu Ido rapt up seas four wils ril pone play fone, bras boll tug rapt up class stuf bras Jocit col book

Thank You Santa
Susana Ybarra I love you

Mrs. E. Gonzales & Mrs. Noemi
Lakeview Headstart

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas:
1. Barbie
2. Barbie clothes
3. Doll house
4. Dolls
5. Clothes
I have been a good girl. Thank you.
Love,
Aries Martinez

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas:
1. A trampoline w/net
2. A computer
3. Some markers & crayons
4. A big box of presents
5. A little fan for my room.

Love,
Matthew Yanez

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas:
1. A Batman car
2. A Thomas the Train choo-choo
3. A firetruck
4. A little car
5. Another little car
Love,
Zachry Roberts

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas.
1. A golf club
2. A camping tent
3. A trampoline
4. A teddy bear
5. A chalkboard
Love,
Michael Phillips

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas:
1. Boxing gloves
2. A dolphin
3. A Batman, shirt
4. A Batman car
5. A Batman shoe
Love,
Angelo Olivias

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas.
1. Boat
2. Horse
3. Basketball
4. bike
5. scissors
I have been a good boy. Thank you,
Love,
Louie Ybarra

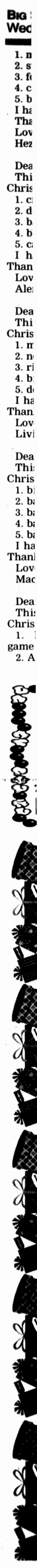
Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas:
1. A firetruck
2. Power Ranger
3. Dinosaur
4. Sharkboy
5. More toys
Love,
Angel Bermea

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas:



Merry Christmas & Happy New Year
From Our Family To Yours.
Dr. Kimberly Saenz, M.D. & Staff
2301 S. Gregg
264-6575

WISHING YOU A HEAVENLY HOLIDAY
MASS SCHEDULE
ST. THOMAS CATHOLIC CHURCH
605 N. Main • 263-2864
SATURDAY, DEC. 24TH MASS: 7:00 P.M. SUNDAY, DEC. 25TH MASS: 10:00 A.M.
SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH
508 N. Aylford • 263-7884
SATURDAY, DEC. 24TH MASS: 5:00 P.M. SUNDAY, DEC. 25TH MASS: 10:00 A.M. MASS: 9:00 P.M.



1. motorcycle
2. suit
3. football
4. cars
5. bike
I have been a good boy.
Thank you,
Love,
Hezekiah McNally

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas:
1. crayons
2. dolls
3. barbie
4. bike
5. cat
I have been good girl.
Thank you.
Love,
Alendra Carnero

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas:
1. make up
2. necklace
3. ring
4. bike
5. doll
I have been a good girl.
Thank you
Love,
Livian Torres

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas:
1. bike
2. baby doll
3. barbie house
4. barbie doll
5. barbie clothes
I have been a good girl.
Thank you.
Love,
Mackenzie Vaughn

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas:
1. Leap frog writing game machine.
2. Auga pad

3. Dora Explora/Bratz doll
4. Leap frog desk.
5. Clothes
I have been a good girl.
Thank you
Love,
Victoria Morelion

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas:
1. Train
2. Cars
3. Clothes
4. bike
5. games
I have been a good by.
Thank you.
Love,
Aaron Rodriguez

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas:
1. motorcycle
2. car
3. racing car
4. bike
5. clothes
I have been a good boy.
Thank you.
Love,
Jeremiah Cooley

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas:
1. Barbie
2. Bratz doll
3. Batman for brother
4. Barbie house
5. Bratz accessories
I have been a good girl.
Thank you.
Love,
Monet Rayford

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas:
1. Power Ranger
2. Barbie for my sister
3. Shamu toy
4. Swimming pool

5. dog
I have been a good boy.
Thank you.
Love,
Eric Arguello

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas:
1. Purse
2. make up
3. bike
4. bike for my brother
5. doll
I have been a good girl.
Thank you.
Love,
Shaean Senter

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas:
1. Building Blocks
2. Makeup
3. A Spongebob Square-pants beanbag
4. A Barbie
5. A real puppy
Love,
Alissa Magana

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas:
1. purse
2. bike
3. barbie
4. doll
5. clothes
I have been a good girl.
Thank you.
Love,
Gabriella Delgado

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas:
1. Legos
2. Stencils (for tracing)
3. A swimming pool
4. 3 ballons w/helium
5. A big, pretty kite
Love,
Kailey Matthews

Mrs. Holland
Kindergarten
Stanton Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a Longhorns sweater, a Barbie house, a sleigh and a fake little bird. I want a bell and mittens I want a slide.
Merry Christmas!
Sincerely,
Alexandra Juarez

Dear Santa,
I want a jacket with Texas Longhorns on it. I want a ring. I want a Barbie watch like Jasmine's. I want a bracelet. I want a Tinkerbell cap. I want a Dallas Cowboy hat. I've been good this year.
Merry Christmas!
Sincerely,
Sophia Salgado

Dear Santa,
I want a fishing rod and fishing stuff. I would also like a Power Ranger action figure. My sister would like a Barbie and a watch. I would like a Batman watch. Merry Christmas to the elves. I will leave some chocolate chips cookies.
Sincerely,
Sebastian

Dear Santa,
Could you please bring me a Barbie. A teddy bear. A Barbie belt-pink and purple. I would also like some pink and purple and yellow sandals.
Have a merry Christmas.
Sincerely,
Kaila

Dear Santa,

I would like a rainbow horse. I want a pretty Barbie. Could you please bring chocolate candy for my stocking. I would like a horse shirt.
Merry Christmas
Sincerely,
Stormie

Dear Santa,
I would like pink bike with a basket. I would like a really big Christmas tree with lights. I would like a pink sweater. Please bring me a pink and white Barbie.
I love you Santa Clause
Sincerely,
Katy

Dear Santa,
I would like a real baby kitten. Could I also have a mama cat. They would need some real food. I would like real baby puppies and a mama dog too.
Merry Christmas Santa
Sincerely,
Samantha

Dear Santa,
I would like a big pink teddy bear. I would also like some water color paints. Please bring me any kind of clothes. I could use a front tooth.
I really will leave you some chocolate chip cookies and milk again this year.
Sincerely,
Keslee

Dear Santa,
I would like a skateboard with Hotwheels on it. I'll take some Hotwheels cars and tracks too And I'll take some Transformers. About ten. Say Hi to our elves for me.

Sincerely,
Scott

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a toy castle. I wish I could have a teddy bear. I want some Army toys. I want a toy train. I would like some new shoes. Please bring me a star, so I can put it at the top of my tree. I wish I could have a skateboard. I would like some Hot Wheel cars. I want some track cars. I would like a board to practice writing. I want a toy horse. I have ben a good boy this year!
Love,
Renee Munoz

Dear Santa,
I would like a toy horse. Please bring me some candy canes with candy in them. I would like a pet kitten I want a coloring books with crayons. I want some new clothes. I also want some paint with paintbrushes. I want a Care Bear with a heart on it. I wish I could have a toy Christmas tree. I want a musical reinder with Santa riding it. I have been a good girl this year. I love you Santa!
Love,
Mariah Holguin

Dear Santa,
I would like a skateboard for Christmas. I would like a fly-wheel. I've always wished for a pet crab. With my skateboard, I want an extra pair of wheels that are cool I wish for a surprise. I wish for a cell phone. I wish your elves have a fun time making toys. I

HAPPY HOLIDAYS
With warm wishes to all our patrons.
Thanks for popping in this year!
EAGLES LODGE #3188
"People Helping People"
703 W. 3rd 263-6862
BINGO: 806 E. 3rd Sun.-Wed.-Fri.

Especially For you...
We'd like to join jolly old Saint Nick in sending warm wishes to you and your loved ones this holiday season. We appreciate your goodwill and trust in us, and thank you for your business.
Merry Christmas!
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Best Wishes
Merry Christmas
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604 W. 4th 263-0747

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Where All Of West Texas Comes To Save On Their New Furniture
202 Scurry
267-6278



hope you have a fun time riding in your sleigh. I want a Texas Tech Sweatshirt. I hope you have a Merry Christmas.

Love,
Blake Shellgrove

Dear Santa,

I would like a soccer ball. I also want a Barbie with clothes. I want a car for my Barbie. I wish you could bring a little car for my sister. I would like you to bring shoes for my brother. I would like some new clothes. I wish you could bring new clothes for my dad. I would like it if you could bring me a ring. I would also like a new bike. I wish for a Christmas tree. Please bring me some new boots. I will leave you some cookies and milk.

Love,
Paola Castillo

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I would like a skateboard with a helmet so I won't get hurt. I also would like kneepads and elbow pads to I can keep safe. I want a new bike. I have been a good boy this year. I will leave you some cookies and milk.

Love,
Johnny Jones

Dear Santa,

I would like a new trampoline because my old one is broken. I would also like a mini-motorcycle. I also want a swimming pool. I want another light saver that changes colors. I will leave you some cookies and milk. I hope you have a Merry Christmas.

Love,
Christian Flores

Mrs. Hunnicutt
Fourth Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,

My name is Bradon Here is what I want for Christmas. I want a video game, Dallas Cowboys football, but I really would like everybody to have at least a gift.

Love your friend
Brandon

Dear Santa,

Hi! Thank you for all the presents you gave me last year. I like them. What kind of cookies do you want us to leave out this year? Did you like the ones we left out last year? Do you want us to leave out carrots again this year for the reindeer? Did they like the carrots? Say hi to Rudolph for me. Bye!

your friend,
Amy

Dear Santa,

Hi I'm Madeline Ramos. I was just going to say how are all the kids doing? Are they doing good or bad. I wish I could wish for a Bratz Baby doll, a game called Mario Party 7, another game called Mario Dance Moves, another game called Mario Soccer, a cozy jacket that has Longhorns on it, and another cozy jacket that has Cowboys on it, a round chair, a cheetah one, two beanies that have Longhorns and another that has Cowboys on it, some pants that go with the jackets, gloves for my hands, a cd called Mario Let Me Love You, another game called Shadow of the Hedgehog, another song called Ciara, and another called Mariah Carey, and a goosebumps book. I would like about 13 goosebumps books.

Love,
Madeline

Dear Santa,

Are you doing good? Just wondering. so I would like Smak Down vs. Raw 2006 and Ninktoons Unite and Tony Hawk American Waste Land. Those are the major things I would like.

PS. I have been a good boy.

Yours truly,

Taylor

Dear Santa,

I was wondering you are real or fake well I would put your Elf's to work because I have a lot of things I want to ask you about ok for Christmas I would like a DVD of Cheaper by the Dozen 2 and another Dvd called Sky High. I would also would like shocks, and Brats and a chocolate Machine. A xbox, and a new games like burn out 3, and a new game of Donkey Kong.

Love,
Savannah

Dear Santa,

I would like a new PS2. I would like a Vago, and a Magnetix Toy box and a car is called a Mofanator that goes wriple fast and goes up, down and sometimes goes on dirt, grass and mud and water.

From,
Roy

Dear Santa,

I think that you're real. This year I am going to try to leave cookies, milk and a note on my table. There is this saying that if Kids are bad you will put charcoal in their stocking, but I don't believe it because I now you're nice. Our tree is Dallas Cowboy colors. Sorry if you don't go for the Cowboys, I don't either. I would like a Brat Doll for, doesn't matter which one and I also would like is a pillow shaped like a Monkey or Frog. I think I know what My brother and sister wants. My sister Kolie would like to have a Brat Doll also and a pillow shaped like a cat or princess crown. My Brother Robert would like a pillow shaped like spiderman or Batman. That's all I think they want.

Best Wishes,
Briana

Dear Santa,

How are you doing? If you have enough magic could you get the girl of my dreams to like me back like the way I like her? It's only if you have enough magic if you don't well I guess she'll never like me. So please let her like me alot. Oh and sorry I won't tell you who it is ok. Oh and let her have a very Happy Christmas.

Love,
Trace

Dear Santa,

How have you been? I know you're Very Busy now, but I have a list for you about what I would like for cristmas. I would like some GelGle, some Cool ooze, 2 Flashing ring, 2 Atom Ball, 2nd a Sticky animal but not a real Sticky Animal From The zoo. Please and thank you.

Sincerely,
Keeley

Dear Santa,

I have tried to be good this year but I don't think

I have been the best that I can be. Is it true that you know when I'm awake? Well lets not change the subject. I would like a "Nintendo D.S. I don't know why people just don't believe in you. Well, I also want a Chinese Water Dragon (a.k.a. a lizard.) Please give me a second chance if I was bad this year. I still believe in you

Bryson
(P.S. loose some weight.)
just kidding Hahaha!

Dear Santa,

I would like a new bike because my bike tire has gone flat and it won't air up, and to tell you the kind of bike I would like is the kind with a basket and a drink holder. Thank you for everything you did, you are very nice.

With Love,
Katelynne

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I would like a bike, stereo, a game for PS2. I would also like a different comforter for my bed. Thank you Santa for being nice. I like crismas cus you get toys and you get to spend time iwth your family.

Thank You,
Nichole

Dear Santa,

I think I have ben bad and good. Not to bad not to good. I have ben the same. But I will tell you what I would like for Christmas now. This is what I would love to have. It is a Mine Motercical. My dad and mom say that I will heart my self.

A nother thang I would like is a new pair of Shoes. Mien are realy ugly. I don't like them in uather wourdes. That is all I would like from you Santa thank you and Marry Christmas.

P.S. Thank You Santa
Love,
Kristen

Dear Santa,

I've been trying to act good this year. I hope I get a toy from you and hot coal. I have been waiting for Christmas. It's my favorite holiday. I want a Playstation 2 and a few games. I might get a big Christmas or small I don't care very much. I always wondered if you were real or not and if reindeer do fly.

Don't get stuck in a chimney
Isaiah

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I would like to have a Supersoaker, Nerf Dart

Tag, Game boy advance, a Bike and a Playstation Two. Thankyou.

From,
Daric

Dear Santa,

This year I will ask for a couple of things, not to much. These are the things I would like this year. Chicken Little game for Gameboy or X-Box, Yu-Gi-Oh cards (50), and a Pool Table (small). Well you've hear just about all I would like this year. Hope Roudolph, Mrs. Claus and your elfs have a Very Merry Christmas this year.

Sincerely,
Marcus

Dear Santa,

I've been a good boy this year. I believe you and I will for my whole life. I hope your's doing good and your raindeer too. Thanks for all the cool toys you got me over the years. I'm glad you got me what I wanted last year.

All I want this year is an Xbox and a picture of you and I hope you get me the things I want this Christmas.

Goodby,
Alex

Dear Santa,

I would like for Christmas is a Game Boy with the Bratz Game and a Bike and Something Bratz and any thing else for Christmas and some more Game Boy Games. Thank You Santa.

Love,
Victoria

Dear Santa,

I hope I have been good this year. If I have not been 100 percent is it true that you will give me a lump of charcoal? Oh No! I really don't think I have been 100 percent perfect I think I have been 80 percent. So if I have been good enough for toys I would like

- Nike Shocks
- I pod
- Video Now
- Chaeua part pug

So thats 4 things I would like to have.

Love,
Kristen

Kentwood

1st Grade
Mrs. Hendrickson

Santa,

Please remember my friend, Tokie in the Philipins this year.

X-box - I would like This. Here is my list
a Silver bike, Robot, Rescue Heros, video games, Remote controlled car.

your friend,
Hunter Wigington

Dear Santa,

How hard is the Elfs working for our presets. Well I want a vidoNow and gum with trees, and the rest of Dora playset and makeup.

I luv u Santa
Kaite Wash,
Mrs. Hendrickson
Kentwood
First Grade

Dear Santa,

I want a PSP. I want a UT coat. Can you pain my room. I want a Xbox 360.

Ricky,
Mrs. Hendrickson
Kentwood
First Grade

Nicky,

Deer santa
How are you. i well like a tindo and a game cube.
Mrs. Hendrickson
Kentwood
First Grade

Dear Santa

how are your raindeer? Are they cold? This is whit I want for christmas. In my stocking I would like a pack of gum. I would also like a soccer ball net. Can you bring happiness for all boys and girls.

your girl
Sarah

Dear Santa,

I am thankful for Crissmis, I an going to be at My moms howes on Crissmis. I went a stufft animll and a skooter.

I Love you
Makenzie

Dear Santa,

haw is mesiscloc haw is yri Direr can I ple hava bibbar

I lovu
Madison

Dear Santa,

I Licke you are your ran-deers ok. How are you to day Are you sick. Am varee excited ma i have a stufs bar.

I Love you,
Nina

Dear Santa,

Ive been good I Want a PSp.

Elida

Dear Santa,

How are the rindeer. Ive been good Santa. can i have a xBox 416 can i have shoes can i have a x Box 316

I Love you, Ryan

Dear Santa,

Laugh and laugh i like your reindeer.

how are you sleeping to day. i wut Game Cube
I Love you
Kaylee

Dear Santa,

ive been god i meen it how are your riandear going i whant a psp from you

i Love you.
Ricky

Dear Sant,

I am glad thet u r goen to taoon! haw is Mrs. Clause dooene

Dear Sant. uor frend.
I Love you,
Stevi

Dear Santa

I wood like a X-Box 316. I wood lik a Cards.
I love you Santa.
Brantz

Dear Santa,

How is Mrs. Clause I want sum Yubioh! cards
I Love you
Jimmy

Dear Santa,

How is mrs clause And you. May I have a game cube thank you
your Friend,
Addie

Dear St. nick

may I have a cookbook on paper or a X-Box game and game boy ana clock.
Seth Hamby
you Have been geat.

Kentwood 2nd Grade
L. Anderson

Dear Santa,

Thank you for the bike you gave me last Christmas. Deaqr Santa will you get me a trampoline and a swimmingpool and a skooter and a miny derd bike and a Razoer cell-phone?

From, Jason

Dear Santa,

Can I pleas have Bratz movie, Brats Big babie, and a Game Boy? Thank you Santa.

From, Tylar

Dear Santa,

Can I please have a bell off of your slay and a toy slay with raindeers and you in it and a New book for christmas

Love From, Mallory

Dear Santa,

I love you. How are you doing Santa Claus? I hope you're doing very good. I want a durt bike, and I want money, and a car. Thank you Santa very mutch.

Love, John

Dear Santa,

Thank you for the bici-



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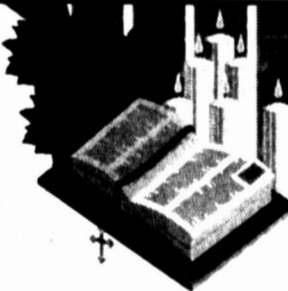
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cle. Can you get me a teddy bear?
Love, Mckenzie

Dear Santa
how many reindeer do you have? Do you have 8 reindeer? I want a Brat dol, a polly pocket and no math.
love, Tiffany

Dear Santa,
Santa I love the Razer that you got me last year. Santa can you please git me a PSP thaing. Santa could you git me for Christ-a four wheeler please? santa could you rilly git me o.a.e of thoise dirt bike razers please?
From, Joshua

Dear Santa
Hey Santa I thank you for the bike. I know you live in the North Pole and your elf works. And I like your deers. I know you have a running nose. Look in the back.
From, Edward

Deer Santa,
how do the raindeer fly? I want a cabig patch Kid and a teddy bare.
Love, Courtney

Dear Santa,
Can I please have a bratz doll and a bratz-comferte-anda jeltwrey box? How do you get through adoor if theres no chemney? Santa do you have a raindeer named Chet?
Love, Megan

Dear Santa,
Can you give me a X box 360 christmas. Pleas can you get me a dirt bike? But the most important thing I want is Asian coins. Thank you for the presents you gave me last year. Thank you for when you gae me things that I wanted!
From, Jaret

Dear Santa,
Thank you for the gifts that you gave me last year. I lov you Santa!! I want a peguses head, a fish for my pond and finly a water bed.
I love you
Love, Haylee

Dear Sante,
How do you make toys? I like my skata boaed and rry action figure set I like Santaclaus very much. I want a Batman video game and a Gome Boy please?
love, Chris

Dear Santa,
Santa, I love you very much becuses you got me a bog and that you love me.
Love, Alexandra

Dear Santa
I love you. How are you doing? I want my Seen Goes Holly wood of Barbie. I want a Bratz

twins. I want to have a doctor soot.
Love, Tristan

Dear Santa,
How do raindeers fly? I want three Magic Tree House books #1, #2, #3.
From, Caleb

Dear Santa,
I want a baby Brat. I want a tree house, and I want Daisi back. can you bring her back? Thank you For the scuter last year and I really Love it. I Love Santa
Love, August

Dear Santa
Dear santa I want a trampoline and some psp movies and some games. it doesn't matter what kind of games or movies. I really liked that moter scooter you got me last year.
From Blake

Lakeview Head Start
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Dear Santa,
I want the paint ball game, a motorcycle, a helmet.
Love,
Miguel Reyes

Dear Santa,
I want a bike, a fake reindeer, a skateboard, fish, puppets.
Love,
Cheyanna Montijo, 5 years old

Dear Santa,
I want a eye toy that goes on the T.V. Egel III
Love,
Devon Atkins

Dear Santa,
Me and my Sister want a real phone and my Daddy wants a new truck and my mom wants a new phone and my sister wants make-up. I want a barbie and a swimming pool
Love,
Eve Martinez

Dear Santa,
For Christmas this year I want a phone, a makeover a horse (a toy horse), Barbies. Thank you for my princess toy you brought me last year.
Love,
Arianna Gonzalez

Dear Santa,
I want a barbie and a puppy a bratz doll and a toy phone.
Love,
Mercedes Aguirre

Dear Santa,
I want a Christmas hat, and spiderman bike. Thank you for my scooter from last year. I would like a spiderman skateboard.
Love,
Casey Steagald

Dear Santa.
I want a doll house and a

stuffed animal and cotton candy and marshmallows.
Love,
Reagan Brockman

Dear Santa,
I want a Power Ranger, and spider man toy and I want a dinosaur that is big and that car can change into any car. I saw it on T.V.
Love,
Elias Arredondo

Dear Santa,
I want a batman car, a batman guy, and batman bullets, and superman guy, power rangers.
Love,
Breydon Reyes

Dear Santa,
I want a spider man toy like webs. A spiderman scooter and a spiderman car and batman car.
Love,
Amador Rios III

Dear Santa,
I want a bike and three wheeler, a helmet so that I won't fall off, thats all.
Love,
Aleksander Duenes

Dear Santa,
I want a barbie, and a Cinderella Shoes and Dora and a Christmas toy.
Love,
Taylor Lee

Dear Santa,
I want a castle and Cinderella sparkle and a barbie and a magic doll that has a wand in her hand. I saw it on T.V.
Love,
Sariah Cox

Dear Santa,
Me and Cloie went to Wal-Mart and we saw the thing that plays "who lets the doys out" and you can play it on T.V. Paige wants an angel toy. Cloie want the same thing as me.
Love,
Alexis Starr

Dear Santa,
I want antoher trampoline for my house and "who let the dogs out." you can see yourself on T.V. I want a play phone and more barbies.
Love,
Destiny Cox

Dear Santa,
I want a spider man bike a another bike and a new helmet because my helmet does not fit me any more.
Love,
Christopher Enriquez

Dear Santa,
I want a bike a spider man one and Joshua wants a tricycle and a stuffed bear and a helmet for my bike and a clown box toy.
Jesus Chavera

Dear Santa,

I want for Christmas a Dora princess her hair goes up and down, I saw in on T.V. and in a magazine too. I want the bratz babies, marshmallows, chips and bread, but I don't like the skin of the bread just the inside of bread.
Love,
Anabella Porras

Mrs. Lindsey
First Grade
Washington Elementary

Dear Santa,
This year I want a bieck that wont go flat. I want to go to the north pole. I want to pet the reindeer. I want a rabit. I want a cat.
Love,
Devynn Smith

Dear Santa,
I what go to North pole and I what four Noo bibls I love you Santa Claus and I lvee jesus. I my mam noo sef fon I what my dad have a noo job?
Love,
Robert

Dear Santa,
I want a gun For res MS I want a locar I U a nt the BatMenMoo VE I want a Fot Boy I want a grFred For cresses
Love,
Michael

Dear Santa,
how are your reideers? I want a Bratz lamp. how a you santaclaus?
Love,
Adrianna

Dear Santa,
I want a repeou game Toy like Santa How is the North Pole? Reinder Rudolph? I like your nose. I want a little mermato Movie. I want a leppaj. A Funkg glasses I want a Bratz Rock Angle.
Love,
Krista C.

Dear Santa,
Joog Rulocph. Joanana plit, pin ball, ice cream shooter.
Love,
Raymond

Dear Santa,
I nuta ya n boll I w g lvme a garn Aa ugewe gan I wut a PSP I wunt a game I dni tac a wid Can eet to gan tet & war 4
Love,
Jason

Dear Santa,
I wont a soord and a Buna ril it. and a dog. Sop N and a firetruck and a firhat and a stop sin.
Love,
Ezra

Dear Santa,
I wut a dooldisgo and a pack of yu gi oh ckarts, littl pack crayons, batmak laptop, book and a spider-man.
Love,

David
Dear Santa,
I want a PSP, I want PIAXStation. I want a game Cahe
Love,
Colby

Dear Santa,
I ben good boy. I want a xBox I want a Big Skrem I want a plystasashashln I want a Morgastre 2 I want a Fusabc
Love,
Brandine

Dear Santa,
I would like a teu for 7 I would like a pese shin7 I would like a rit7 I would like a hoge7 I would like a Zibu7 I would like a pone7 I would like a pupey7 I would like a daz I would like a cats7 I would like a moove.
Love,
Breezy

Dear Santa,
Christmas North pole I want a reindeer Rudolph Santa Claus I want a Playst a Game Box, a Bike.
Love,
Ratyeu

Dear Santa,
I want a jaack I want a shoos I want a clothes. I luve Sat
Love,
Krista S.

Dear Santa,
I wot a gamgirus7 I wot a book7 I wot a Bear7 I wot a dog7 I wot a cat7 I wot a V7 I wot a gamepc-ewp7 I wot a video7
Love,
Skyferr

Dear Santa,
I want a wtam?
I want a vetam?
I want a ten!
I want aa tun!
I want a camos?
I waont a fubon?
I waont a acrn?
I waont a srck?
Love,
Brandon E

Dear Santa,
I want a Brat Dolu, I want Bratz Rock Angel's, I want Butfliystamp, and a storstamp.
Love,
Dava

Mrs. Loya's Class
Washington Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a Bratz for Christmas. I have been good by doing homework.

good by doing my best. Thank you for reading my letter
Love,
Teresa

Dear Santa,
I want a Bike for Christmas. I have been good by doing my work. Thank you for reading my letter.
Love,
Daniel

Dear Santa,
I want a Teddy Bear for Christmas. I have been good by doing doug hter. Thank you for reading my letter.
Love,
Destiny

Dear Santa,
I want a bratz for Christmas. I have been good by doing my home-work. Thank you for reading my letter.
Love,
Micahda

Dear Santa,
I want a Bratz for Christmas. I have been good by doing homueork. Thank you for reading my letter.
Love,
Aurora

Dear Santa,
I want power Ranger for Christmas. I have been good by doing student. Thank you for reading my letter.
Love,
Austin

Dear Santa,
I want a Bratz for Christmas. I have been good by doing homework. Thank you for reading my letter.
Love,
Breanna

Dear Santa,
I want a Bitz for Christmas. I have been good by doing honouor. Thank you for reading my letter.
Love,
Vidicka

Dear Santa,
I want a Power Rangers for Christmas. I have been good by doing homework. Thank you for reading my letter.
Love,
James

Dear Santa,
I want a bratz for Christmas. I have been good by doing homework.

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Thank you for reading my letter.

Love,
Hannah

Dear Santa,
I want a power ranger for Christmas. I have been good by doing homework. Thank you for reading my letter.

Love,
Trace

Dear Santa,
I want a bratz for Christmas. I have been good by doing homework. Thank you for reading my letter.

Love,
Monica

Dear Santa,
I want a Bratz for Christmas. I have been good by doing my best. Thank you for reading my letter.

Love,
Delid Guzman

Dear Santa,
I want a bike for Christmas. I have been good by doing homework. Thank you for reading my letter.

Love,
Bobby

Dear Santa,
I want a dog for Christmas. I have been good by doing good sister. Thank you for reading my letter.

Love,
Rya

Dear Santa,
I want a PlaySetion for Christmas. I have been good by doing student. Thank you for reading my letter.

Love,
Israel

Dear Santa,
I want a PlayStation 3 for Christmas. I have been good by doing my best. Thank you for reading my letter.

Love,
John

Dear Santa,
I want a Bratz for Christmas. I have been good by doing chores. Thank you for reading my letter.

Love,
Mariyh

Dear Santa,
I want a Bratz for Christmas. I have been good by doing sister. Thank you for reading my letter.

Love,
Ophella

Dear Santa,
I want a Gameboy for Christmas. I have been good by doing my best. Thank you for reading my letter.

Love,
AJ

Dear Santa,
I want a dvd dool for Christmas. I have been good by doing my best. Thank you for reading my letter.

Love,

Cheyenne

Marcy Elementary

Dear Santa,
How are you? I bin good can I hava brat and make up I will make you a card. I love you. Santa
Your friend, Valenzuela

Dear Santa,
How are you and Miss Santa? I want a TV and a game I love you. I work hard at school.
Your friend, Dante Flores

Dear Santa,
How are you doing. Santa I want The Big Twims Bratz. and a Brat car the fake towy car. I Would like skates. I will make a card for Mrs.Claus.
Your friend, Braylee Cantu

Dear Santa,
HoW are you? I ben good. I Want a scateboard. I Want a bicycle. I want a remote. control car.
Your friend, Alex Rodriguez

How are you? I love you. I hop you Love me. I want a Big Twin Brat 2. I want Big toy. I will give you a card from me. I want a puppy in a basket. I will give cookies and milk!
Your friend, Reagan Munoz

Dear Santa,
I want you to be well. I like you. you Bin warKng hard. I want a skate board and a real puppy and a basket for christmas for me.
Your friend, David Salgado

Dear Santa,
How are you with yor randers? How is Mrs santa? I want for you to Bring me little cars and a remote control car and a remote control Helicopt.
Your friend, Arturo Zavala

Dear Santa,
How are you Doing in The North pole? I've bin good santa. I Love you. I work hard. I want a Barbie I want sumThin for my mom like choculet and a new car.
Your friend, Lupita Rodriquez

Dear Santa, How are you I Love you Santa and Mrs Claus. I ben good and I would like a bicycle and I like a remote control car.
Love Gage
Your friend, Gage Ferro

Dear Santa,
How ard you? i luv you. I want a monkey. the monkey Could play with me and I Will be happy.
Your friend, Marcos Juarez

Dear Santa and Mrs. Claus,
I hope you lume I ben good this year. i will make you a card. I would like a Pet
Your friend, Mark

Arredondo

Dear Santa,
Dear Santa how are you, I would like to have toys and a barbe doll I Love You I am going to five you cookies and milk.
Your friend, Madelaine Arredonodo

Dear Santa,
how are you Please bring toys for my friends, family and my sisters and a purs for my mom.
Your friend, Johanna Guerre

Dear Santa,
I hope you are fine. Please try to bring a Bratz and a bike. Please bring Makeup and a purse for my mom. I will leave you some tamales and coffee.
thank you
Your friend, Leonor Martinez

Marcy Elementary
Mrs Hess Kindergarten

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a blue remote control car for LaLa and another one for me. I love Santa! I want some more hopping cars to play with. I want a checkers game and a gamecube. I want some letters so that I can learn to spell. I want som Homies for PoPo. I want stuffed animals. my mom would like a pink purse and a hopping car. I Love Santa Claus because he is nice and he brings you things that you want. He is real, real, nice and nice to kids forever. Everyone in town loves him.
Enrique Rangel

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want some Spiderman and Superman toys. I also want a lizard, a monster and another monster. That's enough!
Angel Hernandez

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a pink bike, a Dora backpack, a princess baby doll from the mall. I want my mama to have jewelry because she like to wear it all the time. I would also like a Rudolph the Red Nose Reindeer toy and 2 more polly's. My dad needs some tools because some of them don't work. I like you! It's good to say that!
Robbie Jean Downing

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a Brat Barbie, some clothes, a babydoll that talks, and a carrier for the babydoll, a fake dog so that I can sleep with. I also want 3 coloring books with stickers inside. I also want 1 fake apple and a new toothbrush. Also a little calendar to see the days. I also want a green purse with glitter on it. A apple puzzle with a worm inside and a ladybug pet.
Mirella Villa

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a

teddybear, some chapstick and lipstick. I would also like a necklace, some rings. I also want a puppy and a purse. That is It. I Love You!

Abigail Roper

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a Barbie, a Barbie house, a carebear, a play stove and some food to go with my play stove. I also want some reading books and a sweater.

Destiny Garcia

Dear Santa,
I want a dress, makeup, high-heels, and I want a hairwig. I want new clothes and that's it. I love you!

Harlee Sandridge

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a skateboard, a jump rope, a fake gun, fake grapes purple grapes so that I can play with them, blocks to build things, a new toothbrush, a guitar, a computer, and a sled for the snow. You are a genius!!

Alfonso Gutierrez

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a Ninja Turtle toy and a Power Ranger toy. I want a real puppy and a real horse. I want a hat, a heart candy, a lion toy, and a kite. That's all!

Phillip Rios

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want make-up, a teddy bear, some dolls, and a stuffed puppy. I want books, a computer, some pencils, and a carebear. I also want a new shirt, a radio, "My Little Pony" toy. Nothing else!

Nayeli Moreno

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want Spiderman toys. i also want cards and some dinosaur toys. That's all!

Juan Lugo

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a Skateboard, skates, make-up, movies, I also want a real frog, and a snapper. That's it!

Kaitlin Hendricks

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a new watch, some new clothes, and a real puppy. That's all!

Ruben Garcia

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a motorcycle and some "Hot Wheels" cars. That's it!

Bryan Cordova

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a blanket a babydoll and a dollhouse. I also want some coloring books.

Valerie Arview

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a Barbie scooter, a bike helmet, more Leapster games, computer games. I also want a SpongeBob who ripped his pants, a

red TV and a game you can hook up to your TV. I also want bingo, a pretend baby crib, baby clothes, baby bottles, a slurpee drink maker, a paddle ball. I want a Dress-Up that has dress-up clothes and comes in a princess box. I want big floor puzzles, the memory game, art's and crafts, play doh toys, paints, glass paints with glitter. I want video-nov movies, soccer ball, and a chocalate maker to make Hershey's. I want a Fru-bie, to play Hiding Ghost-Seek, Amanda doll.

I want a Barbie doll bed, Kim Possible clothes, Polly Pockets, Barbie Fairy doll. I have been ver good this year and my sister was good. I have been waiting for Christmas. I have my own little Christmas tree and under that tree I want lipgloss, Kim Possible movie "Cents and Time" I want Chocolates, pretend jewelry, Spongebob movie, and candy canes in my stocking.

Haleigh Haven

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want real motorcycle to ride, a hotwheel car to play with, a Robot, a stuffed dog animal, a Sensa toy, And that's that. I want to say thank you for giving us toys!!

Edward Augilar

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want an airplane, Mega Robot 2, a rnote control Tractor, a remote control dinosaur, and a big machine. I want an X-men for my brother. A toy gun for Alias, a sword for Elias, Me, and Dominic. I want 2 life-savers, a boat with a remote control too, a machine Santa Clause with remote control. That's all!

Demis Saenz

Marcy Elementary
Mrs. Carrillo Kindergarten

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a blue bike, a big towy Car, and a TV because mine is broken. I would also like a bear. My teacher said "I am doing great at school!"

Love, Rudy Ortega

Dear Santa,
Please bring me Pokemon Cards and some Yu-gi-O Cards caus i collect them and some Power Ranger Toys. I have been really good.

Love, Adam Gonzales

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Monster Truck and my own room so I don't have to share with my brother. I want my family for Christmas.

Love, Alex Garza

Dear Santa,
I would like a Dinosaur toy and a Car that has a remote control and a ice cream. I like ice creams. My favorite is vanilla. A

new purple box for 1st grade That's my teacher's favorite color and a silver dinosaur from TV.
Love, Zeke Flores

Dear Santa,
Please bring me Please bring me a Nintendo and some games like X-men and a Game Cube, and a Spiderman game. I would like a pretend shooting game and a toy three wheeler and lots of other stuff.

Love, Michael Robledo

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a guitar. I am going to ask someone for lessons. I would also like a Barbie and a Barbie House.

Love, Ashley Gonzales

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a blasting game and a big Old Giant truck. I also want an apple toy and a flower. I have been really good.

Love, Ethan Martinez

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Teddy Bear named Sr ita. I hope my mom comes to visit me again and brings a bag. I want you to come to my house and bring me Barbies. The last thing is, I want to be the leader.

Love, Muriel Anderson

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a remote control dirt bike a skate board, a remote control truck, a Ninja turtle, Yu-gi-O Cards, and that's all!

Love, Douglas Hall

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Barbie with make up and a flower. I would also like a baby, toy scissors, a couch toy, and pencils.

Love, Nichole Ramos

Dear Santa,
Please bring a toy bear and a game. Nothing else! That's all!

Love, DeVontae Simpson

Dear Santa,
Please bring a hat and earmuffs so I don't get an earache. I want a Barbie Car and a volly ball. I want a Bratz Doll and some new shoes ause I grew out of my old ones.

Love, Kayla White

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a toy car with a remote and lights under it. I like Spinners. I would also like a robot and a motorcycle. I like you Santa. Please bring a blue bike and a fast car.

Love, Anthony Garcia

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Cinderella, a babydoll, Bratz Doll and a barbie. By me some clothes and I want some shoes and a little Care Bear. I want to give my brother one toy. He wants a power Ranger and i want a Barbie Car.

Love, Chasody Olague

Dear Santa,

With Bright Wishes & Gratitude

May the miracle of Christmas fill you and your loved ones with inspiration, hope and joy. Your friendship has been a bright spot in our year.

Merry Christmas from all the Staff at

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Please bring me a pony and a unicorn. I would also like a puzzle and a bouncing toy. I also want a Mister Potato Head and a bouncing ball.
Love Shelbi Carter

Dear Santa,
Please bring a Dora that shakes her head and moves her arms. I want a Doctor baby and a train that goes around on a track. It is for girls and boys. Please bring me a kitty.
Love, Jacobie Rios

Dear Santa,
Please bring some Bratz and clothes. I would also like a Teddy Bear, Barbies, and new crayons.
Love, Leticia Galen

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Power Ranger and a Video game called Spiderman. I would like a Teddy Bear cause my dag ate mine. I want a heart pillow for my Mom and a funny clown for me.
Love, marcello Rangel

Dear Santa,
Please bring a Dinosaur tackling T-Rex's mountain and a Brachosaurus. I would like a T-Rex trapped in a cave with cars. That's all! My mom said I could get 3 things.
Love, Aaron Juarez

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a blue bike and some fast cars. I would also like 3 colors of playdough and some puzzles and paint. We play with this stuff and markers at school.
Love, Richard Martinez

Dear Santa,
Please bring a play chimney. I love my mom. My mom's name is Ashlee. I love you too. Will you be my friend? I like my baby brother and my mommy. I want to see my MeMe.
Love, Bailee Bingham

Dear Santa,
Please bring me dolls, a Barbie House, and that's all.
Love, Christen Crosby

Marcy Elementary
Mrs. Williamson Kindergarten

Dear Santa,
I want a Spider Man playhouse, a shield blaster water gun. I want some candies for my Grandma. She likes chocolate cherries. My Papa needs candy bars. He like the kind you can tear apart and you have 2 of them. My sister can get a Barbie, Mommie can get a brand new McDonald's hat. Ricky needs brand new boots. Daddy needs a love note, cause he lives far away and he misses me.
I love you Santa, Caleb

Dear Santa,
I want a rocking horse, a big Barbie doll house, and Barbies. I want a big bed, a lollipop sucker, and star pop tarts. Daddy has to have some tools for his shop. Mama wants a big cuddle bear.

Merry Christmas, Dani
Dear Santa,
I want a black gun, a green car, a teddy bear, a Spider Man, and a green cake for my brother. I want a little puppy, blocks, cookies, chocolate milk, horse, and a new truck for my Mama. Flowers for Mama. Basketball for me, rocket ship, a rabbit, parrot, would be nice.
Merry Christmas, Luke

Dear Santa,
I want fun stuff. I want stuff to play outside with. I have been good. I want a rocking horse for my baby sister. I want a water gun, a game boy for Brittany, an Incredible game for my game boy.
I love you Santa, Caden

Dear Santa,
I want a video game, my brother wants a bike, and my baby brother, Ivan, wants a soccer ball. My Mom and Dad wants a computer. My Mom wants a blankie.
Merry Christmas, Sebastian

Dear Santa,
I want an Indian, a coat, and an arrow. I want a Bat Man toy, a hot wheels skate board, a Indian Castle, and an Indian toy, a foot ball, and soldiers. I want a monster, a Spider Man, a kitchen, and a Robot.
Merry Christmas Santa, Andrew

Dear Santa,
I want I want an Escalade remote car, you got to charge it, batteries, an Indian, a computer, a mouse, a hourse, a radio, a blue toy, a tiger, and a pig. My little sister, Jasmin, wants a doll. My brother wants a Power ranger, and Rollie Pollie wants a wagon, and Mom wants a present.
Merry Christmas, Dee

Dear Santa,
I want I want a Explorer. I want Barbies, cars, new shows, and Dora games. George wants games.
Goodbye, our friend Alexis

Dear Santa,
I want Yucky candies that you made inside that machine thing. I want a horse, a goat, a carpet, a unicorn. Dad said he wants a bunny.
Merry Christmas and good bye, Christian

Dear Santa,
I want presents, a toy with a remote control, a skate board, a game Spider Man Back pack, a snow board, a Spider Man costume, a Spider Man Mask, a Bat Man toy, and glass that help you see rainbows.
Good bye, I love you, Everett

Dear Santa,
I want a blaster gun, a water gun, a robot, letter cards, and cards, a pen, a computer, candy canes, and an accordion. Markers, a tent, and I want something for my little brother that's so cute, a little blaster gun. I forgot I want a skate board, and a Santa robot.
Merry Christmas to you, Michael

Dear Santa,
I want candy, shoes, clothes, pants, toys, a kitty, a puppy, and that's all. I will leave milk and cookies out for you. I will leave apples for the reindeer.
I love you, Caroline

Dear Santa,
I want toys, new clothes, baseball and doctor. I want Bat Man, Super Hero that flies, and that's all.
Merry Christmas, Jason

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie, horse, a house, clothes, shoes, a dress, a pink dog, and a dog house. My brother wants a Spider Man game.
Good bye, Alycia

Dear Santa,
I want a telephone that me and my sister could talk to each other. I want a ball, a jump rope, a play telephone, some clothes for my babies, and CD for my Strawberry Shortcake radio. I need a diaper bag for my baby and baby clothes and new tennis shoes because mine are all dirty.
I love you, Ivy

Dear Santa,
I want a pink horse, a dolly, a dolly house, Barbie, a toy telephone, a Barbie box, a pink bedroom for my Barbie house, a pink purse for my Barbie, a pink bag for my Barbie, and a Barbie music radio. I want a kitchen for my Barbie, a pink butterfly, a pink mirror, and a Barbie teddy bear.
Good bye, Kylie

Dear Santa,
I want a pony, a Barbie, a pink house, a pretty pink dress, a kitty, pink flowers, pink shoes, and a pink princess. I want a pink bed, a pink blanket, and a pink pillow. I want pink glasses, and that's all.
Merry Christmas, Bobbie

Dear Santa,
I want three ponies, and three horses and three unicorns. I want three turtles and that's all I want. I want food for the turtles, a fish tank, and a dolphin. I want only one fish.
Good bye, Thomas

Dear Santa,
I want a Bratz doll, Bratz suitcase to carry my Bratz in, and a Bratz van. I think I want a Bratz kitchen set. I want a Bratz bed, a Bratz computer, and some Bratz clothes. The last thing I want is a Bratz karaoke.
I love you Santa, Jasmin

Marcy Elementary
Mrs. Miles Kindergarten

Dear Santa,
Have you seen those little fake phones? I like those to play with. I would like a pink one. I need some ballerina shoes. I already have a ballerina suit. Do you know what size I wear? I wear a one. Do you know those little Barbie cars? I want one that has Barbies on it and says Barbie.
Love, Kaigen

Dear Santa,
The first thing I want is a book, just like a Bible. Have you seen this on TV? It's like a guitar, and it's a Barbie one. I have seen it

in a magazine before, it is a compute and it has a Barbie picture on it and it says Barbie too. That's all!
Love, Amber

Dear Santa,
I want a computer that's a toy, and a bicycle, and a toy car; one that you can ride it. I want a red bike. I love you, Santa. One more thing, I would like blocks and a book, The Three little Pigs for Christmas. That's all!
Love, Nathan Lee

Dear Santa,
I like toys. I want a Power Ranger that fights the big guy, the robot. They defeated the red and gold. I also want a Super Man. he flies in the sky and saves all the peoples. I would like Bat Man. He fights the gold Spider Man. Batman has super powers. And Mario and Luigi
Love, Tyler

Dear Santa,
I would like a Barbie laptop, a cellphone, a real one, and a new Polly pocket necklace machine. I also want a real mouse friend that talks. I also want my own radio because my sister won't let me listen to hers. Can I also have six play horses? And some buckets and a shovel to play in the sand.
Love, Abbey

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie, a ballerina one, a pink play car. I would also like a frog toy.
Love, Brynn

Dear Santa,
I want a play station with Mario 3, and Harry Potter 4, the movie. I would also like to get some toy soldiers to set up. I think that is all I want.
Love, Jay

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a purple play phone so I can call my mama if I get lost. I would also like an elephant coloring book, some new crayons to go with my coloring book, some paper to write my letters and then sign them, a blue flower to give to my mama, and toys for my brothers.
Love, Brittney

Dear Santa,
Please bring me some new clothes, shoews, pants, and toys. I would like some Spiderman toys, a scooter to ride on so I can go down the hill and back up the hill, a red and blue bike, a Gameboy with Spiderman games and hunting games. I need some new socks and shirts.
Love, Austin

Dear Santa,
Please bring me cars, like the General Lee from the Dukes of Hazzard and Daisy's Jeep, The Fast and The Furious car, and the Roscoe car. I would like some new crayons, letters like the ones that stick to refriderators and numbers. I also want some more cars like I have: gray, and green and orange and red.
Love, Adiran

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a football to play with Daniel, and a basketball to play with my friends. I would also like a soccerball and a baseball. Can I have some toys?
Love, Mereevion

with, a gray dinosaur. Please bring a dolly for my sister. I would also like to have a yellow car, a robot that walks, a gray mouse, and a green book.
Love, Carlos

Dear Santa,
Please bring me the red power ranger, new blue shoes, new clothes, a new red backpack, a yellow truck, and new red blanket. I would also like to have a new blue notebook for school.
Love, Pryce

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a toy, a better toy, it jumps up and down and dances like a ballerina. I want a new pink bike and purple, a new shirt, a pink one, a moo-moo cow, a pink rabbit. That's all!
Love, Savannah

Dear Santa,
I would like a bobby peeler to put my name on it, a hummingbird, a Bratz movie like they have at WalMart. That's all I want.
Love, Sarah

Dear Santa,
I would like a computer, a Harley motorcycle, a real one, and that's all. Mama said we weren't having Christmas, we are going to celebrate the true meaning of Christmas, baby Jesus.
Love, Scott

Dear Santa,
I would like a real motorcycle to ride on the sidewalk, some new race cars for my dad, a T-Rex dinosaur. That's all! Merry Christmas Santa!
Love, Jake

Dear Santa,
I would like to get a Barbie house that is pink, a leapfrog computer, a big computer, a brown octopus piggy bank, a desk for my stuff, like crayons and papers in my room. I want a desk like Mrs. Miles'. Please bring me a Bratz doll named Ashley.
Love, Tori

Dear Santa,
I want new white shoes, and new blue shoes, a Spiderman movie, a Brown Bear book.
Love, Jose Luis

Dear Santa,
Please bring me new black Nikes, dinosaurs to play with, paint to paint pictures, and a real motorcycle to ride at my house. I don't know how to ride my bike without training wheels. I wish it would snow for Christmas! I would make a snowman.
Love Valatine

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a football to play with Daniel, and a basketball to play with my friends. I would also like a soccerball and a baseball. Can I have some toys?
Love, Mereevion

Dear Santa,
I want a Frosty the Snowman, and toys. I would like Spiderman toys. Please bring me a Christmas tree, with light-bulbs like the one in my classroom at school. Can I have a little white hat just like my dad's? I need a new red belt, new red shoes, and a toybox for my toys.
Love, Angel

Dear Santa,
I want a red car, a toy car, and I want white stripes on it. I would like a sword to play with, dinosaurs a Santa Claus boy doll. I also want a big Christmas tree with light-bulbs on it. Can I have a scooter with blue stripes and Spiderman on it, with two wheels on it?
Love, Kylon

Marcy Elementary
Mrs. Tarpley 2nd Grade

Dear Santa,
Can you buy me a dog, bike, cat, and markers please? I will try to be very good, pretty please can you? I hope my sister can get one doll. Santa do you drink? Santa are you real? Santa do you have money? Santa do you know that my Theo died? I am crying. I cry every night. My mom might want a necklace. and my dad might want a dallas cowbys jersey.
Love Destiny Hernandez

Dear Santa,
I want two dog. I want a PS2. I want ex box 360. I want a monkey. I want a Dalis cow boy's shrt. I want a good chrismis. I want a chapter book. My brother wants a ps2. My sister wants a computer. My mom wnatns money. My Dad wants a shop. I want a shop. I want a book's. I want a computer. I want a book.
Love, Oscar Mier

Dear Santa,
Could I see Rudolph or Danser? my Brother Kevin will like a game cube and a ball. Can you let it snow pleas? -And mostly I want a freaky food lab. And For you to be Happy too.
love, Charlie Baker

Dear Santa,
Rudolph nose so bright, won't you gide my slay to night. I wold like a Load of pancakes. I wold like My MoM to have a purse. My step MoM a Brush. For my BaBy cusen a high chair, For My Sister a Masheen that stop my sister form being sick.
Love, Haley Mize

Dear Santa,
I know that you know about my mom and dad but I would like for everybody that has R.S.D. to not have it. Because when I am in school I whery about my mom. Would you get my mom a rubber braslit and my dad a hat? My nana a computer game and my papa a cupule of



Hark! The Herald Angels Sing!
As we count our blessings this holiday season and reflect on the miracle of life, we realize how much our lives have been enhanced by knowing and serving all of you.
May you and your loved ones revel in the joy of the season, and please accept our best wishes and gratitude.
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hats. I forgot my nana a dallis Cowboy jarsy. And me I would like some rollerblads. My cat a cathouse.

Love, Alexia

Dear Santa,
I would like a 4 wheeler and I would like you to git My MoM Dad Garnny Me and My pop and I would Be Fine. Santa I hav Ben Bad in Scool will you four gev Me Santa if you Do thank you So Much i loveyou So Much Santa. Love. Lapaula Shia Scaggs the end.

Love. Lapaula Shia Scaggs

Dear Santa,
i want a three wheeler. I want a dirtbike. My DaD wants a new house. My MoM wants a new car. My sister Debra wants new shoes, and my other sister Tabitha wants a new basketball and my other sister Tiffany wants some new clothes for her and I want a control car.

Love, Mark Montez

Dear Saanta,
I would like a Dimin ring for my mom. My Dad would like a tool set. My sister want's a tety bear and a PS2 for me. I will give My mom a neclis for My mom and for My NaNa a cross and grampa a tool set, and a doll for My sister and a house for it and a G.i. Jo set.

Love Tristan Seay

Dear Santa,
Can Rudolph come to my House to see Me? I would like a Ring for My Mom, a x box for My Brother, for my Sister I Would like a Playhouse for her. I would lik a new TV for My Dad. Santa can I have a Dogsbone for my Dogs? I have 3 dogs I want a 4 Wheeler. can I have 3 4weler's?

Love Brandon Salgado

Dear Santa,
Santa, what do you don on your slae? wer can i see you reindeers? Oh, I forgot that I want a red computer a purple bike, a orange and yellow phone. But my mom wants to see a reindeer and we love Christmas. It is fun to open our presents and we have presents for you too. So when you come down the chimene we will have fun with you.

Love, Meranda Guitierrez

Dear Santa,
Will you please five me and my brothers a race tack for our cars? We would like a bike. My brother wnat's A fast remote control car that he will love. For my dad, a Dallas Cow boy's jersey but blue. For me, a black dirtbike. A dolfin clock for my mom. A hello kitty chair for my sister. A CD player for my brother Jarred and a Dalles cow boys jersey for all of us. And for me a x box 360.

Love, Dylan Marquez

Dear Santa,
May I have a game cube? And a dirt bike? could I be smart like Kaleb? And a PS 2 game and intindoes games? is my dad you friend? Santa and a motorcycle? And I hope it snows in Big Spring. Can Mom have some julrey for Christmas? And for my dad a watch. My dad loves

you. And the last thing, for me a computer.

Love, William Grigg

Dear Santa,
I want more money for mydad. Can I have a new Army Set? And a New Jet Like my brothers? And a big truck andafarm Set anda crissmas tree and a dog. That's all Santa.

Love John Padden

Dear Santa,
I would like a little puppy for christmas and a happy happy christmes with My family and friends. My MoM And Dad picked five things out for me and for My sister. she Wants a brat toy full of Makeup and for my brother a skate bord.

Love Alijah Ruiz

Dear Santa,
I want a dog and a cat. My mom wants a Pig.

love, Destiny N.

Dear Santa,
I Would like a Dirt bike and a BB gun! And a PS2 anda PS3! And I would like 2 computers. I Would like Dallis Cowdoys four my Mom and Dad.

Love, AJ Hodnett

Dear Santa,
please Santa bring me a rmote cntrl car, PS2, motorcycle, 4 Wheeler, playstation 2, bicycle, Dirtbike, game cube, and gameboy. This is for my sister, A birby doll, and a bike. The End

love Richard Martinez

Dear Santa,
i Want a Computer, and a DirtBike. my mom Would like some JulRy and a ne house. and My Dad would like a new Truck, and a Reindeer. and my sister would like a Brat, anda Bicycle, and my little Brother would like long-horns pants, Jacket, Salts, and I would like a gamecume, and PS2. I would like a 4 wheeler.

Love Manuel Villa

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a game for my xbox, xbox360. My sister would like to have a cell phone, gamecube, and a plant. Mybrother would like to have a trailer, a Geo Track, and bb gun (pistol).

Thank you, Kaleb W.

Mrs. Gass
Third Grade
Marcy Elementary

Dear Santa Claus,
I have been a Good Girl this year. My Gift is to bing Peace, Love, Care and joy to my family and friends. Especially my parents.

Love,
Katelyn Ignecci

Dear Santa,
The furst thing I want to with you a Merry Christmas. I want for christmas is for the people that were in the herrican for everyone to be happy.

Love,
Savannah Robinson

Dear Santa,
I've been a good little girl. I would like all the Bratz and the car. I want some shoes, cljthes and cell phone. I wnat a foatball that is Cowboys, and bracel, earrings and neckless.

Sincerely truly,

Nikki Berna!

Dear Santa Claus,
I've been a good boy. What I want for Christmas is some clothes and new shoes.

Sincerely,
Tyler Nalley

Dear Santa,
I would like a Xbox three sixty for Christmas an a Game Cube with games. And one bike. An for my family to have a good Christmas.

Sincerely,
Mathw Castillo

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl. I want at turtle and a cell phone. And I want some helys.

Love,
Danie

Dear Santa,
I been a good boy this year and I want for Christmas Bagame, four wheeler, Texas Long horn Jersey, CD players with head hpone, cars, clothes, stereo, and a computer with a priter.

Love,
Israel Saiz

Dear Santa,
I been a good Girl this month. All I want for Christmas is for my family to be happy.

Love,
Delyia Perez

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year, really! I want the Star Wars make your own light saber kit.

Sincerely,
Tyler Green

Dear Santa,
I had been a good boy. I want a xbox for christmas. My brother wants a Playstation 2 for christmas. I want to get my mom a diamond ring. I will get my dad a race car track.

Love,
Lester Herrera

Dear Santa,
I have been very good. May I have a straitner or a crimper for Christmas.

Love Paige Palmer

Mrs. Corrnet
Second Grade
Marcy Elementary

Dear Santa,
How many miles does it take to get to th North Pole? Do you Know what I want for Charistmas? Jet Shoes, and I want an Xbox. I want a battle video game. My mom wants a candle that smal's like cherries.

Your firend,
Tevin D.

Dear Santa Claus,
How are you doing in the North Poole? Is it OK if you can give me some clothes and a ring to my mom? Please give a video game to my big brother Jake. Can you give my little sister a little baby? I love you and thank you for making toys for all kids.

Sincerely,
Raelynn G.

Dear Santa Claus,
How do reindeer fly? I love Santa Claus! Santa, I wonder how to ride a sleigh? I will put a brownie tray and milk. I want a four-wheler and a

bratz. I will get you hot chocolate.

Sincerely,
Ashlen. E

Dear Santa Claus,
Are your rainers doing fine? Well I think they're doing good. At Christmas wood you give me all of the Star Wars toys? Santa mery Christmas!

Christian L.

Dear Santa Claus,
How are you doing at the North Poole today. Is it Ok if you can give me some warm clothes for Crismuss, and can you give me toys for Crismuss, and my sister and I a coats that has butterfly an our coats and roses on our coats and harts on our coats, and my sister wants to get prinsus books and my brouther wants to get cool books, and i want prinses chapter books and my sister and my brouther and i want a black and white cumputer.

Sincely,
Katelynn N.P.

Dear Santa,
Do you have children? I want \$50,000 cash for Christmas. I also want a BB gun, a camera phone, cool car, Hary Potter book and a pack of BB bullets would be nice

Your friend,
Edgar C.

Dear Santa,
How are the reindeer? For X-mas I would like a camp Rife. I also want a Gerber with scissors. Next I want a camado hat. I also want rubber snow boots. Now I want a bb gun that looks like a machine gun. Then I also want a new bow string.

Your friend,
Hamish F.

Dear Santa,
Where are you in the North Pole? How are you doing? Are the elfs o.k.? Have I been good? Can I have a hundred dollers?

Your friend,
Chance C.

Dear Santa,
Do you have 10 elves. I want a doll.

Your friend
Jasmine

Dearst St. Nick
How is Mrs. Claus doing, and how are the elfs? I would like you to give Raelen a new pair of shoes, like pink and blue or just pink. I bet you she would like that very much. I would like for me a jacket.

Sincerely,
Anne Mariel

Dear Santa,
How do your Elfs get all the stuff they ned to make toys? For christmas I want a Bratz tennis doll, a Bratz Basketball doll, and My Scene goes to Hollywood Movie.

Your friend,
Kamie Rene

Dear Santa,
Do your elves make alot of toys? I wonder what I will get for Christmas? I want a trampoling and an Xbox for Christmas. Dear Mrs. Claus I want a p.s.p for Christmas.

Your friend,
Janessa

Dear Mr. Krengel,

Do you rily have a rander that has a shiny red nose? If you do I now the song about Rodof. here are the things i want for Christmas. I want a Video now, a camra phone, and a puppy that rim breathes.

Thank you.

Your friend,
Valerie

Dear St. Nick,
Do you love everybody in the world? This Christmas I want an Ipod, baby dolls, piano, Xbox, and more! I love my mommy very Much, and i want to give her a brand new ring for Christmas. I love sister very much to and I want to give her a brand new playstation2 for Christmas. I love my daddy very much too, and I want to give him a brand new watch of the Chicago Bears for Christmas.

Your friend,
Diamonique M.

Dear Santa,
I want a raidio, truck, game cube, and a toy truck. How are you doing, how are the rain deer doing, how are the elfs doing? How is everything workin in the workshop.

Your friend, Jesse

Dear Santa Claus,
When were you born, are you real, and is Mrs. Claus real. I wish you a Merry Christmas! May I have a monkey for Christmas? And i wish Edagar, Hamish, Justus, Kevin and everyone In my class would get ten presents, and every one in the world a merry christmas. I want an x-box 360 and every one in the world to get what they want. I love santa claus. He is nice and to all I wish a Merry Christmas and I wish every one in the world Get what they want. Have a great Christmas. O Santa one thing-keep Roudph in good hands

Sincerely,
Chris

Dear Santa,
I would have a compter and a TV, if you bring it for me. Do you like your rain deer?

Your friend,
Rosario

Dear Sant Nick
How come some people don't belive in you? I do! I now some adults do! Santa you and Mrs. Clause are real nice. I like it.

Your friend,
Chance E.

Dear Santa Claus,
How are you doing at the North Pole? Do you have any kids - yes or no? Mrs. Claus how are you doing, how is your husband bad or good. I want an xbox and a playstation 2 and a game card for my game boy.

I wnat Yu-igho card for my gameboy.

Sincerely
Jordon H.

Dear Santa,
How do you do yerr Job? Oh Santa I love you santa! I wish could have a horse.

Santa Do you have child yes or no? Have a holly Jolly Christmas - the best time of they year! I do not on if the car me sown as have a cup of cheer. I read a book of Santa. Christmas is the best time of the year. Santa do you love my baby sister and

my brouther? I love my friend like Diamonia and you Santa because you give me good things. You like a large shirt. Mom and I like to do good stuff together.

Love,
Stormie

Dear Santa,
Hi my name is Celestina. I've been a real good girl this year. For Christmas all I want is some hair and teeth. Say hello to Rudofl and Mrs. Claus

Love,
Celestina Elizabeth Vela, 10 months old

Dear Santa,
1. Toy Miletary base and a Miletary Helocoper weth guns and missles and a door on it that opens and closes. 2. a little bebe gun. 3. little guys.

from: Marc

Miss Mayes
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santa,
I have been a gud grl ths yr I wnt pupe and dol. Mi broter Brandon wnts a BB gun and dolhaos and cloz toy Twty Burd Pupe, Pupe, 5 pupe

Love,
Courtney Christian

Dear Santa,
I want bed cenderail Blakent Pipe Love

Kemberly Trawick

Dear Santa,
I want for Christmas ferB and a Brats dol and for puby and a rbit and I want far cat and I want a fac spidr

Tessa Talbot

Dear Santa,
I hop you com to mi hose and giv me pezs i want pawrager rulrsatsad a green frbe and a dog a mutdr torc love

Tyler McFall

Dear Santa,
I can't wit til its Christmas. I want a balk belts caroty master and a decter cit, batman toi, bat-nan pillow superman bike.

Your firend,
Nolan

Dear Santa,
Frb and twin time doll house, play Keys a Brate doll, a teddy bears, a disney choo choo train, a book Kitty cat, senty markers, gum ball machine, berda fly plans, play food, candy, timer, a stabbery short cake. I want a puzzle.

Thank you,
Santa,
Emily Conner

Dear Santa,
Santa i want furb i whant dog i whant a barby a munky i want a elafint that all Thank you Santa

Vanessa

Dear Santa,
I love you. I want a Xbox and I want a grocart, dirt bike. I have been a good boy Santa. I want a coat. I want a cat and a dog and a parranger a romote car for my brother.

Nicolas Harris

Dear Santa,
My mom said I've been good all year and I should be on your list. I want a Suam Lace Mobebe, Barbe, Barbe Cuenmeng Bool. Prauer Bear, Chak Baord.

Love,

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Meranba Gonzales

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. Can I have an Xbox, bike, cat, a robot and a spiderman? Please Santa can you get my mom something and my dad too. Thank You.
Kenny Hilario

Dear Santa,
BB Gun, 12 case, kifle, litel shot gun, \$3.00, snake trap 4 mouse the PS elev- idy hudnred dollars M&M Gun Three hundred elvno- ry One hundred Ship BB Millightbulp Spong T.V. 243 rifle, 216 gage, 5 gage. 2 bow and arrows. Plastic BB Pistal 300 pellets 11 Gage 30 gage. Love you
Caleb Wigington

Dear Santa,
Fr Krismas I want Frb and a pink puppy. I hope I get presents. seven and eight horses and I want a Kitty cat. I hope all the kids be good and bring my brother some Dinosaurs. I would like to have a rabbit. I want lots of stuff in my stocking. I want a strawberry shortcake movie. I hope all the kids in the class get presents under the tree
From:
Avree Tubb

Dear Santa,
BB gun, a vido, 30,000 dollars, snick shot gun 2 red rider games for show 24s rifl 2 bos and arow 2 16 gages 2 pellet gun 33 gag
Tristan

Dear Santa,
I ben a good girl this year. Kassidy wants barbies & barbies closest shoes, candy, steer blanky & barbies pegasus toy & more closet Christmas movies & makeup & toy barbies that is all Mr. C.
Love,
Kassidy Cadenhead

Dear Santa,
I want a pupe, clothes and pipes. I love Santa Thank you for brig the presnts and I want a hart a closs and a starr. And irael tube dollares, get Love santa
Ashley Bakock

Dear Santa,
puppy, fish, water gun, star pillow, wagon, play computer, doll house, barbie sticker. I love Santa
Love,
Kalli Hale

Dear Santa,
Dear Santa, I want go crte, Drake to get a hair- cute, a horemore with specers in the back Mrs. Mays wants a pear of sleepers
Love,
AJ Cardenas

Dear Santa,
A kitten, My little pony, skates and toy poster of a cat and kitten book and a Brat with a horse, Brat cribs, inter act tv my little pony game for it. Haree big, huge kittens hide & seek katie a tedy bear that repeats what you say. Cartoon clothes a zebra, a bunny rabbit a cat that tell you secret a ring, my little pony, blanket a piggy bank my little pony lunch box. my little pony, movie
Love,
Samantha Solis

Moss Elementary
Dear Santa,

Remember that I Love you. AND I bet your gonna have a jolly, Holly chris- mas day. I hope everybody does. Also, the peopel who don't celebrate chrismas. You probably know what I want for Chrismas, I want a Play station 2, game boy, and a Art set. I also want for you to have a very merry chrismas day.
Santa.
Thank you
Joey

Dear Santa,
I want to go too the North Pole whith you so I can meet the raindeers. I want to meet Mrs. Clos. I want to meet the elf. For Chrismas I want tow puppy a golden muchrever and a winedog, a sow- ing mushen to.
Kyra

Dear Santa,
I want a cell fohen so I can talk to my fraines with a ring tone and belt bukle., e-box so i can play it all day. PSP so I can play spadirman 2, PSI so can play Showdow the Hege Hake. Game Coeb So I can play surer s. Mahs blos. Grogin Ball Z. Boki Tenkeeth thle is llote of actin.
Camron

Dear Santa,
I want a for to a 6 coded bebe gun. dont say you shoot you I out and crash bush for playsaton my own Plastathing a game bow and dog and a toy car too Santa.
from Patrick

Dear Santa Claus,
I want land crc and a game and a toy.
Sensele
Jared

Der Santa,
I want you to now that I wont a nagsord and a xBox gam wich is cold der huntig 2 and E bE bEE in xBox and I wont my babey bruthr that he gats a Lot UV hotwils and my sistr lieks pantusa and my Big babey brathr wots a Ulatrd gocar and it is Litto and he brley fits in it but it is col.
Fabiunb

Dear Santa,
I beleven you so dons my brother do you now want for crimas I want a dog but I don't get no I don't get a dog.
Love,
Alexandrea

Dear Santa,
Iv been good boy for you today I want a specel present. Can you please get me a game clik mortel combat please I really wan't it. And some tcys like trucks please. And give me something secret please And can you give me other stuff that is secret. And most of all can you let me sit on your lape please. And can you get me some movies please.
Love,
Alex

Dear Santa
Santa I wish for a game- boy. Santa my friends do not believe in you. Santa I wish for a lot of things. I wish to see you. I wish for no school.
Love,
Margie

Dear Santa,
I want the biggest Barbie house you can make and a

new sSleeping bag too and I need some winter cloths too some new shoes
Bailey

Dear Santa,
I have ben verry good just for you. If Imon the good list I want a little labtop, 2. a bonch of dol- phin stuff if you can 3. a lot of best friend tings for me & Jacklin. And I beleve in you and so dos the world I hope so. My borthers don't now how you are. Anyways at list I do wright?
Love,
McKenzie

Dear Santa,
I would love to have a toy Bratz head and t make a kornor roll and a labetop. But I may want more like some puge a mase and pretty clouse but don' foget to feel my stocken one more thing I just want to see my mom please or at least write a note say pease write to your daughter because I mess her.
Senserely
Skylar

Dear Santa,
I would Like a T.V. and a robe and some housshows and some mindis and a hat and a scarre
Love,
Chelci

Dear Santa Claus
For Christmas I want a Lot's of Bratz babys and a lot of fake make-up. I want a scoter and helmet. I want a bike. I want new clothes and new shoes. And I a lots of presents. And I wish you A Merry - christmas to all and to all a good night.
Love,
Jacqueline

Dear Santa,
I wan't 2 boy barby. I want a door bar sinsily
AJovra
Dear Santa,
Can you please! please! get me the greatest toy.
Love,
Emily C.

Dear Santa Claus,
How is the North Pole up there? It's hot in Big Spring Texas where I live. Have I been good or bad this year? If I'm good would you bring me presents? I want a chicken chasing a worm, a motor scooter, and a rubber mouse.
Merry Christmas!
Evan

Mrs. Brooks
First Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
What I want for Christmas is a xbox and a neclis and a reng. I want a for Welr and a gocr and a drbic and a fif bedrum.
Your friend
Michael

Dear Santa,
I want a littl dog. a pla slash one ox box.
Your frind.
Charlie

Dear Santa,
I Want For Christmas Is a Jade Doll And a Bratz Rock Angel Dolls And A Bike And A Branew Cloz Look like Jade Bella For

Christmas.
I Love You,
Abigail

Dear Santa,
and I want a bick. and I would lick axbox. and a jrss havv a good. Crismss. I want a for welr
Dillon

Dear Santa,
I want a playsteshn. and a xbox and a Dvd of the pest and a cat and a Dog and I like your wenDer.
Your fend.
Gabriel

Dear Santa
I want a Suit Like you. I want a hat like you and I want Boots.
Love you
vaughn

Dear Santa,
I like Christmas. I would like a red ball to pla with.
your friend
Adrian

Dea Santa,
I want good tuoz and I want a new pup, a new Brat Set, a new biscl, new makeup I love you and your rander.
Luv,
Kaci

Dear Santa
I am excuted at chris- mas I want a bratz rock Angels cloe And a Dora Talking House.
Love,
Italia

Dear Santa
I want a lot of toys and a ps2 and a xbox360 and a lot of books and a happy Christmas. I will give you some cookys and a glass of milk.
I love you,
Logan

Dear Santa,
I want a present and a present that is big. I wont shum shoos and a bicke. and I love you Santa and I Love Christmas. I still like Santa and his Deers and a makorve and sume makup.
your frind,
Reneja

Dear Santa,
Dear Santa, I want a fourwiller. Santa I like your hat. I like your hat and the ball.
I Love you,
Tyson

Dear Santa,
I want a pottry set for Christmas and a socker ball to and a bra stet for my big sister and a car for bubba.
Love,
Zoe

Dear Santa,
We BLEevin you santa have cookees and milk I wish you are rill santa. We no you are niss santa. You want to no what I want? I want a fourth- weelr sanata you will have it on christmas.
Jonathan

Dear Santa,
I want the new Bratz gameboy game and a Christmas box and a mp3 player and a bratz note pad and I have more stuff on my uthr list.
Love,
Mariah

Dear Santa'
I want for Christmas is a Star Snow globe and a bike to and a dress and a

ha furbey.
I luve you Santa
Bhili

Dear Santa,
What I want for Christmas is a new Brbe and a new skied andser and a new Biskil and a new dress and a new boots and a new Brbe Taling Taown Haws
Love
Danielle

Dear Santa,
I want to goon you slay Santa. But I want a biscl. I love Santa, and I love Christmas. and I want a Play-Doh.
Love,
Kaelee

Dear Santa,
I want a gameboy sp and I want a xbox360 I want a pet fish and I want a small dog
Love,
Garett

Mrs. Cotton's
Kindergarten Class
Stanton Elementary

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a batman and a spiderman.
Sincerely,
Noah Hamilton

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like 9 cars, GameBoy, Silly String, Nina Turtles, Dino Thunder and a baby doll for my baby sister.
Thank you,
Anthony Velasquez

Dear Santa,
I want a black toy thats a Power Ranger, and I want a red Power Ranger thats big and I want a Robot Raptor. I hope you have a nice Christmas.
Sincerely,
Cooper

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I wont black boots, red high- heels, a real crown, pink teddy bear. Please take care of my parents.
Thank you,
Sincerly
Vanessa Gomes

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. I would like a Veggie Tales Movie and a Polar Express Playset.
Sincerely
Trose

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year. I help my mom and dad and sisters so could you please bring me a bike, a Dora La Exploradora movie, a doll, a ball, and a Teddy Bear. and don't forget a small kitchen plate set. And don't forget about my sisters.
Sincerely,
Jocelyn

Dear Santa,
I've tried my best. I want a bratz chair for me and some clothes. Don't forget bow good daddy and momy are
Destiny

Dear Santa,
I tried hard to be good to mom and dad this year. I hope I did OK Please bring me a remote control truck.
Sincerely,
Eddie

Dear Santa
This year I want a race car! and a robot and a x-

box play-station & ninten- do, cool crayons. My sister wants a dora dress that fits with panty hose & shoes. My brother wants a Ho-Ko Clock, kid games Kagan is a baby and wants a rattle, bull ridiing stuff like big brother. Sister wants princeess stuff. We all want a boom box.
Sincerely Logan Skyler

Dear Santa,
I would like a pink Christmas Tree. I want a ring just like my Mothers. And a Karioki Machine. I would like to wish you and Mrs. Clause a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.
Love,
Erin

Dear Santa,
I want a motorcycle a phone, guitar radio pet monkey, cat
Sincerly
David

Mrs. Gomez
4th Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
My name is Brady and I am a fourth grader at Moss Elementary in Big Spring, Texas. I have been a very good boy this year, and I am excited about Christmas. Could you drop presents at my house this year? I want a PSP for Christmas, so I could sit back and relax. And I really want a Babe Ruth auto- graph card because I have been trying to get him for a long time. And I will put cookeis on a plate for you and some reindeer food.
Love,
Brady
P.S. I think you are real.

Dear Santa Clause,
My name is Casedy Cervantes and I am in 4th Grade at Moss Elementary in Big Spring, Texas. I can't wait till Christmas day! I would like the Bratz video game so I can play it all day Long. Plus, I would like a Playstation 2. Hope to hear from you soon.
Bye!
Your friend,
Casedy

Dear Santa,
Have you been eating lots of cookies over the year? My name is Gabbie Trevino and I live in Big Spring, Texas. I'm nine years old. I want alot of things for Christmas. I would want some Groovy Girls because I don't have much dolls. I also want some new shoes and clothes. My tennis shoes are getting dirty. I hope you can get me these things and we will give you homemade cookies with milk to go!
Your Friend,
Gabbie

Dear Santa,
My name is Zachary Ludington, and I have been a good boy this year. I did some bad things this year but not alot. Hopefully you'll bring me presents again this year. I think I might want some clothes and a PlayStation 2. Are the elves behaving right? I don't know if you are real or not, but I think you are real. I hope I get to see you this year. Write me back soon.
Love, Zachary L.
P.S. Why does Santa have a big garden? Because He like to Ho Ho

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Ho!

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Catherine Harris. I'm 9 years old. I hope I've been a good girl to you. I can't wait until Christmas! I would like anything for Christmas! You will hear from me again.

Ps. I forgot to tell you I go to Moss in Big Spring, Texas.

Love, Catherine.

Dear Santa,
What is the North Pole like up there? Is the elves doing good in school? What are you bring me this year. I always wanted a Xbox 360 because I have never had one before.
Your truly friend,
Brett

My name is Taylor Arista, and I am in fourth grade at Moss Elementary in Big Spring, Texas. This year I have been a very good boy and so has the rest of my family. How has Mrs. Claus and the elves been this year? Have any of your elves been in trouble? This year from you Santa I would like a P.S.P Play Station Portable so that I can have a play station to take with me on trips. Santa this is the only thing I want this year so far and I hope to see you Christmas eve.

Love,
Taylor

Dear Santa,
My name is Rufus and I am a fourth grader at Moss Elementary. What I want is a GameBoy-Micra PSI, Xbox 360 and a Nintendo Gamecube. and all the games on it but not the girls games. I will leave cookies and milk out for you and don't worry I will be asleep and so will my family.
Your friend truly,
Rufus
P.S. You can find the games at Wal-Mart and I live on 3210 Auburn.

Dear Santa,
My name is Alfred and I am a fourth grader at Moss Elementary in Big Spring, Texas. I have been a good little boy. Since I've been good boy I want for christmas is two CD's for my CD player, Elf the movie on DVD, and for my broken foot to be fixed.

So that is what I want Santa!
Alfred
See you Santa!

Dear Santa Claus,
Howdy! I'm Kelsie and I am a student at Moss Elementary (in Big Spring, Texas). I am very, very E-X-C-I-T-E-D about Christmas Eve and Day! Have the elves been behaving? Did you really run over that kids grandma? If so, is Rudolph still wearing her wig? In your free time, do you watch football with your boots off? Can you get Mrs. Claus to make some gingerbread cookies for me? I can't wait to see what you gave me!

Love Kelsie
P.S.
Send your elf spies everywhere around Big Spring!

Dear Santa,
My name is Austin. I am in fourth grade at Moss Elementary. I live in Big Spring, Texas. Santa I've been good. I would like a motor scooter and a X-Box 360. But the most important thing I want is to get my mom and my aunt and grandma a very big present. I want them to have

pretty neckless.

Dear Mr. Claus,
My name is Connor and I'm 9 years old. I have been good this year. I go to Moss Elementary in Big Spring, Texas. I want some football cards so I can trade with my friend Brady. and maybe a new Xbox game because I'm tired of my old ones. And the last thing I want is some Hotwheels cars because my dog chewed up all my others.
Your biggest fan,
Connor

Dear Santa,
My name is Dylinda. I am 9 years old and a 4th grader at Moss in Big Spring, Texas. So How are you and Mrs. Claus doing? Well I would like to have a motor Scooter to ride like the wind. I also want a new make up Kit to look nice. Last but not least rollerskates to skate well. Well thats all for now. Merry Christmas! Bye.
Your friend,
Dylinda

Dear Santa,

My name is Austin. I am 10 years old, and I was born and raised in Big Spring Texas. If you have a little toy bionicle that I can build, please let me know. Any way how are things in the North Pole? I hope you come to my school; and if anything goes wrong, call and tell me.

P.S. I almost forgot my school name is Moss Elementary.
From: Austin

Mrs. Holt
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santa,
My name is Shania. I want some scary movies. I also want a DVD player. I also want a Rock agnel Brats. I also want a game boy Advance sp. I also want a TV. I also want a Box with a channel.
Love,
Shania

Dear Santa,
This is Kendrick and I'm being good. I want a toy car and a sleigh.
Your friend
Kendrik

Dear Santa,
for Christmas I would like a game Cube fame. I would like to now some stuff about rudof Pleas. Can I have three more games resedent evel 4, sonic hedgog, hercus, shadow the hedhog. I want a red shert and blue pants and a PSP And I love my Mom and Dad
Love,
Isaiah

Dear Santa,
I want money, a dog, a colored box, I want to go to India, I want to go to second grade, a horse, and Santa Clus movie a reindeer. I wish I can see you. Santa Clas. How old are you. Batman toys and spider man toys, x box, playstation 2, birthda, pencial, back pack, ribbon, Gameboys spn, new hsoes sled, clean desk, different skors TV, DVD, new colors, comuder, sorgabod game. supermean game, cat,
From Alfred

Dear Santa,
This is Eyssa. I would like a sleigh. That is all I want from you Santa.
Love,
Elyssa

Dear Santa,
Hi my name is Ashton

im a kindergardern Santa what do feed your raindair? and I wish I had a snow board and a puppy because I will have fun time with hem.
Thank you santa
Ashten

Dear Santa,
My name is Chris. I am five years old I want a dirtbike for christmas and a feowether a choo choo train a slegn a rudolf the red nose rein deer I want to see you I want a book about you. A cd of rudof and a cd player a book of roudolf.
Love,
Chris

Dear Santa,
My name is Adolf. How are you doing in the north pole? I want a superman game. A new Bat man game. Mabey a fantastic four game. A super hera toy.
Love,
Adolph

Dear Santa,
Ranen Wants a remote control car. He would also like to know how you get your reindeer to fly. He would also like a robot puppy that's all.
Santa,
Love,
Ranen

Dear Santa,
Claire wants a horsy and some candy. How are you Santa I've been extra good this year. I also want a slide. Claire want to know how you make you toys.
From
Claire

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? My name is Trey and I want the movie Ten Titan, action figures of the Teen Titans, I want the movie Sky High, and pet shops,
Your friend
Trey

Dear Santa,
I just wanted to know how the elves make the toys. Can I have a kite. And rudolph the red nosed singing reindeer. A barbie Kite for my sister. A dvd player for Mrs. Holts classroom. An airconditioner for my dad.
Love,
Dylan

Dear Santa,
I would like a trampoline and a swimming pool for christmas. How many toys do you have in your sleigh. How many elves do you have. I would like a baby kitty for my sister. How far is the north pole. I would like a bratz board game. I would like a playhouse and a kitchen How many houses do you have to go to, I would like a dress up set. I would like to make new friend and to give Mrs. Holt 1000 dollars. Love,
Kyle

Dear Santa,
Hi my name is Breeana. How is the North Pole? I want a Barbie, a baby kitten, coloring book, a baby puppy, and a trampoline and a pool, a art set, Barbie house, a game boy, a computer, dora explora kitchen, a stuffed teddy Bear a new deck, markers, earing and necklases, new clothes, dress up set for the dress up clothes.
Lvoe, Breeana

Dear Santa,
Hayley wants a doll. She also wants dis up shos. Hayley would like some candy. Hayley would also like a toy pony. Hayley has been good the whole

year. Hayley would like to know how you make your toys?
Love,
Hayley

Dear Santa,
Am I on the good list or the bad list? How are you doing? Are you busy making toys this year? I want a polly set, my little pony set, polly swimming set, knock, knock banana kock, knock banana kock, knock banana kock, knock orange. Orange you glad that I didn't say banana? I won the prize for selling the most greeting cards. Knock, Knock banana, knock, knock banana, knock, knock banana, knock, knock orange. Orange you glad I didn't say banana? I don't care what you get mel.
Love Kier Stinker Wilkins

Dear Santa,
Can I have a robot toy, and a doll for Mrs. Holt a pirate ship. What is the North Pole like. And can I have a Rabbit car for my little sister and a pacifier for my baby brother and a candle for my mem and a computer for my dad.
Love,
R.J.

Mrs. Madison
Kindergarten
Stanton Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a Star Wars thing that shoots out lasers. It is a robot and it is remote controlled. I want a big remote controlled Herbie car, and I want a fantastic four dvd. Thank you,
Santa,
Love,
Nathaniel Villa, age 6

Dear Santa,
I want a toy car. I want a toy gun. Thank you,
Santa,
Love,
Anthony Gonzales, age 6

Dear Santa,
I want a bike, a Barbie, and a reindeer. Thank you, Santa.
Love,
Chloe Whitfield, age 5

Dear Santa,
I would like a soccer ball, and a Barbie doll, and a Cinderella doll. I would like some clothes. Thank you, Santa.
Love,
Jessica Velasquez, age 5

Dear Santa,
I want two Walkie Talkies, and I want a Game Boy, and I want a phone charger. I want a artist collection and I want something to hold the collection so Landon won't get into it and put it in his mouth. I want a red nose that glows like Rudolphs. Thank you, Santa.
Love, Brady McDaniel, age 6

Dear Santa,
I would like squooshy pillow. I want a thing you sleep on that is a reindeer. Say "hi" to Rudolph. Thank you, Santa Claus.
Love,
Payge Grable, age 5

Dear Santa,
I want a skateboard, and a race car, and a big bike. Thank you, Santa.
Love,
Reece McDaniel, age 6

Dear Santa,
I would like a Dora Princess and a dot com. I lik the Dora that speaks English and Spanish and takes care of the babies.

How are you Santa Claus?
Love,
Yazmin Gutierrez, age 5

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie house, a Cabbage Patch baby, and a bike. How are the reindeer? I love you, Santa.
Love, Alex Saenz, age 5

Dear Santa,
I want a baby that has a car seat, and diapers, and clothes, and a stroller, and a bottle. I want a diaper bag. I like diapers. Thank you, Santa.
Love,
Alia Balderas, age 6

Dear Santa,
I want a bike, a race car, and a motorcycle, and a teddy bear. I have been very good this year. Thank you, Santa.
Love,
Sebastian Deleon, age 6

Dear Santa,
I want a toy tractor and some clothes and a walkie talkie. I have been a good boy this year and I wear a size 7. Thank you, Santa.
Love,
Samuel Lopez, age 6

Dear Santa,
I would like a motorcycle, and a bicycle and a Christmas tree. I have been a good boy this year. Thank you, Santa.
Love,
Henry Neufeld, age 6

Dear Santa,
I want a Mega ever jumper. I want a Sponge Bob Wife Camera Pants, and a Nick Tunes for Night. I want a bed with Texas Longhorns on it, a longhorn T.V., and longhorn table. I've been a good boy. Thank you, Santa.
Love,
Colby Rackard, age 5 nearly 6

Dear Santa,
I want two walkie talkies, camera, and a TV, and a 4 wheeler and that's it. Thank you, Santa.
Love,
Airen Farnsworth, age 7

Dear Santa,
I want a toy bow and arrow. I want a TV to put in my room. I want wood blocks to build with and two walkie talkies and that's it. I have been a good boy. Thank you, Santa.
Love,
Andrew Wheeler, age 5, nearly 6

Mrs. Shelhamer
First Grade
Bauer Magnet
Elementary

Dear Santa,
You are the grates Santa. Roque wants chransformoor. I want Yu-gi-ohs deck.
from,
Isaac I.

Dear Santa,
I wish to go to the North poll I want to go on Santa Slae MomLov. I want a tour It is w futoolL.

Dear Santa,
I want a Street bike from Regen Plase
Thank you

Dear Santa,
I want a tain set. And Please And a snake too And a batmobel that turn's to a city And a Lunch box

from Arthur G.

Dear Santa,
Please bring me and my brother lots of toys so we both can have a good Christmas.
from Tyson R.

Dear Santa,
Phase Crs Isaac wants pensets Melissa wants scrf. I want sumbwr North Pov.
From Roquer

Dear Santa,
I w tmapmoeltslug hrba etb the mock firstst ansas mlomom a LIplease Mi Dady sa ukit Mi bchr wsajanoskwir
From Tessa H.

Dear Santa,
Dot flbmng blan sitale. Aan my friends an mon ah my boad an my bothric. Me bcysillcrpes an kes. ber is the best By Santa you uleasbes.
from Enrique G.

Please get my Mom a Starcandle and a snow mah A snake book a big bag of Marbles for my big brother And a toy carin a packij And for me ana my little bruther Enee than for us
from D.J.C.

Dear Santa,
I want a transfomer. I want totuo of bat ma Vill that can t ran formers into a sity. I want an xbox I wan a scate bord I want Octmus Prime from transfomer unvrns.
Don't forget my famliy
from Gavan. D

Dear Santa,
I want Star Wars and a trane set And go to my friends haus. Isaac and Dylan.
from Brandon H.

Dear Santa,
Please breg tos. North prysn elfs mak preln santa nes a North poo
from Joshua Y.

Dear Santa,
Please thank you that I want a wodler snake. And I want baby. And a sholer. And a brbeeie car And a too brbeeie.
from Jacquie B.

Dear Santa,
I want a motrsikle. I want a gameboy. I want a helmt. I want a play musheen gun Dont frgit my sisters. Dont frgit my kitins. Dont frgit my Mom and Dad Dont frgit my dog.
fr m Holder B.
I want no a g.i. jos

Dear Santa,
Please go to my frans hows frst! Please giv me of my plants? Please give me my Joprviels. Pleas giv of my prsens
from Dylan L.

Dear Santa,
You are the best. Can you breeg Isaac a Yu-gi-oh cardes.
from Melissa D.

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be good all year. pPlease bring me nine presents santa. coLoring book.
Ethyne.

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be goo all year. pPlease bring me, gameboy, x-box 300, and GI joe pPlease bring my dad sum nike shoes!!
Orlando



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Dear Santa,
I have ben good all year I aut a game Boy and a x-Box and a G.I. JOe, and rootBer rootBeer.
form Austin to Santa

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be good aLL year. Please bring me G.I. Joe 76 T Coke Cola motor.
Micheal

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be good all year. Please bring me I want Bratz toy.
Destiny

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be good all year Please bring me Please Biutz Purse Please Makeup Brats
ISA

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be good all year please bring me a kchrol buckcio and a jet a X-box Please bring my Mom a ring and Dad a football game.
Noe

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be good all year. PLeaes brin me X-box 360 and PS2 PLease bring me staragsa
Raul!!

Dear Santa,
I hav tried to be good all year. Please bring my saxMcueb and my thinkg hard jayd thiyg feet
Nicolas

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be good all year. Please bring me mitendo and a facward and a white christmas Please bring my Mom a pretty cup.
Francisca

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be good all year. PLease bring me Jewerly Baby Ples breg me mom glasagool
Savannah.

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be good all Year. Please bring. GameBoy OS Game cube. X-box 2
Rene

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be good all Year. Please bring me PLease bring no Yu no Yuo Play Sation 2 Christmas
Brandon Y.

Dear Santa,
I hav tried to be good all Year. Please bring me Jewerly
Angel

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be good all year. Please bring me G.I. Joe semsin, play station 3, X-Box 360. Please bring my brother toy
Edward

Dear Santa,
I want a train set. I want hulk toy. I want model ship. I want games.
Caleb M.

Dear Santa,
I want a doll I want a bike I want Barbit I want a million dollars I wan Lareg (ring)
Destiny

Dear Santa,
I like a bike and ice skates
Armand D.

Dear Santa
I want a big screen TV. I want a X box two
Tyler S

Dear Santa,
I want a train set. Have

a nise day.
Alstion R.

Dear Santa,
I want a bike for Crismu and a big screen tv!
Angel A.

Dear Santa,
I want X box game coldx chirintitil. I want Hulk toys. I want modarshimship
Tyler. K

Dear Santa,
I want a intendo game cube and a game for my intendo game cube, Dragan ballZ saga.
Love,
Michael R.

Dear Santa,
I want a boll I want a skoodr. I want a bike. I want a big tv screen. I want a Puzoz. I want a skets
Samantha R.

Dear Santa,
I want a big screen tv, million dollars, skate shoes and a Barbie.
I love you Santa
love, Klarissa

Dear Santa,
I want a scarf. I want a ps2
Love, Nicholas

Dear Santa,
I want a Hulk toy. I want a star war toy. I want a powr ranger toy.
Isaac M.

Dear Santa,
I want a bike. I want a doll I want to be saft. I Love you. Be cefool getin to youre hous.
Love
Abigail

Dear Santa,
I like a Baby Bratt and a screen tv and a doll and a ball. I love u Santa be cafl cumyng too my Hals.
Tiffany

Dear Santa,
I want a big screen tv and BabyBratts and a doll. I want you to hav a big grate day.
by Natalie C.

Mrs. Ward's
Kindergarten Class
Bauer Magnet
Elementary

Dear Santa,
Do your dreams come true? I want a Dora house, a Santa with the button you push to make him sing and skates.
Your Friend, Caroline

Dear Santa,
I like you and love you! I like your reindeers. I want a stuffed animal, a little dinosaur. I want some colors. I would ask Santa, "What are you doing Santa Claus?"
Your Friend, Jared

Dear Santa,
I need a Christmas Bell. I want a bunny. I will get a make-up, a Barbie doll and little race cars.
Your Friend, Marisela

Dear Santa,
I want you to bring toys to all the children, so they will be happy. Also, Christmas trees. I want a t-rex, octopus grabber that can do anything and a crab that picks up stuff on the floor.
Your Friend, Logan

Dear Santa,
Thank you for getting my presents. I want a Dora tv., a Barbie toy, ABC's to play with and little dots to play.
Your Friend, Margarita

Dear Santa,

Do your reindeer hop all the time? I want make-up, kitchen stuff, dolls and a dollhouse. Does your reindeer have a red nose?
Your Friend, Jasmine

Dear Santa,
I want a monster truck and a four wheel truck.
Your Friend, Michael

Dear Santa,
I want a present. I want a bike and a truck.
Your Friend, Elvis

Dear Santa,
How are you and Mrs. Claus? I want some clothes.
Your Friend, Jordan

Dear Santa,
What do I want? I want legos, a game, a truck. Merry Christmas to all of them.
Your Friend, B. J.

Dear Santa,
I love you. Can you buy me a megazoid and a Snoopy puppy and a dog for my baby brother and a game for my brother Erik. My other brother wants a battle game. Thank you Jesus.
Your Friend, Brian

Dear Santa,
How are you and Mrs. Claus doing? How old is your reindeer? I want a dinosaur, choo-choo train and if it's not too much, a new ball. Can I also have some paint.
Your Friend, Casey

Dear Santa,
Are you feeling okay? Is your deers all right? I want a baby doll, make-up, a bracelet, earrings, fake hair and pink and purple polish. Oh, and a computer.
Your Friend, Chloe

Dear Santa,
How is your reindeer doing? I want a game boy, a Xbox 360, a CD player and CD's. Merry Christmas!
Your Friend, Thomas

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie and a Bratz. I love you!
Your Friend, Caysey

Dear Santa,
I want a baby doll and some make-up. I want a computer and a snow cone maker.
Your Friend, Brianna

Dear Santa,
I want a new dinosaur book, hot wheel truck and motorcycle with green and blue, a batman toy that moves however you want it to, with remote control and the joker that goes with it.
Your Friend, Cobey

Dear Santa,
I want the Tiger Spins Around, a choo-choo track and a dinosaur train. My mom needs a vase with Santa on it. I need a Christmas coloring book.
Your Friend, Carlos

Dear Santa,
How old are you? How old are your reindeer? I want a Barbie computer, tv., a fake kitchen and a new blanket.
Your Friend, Courtney

Dear Santa
I want a wrestling game and a game system. What do you do with your reindeer?
Your Friend, Zachary

Dear Santa
I want a bike.
Your Friend, Joshua

Dear Santa,
Hi! I want some presents. I want a PSP to play games. Tony Hawk the game.
Your Friend, Marcos

Mrs. Wynn's
Kindergarten Class
Bauer Elementary

Dear Santa,
I like the X-Box 360 with games. Please, Santa, could you bring it to me?
Your friend, Aaron M

Dear Santa,
Can I have an Apple Pillow and a puzzle of a butterfly? I've been good!
Your friend, Adrienne M

Dear Santa,
I like you, Santa! I would like to get some Hot Wheels for Christmas and a red bike. How many days before you come to see me? Your friend,
Caimon B

Dear Santa,
I want some candy and a Spiderman and a game and an ice cream cone.
Your friend, Caleb C

Dear Santa,
I would like a blue umbrella and a computer and a dollie.
Your friend, Cindy D

Dear Santa,
Thank you for being Santa! I want a blue umbrella, a baby doll, a video game and a backpack. I want a Smiley Face pin. Your friend,
Danae R

Dear Santa,
I've been good! I want a blue umbrella, some new pants, a new jacket, and some new ponytail holders because my sisters lose them! Your friend,
Desire S

Dear Santa,
I love you! I would like to take a picture of you and me. I want lipstick, nail polish and a red bike. Could we play outside together? Your friend,
Destiny S

Dear Santa,
I like your place at the North Pole. I want a Barbie and a real horse! And I want a Barbie Toy House and a backpack and a toy elf. Your friend,
Dusta W

Dear Santa,
Thank you for giving me toys. I want a Bratz Doll.
Your friend, Isabel J

Dear Santa,
I miss you! I wish you would come back. I want a Spiderman game and a computer. Your friend,
Jarred S

Dear Santa,
I want a musical truck. I want a car, a musical car. I want a lawn mower. I want bubbles. And I want a dog! Your friend, Jaylyn

Dear Santa,
Thank you for my presents. I want a Spiderman.
Your friend, Jimmy

Dear Santa,
I like you! I want a toy car and a new jacket. I listen to my mom and dad.
Your friend, Joe Albert C

Dear Santa,
You are nice! I would like a Baby Doll set and a puppy dog. I would like a pillow. Your friend, Kari G

Dear Santa,
Thank you for my fish in a tank. This year I want

a Bratz doll, a dog and a Barbie. Thank you! Your friend, Kiersten P

Dear Santa,
You are nice! I would like a toy octopus for Christmas. I want a Teddy Bear, too! Your friend,
Kloey S

Dear Santa,
Hi! I want a Barney and a Spiderman, Thank you!
Your friend, Leo P

Dear Santa,
I love you! I want a game like a robot with a Hulk on it (like a transformer). How does Rudolph fly?
Your friend, Tristan

Dear Santa,
I like your sleigh. I would like those new PSP games. And a Play Station 2. Your friend, Garrett

Dear Santa,
I like your hat. I like your reindeer. I want an X-Wing toy. I would like to get a brand-new Star Wars game with bad guys and Obi-Wan and Darth Vader. And I would like a Star Wars Lego toys. Your friend, Zach D

Mrs. Owen's
Kindergarten
Washington Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a water gun, a blue bb gun with plastic bullets and a bible. I like to get presents.
Eric Bender

Dear Santa,
I want a bike for Christmas and a girl Barbie doll. I love you.
Reyna Canales

Dear Santa,
I want make-up for Christmas. I want the kind that goes on your lips. I want a toy girl baby. I miss you Santa. I like you.
Mercedes Castillo

Dear Santa,
I want Rock Man with a motorcycle and Buzz Light year. I want to give you a dinosaur present.
Jeremy Coker

Dear Santa,
I want a purple sleigh with white horse. I want a new purple bicycle. I like the snow. I love Christmas - it's my favorite time of the year!
Rowan Colette

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a bb gun and a goldfish. I love Christmas and Santa because Santa is nice. You probably already know what else I want because I saw you at the mall.
Devin Darrow

Dear Santa,
I want a Pegasus pony that you can put make-up on her face and I want the chocolate fountain. I like your boots. We celebrate Winter Gift Day.
Ivy Dennis

Dear Santa,
I would like a plastic blue gun and a white puppy. I want a blazer. I want Santa to have a toy.
Jesse Ellison

Dear Santa,

I want a toy baby doll with a bottle and make-up with a purse. I want to make you snowman cookies.
Alexis Marie Garza

Dear Santa,
I want an orange, girl cat and a boy dog. I want the doll I saw on t.v. I like Christmas because of the presents.
Alexis Gruis

Dear Santa,
I want a game boy and my brother wants one too. I also want a robot. I like you because you bring me presents and my brother.
Jacob Hernandez

Dear Santa,
I would like Batman legos, Superman legos, and bad guys for Christmas. I like your reindeer.
Christian Horton

Dear Santa,
I would like a sky dancer, a heart necklace, and a leap pad book. I love you. I'm going to see you at the mall.
Hayley Jenkins

Dear Santa,
I want to give you cookies and milk. I want a Care Bear ball for Christmas, a pink horsey, and a Brat book.
Cierra Martinez

Dear Santa,
I want a rocket and numbers for Christmas. I also want an outer space video game. I have a picture I drew for you of a Christmas tree and presents.
Louis Olivarez

Dear Santa,
I want a Batman low-rider car and a Santa Claus toy with a sleigh and reindeer. I like to be nice to my friends.
Isaac Rangel

Dear Santa,
I want an elephant toy and a snow bot toy. I want a real cat that is black. When it was dark I saw you in the sky and you were saying "Ho, ho, ho."
Moses Rodriguez

Dear Santa,
I have a picture of a Christmas tree for you that I drew. I want a baby bulldog. I saw one in a picture. I want a spiderman game.
Elijah Sanchez

Dear Santa,
I want a computer and a dog just like Rose. I like you. You are nice to bring presents.
Raven Wilson

Dear Santa,
When are you coming to see me? I want Hey Furby and Dancing Dora and Barbie Magic of Pegasus.

Love,
Emma Baucum
Age:3
First Baptist Church
Mother's Day Out

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Dear Santa,
I want a doll house with furniture and some new Barbie dolls. I want a Barbie car too. Some movies and a credit card like my mom's to buy me lots of clothes too.

I have been pretty good this year, I only went to time out a few times but I am working on being a good girl every day so you will come see me and bring me my presents.

My dad said he will leave the back door open for you since we don't have a "hole" in our house on top, so just come on in and I will leave you some cookies and coke (my dad said you get tired of milk, so you would like some coke instead).

Carrots will be waiting for the reindeer, hope they leave some bells off their collars again for me like last time.

Love,
Hannah Darrow, age 4
Hilcrest Child Development Center

Dear Santa,
How are Mrs. Claus, the elves and reindeers? All fine I hope and busy making toys. Thank you for being the "fun" part of celebrating Jesus' birthday. I would like a remote controlled yellow Hummer, a Gameboy Advance with the four wheeling game, a motorcycle and race cars.

Love,
Nicholas Billington, age 4
(written by mom and Nicholas)
Rainbow Christian Pre-School, 4-year-old class

Dear Santa,
I want to get a new gray kitty please.

I want a toy robot please. And I want a mystery present please.

And I want a video game called spongebob the movie please.

And I want a toy sword please.

And I want a picture of you please!

And I want a big ball please.

And I want a new wite Kitty please.

Nathan Permenter
Mrs. McGrievy's class
Marcy 2nd Grade

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a Doodle Bear, a Care Bear, a Skydancer, a Heart necklace, Chutes and Ladders, and a LeapPad book. I have tried to be good this year. I love you Santa.

Hayley Marie Jenkins, 6 years old, the daughter of Thomas Jenkins and Shannon Beelen.
Washington Elementary Kindergarten Class

Dear Santa,
My name is Mikayla. I am 2 years old and I have been a good girl this year. I really want a Dora Cooking Kitchen set, a Dora Van, a Willy Wonka blanket and the Willy Wonka Movie.

Love Mikayla Paredez
P.S.
Don't forget Kim & Andrea

Dear Santa,
May I have a reindeer belle.

May I have a fairfly Sela phone.

May I have a playhouse.

May I have a elf.

May I have \$100,1000.

May I have gold.

May I have my own phone.

You friend,
Megan, Garden City Second grader

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? How is your woman is doing? Well I am doing hard work today. And I am making a 100.s at school. And I am making 90.s and 80.s too. And have a Merry TX Christmas.

And I wish that you could birg a Brats and a puppy and a kitten and a new boots with a dimman and a cute pretty Computer and a Chicken Lombo and a Baby doll and a Barbie with a dress and Baby.

Love Alicia
Garden City Second Grader.

Dear Santa,
I want a toy machine gun and a motor scooter and a snowboard and a pack of Yu-Gi-On cards and one Santa hat and a toy shark and some G.I. Joes toys and a toy Flam Thrower.

Your friend,
Joseph,
Garden City Second Garder

Dear Santa
I have been a good girl. May I have some skates. May I have a go-cart. May I have a bike. May I have a tree house. May I have a bell from your reindeer. I will like a pass word door. I will like a elf.

I would like phone.
Love,
Talia
Garden City Second Grader

Dear Santa,
For Chistmas I want a air soft machine gun with a whole galin full of bebes. And a toy bozooka. And a toy puppy. And a whole galin full of YuGi.Oh. cards.

Bailen
Garden City Second Grader

Dear Santa,
I would like some of these gifts: a bike, a ameracin doll, a glow in the dorkc soccerball, a password door, a moder scooder, "50,000" dolers, "CD" player, pinsels, water botel, desk, droling set, digedel camra, pass-word book, password pin-sel, password math set, password droling set, self-one, my own Christmas tree, tran tikist, a stuff elf, real elf, pass word clothes, dog clothes, kitty clothes.

Your friend,
Hope Halfman
Garden City Second Grader

Dear Santa,
I been a good boy I would like a these Gifts: a Gamboy, Skateboard, and a popin-gun, new shoes, x-box.

Love,
Isaiah
Garden City Second Grader

Dear Santa,
I would like these gifts: a gocart, a popgun, a fake toy puppy, a pad of base-ball cards and a fooball cards.

Your friend,
Tristin,
Garden City Second Grader

Dear Santa,
I would like some of these gifts: some skats, password jurnle, 90,000 dollars, pass word door, club house, A new car, A doodle bear, A glowe in the dark basketball, pencels, markers, water botle, my own droling set, camara, pass word book, pass word pencele, pass

word droling set, my own selfone, my own christmas tree, 400 trane tickats, a rain deor, a elf, pass word clothes, kitty clothes.

You friend,
Brooklyn Garden city second grader.

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy and. I had be eh good in school i would like a dirt bike, bike. And a go-cart and a skateboard.

Your friend,
Isaac
Garden City Second Grade

Dear Santa Clause,
This year I have been a REALLY REALLY good girl! This year for Christmas I would like a plazma screen, a password door, a x,box, a new pair of skates, and a firefly. If you don't bring everything it is okay.

The nicest kid in the world,
Carlie
Garden City Secend Grader

Dear Santa,
I thing I been god. Becus I helpet my dad and mom. I would like these gifts: a boling ball board gam, a rmokchrol forwiler, a litle motle of a dirt bike in my stoking.

Your friend,
Colton
Garder City Second Grader
Ho Ho Ho

Dear Santa,
How are you doing today? Are you making toys for the children? How is Mrs Clause doing? Are the elfs doing good?

Santa I am a good girl and I help my mom do her work. I would like a wagon, Santa Clause. I hope you have a good Christmas.
Love Karen,
Second Grade
Garden City

Dear Santa,
I have ben a good girl. I want a T.V. so I can wach T.V. I want a coat so I can go outside PLeas. I want a doll house. I want a ease baking hovin. One more hting I want a doll.

Love Emily
Emily Glass
Garden City second Grader.

Dear Santa,
I have been a very very good boy! Now this some things I want a mini motorcycle Lego Star Wars, and taken 5.

Love Hugo Almazan
Garden city Second Grader
Happy Christmas!
Ho Ho Ho!

Dear Santa,
How are you? Are you so busy making toys? How is Mrs. Clause is she okay? How is it going with the elfs? are they macking so much toy's?

I have bin a good girl? I want a Chicken Limbo and a tainpoling. And a chackit. a computer of Barbie.

I hope you have a merry Christmas. And a happy new year.
Love
Ruby
Garden City Second Grade

Dear Santa,
I want a control remote helicopter. To tie a string to the helicopter. And a hook tied to the string. And rescue little toy soldiers out of people's hair.

From
Sixto

Garden City Second Graders.

Dear Santa,
May I have a skatbord so I can ride it. May I have a toy. May I have a bick.

Your friend,
Damian
Garden City Second Grader
Sincerely,

Dear Santa,
I have been realy good. I would like these gifts: I want a twenty twenty Rifle to shoot with my dad. I also want a fake cash register with fake money in it. I also want a printer for my computer and those plugs that can hook into the wall and I think it has 8 plugs.

Sincerely
Christopher Murphy-Reed
Garden City Second Grader

Dear Santa,
I been a good girl. I want a password book and a puppy and a game a fake money, phone, doll, bicycle

Love Elizabeth,
Garden City Second Grader

Dear Santa,
I want Santa Clause, Dora the Explorer, Dora car, umbrella, race car, airplane, markers, my mommy and daddy to have umbrella.

Love,
Kiara
4 years old
Howard Cottage

Dear Santa,
I want choo-choo train, race car, a necklace with star and rubbies, crown, a bell, clothes, Spiderman clothes, toy dinosaur, blue scissors, paper, Spiderman toy.

Love Jaxon
4 years old
Howard Cottage

Dear Santa
Ah big new Batman Vengeance Bat mobile, new big Spiderman ship so I can go in space, A little food bucket with food.

Love,
Arturo
4 years old
Howard Cottage

Dear Santa,
I want Batman, Spiderman, cars, a book with blocks, puzzles, shoes, clothes, army men.

Love,
Aaric
4 years old

Dear Santa
I want ah Batman boat, a car, a race car, playing card games.

Love,
Jaiden
5 years old
Howard Cottage

Dear Santa,
I want a choo-choo train, police car, a letter for the train.

Love,
Donovan
4 years old
Howard Cottage

Dear Santa,
I want pancakes, syrup. A toy Barbie a black one and a white one, Sponge Bob Square Pants.

Love,
Mikahaela
4 years old
Howard Cottage

Dear Santa,
I want a toy anything Spiderman, Spiderman bike.

Love,
Joshua
4 years old
Howard Cottage

Dear Santa,
I want a present, a paper with colors so I can draw, I want a Care Bear a little pink one, paint, a shirt like Jaxon, some new tennis shoe, a book.

Love,
Amber
4 years old
Howard Cottage

Dear Santa,
I want a reindeer, a tracker toy, s Santa toy, sleigh, candy.

Love,
Dakota P.
4 years old
Howard Cottage

Dear Santa,
I want a fairy, a Bratz doll, a baby, and a Barbie, a lot of books, a baby that talks and dances, a baby Bratz doll, clothes for my baby.

Love,
Che'ly
4 years old
Howard Cottage

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Love,
Kiara
4 years old
Howard Cottage

Dear Santa,
I want a Batman Vengeance mobile, a Godzilla, a Batman mobil with change, a Spiderman suit and a hat.

Love,
Nicholas
4 years old
Howard Cottage

Dear Santa,
I want a Happy Song, boots, Dora, Dora and Nemo songs, Nemo video, a pink jacket.

Love,
Linda
4 years old
Howard Cottage

Dear Santa,
I want Batman motorcycle, and a Batman bike, Timmy the Teeth video, 2 TV's; car a little one, a little dirt bike, Batman clothes.

Love,
Dakota N.
5 years old
Howard Cottage

Dear Santa,
I want a candy, a Barbie doll, a witch toy, and Barbie toy, dolls, Superman movie, Scooby Doo.

Love,
Jocelyn,
4 years old
Howard Cottage

Dear Santa,
I want a toy choo-choo train, a truck, cash register, new wagon, and wheel barrel.

Love,
Bradon Hollingsworth

Love,
Michael
4 years old
Howard Cottage

Dear Santa,
My name is Trea Brackeen I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been good this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: a remote control monster truck, a bigger trampoline, and a box of race cars. I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the cookies and cheese I left out for you.

Love,
Trea Brackeen

Dear Santa,
My name is Ally Burnett. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been very good this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: fake make-up, a dolly, and a bed for my doll. I hope you have a safe trip and enjoy the cookies and milk I left out for you

Love,
Ally Burnett

Dear Santa,
My name is Daniela DeLuna. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been good this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: a baby doll, some books, and a movie. I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the cookies I left out for you.

Love,
Daniela DeLuna

Dear Santa,
My name is Derek Halfmann: I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been bad and kinda good this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: a race car, a football, and more blocks. I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the banana split I left out for you.

Love,
Derek Halfmann

Dear Santa,
My name is Bradon Hollingsworth. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been really good this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: a remote control motorcycle, a football guy that I can play with, and bearcat video game like Quinton has. I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the cookies and ice cream I left out for you.

Love,
Bradon Hollingsworth

Dear Santa,
My name is Devon Kinnibrugh. I am a

He Knows You've Been Good!
Santa and his reindeer are gearing up to bring you and yours lots of goodies this year.
We want to wish you a wonderful holiday and to thank you for being so good to us this past year!

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PEACE

We'd like to join Santa in a wish for happiness and peace on earth throughout this holiday season and beyond.

NOEL!

2111 Gregg St.
267-4111

kindergartener from Garden City. I have been like a little angel this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: a pink doodle bear, my very own frame to put a picture in, and some special make-up. I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the cookies and milk I left out for you.

Love,
Devon Kinnibrugh

Dear Santa,
My name is Trent McMillan. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been kind of good this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: a soft football, a tennis ball and some racquets, and a baseball and some baseball bats. I hope you have a safe trip and enjoy the cookies with icing I left out for you.

Love,
Marissa

Dear Santa,
My name is Josue Gutierrez. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been good this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: binoculars, new clothes, books. I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the cookies and milk I left out for you.

Love,
Trent McMillan

Dear Santa,
My name is Fred Mier. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been a little bit good this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: a bull monster truck, a racecar motorcycle, and a race car with a super charger. I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the animal crackers and coke I left out for you.

Love,
Fred Mier

Dear Santa,
My name is Jimmy Moore. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been good this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: a doodle monster, a brown teddy bear, a Mickey Mouse toy and some spider man toys. I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the milk and cookies I left out for you.

Love,
Jimmy Moore

Dear Santa,
My name is Christopher Sanchez. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been good this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: a Santa Claus toy, some block of toys, and a snowman. I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the peaches, chicken, and ice cream cones I left out for you.

Love,
Christopher Sanchez

Dear Santa,
My name is Kenzie Schaefer. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been very, very, good this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: some make-up (lipstick, blush, eyeliner, lip liner), a play cell phone, jewelry, and the baby that I saw at the new Wal-Mart. I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the candy and cookies I left out for you.

Love,
Kenzie Schaefer

Dear Santa,
My name is Xalli Sotelo. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been very good this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: a computer that I can play games on, a brass motorcycle, a real telephone, and a real camera. I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the cook-

ies, candy and milk I left out for you.

Love,
Xalli Sotelo

Dear Santa,
My name is Marissa Zuniga. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been a little good & a little bad this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: a game boy with a Princess & Palper game, a little white puppy, and a toy tiger (like a stuffed animal). I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the snowflake Christmas cookies and white milk-I left out for you.

Love,
Marissa

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Love,
Josue

Dear Santa,
My name is Jenny Portales. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been good this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: pizza to eat, baby dolls, and new earrings. I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the hamburger I left out for you.

Love,
Jenny

Dear Santa,
My name is Mediya Galan. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been super-duper good this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: Barbie dolls, toys and paint to paint with. I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the pizza I left out for you.

Love,
Mediya

Dear Santa,
My name is Matthew Halfman. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been good and bad this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: a 2450 tractor (wheel tractor with a hitch on back), new hunting clothes maybe, and a play fish that you can squirt water out with the bathtub. I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the strawberry Christmas cookies I left out for you.

Love,
Matthew

Dear Santa,
My name is Ashlie Clifton. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been good-good this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: new clothes, shoes, and a Barbie doll (that goes up on one of those deals and it spins with wings). I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the pizza and root beer I left out for you.

Love,
Ashlie

Dear Santa,
My name is Callie Petree. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been not just perfect, but I have been a little good this year. Santa

Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: a thing called a Berbie (when you say something it says something back to you), those square pads of paper for writing on, and \$10,000! I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the hot chocolate with bunch and bunch of marshmallows I left out for you.

Love,
Callie

Dear Santa,
My name is Allison Halfmann. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been pretty good this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: a new desk that I can play school on, a new baby set with a swing, carrier & stroller, and a mask that has lipstick on it (so that when I play with my baby I can be a mom). I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the brownies and star cookies I left out for you.

Love Allison

Dear Santa,
My name is Cade Braden. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been good this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: a little disk (for like if my dad needs me or something), a be-be gun, and a green four-wheeler. I hope you have a safe trip all the way back to the North Pole, and enjoy the chocolate chip cookies and white milk I left out for you. I want to say "thank you" for all the presents.

Love,
Cade

Dear Santa,
My name is Breanna Pittman. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been "a bunch of good" this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: a trampoline, a club house to play in, and a telescope to look up in the sky. I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the chocolate cookies and milk I left out for you.

Love,
Breanna

Dear Santa,
My name is Case Mount. I am a kindergartener from Garden City. I have been a little bit of bad, but mostly good this year. Santa Claus some things I might like for Christmas this year are: the Fusion crew, T-Rex Mountain, and a Robo-Rapter. I hope you have a safe trip, and enjoy the cookies with icing and Dr. Pepper I left out for you.

Love,
Case

Dear Santa,
Have you poot your Christmas tree up? The Cookies are on the table. Ples can i have a bratz. Ples can i have a dolls for my sister.

Love,
Nohemi,
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa,
I've ben very good. Is your sleigh packed. Ples bring me a barbe and a purge and a chereleader.

Love,
Annalexis
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa,
Is yor sleigh packed. Santa I Love yor prezits. Santa I wont a skodr.

Love,
Brittney
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa,
I've tried to be good. Ples briango me a bea bea gon.

Love,
Rodolfo
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa,
Santa wen are you coming? Santa has Mrs. Claus been good or bad. I want a barbie cheerleader And I want a has a Doro and I hope it has its family

Love,
Itzamara
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa?
I've tried to be good. Please bring me a duck. I will leave you some cookies

Love,
Lizabeth
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa,
Are your reindeer happy win it is Christmas? I hope I am vere good Pless bring me a barbey doll and a doll hase and pless some toys.

Love,
Agatha
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa,
I hope I am in the good list? is your sleigh parkt I wont a gameboy

Love,
Danny
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa,
I have been good with My frends. I have been helping my mom. If my mom Lets me put some cooky and milk and hay four the reindeer. PLES bring me a rado and a Brat and a Cheerddler

Love,
Diana
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa,
I have bin good. Is my name on the nice List? I hope that you will give me a trip wire PLeSe give me a go cart. PLeSe give me a bebe gun.

Love,
Justin
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa,
I hope you hav a safe trip. PLees can I have some moon sheos. PLees can I hav a band set. PLees can I hav a 22. hornet.

Love,
Brycen
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa,
Your presins whas good. I hope I'm on the good list. PLees can I have a xbox. PLees can I have a bbgun.

Love,
Riley
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa,
Haw is Rudolf? Is he doing fine. I hope he is. Will you bring me a Barb...doll.

Love,
Christy
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa,
Have I been good? Santa Rudolf is my favorite rain der. Ples bring a robo rapter. I left kooicies and milk under the tree. And a shell shocker

Love,
Jackson
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa,
I've benn ver good. I think I've benn good. I was thancing about you Wen I was beeing bad. I wanted to be good. I want a squshee peloe.

Love,
Lee
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa,
Ar your rander happy win it is Christmas? Are your elves happy this year? Please will you give me a fone. Please wil you give me a red radre sweet shrt.

Love,
Bethany
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa,
Have I been good this year? Are the elves working hard? I've tried to be good. Please give me a streeo. I hope I'm no the good list. My faimely and I will try to give you cookeis. I hope Im not on the bad list.

Love,
Kortney
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa,
I've tried to be good. I hope I am not on the bad list. My freinds ar good to me. Please get me a bebe gum. And I well give you some cookies

Love,
Quinton
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa,
I've been good This yere and I hope you bring me a 17 HMR. At Christmas this yere I wile poot some kooceis on the plate agan.

Love,
Austen
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa,
I've been very very good. I hope Im on the good list If Im not I'll be mad. Last yer Santa woke me up And thes yer Im geting a go-car. Don't forget my twenty two.

Love,
Ethan
Garden City
First Grader

Dear Santa,
I would like a RED fire truck. Sincerely,
Cortland
Howard Cottage Toddler Class
Mrs. Marty Whitworth & Mrs. Heidi Viscario

Dear Santa,
I want a car and a wagon..PULees.
from, Logan
Howard Cottage Toddler Class
Mrs. Marty Whitworth & Mrs. Heidi Viscario

Dear Santa,
Gimme a fire truck...OK mom...please
Mikaya
Howard Cottage Toddler Class
Mrs. Marty Whitworth & Mrs. Heidi Viscario

Dear Santa,
Tigger??? oh, and a fire truck.
Luv,
Ethan
Howard Cottage Toddler Class
Mrs. Marty Whitworth & Mrs. Heidi Viscario

Dear Santa,
I want to let you know what I want for Christmas.
Baby Doll
Dora doll

Dear Santa,
I would like boots, shoes, dolls, a ball, candy, a teddybear, a car, an orange firetruck, and some sausage please.
Little Kaylee
Howard Cottage Toddler Class
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ball. (I'm the one with the cookies."
Camryn
Howard Cottage Toddler Class
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Dear Santa,
I want a pretty bracelet...and a pencil.
Love, Mia
Howard Cottage Toddler Class
Mrs. Marty Whitworth & Mrs. Heidi Viscario

Dear Santa,
This is Gage, and I want a car, a car, a car, and a truck. Oh yeah, and don't hit my motorcycle with your sleigh this year,
Thax.
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Barbie
Lexsie Brehm
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Baeza
Mrs. Yanez

Dear Santa,
My Wish List: Barbie, Gameboy & a game, make up, new clothes, pajamas, watch, cover, necklace, toy puppy, books, alien, little pony, hello Kitty, coloring book, Carebear movie, Bratz, playdough, newshoes, pen, toy dishes, baby, playclothes, comfortable pillow.

Erynn Marquez
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Baeza
Mrs. Yanez

Dear Santa,
I would like Tommy the choo-choo train. I want a motorcycle and blue power ranger.

Love,
Daniel Roberts
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Baeza
Mrs. Yanez

Dear Santa,
For christmas I want a Barbie Magic of Pegasus doll. The magic of pegasus head. And I want a pink microphone. An Aaron Carter CD. Also a Fairy topia Barbie Doll and Disney princess CD plus a princess back pack. A big baby Bratz doll. A Bratz phone. Another talking horse. A doggy care dog and DVD.

Love,
Fe Perez
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Baeza
Mrs. Yanez

Dear Santa,
I have BEEN A GOOD GIRL I WANT A BARBIE COMPLETELY LOVE
Laura Romero
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Baeza
Mrs. Yanez

Dear Santa,
For Chrietmas I want: Gambeboy, A spiderman game because I broke mine, Santa to pass by my house and most of all, for all the kidi to enjoy x-mas like me.

Zavier Leos
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Baeza
Mrs. Yanez

Dear Santa,
I've been a good boy and I would like a few things. I want a dinosaur, bike, and a new little car.
Kristian Diaz
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Baeza
Mrs. Yanez

Dear Santa,
My name is Mariah for x-mas I want Shoes, Bratz chair, Brats Car, Easy Baker
Love
Mariah Gonzales
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Baeza
Mrs. Yanez

Dear Santa,
I want a bike
Tonya Garcia
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Baeza
Mrs. Yanez

Dear Santa
I want a ShortCake pillow, a carebear toy, for Christmas, Fire Truck, Cabbage Patch doll. I leave you milk and cookies
Love You
Anianna Kali Ornelas

Dear Santa. Ho, Ho, Ho
I am a good girl. I want a Dora Blanket, a little Cinderella back pack and some toys. Thank you.
Love,

Charity Diaz
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Baeza
Mrs. Yanez

DEAR SANTA,
I WOULD LIKE: A REMOTE CONTROL CAR AND A COPUTER FOR CHRISTMAS. And a bike

THANK YOU
MIKAL BANKS
Age 5
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Baeza
Mrs. Yanez

Dear Santa
For Christmas I would like a doodle Bear a Bratz doll and a Cinderella doll
Merry Christmas
Alexandria Leos
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Baeza
Mrs. Yanez

Dear Santa,
I want a Power Ranger. I want a donkey.
Christopher Rodriquez.
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Baeza
Mrs. Yanez

Dear Santa,
This year for Christmas I would like a Batman Bed set for my Room. Some Ninja turtles and some Ninja turtles P.J.'s. My favorite turtle is Raphael. I hope you can bring me these gifts for christmas.
Merry christmas
Sebastian Cervantez
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Baeza
Mrs. Yanez

Dear Santa,
All I want for Christmas is a motorcycle and a Herbe car ninga turtles
Thank You
Edward Guerro
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Baeza
Mrs. Yanez

Dear Santa,
I WANT LOTS AND LOTS OF TOYS. I WANT A BIG BICYCLE, DVD MOVIES, CLOTHES, SHOES AND GAMES FOR MY X-BOX.
MERRY CHRISTMAS
TRAVIS JOHNSON
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Baeza
Mrs. Yanez

Dear Santa,
I would like Dora car and skates because I have been a good little girl this year
Thank You
Santa
Alenna Sarmiento
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Baeza
Mrs. Yanez

Dear Santa,
I would like a Cinderella Bella, bike, Cinderella Coloring book and a castle with a horse.
Gabiella Medina
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Baeza
Mrs. Yanez

Dear Santa,
Merry Christmas! I would like a Spongebob Square pants "Ripped Pants" toy, some clothes and a dolly fo my baby sister.

Thank you.
Love,
Owen Presley Trevino-Richardson
2 1/2 years old

Dear Santa,
My name is Chloe and I would like a princess Barbie, a princess vanity and a new dolly for Christmas.
Thank you!
Love,
Chloe Rahn
2 1/2 years old

Dear Santa,
for X-mas this year. I

want nice a tox. Any kind will do! Thanx you. Merry Christmas to you and Mrs. Claus

Sincerely,
Giavonna Orega
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Rosas
Ms. Martinez

Dear Santa,
I would like a motorcycle to ride in my front yard. I would also like a race care with a remote control. I do would like a new puppy for x-mas. So I hope to see you soon Santa

Joshua Chavera
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Rosas
Ms. Martinez

Dear Santa,
My Wish List: gamecube & a game, a basket ball-shirt, dirt bike, wath, action figure, comfortable pillow, and a dog.

Jarred Marquez
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Rosas
Ms. Martinez

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want remote control cars baseball, bat Batman action figures Football.
From,
Marcus Zarroya
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Rosas
Ms. Martinez

Dear Santa,
Aaron Chapa's Wish List
1. Fire Truck
2. Car
3. Robot
4. Education Computer
DVC, CD or Video
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Rosas
Ms. Martinez

Dear Santa,
My Wish list is for a barbie car for Christmas.
My name is Keetona Olivas
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Rosas
Ms. Martinez

Dear Santa,
My name is Ronald and my wish list for Christmas is a bat man.
See You Soon.
Ronald Terrell
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Rosas
Ms. Martinez

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, please bring me a CD, a skateboard, also some balck windpants, a four wheeler and blue toys. I love you Santa Claus.
Your friend
Zack Schneider
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Rosas
Ms. Martinez

Dear Santa,
My Name is Rocky Ramirez and I am 4 years old and I would like to have a gameboy advance, a batmobile and a bicycle for Christmas. I'll leave some cookies out for you Santa.
I Love You Santa!
Rocky Ramirez
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Rosas
Ms. Martinez

Dear Santa,
I would like this stuff for Chrimas a Skate Board, Bike, TV, Jacks, Balls, Cowboy Boots CowBoyhat and a doll for my sister
William Leido
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Rosas
Ms. Martinez

Dear Santa,
I would like Mak-up for Christmas.
Briana Naranjo
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Rosas
Ms. Martinez

Dear Santa,
Would you Please bring me a Dora Kitchenset, Bratz Rock Angles Guitar, Bratz Rick Angel Doll and a Barbie. Please! Love
Honesty Mendez
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Rosas
Ms. Martinez

Dear Santa,
This year for Christmes I have been a very good girl. So my parents said I deserve to get every thing I want this year. I especially wnat a Dora Doll nad her playhouse for Christmas. I would also like a bike becuase I love to ride.

Thank you
Tatyana Johnson
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Rosas
Ms. Martinez

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl All year long. I really, really Love to have a Dora Kitchen Cinderella Stuff and NASCAR Stuff will do just fine.
Love,
Lisa Saenz
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Rosas
Ms. Martinez
P.S. I will leave cookies and milke for you.

Dear Santa,
I would like a small puppy and a Dora Doll for Christmas.
Love
Bianca Luna

Dear Santa,
My name is Damien and my wish list for Christmas is a Remote Control car, Batman, Longhorn Jacket.
See you soon...
Damien Cuellar
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Rosas
Ms. Martinez

Dear Santa,
My Wish list for Christmas is a pony and a Gameboy I will leave Cookies and Milk for you.
See you soon
Paige Starr
Lakeview Headstart
Mrs. Rosas
Ms. Martinez

Dear Santa,
How are you? How is your wife? Tell the elves I said "Hi and merry Christmas." I will leave you, your Favorite cookies and milk. This year may I have a Dora Stove and Fuby. Please
Your friend,
Chaside Gonzales
in pre-K at New Hope Christian School

Dear Santa,
I luv you. I want for Christmas a Pixie and a that little Rockstar thang and I want to ride on your sleigh. Merry Christmas!
Lov Kaithlynn
Ms. Long's
1st grade
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santa,
I love you Santa.
I want a dog Santa.
I want a cat.
I want a teh color box.
I want a game boy.
Santa,
Shelley
Ms. Long's
1st grade
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santa,
Merry Chistmas, I want a x-box, I want a spiderman soot, I want a spiderman toy and a doc oc toye.
Kagen
Ms. Long's
1st grade
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santa,
Thank you fro presents fro me. I want a game boy cartridge. I want a remote control car. I want a boock that has fairytales,
Timothy
Ms. Long's
1st grade
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santa,
I Love you Santa. I want Herbie. I want a Barbie. I want a tint. I want a Dog. Bergan,
Ms. Long's
1st grade
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santa,
I Love you. I want a furbee. Teddy Bears. Barbie guitar.
Merry Christmas
Maddelyn
Ms. Long's
1st grade
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a Bell for Christmas and taek me to the North Pole to meet sum of yor uelves and meet Rood of The Red Nous rander.
Love,
Dominique
Ms. Long's
1st grade
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santa,
How are you Santa? I want a game boy. I want a radio.
Merry Christmas Santa.
frhom Logan
Ms. Long's
1st grade
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santa,
How are you dooring at the Norht Pole? I want a dog in a hose. A Barbie compute. and a dans mat.
Paige
Ms. Long's
1st grade
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santa,
I Love you hello Santa. I want Herbie the remote control car. Doll car. Computer. Jeff Gordon shirt. Mackup.
Molly
Ms. Long's
1st grade
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santa,
I Love you! I want a gameboy, a ball, and a baseball cap. Merry Christmas!
Love,
Jesse
Ms. Long's
1st grade
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santa,
I Love you Santa.
Can I hav a Teddy Bear? Can I hav a priness doll that you sleep with?
Brianna
Ms. Long's
1st grade
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santa,
How are you dooung? I want an x-box. I want an Nintehdo DS. I want aun game. I Love you Santa.
Keegan
Ms. Long's
1st grade
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santa
How are you doing today Santa? I want a tent and a gam boy. I want a fish tank and a waterbed.
Merry Christmas Santa.
Bryce
Ms. Long's
1st grade
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santa,
Hello at the North Pole.

Can I Ples haf a tin & wit a flaskit and a sLeping bag and a wisl.

Brookie
Ms. Long's
1st grade
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santa,
Merry Christmas Santa. I Want a Teddy Bear and a Tint With a Brde Princess Phone. I love you.

Jessica
Ms. Long's
1st grade
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santa,
Thank you for the presents. I wnat a Nintendo DS. I want clothes. I want a TV taht comes iwht a remote.

Ava
I Love you Santa.
Ms. Long's
1st grade
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santas
I Love you Santa. I want cLothes, a game boy, and a baby doll.
Merry Christmas
Love,
Kimberly
Ms. Long's
1st grade
Kentwood Elementary

Dear Santa,
This year I have been a very good little boy. For Christmas I would like some toys. I really like video games, The Incredibles, Army men, Candy and Gameboy games. Me and my sister will leave you cookies and milk so you can have them when you visit us.
Love,
Gage Davidson
3 years old

Dear Santa, This year I been good. If you have it, I would like a mikroscope, and a telehone, new barbie cLothes, and a rugrats gameboy game. I will leave you cookies and milk.
Love,
Haleyana Davidson
Kentwood Elementary
First Grade

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a Spiderman game and a toy gun.
Thank You and Merry Christmas,
Love,
Robert
Moss Elementary
Ms. Clawson's
Kindergarten Class

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a collection of angel statues and a snow man.
Thank You and Merry Christmas,
Love
Estrella
Moss Elementary
Ms. Clawson's
Kindergarten Class

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a Dinosaur toy and a dog.
Thank You and Merry Christmas,
Love
Abel
Moss Elementary
Ms. Clawson's
Kindergarten Class

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a Princess Crown and a flag. Texas flag.
Thank You and Merry Christmas,
Love
Isabella
Moss Elementary
Ms. Clawson's
Kindergarten Class

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a guitar and a ring for my Mom.

Have A Vintage Season!
Here's hoping your holiday season is a truly memorable one. We know we're filled with fond memories as we recall the many kind people we've had the privilege to serve this year.
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610 Johnson 267-5151

Thank You and Merry Christmas,
Love
Dejuan Chapa
Moss Elementary
Ms. Clawson's
Kindergarten Class

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a King Kong game and a ring for Mom a diamond ring

Thank You and Merry Christmas,
Love
Nathan
Moss Elementary
Ms. Clawson's
Kindergarten Class

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a necklace with diamonds and a matching diamon.

Thank You and Merry Christmas,
Love
Yelena
Moss Elementary
Ms. Clawson's
Kindergarten Class

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a pair of skates and a Barbie T.V.

Thank You and Merry Christmas,
Love
Charli
Moss Elementary
Ms. Clawson's
Kindergarten Class

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a play station and a bunch of clothes, pants, shirt, and jogging shorts and suits.

Thank You and Merry Christmas,
Love,
Bobby
Moss Elementary
Ms. Clawson's
Kindergarten Class

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a couple of dolls and different color of paints.

Thank You and Merry Christmas,
Love
Lindsey
Moss Elementary
Ms. Clawson's
Kindergarten Class

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a Barbie doll and a ring for my Mom.

Thank You and Merry Christmas
Love
Autumn
Moss Elementary
Ms. Clawson's
Kindergarten Class

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a Power Ranger and a little puppy.

Thank You and Merry Christmas
Love
Chris
Moss Elementary
Ms. Clawson's
Kindergarten Class

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a new bed and a new computer.

Thank You and Merry Christmas,
Love
Brittany
Moss Elementary
Ms. Clawson's
Kindergarten Class

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a book about Santa and a computer.

Thank You and Merry Christmas,
Love
Taryn
Moss Elementary
Ms. Clawson's
Kindergarten Class

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a

game about frogs and a Super Mario Sunshine.
Thank You and Merry Christmas,
Love
Preston
Moss Elementary
Ms. Clawson's
Kindergarten Class

Dear Santa,
I hope you Come on Christmas and I will have a Mega Man and a Spirtman
Soota Luve,
Aaron
First Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I bin good. I Lick Christmas and I Lick toys. Me and my bruther, He Lost his backpack and He Lost His toys We Want toys.
Love
Mariah
First Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
Can I have a ese bac oven (Easy Bake Oven) for Christmas? And a slurpe makre, a flie dancr, too, and even an aert set. I hope you have a good Christmas.
Love
Hailey
First Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa, Dear Miss Claus
I want a friend. I want sum toys and I love my techr. I Love you Santa.
Love
Jessica
First Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a selfon (cell phone) that is rill. A Barbie car. A baby anabige. a macup kit. And a spechole (specially) you! ow, Thank you for bigning pupe.
Love,
Lauren
First Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa Claus,
I don't care what I get for Christmas this year. Let Mrs. Claus pick it out. I have been very, very, good this year. I love you.
Love,
Hannah
First Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa Claus
I wish you can give me lots of toys. Oh, and we made a lots of cookies.
Luv,
Emily
First Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I hunt my family to be together. And I whunt a lot of makeupe. Santa I Lov you, to giv me lot of toy.

Love,
Jasmine
First Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I wud lovit if u giv me a Brat from HEB and I wud luv it if wud giv it. If u wud genme a prisusess. Wud you gey me a tot of makup?

Luv,
Lauren
First Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I will giv you cookies and milk and I will give you a present for you. Can you giv present for me?

Love,
Thomas
First Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa Claus
Can you give me a doll and a Cutur (computer) and a ornaments. And you give me cookies. I luv you.
Luve,
Caitlan
First Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I lovu so much. I wil decrat (decorate) my christmas tree. I want a new PS2
Love
Conner
First Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa Claus
I want a car with flame on it. Check it if it is my size, bring it.
Love Nicholas
First Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want (1) theng—a Barbe cmputr, and any thing you get me cus I am not picky with wut I get.
Love
Faith
First Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I would like toys, friends.
Luv,
Marcus
First Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a little stuff dog, a picher of you and Miss Closs, a barbe car, a go cart, my dog a bone, my cat a ball. I want a makup sit. My dad wants a sweater. My grannie earring, my Dad wants a tooobx, Gradad want a tooob and Gordy want a football,
Valarie
7 years old
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a dog. I want to buy my Mom clothes, I want a new bike. I want clothes to. I am 7 years old. I want a cowboys shirt for my Dad.
Love,
Morgan
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a bike. My sister wants a book. I want a four wheeler. My dad a football. my bother a toy. my mom a cross. I will leave some cookies and milk for you. I want a xbox.
Love,
Jeremiah
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I would like two games. Some toys and some moivies. Some books. My brother would like a xbx. My mom would like a ring. My dad would like a tool set. how is misses claus.
Love Santa,
George
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I would like a bike, a clock, a barbie house. Please get my sister a Strawberry Short cake, house, A dress, that says Love on it for my mom. Please get my dad and brother a taxito. My Thia lives in San Antio. and please get her a shirt, that says, Love, on it.
Love,
Makaylah Ramos
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a skooter, a bike, a clock, a barbie house. Please get my sister a Strawberry Short cake, house, A dress, that says Love on it for my mom. Please get my dad and brother a taxito. My Thia lives in San Antio. and please get her a shirt, that says, Love, on it.
Love,
Patricia
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I will giv you cookies and milk and I will give you a present for you. Can you giv present for me?

Love,
Thomas
First Grade
Moss Elementary

also how is Roddh. I know the song. If you can send me a letter back. I don't know what i want.
Love,
Audrey
p.s. what kind of cookies do you like.
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
Please breang my sister something. Breng my Grandma an Angl to. My Grandpa a new cher. You a new belt My mom a house.
Love Dario
I will leve cookies to.
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
Will you bring my sistr a squooshee peloe. Will you bring my mom a fusee blaky. Will you bring my dad a paint reemoovr. Will you bring my dog a bone.
Love,
Makenzie
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a videonow Xp and games for my pixter. My brother wants a tietack. My Mom wants a neckless. My Dad wants a new set of tools. Have a Merry Christmas to you.
Love,
Madison, Age 7
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I would like 7 tickits to go to Six Flags. I hope you have a Merry Christmas.
Love,
Kaytlin, Age 8
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a dog. I want to buy my Mom clothes, I want a new bike. I want clothes to. I am 7 years old. I want a cowboys shirt for my Dad.
Love,
Morgan
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a Longhorns shirt and a ring for my mom. I want a box of tools for my dad and a football for my brother.
Love,
Noah
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a four-wheeler. I want it to be orange, black and gray. Please bring some gas to. My dad wants the same kind. We both want a Honda. I am 8 years old.
Love,
Toby
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a chapalyn and something for my mom. Something for dady too. Soemthing for my brother and sisters. My famaly hopes that you have a good Crismes.
Love,
Patricia
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want my sittrs to have the boll that they allwess wanted. I want a Megasod. My dog to have a squeke-toy. My om have that she

allwass whanted.
Love,
Elias, Age 9
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I love you. Please bring my mom a cross to hang on her wall. Please bring my dad a tool box. Please bring my brouther a love seat. Please bring my nefyou a toy. I'm good.
Love,
JaCee
I'm 7 years old.
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a bike. My mom wanst earrings. My dad wanst a new box tools. oh Santa I'll leav you some cookies and Milk. Santa Leav a preasant for my sister.
Love,
Fernando
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a Santa Clas slippers and a raindere bed. I want a snowman toy box and a santa clas pigge bank. A kitten toy for tabbei. My mom wants a jewy box and may dad wants a tool box. My brother wants a new bike.
Love,
Julia
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
Can you get my mom a radio. I wan't a doll and i want a spongbobg. my mom wants a ring. Can you my sister a bike. Can you get my dad a tv. I am seven.
Love,
Virginia
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
I want a Pogo stick For my sister I want to get her a barbie doll Waht I want my brother To get is a racecartrack I want too is for my dad Plese get my mother a ring get my teacher XbEBO
Love,
Michael
Ms. Majors
Second Grade
Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I want a race car track, a doldisk with yu-Go-ho cards, an Xbox and a new game for my playstason2. I hope you have a safe flit.
Love,
Joe, age 8
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
I want a corvet. It is a red one. It is at Walmart. How do you fit down the chimney?
Love,
Lisa, age 8
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
I would like an Xbox360, Transformers, Robot, Hot Wheels, Power Ranger, and a skateboard.
Thank You,
Kristan, Age 8
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
I wood like a Kitchen set, a lap-top, barbies and Kellys, and Candy land.
Love,
Lexie, age 8
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
I please bring me a dog big car Xboxs STARWARS Glvoes, little Football, bike. tv

Dominic, age 9
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Hi Santa,
Please bring me dvd big football, car big, xbox bike, Star Wars, dog.
Austin, age 9
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I want a little mouduskle, a coowBoys football, a basket ball, a drum, and a bike. I hope I am on the good list.
Love,
Jon, age 8
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want Goo, batobetolmon, blade blade, yu-Gi-oh cards. Does Misses Clas ride on the slay with you?
Love,
Shawn, age 8
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
Waht does rodoff do? Is rodoff good? I want a small game for my sister. I want a Bratz.
Love,
Miranda, age 7
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
I want a Bratz, a Barbey, a pool, an x-Box. How dos Santa fit up and down the Chimne?
Love,
Brianna, age 8
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
I want a Richin set I also want a Brat, and some candy. I want a Book, and a Bike.
Love,
Sidney, Age 8
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want yu-gi oh cards, an X-box, 360, a game room, bionicles, and a dimond. How is Mrs. Clase?
Love,
Anthony, age 7
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
For Chrismas, I want a pack of make up- and a lot of toys and markers. Can you get m a Ps2 and some games to-go with it? Can you tell my brother to come home Because I miss him?
Love,
Tristan, Age 8
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
I would like an Xbox360, Transformers, Robot, Hot Wheels, Power Ranger, and a skateboard.
Thank You,
Kristan, Age 8
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I wood like a Kitchen set, a lap-top, barbies and Kellys, and Candy land.
Love,
Lexie, age 8
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Best!
veive
asure
you.
Co.
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Dear Santa,
I want some Brats. I all so want some carebears Buth what I rilly rilly want is some toy. How are the raindears. How is Mrs Santa Claws.
Love,
Mary, age 7
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
I would like a bike, pant ballgun, and a X-box 360.
Love,
Riley, Age 7
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I want a laptop, mony Space Stuf, and Art splise. What does Mrs. Clos do?
Love
Dariuas, Age 7
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Dear santa,
What does Mrs. Claus do on christmas day? I do want a good christmas this year. THIS is what I want for christmas a doll, a swimming pool, a dog, a cat, a color book, and a box of crons.
Love,
Rosemary, Age 8
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How are you today? How is Miss Claus? I hope you are not sick For all the other Kids every one who is good give a good present Can I have a Robot or a football set? Circle wich one.
Love,
Melinda, age 7
Moss Elementry
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like a laptop, cell pone, a dog, \$20 for bills, a happy Christmas, a X-Box 360, psp, and a Kitchen sel.
Love
Shayna, age 8
p.s. what does Mrs. Claus do when it is Christmas?
Mrs. Thompkins
Moss Elementary
Second Grade

Stanton Elementary
Second Grade

Hi Santa for Christmas this year I would want a pink TV, and a pogo stick and some pink and purple rolerblads and thats all. I can't wayt until Christmas. I want some candy to please in my stoking. You are so nice becose you alwase bring toys to children. I have been a good girl this year.
Thank you.
Your friend,
Miranda Myrick

Dear Santa,
I want a high school football game. I want a gameboy PS. I want a PS3. I wnat a football ate. I wnat a game cube I want a xbox. I want a Football game and it is madin ob.
Your friend,
Estevan

Dear Santa,
I want a Sequent's pers, GameBoy, a Bratz limo, some limit too pants, Moder scoder, and a Bratz named Pana.
Your friend,
Monica Garza

Dear Santa,
I want a barby, DS, Chock boad, and a bratz

limo. I'm goog to leave cookies and milk. What cinde do you like?
Your friend,
Anastasia Aguirre

Dear Santa,
I want a dirt bike and a gameboy SP, games, a little TV and a pay stiontion 2 077 game. for the sp I want battle Feild 2. I want a new bike. I want a paint ball gun and a box of paint balls. I want a skate broad. I'll like a tool box for my dad tools iwth it. I want a fish tank that is 2 feet long and a army tank electric.
Your friend,
Wade Brantley

Dear Santa,
I want a new scooter, and a rremote controle car. I want a football socerball, and a baseball. I want a gameboy, X box, a new bikes and a labtop and a computer.
Your friend,
Taylor

Dear Santa,
This year I want a reamote control hummer and a game boy advance and a true crime in New York City on play station. and i ollow want a soccer ball. I ollow want a new raido. And I ollow want a new computer. I mostly want the reomote control hummer.
Your friend,
Eric Rodriguez

Dear Santa,
All I want for Christmas is a play Station game that goes to my playstatoin and that game is G+2. and My next one is a NFL football and a rrect football helmet. Also I need tell you Somthing those presents under my tree Thank you.
Your friend,
Timmy

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa, do you now want? I want a shellsockr and snick and go car. I also want a the Huld megumorf. Oh and want a Badalsip game. I also want a modribike.
Your friend,
Franciso Pena

Dear Santa,
What I want for Christmas Is a new bike and a duel disk for my cards. I want a new card dino A game Boy and a Play Station 2 and a robot with a remot And a 10 piece puzzle and a little Pirite game.
Your friend,
Damasio Gomez

Dear Santa,
I want a Amasing Amanda I want some sox. I wont some game boy games. I wont a sky denser. I wont a polly pocket. I wont some dresses and dresshows. I wont some Amidilea books. I wont a new bike. I want a computer.
Your friend,
Robin Beasley

Dear Santa,
I want a tree house that comes with a Rey. I want a jeep that goes 9lo04 miles. I want a electric scooter. I want electric play moteBicl. I want a real motersicl and keys. I want horses and Barbeyes.
Your friend,
Laci Long

Dear Santa,
I would like Pencil cases and a dirt bike and a sponisk robot Remote Controll car. And a boared game, and a Xbox 360, and a baseball. A brand new comeputer. And a game-cub game.

Your friend,
Donavan Armendarez

Dear Santa,
I want to have a puppy and a robot. I want a DARTH Vader changing vose mask, and a Fall the Tower. I also want Sand Timer
Your friend,
Xavier

Dear Santa,
This year I would like to get a big screen tv, a raido, a soda machine, a play station, a pair of boots, a puppy that would listen to what you say? I would like a movie it's name is chicken little, and a computer.
Your friend,
Xena

Dear Santa,
I want a game to Play out side but I whod like a new fooball suet, and a Xbox and a multe tap and some majic treehouse books, June B. Jones books, Jigsaw Jons Books, and a Fobball fat head and car of duty 2 big read ore. I also want a Jengbells from you, and a toy football player.
Your friend,
Austin Lee Hooper

Dear Santa,
I want a glasetashein 2 Oh a Xbox I wont a game cube and I wah to los of games. I wont a los of books.
Your friend,
Marcos Marquez

Dear Santa,
What I want for Christmas is a game boy advance.
Your friend,
Kristofer
Stanton Elementary

Dear Santa,
How are you? I want some markers, crayons, pencil, construction paper, mittens, jacket, hair clips, pony tails, earings, play make up.
Tristen Johnson

Dear Santa,
How are you doing. Do you like the North Pole. I have been bad to. I want a blue motorcycy and 200 dollars.
Aaron Garza

Dear Santa,
I want a football suit withn the pads and team Longhorn and work boots and I peat of underumet shirt and a football and a mouth pice.
Justin Riffe

Dear Santa,
I want a xbox for chistmas and a xbox gams tork Hallo-2 and ned for speed mast wanted a shel shoker and a snak go cart.
Dante Blake Dahl

Dear Santa,
I don't care what I get. What ever you would like to get me. But one thing I want a Tech basetball blanket and 20 dollars.
Whitney Bryan

Dear Santa,
I want a Pantmannin Jersey. A Eagle helmet and a Aggie Jersey, UT Jersey and Xbox 360. And A motorcyle. A A&M cap. A computer with a DVD player and A gift for my cousin in hevan Michael Almaza Love. And than RS to Mr. franklin, mis franklin hone Did a good work mr. franklin A dirt Bike and a Walkey Talkey. a new Playground for Stanton Martey Scholl and a gift card from Wal-Mart. a giif card at taro-get. A Play Station 2 at

each play groun how are the elffat the North pole. Say yes.
P.S. thanks for the presents.
Xavier Martinez

Dear Santa,
How are the raindear. An the elfs are they good. Im sorry ive been bad. Could you for give me Could you get me play station 2 and a tuckseato. If you get me it. I will give extra cookies and milk. A Another thing could you get me a dirt bike. and a new bike tire. plese be safe When you are travling. And have a very good week
Benjamin Crockett

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? I hope yor ara ding well. I want a big baby Bratz a stonking foll of toys a santa hat santa cloases a soccer ball soccer cloase Gorag
Kenna M. Gomez

Dear Santa,
I want a soccer ball foot-ball nerf tazzar tag gun a new glove some gerzoos and water guns toys no dalls no barbies a batman car a batman playset a rabin toy a teen titan toy and toy gun for rall of my brother and Tosh and Lindy nerf dart tag and a lot of teen titan toy a lot of play gun a lot of play dollers.
Seth Miller

Dear Santa,
I like ut stuff will you get it to me. I you lik US stuff just leve me a leter OK OK so leve me a lot of stuff, leve my dad sum A&M stuff, leve Miss Waldrop A&M, leve Alel UT Stuff, leve me a cell phone. If you will be nise will you leve me a puppy.
Olivia Turner

Dear Santa,
I will like if you wood give me a goatear. I will like you to give me a dog. And a Long hornes Jacket. And a football helmet of Texas Longhornes.
Abel Hernandez

Dear Santa,
I want to now how you are dowing. Can you tell me if I ben good. If I been bad you doent need to bring anything to me for Christmas. It's ok if you bring me somthing for christmas. I want a pink moter skooter. If you want to right a leter back it is all right with me. And I want to know how mis. claus is dowing. I want noting ells.
Amoret Saldana

Dear Santa,
How are the raindeers and rodof and the elfs PLease santa I want a Gold heart shaped Locket for chistmas. And a prinsses clock and a Beanbag color pink and a Barbe. And a new cheetah pilow. And a cheetah jack-it if you can nat find it then give me a soft fur cot. And a new bimen ring. And a new puppy if your whiching my family and if my mom says no do not give me it. And a Dallas cowboy cheerleader shirt. And some new pair of slipes I want it to be a cowboy slipers.
Your frend,
Ciandra Hernandez

Dear Santa,
How is your elves? I want a skateboard. I want a "Yu-Gi-Oh" to put on my wrist and a "Pokeman". This apple is for the reindeer. Some cookies for Santa Claus.
Your Friend,
Patrick R.

Dear Santa,
I would like a play math helper. How do the deers fly? Will you come to my house first? I would like to see you after Christmas. What does it look like at the North Pole. Does it look lik ice everywhere?
Love,
Sarinity, Age 7

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Dear Santa,
Can you get me the pair

Sponge Bob's work toy. I will leave some carrots out for your reindeer.
Your Friend,
Anthony G.

Dear Santa,
I love you. I want Bratz purse, Bratz make-up and a Bratz cover. I miss you.
Love,
Briana P.

Dear Santa,
I love you. How are you doing? Can you bring me a robot? I will leave your reindeer food.
Your Friend,
Bryce G.

Dear Santa,
I can't wait to see you. I would like "Shellshocker" and a choo-choo train. Maybe a Power Ranger, the red one. I am leaving you cookies, milk and a banana. I know you like bananas.
Your Friend,
Bryson

Dear Santa,
What is the weather like today? For Christmas I want a sonic Advanced 3 and a Twisted 2 game. I'm going to behave Extra good and I'll leave you Extra cookies.
Love,
Charlie C.

Dear Santa,
How are you today? How are your reindeers doing? I would like roller skates, my own computer, and my own stocking. I will have milk and cookies on my table. I will have carrots for your reindeer.
Love,
Hope A.

Dear Santa,
How is the weather? I wish you can buy me that computer because I will love you so much. I will leave milk and cookies and deer food for your deers. Are the elves working hard?
Love,
Isaac R.

Dear Santa,
I always love you. I would like to have a computer, a helicopter and a race horse. I wish this day was here.
Love,
John M.

Dear Santa,
How was your summer? Mine was fun. I like for you to bring me a "Dora" adventure, you can make her hair long and short. A "Mia Miguel", a "Sponge Bob." I will be gook and not fight. Here is reindeer food, cookie and milk for you.
Your Friend,
Megan R.

Dear Santa,
I'm going to make a snowman. I would like to have a Karaoke machine, a dolly and a table. I'll leave cookies and milk.
Your Friend,
Mikayla G.

Dear Santa,
Do you have snow? I would like some blocks and a book. Do you want a cookie?
Your Friend,
Niko R.

Dear Santa,
How is your elves? I want a skateboard. I want a "Yu-Gi-Oh" to put on my wrist and a "Pokeman". This apple is for the reindeer. Some cookies for Santa Claus.
Your Friend,
Patrick R.

Dear Santa,
Can you get me the pair

I love you. How are your elves doing? I would like a Barbie and a doll house. You are a very nice guy. I will leave the reindeer apples and you cookies and milk.
Your Friend,
Sydney E.

Dear Santa,
Thank you for being Santa Claus. I like you. Can I have a train, a new bike with flames and a new train track? I will leave you cookies and milk and an apple for all the reindeers.
Love,
Walker R.

Dear Santa,
Is the reindeer flying? Can you bring me a Playstation, a cartoon Ed, Ed, Eddie video game and Sponge Bob video game? I will leave reindeer food.
Your Friend,
Zachery M.

Dear Santa,
How is the reindeers? I would like a computer and a pretty radio. I will leave reindeer food.
Love your Friend,
Esperansa R.

Dear Santa,
Hows the elves doing? Do you have dirt bikes? I want me and my brother to have another one because our other one is a motorcycle. Can bring Walker something? I will leave chocolate chip cookies on the table and the reindeer food. Do they like bananas?
Your Friend,
Erik R.

Dear Santa,
How are the elves? Can you bring me a bike? I will leave some food for the reindeers.
Love,
Alyssa O.

Dear Santa,
How are the reindeer this year? I have been a good girl this year. For Christmas this year I would like a pair of roller skates, if it is not too much trouble. I hope the weather is not too cold for you this year. I will leave you some hot cocoa and cookies by the Christmas tree. Pleas say Hello to Mrs. Claus for me.
Your Friend,
Rubee B.

Dear Santa,
How are the elves? I have been good this year. If it is not too much trouble I would like some Bratz dolls this year. I will leave you some milk and cookies by the door along with a few apples for all the reindeer. Will you also give Rudolph a hug for me, he is my favorite reindeer.
Your Friend,
Odalys V.

Mrs. Watson's Class
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Moss Elementary

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a train but not a broken one. I believe in you and my sister does not listen at all, but still come.
Love Destinee, age 7

Dear Santa,
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Love,
Sarinity, Age 7

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Can you get me the pair

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of shoes with the wheels so I don't have to walk? A Christmas dress would be good so I can be petty. The Cheetalicious Chistmas, a scooter so I can ride to school by my self.

Love,
Bailee, Age 8

Dear Santa,
I want an Xbox and a Midnight Club. How are your reindeers? I like your reindeers.

Love,
Francisco, Age 8

Dear Santa,
I would like a game, CD, money, and a four wheeler. Happy Christmas.

Love,
-Lee, Age 8

Dear Santa,
I would like a cool car. I believe in you. I believe that your are nice. I wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Love,
Jacob, Age 8

Dear Santa,
I would like a new bike, a make-up kit, and a new dress. I would like a CD player, and a CD. I would like a doll. My brother and I would like a pixter.

Love,
Brooke, Age 7

Dear Santa,
Would you come to my house first? I would like a Gameboy, ball and a picture.

Love,
Matthew, Age 7

Dear Santa,
I would like a CD player and a CD because I love music so much. I would like an American Idol Camcorder because I want to be a star. Can you bring me a make-up kit?

Love,
Ebonie, Age 8

Dear Santa,
I want a Game Boy I saw Santa at the parade.

Love,
Ryan, Age 7

Dear Santa,
I would like a hot pink four wheeler with Mady on it I understand if you don't get me one. I wonder where you live in the North Pole. I hope you have a safe time.

Love,
Madyson, Age 8

Dear Santa,
I would like you to come to my house first. I would like an American Idol Camcorder, frisby, Jack Russell Puppy, gym suit, 100 Junie B. Jones books, shoes that turn into skates and a make up kit.

Love,
Faith P., Age 7

Dear Santa,
I would like a karaoke, a color pixter, a scooter, a tranpoline, Cheetalicious Christmas for Karaoke, Radio Disney 1 and 2, books, jewelry, a new bike, chicken little for karaoke, and a CD player.

Love,
Mikaela, Age 7

Dear Santa,
I would like a Falcons football helmet, a Texas Tech football helmet, and a Longhorns football helmet. I would also like a Falcons shirt and Falcons football. Have a Merry Christmas

I Love you,
Ben, Age 7

Dear Santa,
I love you. I don't know how many toys or animals we can get from you. I want a Steers cheerleader suit with pom poms. I want a parrot, shoes that turn into skates, and two beautiful dresses. I want a bunk bed and a thing that you open and a ballerina comes out and dances in circles.

Love,
Faith N., Age 8

Dear Santa Claus,
How are you reindeer? Are they well fed? If you

could I would like a motorscooter, Cheetalicious Chirstmas, TootsieRolls and a Scooby-Doo Calendar.

Love,
Dylan, Age 8

Dear Santa,
I would like gymnastic bars, a beam, a floor and a vault all in my front yard.

Love,
Emilie, Age 9

Dear Santa,
I would like a new bike, a Texas longhorns T-shirt and a Texas Tech T-shirt. Anyway enough about that now How is Ruddphthe Red Nosed reindeer? Is he doing good? Well if he is give me a call oops, I forgot that yall don't use Phones. Oh well you can just fax me ok.

Love,
Charisma, Age 8

Dear Santa,
I would like a XP, Playstation, Snowglobe, now I want you to choose for me Santa claus choose what is right. Please give my mom a necklace.

Love,
Toby, Age 8

Dear Santa
I want a go-cart, puppy, PS-2, PS-P, X-Box, Bicycle, Superman, -intendo, socks, shoes, bunk bed, and a dog

Blantyn
I love you

Dear Santa, I want puppy, PS-2, Bratz, X-Box Bicycle

Superman
Socksshoes
Bunkbed
dog.
Kaitlyn
I Luve You.

Dear Santa,
I want a Bratz doll for

Christmas. I am good.

Love,
Gloria

Dear Santa,
I want a Bratz doll her names is Jasmine, Sticky bolls Skirt

Love,
Jenavee

Dear Santa,
I want a X-Box and a play Station-2, and a go cart, and a bunk bed and a puppy.

Love,
Kyle

Dear Santa,
Merry Christmas. I want a Bratzps-p gocart.

I Love to Santa frm Brittany to Santa.
Brittany

Dear Santa,
I want a Bratz doll, puppy, car and a cat.

Louie

Misty

Dear Sata,
I want a x-box and a PS-P and can you get me a go-cart ps-2 and a bunk-bed, Shell Shocker and a GameBoy but the mostest thing that I want is a tank.

Love, Michael

Dear Santa,
I want a dog and Bratz and a cat and x-box.

I Love you.
Love,
Jaci

Dear Santa,
I want Bratz posters and Barbie poster and a real puppy.

Love, Astin

Dear Santa,
You are special. I woud like a dirtbike like a dirt bike scooter and a motor scooter.

Thanks,
Lorenzo

Dear Santa,
I want Locket.I want a dress.I want a gcart.
Love,
Rosha

Dear Santa
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Kitten neCKLace
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t i o n
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s.

Ron

Dear Santa,
I want a x-box and a PS-P and I want a play Station and I want to get a dog

Love,
Amanda

Dear Santa,
I want X-BOX, PSP, PS-2 and a puppy plyaStation-1
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Donte



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