

Christmas Time is Here Again!

# Season's Greetings

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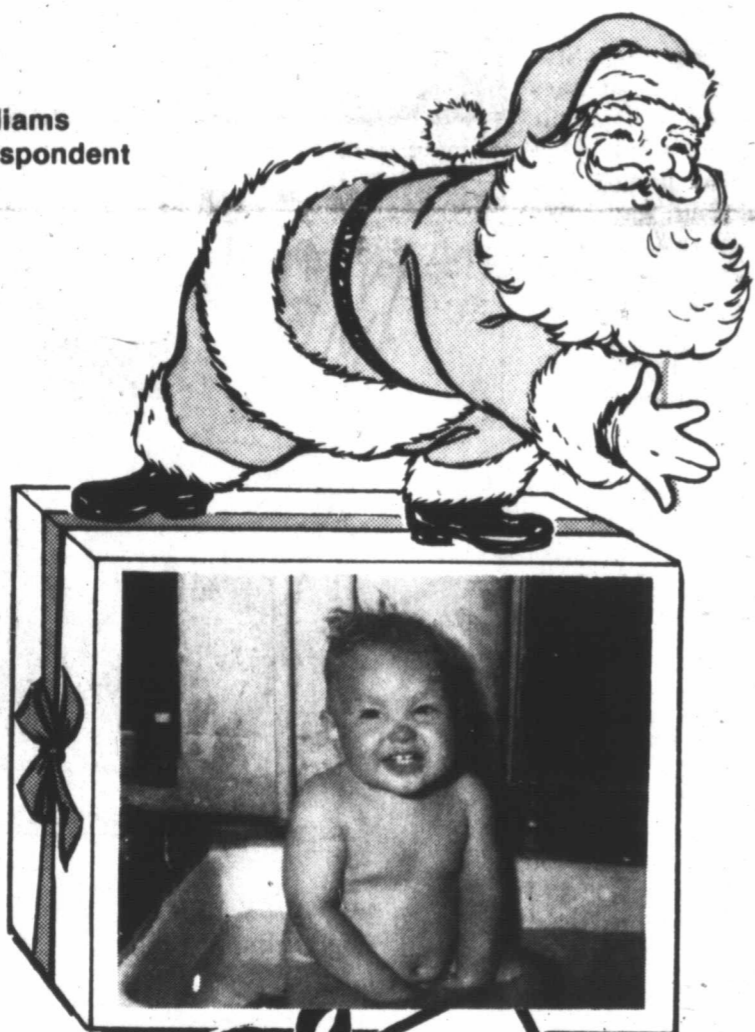
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Merry Christmas

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# Letters to Santa

Dear Santa,  
I bin hoppeg, that you weud git me a bike for crismis I hopp you wiell git me a bike for crismis.  
Love, Mike

Dear Santa,  
I wot suthern for cwismis it myt be a bik and a dool to and a bobl.  
Love, Jessica

Dear Santa  
I wot a pool tabo and a leve and a intindo and the a intindo taps.  
Love Santa, Scotty

Dear Santa,  
I what a toys and a book and a happy sheets.  
Victoria Santos

Dear Santa,  
I want a new bike and a new baby doll baby Hether. I have been good I love you Santa please bring me and I want a kitten.  
From Veronica Ronnie Salazar

Dear Santa,  
I want a fourwheeler and a kiten for Christmas, and a bike for Crhstmas and a ET video.  
I love you Santa Clous.  
From David

Dear Santa,  
I want a Nintendo and a road hoper and a walkman and talking football and baseball and a Ty and I have been good Santa.  
Jaybo. Webb

Dear Santa,  
I want a Nintendo.  
Manny

Dear Santa,  
I want baby Hether. I have been good. I love you Santa please bring me a bike air up. Plese bring my sistes a puppy.  
Your friend, Julie

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a new Baby Hether and a new jambox a new trouble a new color book a new poster.  
April Renteria

P.S. I love you Santa

Dear Santa,  
I want a bike and a doll and a game named trouble and a baribe and a swimming pool and some clothes. I love you Santa!  
Edna Gutierrez!

Dear Santa,  
I weeda Truble and a Baby Dol and a bike and a big ofcoco. sewing machine! A jambox and a baby Hether.  
Dondie

Dear Santa,  
I want a E.T. move I want a jambox and a new bike and a new doll.  
Love, Maria

Dear Santa,  
I want a Baoy Hether. and E.T. video and a big Bottle coco!! and a dog and a new bike and a jack in the box: and Baby doll. Truble. Nintendo. radio.  
Kayla Truitt

P.S. I love you, Santa

Dear Santa,  
I want a bike. And a jambox a car a truck and tractors. and E.t. video.  
John Velasquez

Dear Santa,  
I want trouble and bike and a doll.  
Staci Ann Olvera

Dear Santa,  
I want a protor pack and a turbo hopper and a nintendo with a lot of games and I would like for you to bring my sister Amber, a baby talk. I would also like for you to bring my dad an electric tool set and for you to bring my mom a set of gold earrings with diamonds in the middle. I forget to tell you that I also want a double dare game and the whoe ghostbuster set and a four wheeler.  
Love, Britt Childress

Dear Santa,  
My name is Jill. I want a Jack in the box. A hungry hungry hippo game. I also want a white baby rabbit, some boots, a baby cry baby doll. I also want a big rocken horse. I want a tent so I can sleep in it. I want a big bicycle. I also want a white baby cat. I also want a playgun. I also want a bunch of sweaters. I also want a bunch of T-shirts, a play kitten, and a big playhouse. I also want a baby black puppy. I also want a jungle jim, and a real house.  
Love you Santa, Jill Clark

Dear Santa,  
My name is Whitney I'm a Student from O'Donnell Elementary and I would like you to bring me a purple bicycle, and a kids R-U's doll. I would also like a Red Cadillac for mommy, and some cologne for daddy and please bring my older sister a ne basketball goal. that's all I want this year.  
Thank you.  
good by for now, Whitney Hughes

Dear Santa,  
Hi! I think I been a very boy. I would want a jambox plus a dump truck the color of Elve Tonkyo.  
Love, Joe Medrano

Dear Santa,  
I would like a bike for Christmas. I would like it to be pink. I would also like a scooter. I would like a scooter. I would also like to have a barbie doll and a Ken doll. I would like for you to bring my mom a neckless. I would like you to bring my sister a double dare game.  
Love, Nikki Sanchez

Dear Santa,  
Hi, my name is Belinda. I have been a good little girl. I want a cabbage patch kid, and a 4-wheeler. I'd like you to bring my mom and dad a truck. Well, I hope I get my things, I love you.  
Love, Belinda Salazar

Dear Santa,  
I would like a blue bicycle and a lot of gifts. I have a brother and I want him to get a bike to so that we can go riding, and my little sister a doll. For my dad I want him to get a big blue bike to. Then after we all get bikes, we can all ride bikes. For my mother I want her to have a dress.  
Love always, Cavet Barron

Dear Santa,  
My name is Eunice. I want a rabbie. I also want some clothes and blue jeans. I want a big teddy bear. I would also love to have a big play house that has toys and a barbie doll. I want to get my mom a big dog so it could take care of her. I would love to have a baby cat.  
Love you Santa, Eunice Cenavarro



# Christmas Greetings

It's all around — that Christmas feeling! May it fill your holiday with warmth, joy and loving thoughts. We hope you enjoy this time to the fullest.

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# Letters To Santa



Dear Santa,  
I hope that you will get Michael a top gun cassette for the Nintendo set. Rudy wants super Mario Bros. Jhon Fred wants a dombuggy.  
Love, Dan Solorzano

Dear Santa,  
My name is Ruben. I am 10 years old and I have been a good boy this year. Please bring me a remote control car and a remote control airplane. please bring something nice for Chris and my mother and my dad.  
Thank you, Ruben Morin

Dear Santa,  
I wish that you can give me a bike and I will give you a present to ok. And I want a jambox.  
Love, Porfirio Vargas

Dear Santa,  
I would like to have a keyboard, and a computer, a stereo.  
Love, Nichole Garcia

Dear Santa,  
I want a bouncing baby for Christmas. And a new play house.  
love, Jessica Flores

Dear Santa,  
I'd like a baby sister an I want a dobermenshepherd. Most of all I'd like a girls red tenspeed.  
Love, Shelia Cain

Dear Santa,  
How are you doing up there so high. Do you know what I want for Christmas a VCR and for my family I want a stereo. Tell the reindeers Hi and I also want to say Hi to the elves. Have a Merry Christmas.  
Love, Jennifer Lynn Dotson

Dear Santa,  
For Christmas I would like to have a bike and a jambox and another thing is a barby doll.  
Love, Veronica Qunitero

Dear Santa,  
I hope you are fine this year. For Christmas I would like a dog and phone. I hope you would wright me back.  
Your friend, Philip A. Vickers

Dear Santa,  
For Christmas i would like to have a safty dart board so my family and i can have fun with. I will like to have a coputer so i can feagyer out tings and so my parents will have fun with. And also i will like to have a game cald Nentendo so my parents can have a very fun time.  
Frank Salinas

Dear Santa,  
I want a red carvette and a bike and a computer.  
Gene DeLeon

Dear Santa,  
I would like a Barbie Icecream Shop and a Ken doll. Could I also have a Cabbage Patch Mix and Match game. Love you very much. Have a nice Christmas.  
Love, Amber Wright

Dear Santa,  
I would like a computer. I would like a nintendo.  
Justin Griffin

Dear Santa,  
I hope our new hoes that is a present from Dad will be good. and I hope I get a Brige.  
Love, Bradley Lankford

Dear Santa,  
How are your raindear are they doing fine. I hope you are to. Is roodof's nose steel shinging. Is mrs. Santa steel cooking. I hope the elfs art working to harde. For Christmas I wold like to have a Dobbie Dear gmae or picktoryary. I might be in oklahoma on Christmas day so come there to and my cosin lives in wethrfor she will be in shatok with me. I will be happy to see my cosins and ant my unkl will be there to. but what I want most is for my hole family to be together.  
Love, Krystin Kelln

Dear Santa,  
I would like to have a jambox for christmas and some warm clothes, jewelry, shoes, ball, and a watch.  
Love, Betty

Dear Santa,  
I have been good all year. How are you doing. This is what I want for Christmas. A blue and black bike and a texas tech sweater and a balor sweater to. Also a molt control car. Happy Christmas to you Mr. and Mrs. Santa claws. I will leave some milk and cookies.  
Love your friend  
Steve Wisman

Dear Santa,  
I have been very good. I want a little mis make-up, a horn for my bike a radio a light and Say hi to Mrs. Claus.  
Love, Amy Lenore Sanchez

Dear Santa,  
I have been very good this year. I wish I could have a big house and a computer a dog a cheetah a tiger a lion a monkey a river a new bike a horse a rabbit a big whale a new coat a water bed a panther.  
Your friend, Jose Luna

Dear Santa,  
I have been good for christmas I want some boots like the ones I told my mom to by saterday and a barbey in a rocker with a watch in side of the box and also some closs short scirts and some new shoes like high tops and say hi to Mrs. santa.  
Love, Cecilia Gutierrez

Dear Santa,  
I want a Nintendo and a gocar. A computer to I almost forgot a jambox.  
Love, Charles Charboneave

Dear Santa,  
For Christmas I want a pair of pastel pink ropers. I also want a tenspeed bicycle and a jean jacket. That is all I want this year. Hope Mrs. Claus is doing fine.  
Love, April Lynn Braddock

Dear Santa,  
I have been very good this year. It will be okay if I do not get every thing I want for Christmas. Now I'll tell you what I want. I want a scooter a walkman the tape footloose some clothes and the game hotel. Well thats my list, I hope its not to much for you I'll leave cookies and milk for you and your reindeer. You can take some back for Mrs. Santa. Well by!  
Love, Jenny Jay

Dear Santa,  
I want a nitendo and a 22 gun.  
love, Wesley

Dear Santa,  
I want a bebe gun a Thracker set a constrishen set a omerger and a bigfor a 50 sinvin sheve and a Gocar and a threeweler and a dioridrahmoncr and a flashlight.  
Love, Gabriel Benavidez

Dear Santa,  
I have been a very good boy this year. For christmas i want a drum set. How is Mrs. Claus is she doing fine well i hope so. Well I will have to write you back sometime next year. I will have to go now see you next year.  
Rocky Moore

Dear Santa  
How's Mrs. Claus? I'de like only one thing this year out of these, an Nintindo with the games comando and breakthror or a apple IIe computer. That movei they made about you was great! Well I'll be waiting. P.S. Your raindeer can eat are grass if they will eat dry grass.  
Your friend, Gary Gandy

Dear Santa,  
I have been very nice this year. I want a new bike, and a radio, alarm clocok I want some computer games too. I want some new boots. Our class has been so nice it deserves a surprise.  
Love your friend,  
Davy Stone

Dear Santa,  
I have been very good this year. So I would like you to put new tubes in my stocking and I would like a heater for my bedroom. I one more thing, I will reminde my dad to turn the christmas lights on the tree.  
Your friend,  
Sarah Dawn Stringer

Dear Santa,  
I want a zillion dollars. I want a motorcycle a pit bullddog or a rottweiler, a 350 4-wheeler, porsha a boa constrictor a billion dollars a trillion dollars a million dollars and that's all I want.  
Love, Dude (Jeremy)

Dear Santa,  
I have been goot this year. I want a computer and I my falim.  
From Jessica

Dear Santa,  
I want trans former. I want a teddy bear. I want a back Pack.  
Love,  
Mike Muniz

Dear Santa,  
I want a BigFoot. and I want a train. and I want a bad car. and I want a truck. and I want a mot conchroll bike  
Love,  
Jaime Ortega

Dear Santa,  
I want a keyboard. And rado andd a christmas rabbie. And rudolph the red nosed reindeer that woks and plays a song. A christmas bera. A desk and a woking santa. And a playdog and a bike  
Merry christmas,  
From Ginger Tedder  
love Ginger Tedder

Happy Holidays!

**REJOICE**  
May the wonder of the season bring joy to everyone this Christmas. All best wishes!  
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# Letters To Santa



Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a baby secret and dress'n dazzle and a pertiander. Thank you for that doll. I still have it. How are you and how is Mrs. Santa an how are all the elves and randers? Eyeryone in my class has been good (my teacher has been good too!) Lrnezoz want's a bike and a toy

Santa Claus, me too. My mom has been good my dad has been good. My mom wants a ring my dad wants a belt. My nanny has been good she wants a play toy of you and Mrs. Santa. My papa is good he wants a new belt. I love all of you.  
Love Virginia

Dear Santa,  
Thank you for the toys you gave me last year. Have I bin bad this year? How is mrs. claus? How are the reindeers? I would like a gun, a bike a pack of micro machinies a new football.  
From Jacob Wiebe

Dear Santa Claus,  
How is everybody? I'm fine. Are you ready for Christmas to come? I know I am. I can't wait for you to come. Well I think I ought t tell the two things I wnat for Christmas a Hungry-Hungry hippo game and a sorry! game. Well that's all I want to say.  
Love, Linds Clark

Dear Santa,  
Thank you for the toy? But most of all I jest want to write nice. No toys, jest to write nice. And that is all! And one morn thing a pelet gun. Thank you.  
Love, Lupe

Dear Santa,  
I am bad. I never fiansh my work. I wals get lits to at home. well after school I go to work at the morigel trucks. whet I do us pick up the cotton. at school I been bad. at work I am good. if you give me what I want I will be good. taht I want a ruat comel amen that all I want. and I want my father tow play mor. I want to danct with someone. you don't know I like her two that all.  
Love, Miguel

Dear Santa,  
I want "Old Baseball card." How are your Reindeer? How is Ms. Claus? Has anyone had a cold yet? Have you built a snowman? How do your Raindeer fly? I have been very nice. Have you been nice Santa? Our class got a free coke because



we had no absents. And we got another coke because we all made a hundred on our spelling test and that was good! How are your elves? Have you seen How Ernest Saves Christmas. I like when he says, the only thing that can stop us is, air brakes hu! hu! hu! And I want a new pair of glasses because I broke them playing football. It was bad. Two times in a row.  
Love, Eric Gandy

Dear Saint Nick,  
How are you? Are the elves busy? How is everybody up there? Did my grandpa get up their ok? Have I been good enough to get a present from you? If I haven't I will understand. But if I have I

want Nintido set, or a supper terblo train set, or a X2 440 Magnum champion ship or a Zero Gravity cliff hagers.  
From your pal, Stefanie T. P.S. Merry Christmas. I love you.

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a scooter and a TV and a rea mont control car How is Mrs. Santa How is dancer please write soon.  
Love, Ronnie

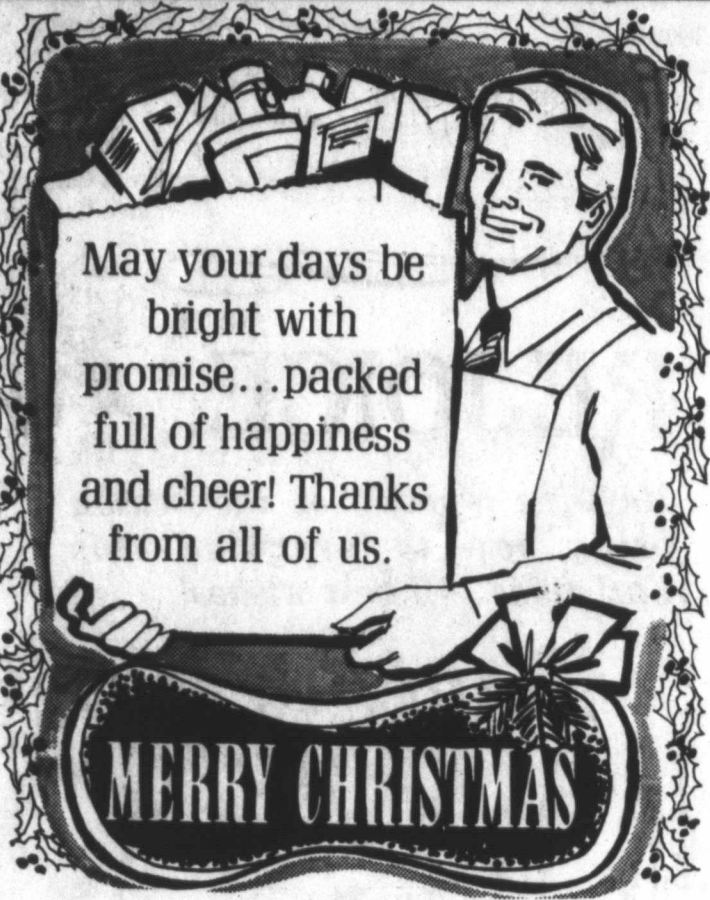
Dear Santa Claus,  
Can you bring me a barbie. And I want a bug busy puzzle. But you please bring me a jam-box to. And bring me a teddy bear to. And bring a picture about you and Mrs. Claus. And I

want a ball. And I want a globe. And I want a video about Santa Claus. And I want a panda bear. but I don't want a real panda bear I want a play one. But bring me a bike to ok. I'm good sometimes bad to.

Thank you, Gaby Ayala P.S. How are you doing Santa?

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a computer game and a camera to. And thank you for a cabech pach that talks. This year I would like some batres for my Teddy Ruxpin and Reading tapes. So, how is the deers? How is Mrs. Claus? And thake you for the LaBamba tape to.

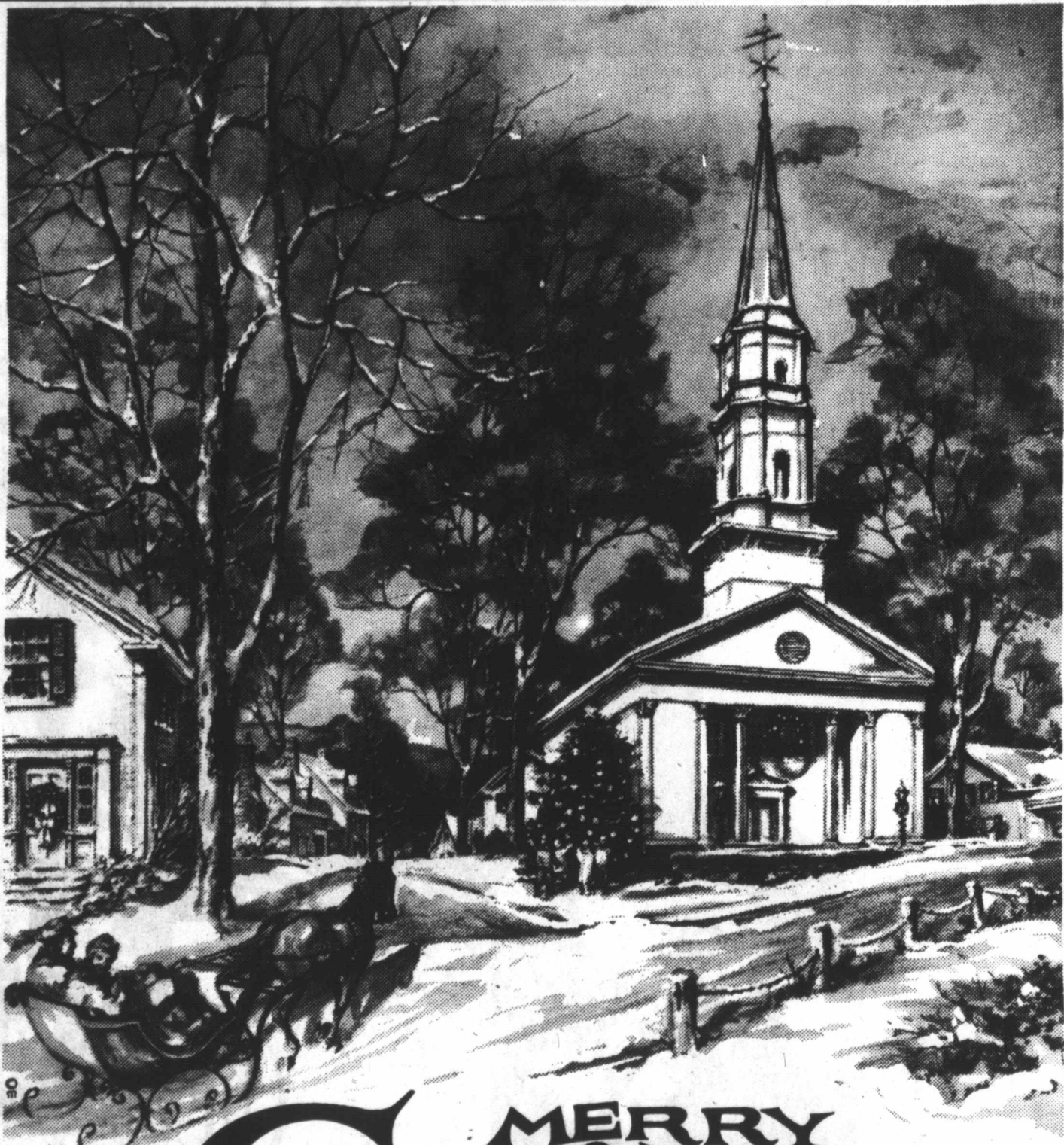
I Love You, Adriana H.



May your days be bright with promise...packed full of happiness and cheer! Thanks from all of us.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

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# MERRY CHRISTMAS

In the spirit of the season we bestow on all our neighbors and friends this wish - a blessed Yule, filled with special moments to be enjoyed with the folks you love.

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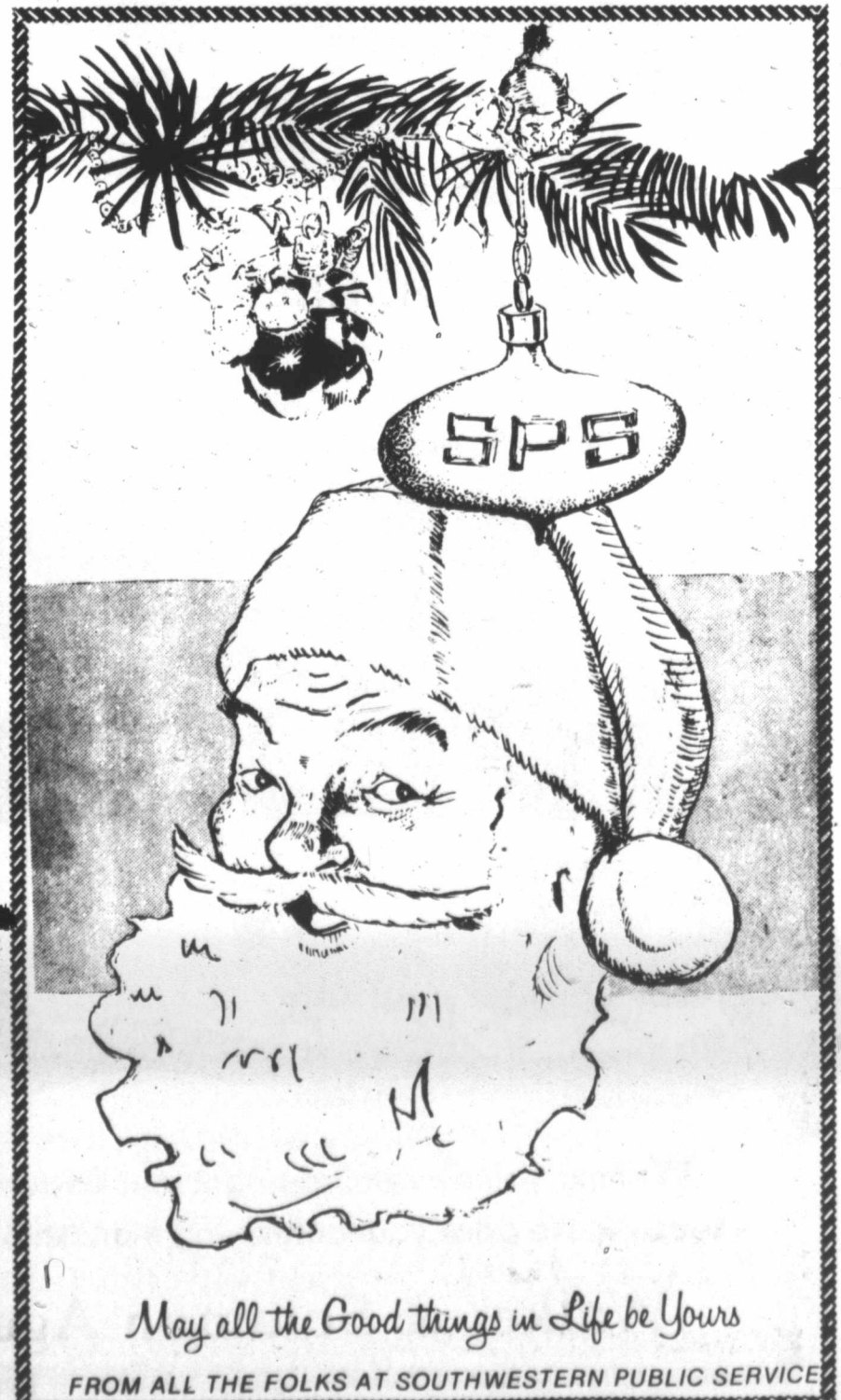
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## Warm Wishes

Here are some old-fashioned greetings to you and yours for the merriest Christmas!

DR. RICHARD WHITE  
Karen and Kim



May all the Good things in Life be Yours

FROM ALL THE FOLKS AT SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE

## Letters To Santa...

Dear Santa,  
Can you please bring me a doll. And a skooter and a swing pool. And if you could give me a picture please. I had been bad and I am going to be good. I want a jambox. I want a video gam. I want a kit and some shoe. I want some new clothes. I wood like a bike.

Have a Merry Christmas.  
Love, Miranda Villaneuva

Dear Santa,  
How ar you this Christmas? I hop you can come to my house. And how is Rotf the rea-nos raind and lets its time to tell you wat I want for Christmas. I want a reenymoth control big foot and a play gun or a coloring book or a new bike. Or a new truk for my grandpal.

Love, Mack G.

Dear Santa,  
I have sarted to be good for a

little while. So I guess you will bring me some toys. I want a niten-do and a new kite an that is all I want.

Love, Courtney Jadd Stidham

Dear Santa,  
How are you doing? And how are your rain dears. I want a bike, a cat, and a dog and a frog and this is my baby cuzun frst christmas!

I love you Santa Claus.  
Lov, Eric Cruz

Dear Santa,  
How are you how is ms. Santa and the elves oh how is Rudolf I hope hes fine I've ben good all year oh and thank you for the fwoeruer girl and th raigs this is what I whot for curssmus and monopoly game and a computer that all I'll wright back.

From Joyce

Dear Santa,  
I want a roller skates, but white. And I want some watches and a puppy and a cat. And I want a horse. And thats all I want and I want to tell you that I've ben good.

Love, Pricilla Navarro

Dear Santa Claus,  
For christmas I want a Big foot a pant shirt, and ninja, a dinarroors tap, a mote control car. a four wheeler a white hausky and nath book. for and have a Merry Chistmas.

Love Joe Vasquez

Dear Santa,  
I want a play jeep, T.V. some boxing gloves and a punching bag. I also would like a football helmet, should pads, football shirt and pants. My little brother Josh want a train and tricycle.

Love, Cody Dorman  
Josh Dorman

Der Santa Claus,  
I want a football and a Gi Joe. and a car and a big foot and a ball. and a truck and a cat and a dog I want peeue I want a Dinosaur. I want a bike.

Santos Luna

Dear Santa,  
I wot a bike and a horse to ride no it. And a boats.

Raul Renteria

Dear Santa,  
I would like a play jeep and a car. Santa I have being good to everyone. But I have bin bad sometime. I would like a basball bat and a TV and a target.

Love, Felix Valdez

Der Santa,  
Hos is Mrs. Clase and the elves? I wont a booster train, a big foot, a train, a comper a gun.

Luve you Santa,  
Miguel

Dear Santa,  
I want a smart start computer and a Hot potato game. How are you? I am fine. I have ben good this year. How is Rudolf?

Love, Amber Hancock

Dear Santa,  
I was a good boy this year. My brother and I want a four wheeler for Christmas. I would like a gold ring for my mother and a new car for my dad. Thank you.

Your friend,  
Felix

Dear Santa,  
My name is Joey I would like a bike a real big nice one, and I would like a scooter. And for my little sister, a little bike and a pretty doll. And for my little brother a basketball and a football. For my mom a beautiful dress and for my dad a hot rod car. Oh, add a Harley Division motorcycle for me. Thank you very much, and have a very Merry Christmas and a happy new year!

Love always,  
Joey Martinez

Dear Santa,  
I really want a baby rabbit. Please give me a black rabbit if possible. I also want a yellow bike, I want it near my Christmas tree so I can see it. I also want santa to bring my mom a yellow belt like my bike my dad wants a belt just like my mom and the some color. And for my brothers I want Santa to bring a each a toy for my dad I want Santa to bring him some black shoes. And the last thing I want from you is a tape of Christmas Carols so that I can remember this Christmas.

Love You Always,  
Kathy Gloria

Dear Santa,  
My name is Adrian. I'm in Kindergarten, I want a racing track and I also want a bike. I also want a scooter, for the last thing I want a white/black dog. I help my parents wrap my presents I help my dad put the chickens in the pin and help him feed the chickens. I also want a new bottle for my sister baby. I also want a pen for my mom, I want a coat for my dad, I also want a cat for me. I would appreciate it ou can bring the present for me.

Your truly,  
Adrian Casarez

Dear Santa Claus,  
My name is Tonya. I want a jungle gym for me and my sister. I also want a Miss Makeup. I would also like you to bring my dddy a new rope, I want Chera-to have a scooter and would please bring my mommy a suburban she has worked hard and really needs one. Thank you.

Love, Tonya Forbes

Dear Santa,  
I want a Segatape. and a new control. I want one bear. I want some new bases. I want a new bat and ball. I want a new whetten. I want a new jambox.

Love,  
Bryan Isham

Dear Santa,  
I wil like a bas, a truck, a nedotedo game of jaket. rasing

Love,  
Brenda Castillo

hooper, trian set. a bike fooball. a tee. a foot ball sut.

love,  
Moses Arcos

Dear Santa,  
i want a keypad and a chimas bare with a hat on it. I want a wagne and a small swimpoole and a jeurebox. I want a dall tant walk. I want a new house.

home is where  
the  
heart is...  
Merry  
Christmas

Draw Paymaster Gin  
Bobby Mack Furlow

Never too busy!

Never too busy!  
... to wish you a joyous holiday season  
and a new year of happiness  
and prosperity!

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**Greetings**

The season's warm glow is filling the air with happiness and cheer, laughter and joy.

And as we celebrate this special time, we want to take a moment to thank you for your valued patronage and good friendship.

**Production Credit Association**

**BLESSINGS**

As we share the splendour and wondrous blessings of this cherished holiday, let us sing in praise of its glory. We join you with our thanks.

**Huffaker, Green & Huffaker**  
Attorneys at Law

# Letters To Santa...



Dear Santa, rabbit, hors, fish, dog, jumprpe, cabbage patch.  
Signed Michelle

Dear Santa, Dear set. I letter a snl Thank you. I lo sat.  
Signed Lisa

Dear Santa, I would like a new bike and a boy barbie 1 more or 2 more I

love you very much Santa but please I.  
Signed, Melissa

Dear Santa, I wot a Bed sprd, I wot a grfed pfon, I wot u Brbe hose, I wot a Brbe cleche, I wot a gum Ball Mshe, I wot pek crns, I wot 200000000000, I wot a pet, I wot a hose, I wot a Car, I wot a keyboard, I wot a bike, I wot a Nintendo, I wot a Dobbierer, I

wot Presen, I wot books.  
Signed Christal Garza

Dear Santa, I like a sterio, May you give me Cabbage Patch a sterio please give me one oh ples I want a give me a bike santa will you give your power and a radio to win the mad minute My name is Stephanie. I want a plone and I wnt to always get all 30 on my mad minute.  
Signed Stephanie

Dear Santa, bring me Mintendo, bike, brbe, jes, sket.  
Signed Eunice

Dear Santa, I wont a gum.  
Signed, Robert

Dear Santa, All I want far Christmas an Barbie bay and an Barbie howes and an Barbie car oh I hope I get all that stufe.  
Signed Melissa

Der Sat, I wish four a prisits and I wish four Suziws.  
Signed, Claudia

Dear Santa, Bike, sant a motorcycle Santa.  
Signed Belinda

Dear Santa, I wot a mokh huk, and a fqzol wagon and kit soug sum now soss a mekhow resekr.  
Signed Joe

Dear Santa, I wot a molsako.  
Signed, Chris Moya

Dear Santa, I wot a big dol. I wot a jump rop. I wot a big dog.  
Signed, Kathy Clay

Dear Santa, I hope ou will bring me a mrs. Macupe I love you Sante I hope you will bring me a guiter.  
From Heather

Dear Santa, It is nearly Christmas. I whant a basketball goal. And a B-B gun. And a Biskcie. Wear having a Christmas play. And I whant a train, I hope you have a marry christmas. It is very cold. I like the reindeer.  
Marry Christmas.  
From, Halee Hughes

Dear Santa, I would like a new bike and a doll-and for my sister a radio and my little sister a doll my mom a ring my dad a gun.  
LaRea

Dear Santa, I want a B-B gun I have been very good my brother has been very good too. And he wants a hot wheels cars I'll see you on Christmas.  
from Jerald

Dear Santa, I want a new BMX bike, santa giv my sirs a doll for Mory Christmas.  
Jerry

Dear Santa, I like a Keyboard, I weat a doll, I like a doll, I weat a rad, I weat a dog and car. I weat a basketball. Mary Christmas Santa. Haet be a good girl.  
From, Carol Castillo

Dear Santa, Wood you benig me a toy and a doll and bike ad ball. genig my mom a tables. my dad gegig him a truck. I wath you to my dog a bone.  
From, Amy

Dear Santa, I want a doll and a bike. The elves make the toys for Satna. Satna had bags that had toys in tiem. He had a buch of toys. I like christmas eve. I want a keyboard. I want a basketball. I want a toy raindeer.  
From ???

Dear Santa, I hope you have bine happy. My family was good evryday santa. I have bine good to. Marry Christmas to you santa. I hope you bring me a gift for chrismus. Happy chrismus santa. Happy Chrismus.  
From, Mary Jane

Dear Santa, I want a radio for Christmas and a keyboard.  
From, Noe

Dear Santa, My dad was a tv and I wos a bike and my sestr wos a doll and my utr sestr wos a coat and my mom wos a ferg.  
From Lupe

Dear Santa, I wona a keybord, and a doll and a bike Christmas is my.  
From Dora Flores

Dear Santa, Pleas bring me a keyboard and also a B-B gun and bring me a guiter and also a radio.  
From Jesse

Dear Santa, My mom and my dad or very good. they made fun of Rudolph. Rudolph had a bright red nose Santa what or you geve my mom an my dad. Satn all the children in 2-A or very happy. I want a bike.  
From Jesus

Dear Santa, I wont a Nitendo and A fourwellir and a eighteen wellier and a bike and cars and a big foot and I like my dad and my mom an a B-B gun.  
From Albert

Dear Santa, I want Nitido cassetts. i want to help the poor and i want to gave them food. Mis Gass have ben good.  
From Ramiro

Dear Santa, I wate thies for my brether my brethe wutes peewe harmn and I wate a bike and I wate thise for my brether. a bike.  
Form Salvador

Dear Santa, I wood like a Ninentindo. My mom and dad have been good. Sh has Mrs. gass. I hav a basket bald. Say hi to the reindeer. I well ee you nekt year.  
From Kyle

Dear Santa, We have ben very good. I like Mis. Gass. She is very nise. I bet

ur elves are working very hard. I bet all of the cheldern are 'ecspeting alle hav a gud time.  
From, lan

Dear Santa, I like the radio. I wath a doll and bike. Santa we have ben good. Santa gift toys to to popel. Santa like you to. Santa tell mrs. satu I like her to. I wood like a keyboard. I wath the basketboll. I wath a raindeer toy. The end.  
From Paula Valdez

Dear Santa, It is nearly Christmas. We have ben very good. My femlys ben very good to. I want a nitendo santa for christmas. I like chrismus santa. I hope you have a merry christmas. It is very cold. I like the reindeer. Merry Chrismus.  
From Tatum Bessire

Coming your way...our best wishes for the holidays!

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Sending holiday cheer your way!

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Tommye Nance • Teresia Simpson • Marion Roberts

**Christmas Greetings**

To the happy tempo of jingling bells, we sing out a cheery "Merry Christmas" to all. Best wishes for a season filled with good health and good fortune. Warm thanks for your loyalty.

DIRECTORS AND EMPLOYEES  
**Lyntegar Electric Cooperative, Inc.**  
"Owned & Operated by Those We Serve"

**HAPPY YULETIDE**

As the new-fallen snow brings silence and the yule log warmth ... may this season of Christmas bring to you and yours the peace, happiness and joy of the season.

**Taylor Tractor & Equipment Co., Inc.**

**GREETINGS**

Here's a bundle of good old-fashioned wishes for the best holiday yet! As we take off for another exciting Christmas, we jet abundant thanks to our friends and neighbors.

**SAM PRIDMORE & SON**  
**AERIAL SPRAYING**

# Letters to Santa

Dear Santa,  
I want a doll. I want toys. I want clothes. I want a candy cane. I want a kitten. I want a fish.  
Your friend,  
Kindra Jolly

Dear Santa,  
I want a bike fou Christmas and a peret real.  
Your friend,  
Markey Lee Valdez

Dear Santa,  
For christmas I want a cumputer and new clothes and only one little dog I love dogs but I like brown girl dog. thats all. P.S. have a good christmas.  
Your friend,  
Kristen Webb

Dear Santa,  
My Mom is goin to have a baby. I want her to have a girl. I want a bike. Next I want a new hose.  
Love, Debbie

Dear Santa,  
I like you because you bring toys to us. I like you we all like you we like you very much.  
love, Anna

Dear Santa,  
I want babies like Kym's (Hammonds) (mom says no way) I want TEE HAH's (pom poms) like Cheerladder's.  
Mederith C. Pittman  
(A.K.A. "Sugar Bee")

Dear Santa,  
I like you Santa four Christmas I would like to have and nintendo and race cars that glow and have a vcr just for me and a football helmet with a mothpess and the sute to and lese wait the way i wase and a spesheil day for kids and me have a safe trip tell rudoff I said Hi.  
Your friend,  
Roderick Saldana

Dear Santa,  
Happy christmas santa. I love santa. I like the snowflake. I love the holiday. I like to have a skooter do you like winter. I got to go now. but rember I love you santa.  
Your friend,  
Kristie Calvillo

Dear Santa,  
I wold like to have a nintindo for Christmas. and lots of presents uder the tree. and candy canes in the stoking. we will give lots of cookis to you. I like you. I want to see your raindeer. your my friend sata. have a happy hallday.  
Your friend,  
Brent Paris

Dear Santa,  
I want a Nintendo. And a Super Mario bethers to.  
Love, Aron

Dear Santa,  
I would like a scooter. a game like pizza party are hot putato.  
Love, Andrea

Dear Santa,  
I would like some football pants that lace up the front like the Bulldogs wear. I don't want any underwear, but I would like G.I. Joe clothes and watch.  
Clay T. Pittman  
P.S. I would like two live Bulldogs in a cage like you are bringing Michael Qualls.

Dear Santa,  
I hop ther is a jambox undr the tree and a motusical to. and a morincar car.  
Your friend,  
Angelo Barrientez

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a little mrs. makeup and a new ten speed and a record player and a candy cane.  
Your friend,  
Mandy Bertreaux

Dear Father Christmas,  
can i please hav a hemar good guy and a bad guy. Please will you get a pupey and give me a haapy holiday Santa please.  
Your friend,  
Geoffrey Lee Ramsey

Dear Santa,  
I won't A jambox. And A Barbie. And a box of bingo.  
Love, Veronica Herevia

Dear Santa,  
I would like a computer and a doll that has makeup. And some blue-jean-boots.  
Yours true, Sarah

I would like a turtle, a choo-choo train, a teddy bear that is unwrapped with a red bow and a play house.  
I love you,  
Micha Hart



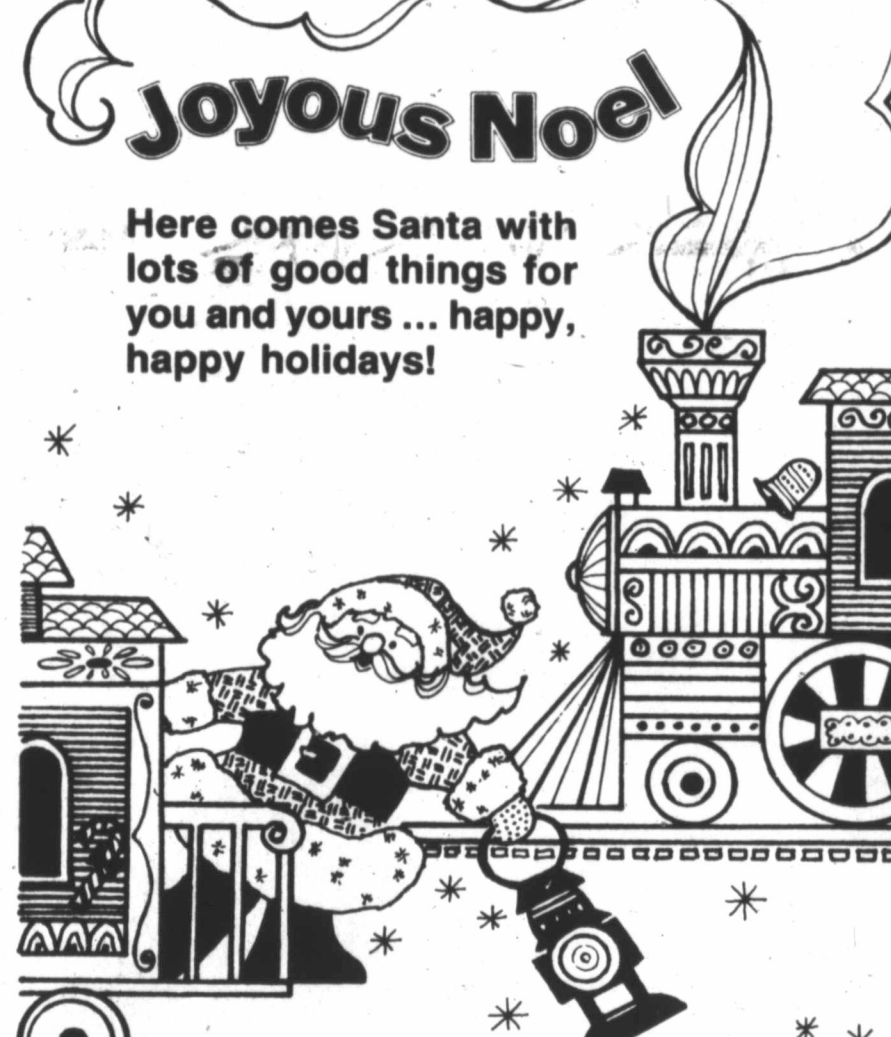
**Best Wishes**

Good health ...  
good friends ... all  
the best!

**Classic Cuts**


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Here comes Santa with lots of good things for you and yours ... happy, happy holidays!



**New Lynn Gin**

SEASON'S GREETINGS



Glad tidings and warmest greetings! We're wishing you nothing but the best. We're happy to have you for our friends!

**West Point Gin**

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me some nintendo games like supermario Bros. 2, 10 yard fight, and a globe, sum bugle boys jeans size 8 slim a new silver watch, a nut cracker  
Brad Rangle

Dear Santa,  
For Christmas I want a prayer doll I like santa claus and a bike and a ring and a presents too and a cady cane and a stocking and a big star and a prity flower and close?  
Your friend,  
Myra Martinez

Dear Santa,  
How are you down at the north pole? I hope you are fine so you can come and give us presents. I would like baby whispers, skooter, barbie play set, batteres, baby hether, ornaments, tuba ruba, big teddy bear.  
Bey-bey. I hope you come.  
Your friend,  
Natasha Mensch

Dear Santa,  
I wood like a good christmas. And I wood like a netndo. And new clothes. Aad what I rele wont is a little miss mackup. And a Ice crem shop borbbe I wolde like a new bike. And Dress in dazdol. And a new Kebord. And a howl pake a stek stekers.  
Your friend,  
Tancy DeLeon

Dear Santa,  
I want a petty dress that is very puffy that is pink dress and a pink Bowl that gos on Peoples hair and some shoes that are pink.  
Love, Amy Garcia

Dear Santa,  
I would like a Nitendo a bike a hot pototo a brab houe a brab a clab houe a super mario two.  
Krystle

Dear Santa,  
I want a kid sister with blond hiar. And a chalk bord. And a clock too.  
Love, Rebecca Hudgens

Dear Santa,  
I want a bike for Christmas. And Boots for Christmas. And a scooter for Christmas.  
Love, Rosemary

Dear Santa,  
I want a bike for christmas. Next I want a doll for christmas. Last I want a play house for christmas.  
Love, Natasha

Dear Santa,  
I want a motmntrol Air plan and a tv.  
Love, Chris

Dear Santa,  
I waet a rat. and a dog. and a pet.  
Love, Joey

Dear Santa,  
I want a teddy Roxin, and a mess make up doll and Rocin baby.  
Love, Robin Wright

Dear Santa,  
I want a keyboard and I want is a Nosy Bear. And I want is a Fashion Star. And I want is a Barbie. And A Computer. And A Baby sister. And A Marry Christmas.  
\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
This year I want surper mario brothers Part II construtx and mas boystun for wheel ar plan and most or ol love.  
Justin

Dear Santa,  
I wot a seso and a TV and a cklok and a Gorfild Telfon and a char and a red scooter and a big play hols and a yellow bega bag.  
Love, Brooke

**JOY TO ALL**



'Tis the season to be jolly! We wish all our friends the best!

**Western Seed & Delinting**

**THE LORD HAS COME**

May our spirits be uplifted and our hearts filled with contentment at this Glorious and Holy Time. As an expression of our thanks we wish all our friends a memorable Yuletide season.



**Lynn Co. Farm Bureau & Farm Bureau Insurance**

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**Letters To Santa**



Dear Santa,  
How are you? I like you May I have a bike and a Foot Netes? I love you. Thank you.  
Nicolas Coronado  
\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
How are you? I like you. May I have a skate board and a Teddy Ruxten, Please? I love you.  
Thank you, Jesus Rivera  
\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
How are you? I like you. May I have some notebook paper and some stickers? I love you.  
Thank you, Soledad Ramirez  
\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
How are you? I like you. May I

have a water gun and a Santa bear, please? I love you.  
Thank you, Michael Tijerina  
\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
How are you? I like you. May have I a 4-wheeler and a house for us. I love you.  
Thank you, Eric Moreno  
\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
How are you? I like you. May I have tiny bear and a talking Cabbage Patch doll? I love you.  
Thank you, Amie Lopez  
\*\*\*

Dear Santa  
I want a BB gun  
I want a four-wheeler  
I want some Nerf sworbs  
I want a Nintendo.  
Love,  
Jayson Mac Yowell  
\*\*\*

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a doll and a Telephone for Christmas.  
Love,  
Carmela Gomez

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a book.  
I want a dog.  
I want a bike.  
I want a back pack.  
Love,  
Sandra Rodriguez  
\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
I want a shirt.  
I want a boll.  
I want a bocng loes.  
I want to give my mom a sweater.  
I want to give my dad a shirt.  
I want to box bag.  
Love, J. Paul Kirk  
\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
Bring me some boots.  
Bring me a doll. I want some rings. I want a reindeer.  
I have been good.  
Love, Lexi Wied  
\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
I want a back pack.  
I want a puppy.  
I want a playgun.  
Love,  
Matthew Guzman  
\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
I want a Nintendo.  
I want Trouble.  
I want some denim shirts. I have been good.  
Heath Talkmitt  
\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
I want a big pink dall. I want a doll. Have I been good?  
Love,  
Jessica Wilke  
\*\*\*

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want you to come and see us first graders. I want a bike. I want a bee gun. I want He-Man. I want a picture of you.  
Love,  
Domingo Garcia  
\*\*\*

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a toy.  
I want a doll.  
I want a stuff dog.  
I want a stuff pig.  
Love,  
Jennifer Mankins  
\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
I want a Bee Bee gun.  
I want a ball.  
Love,  
Bobby Flores  
\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
I want an Arrowhopper.  
I want play chaps and a



**JAYVEE TEAM**— From left are Coach Charles Jurden, Chris Carter, Michael Tipton, Joey Stone, Paul Glisson, Chris Jurden, Trey Nance, Michael Isbell, Bryan Patterson, George Cantu. In front are Alwyn Hatchett, Steve Rangel and Cody Bailey.  
(LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

cowboy hat. And sum boots and a vest.  
Love,  
Dusty Ray Follis  
\*\*\*

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a doll.  
I want a play dish.  
I want a backpack.  
I want a barbie doll.  
I love Santa Claus because he flies up and he brings me toys.  
Love,  
LeeAnn Garcia  
\*\*\*

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a puzzle.  
I want a kite.  
I want a toy.  
I want a ball.  
I love Santa Claus.  
love,  
Victoria Flores

Santa slips in with a thousand and one wishes stacked in his pack for a Merry, Merry Christmas. From us to you, thanks.

**The Tahoka Daisy**  
Tahoka, Texas

**We wish you a Merry Christmas**

Hope every day of the holidays is a special day for you, filled with the pleasures that make you happiest!

**Poka Lambro**  
RURAL TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.

**merry christmas**

As the Christmas spirit radiates around us, we especially hope you feel the festive warmth and promise that this holiday brings. Enjoy it...with our sincere thanks.

**BRYANT SEED AND DELINTING**

**YULETIDE CHEER**

It's the season to decorate our hearths and homes with holiday cheer...and to wish our many friends a truly joyous Yuletide!

**THRIFTWAY**  
& Employees

We greet an old fashioned Christmas with a song of joy and gladness, and raise our voices in a sweet melody filled with fond feelings and thanks.

**Louder Gin**  
C.T. Louder and Trent Leverett



## Letters To Santa...

Dear Santa,  
How is your wife? How is Rudolph? Please bring me some motorcycle pants, boots, shirt faded Levi jacket (gray and white) and shoulder pads.  
Love, Brad Pebsworth

Dear Santa,  
I like your reindeer, especially Rudolph. He is my favorite deer. I have been a good girl this year so would you please bring me a bike and a doll for Christmas? Thank you.  
Love, Martha

Dear Santa,  
How are you and your wife? How is Rudolph? I have been good most the time. please bring me fishing pole, computer, dart board and a wagon.  
Love, Randal Williams

Dear Santa,  
How are you and your wife? How is Rudolph? I have been good most the time. please bring me I want a kite, and shirt, and I want a BB gun, pants.  
Love, JB Sepeda

Dear Santa,  
How are you and your wife? I have bin super good. please bring me a doll that says na-na, walking dog, Disney popper, and a musical clown.  
Love, Marissa McCord

Dear Santa,  
Plese would you give me a littel miss makeup and a candy cane and bring a Present.  
Angella Moya

Dear Santa,  
Please bring mi a jam box and a shucogo tape and a beach boys tape.  
Thank you, Brandy Raindl

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a Nintendo and a piano and Nintendo cassette and bring mi boy and sistr.  
Love, Sara Alvarado

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me Nintendo and car and dog and book.  
Love, Amanda Griffin

Dear Santa,  
Will you please bring me a kite, and a crimper and please bring my Sistrer kite and please bring my brother a bik.  
Love, Lauren Webb

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a Barbie House. Please bring my Puppy and a little teddy bear.  
Love, Hope Gonzales

Dear Santa,  
Please would you give me a little Miss. Makeup and a computer and a kite and would give everybody a gift.  
Love, Santa, Josie Castaneda

Dear Santa,  
Would you please bring a babi set I hv bin god.  
Love, Shayla Lawson

Dear Santa,  
I want the Rescue Mission Karae Kid Remote control car Michael msn ti box gnum zelpae Please.  
Love, Kevin Rodriguez

Dear Santa,  
please bring a unicycle and a sling shot, a t.v. a nintendo and a 4X4.  
Love, Jeffrey Antu

Dear Santa,  
Please give me a talking bird, boll, Tummy takels, Rainbow Brit.  
Love, Staci Ferguson

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a clown bike and a teddy bear and a car and a transformer. Thank you.  
Love, Richard Segura

Please bring me a bell, and a little Miss Makeup and please bring my brother a little teddy bear.  
Love, Misty

Dear Santa,  
Bring me a Scooter and a gugu and a Bigfoot and a Nintendo and a cat and a rabot.  
Luve, Luis Coronado

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a bike.  
Love, Johnathan Valdez

Dear Santa,  
Please will you bring me a Barbie house and a Holiday Barbie.  
Love, Jennifer Walls

Please bring me a scooter and a Pants and a Shirt.  
Love, Lucas Gutierrez

Please give me bigfoot Reindeer Game Love you what. I loue Tomas.  
Tomas Tijerina



**FRESHMAN BOYS TEAM**— From left are Coach Joe Paradis, Joe Clyde Hays, Brandon Cate, Albert Mendoza, Aaron McCleskey, Daniel Garvin, Adam Holland, Daniel Rogers. In front are Billy Wilborn, Bruce Burleson, and Mikey Burleson. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

Dear Santa,  
Plese bring me a robot and beesh boys tape and a foot ball soot and a football bring my sester sum pants bring me sum unduer all the nintendo set and a rarder.  
Love, John Michael Jay

Dear Santa,  
bring Me a Nintendo and a Box and a Big foot and Bike and I love uoy Santa.  
Michael DeLeon

Dear Santa,  
I want a Nintendo. My mom and dad would like a New alarm cloc. My sister and brother like a waterbed. Santa I will leave some milk and cookies.  
Love, Dustin McNeely

Dear Santa,  
How are you? I like you. May I have a transformer, please? I love you.  
Thank you, Adolfo Davila

Dear Santa,  
How are you? I like you. May I have a radio and a bike please? I love you.  
Thank you, Merry Angel Herrera

How are you? I like you. May I have a black scooter and a Jam-box, please? I love you.  
Thank you, Steven Engle

Dear Santa,  
How are you? I like you. May I have a Wagging-Tail pony, please? I love you.  
Thank you, Lindsay Summitt

Dear Santa,  
How are you? I like you. May I have a scooter and a Hot Potato game, please? I love you.  
Thank you, Christie Garcia

Dear Santa,  
How are you? I like you. May I Slimer and a Doctor Vakeman, please? I love you.  
Thank you, Tommy Moore

### Christmas Blessings

Wishing all a holiday season full of life's best.

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### Christmas Greetings

**Hope your holidays are crammed full of the treasured gifts of Christmas. Thanks for your faith and trust.**

*Jennings of Tahoka*

*a Christmas Wish*

Whatever is beautiful,  
Whatever is meaningful,  
Whatever brings you joy and happiness,  
That's what we wish for you!

*Our profound thanks at Christmas*

**Wilson Cooperative Gins**

Dear Santa,  
How are you? I like you. May I have Mouse trap game and a Ninja turl, please? I love you.  
Thank you, Ben Vickers

Dear Santa,  
How are you? I like you. May I have a real horse and a play Santa, please? I love you. Thank you.  
Tilo Garcia

Dear Santa,  
How are you? I like you. May I have a T.V. and a Nintendo? I love you.  
Thank you, Benny Gonzales

### HAPPY HOLIDAY

*We're decking the halls — and hoping your Christmas is merry!*

**Dairy Queen**

### Christmas Greetings

We send you a treasury of old fashioned holiday greetings and sincere gratitude.

**J.A. & Joyce Pebsworth**



# Letters to Santa

Dear Santa,  
I want a nintendo and a trampoline and a waterbed.  
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Gary

Dear Santa,  
I want a lot of Fazz and lots of the Dress, N, Dazzle. And a Peach and Cream Barbie.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Cynthia

Dear Santa,  
I want a Blue jean jacket. And a Sega. And a Computer. And some jeans. And a shoe.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Maria

Dear Santa,  
I want a Barbie rocker and a barbie and a trampoline and a waterbed and a barbie clothes and barbie shoes.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Marsha Resendez

Dear Santa,  
I want a Barbie roker and a bike and a kite and a coat and some shoes and a books.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Maria Vargas

Dear Santa,  
I want a water bed. And a hot pick-green sater.  
\*\*\*  
love, Alana

Dear Santa,  
I want a vcr camera and TV to my self and a bicke and a saga mster sistom.  
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Love, Santa Roddy Castillo

Dear Santa,  
I need things I can do in my room. I need a real Tipewieter please? I want a Kingrogrs tape. I want a snoopey!  
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Love, Regina Lynn Thomas

Dear Santa,  
I want a jean jacket and a barbie dream hose and a keyboard and a trampoline and waterbed and a bike.  
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Love, April Benavides

Dear Santa,  
I want a, Bike, Radeo, I want a, skateboard, tape, I want a, Nenteto, Dog, Coat, I want a, football, tv.  
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Love, Matt Chancy

Dear Santa,  
May I have a camra and a new computer. And a scooter.  
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Love, Rebekah Curry  
Mary Christmas!

Dear Santa,  
I wood like a scooter and a pupy and a computer Please Santa I whont kite. and a gengact.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Anthony DeLeon

Dear Santa Claus,  
for Chrmas I want A Bat and ball and glove. and A packages of basball and football cards. And A pupy and a jar of jellybeans. And A bike and A Nitindo. A keyboard.  
\*\*\*  
from your friend, Tony Duncan

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a blue jean jacket and bed bugs and a Tv with a Vcr and a chest and snack shop and Little miss make-up doll. I've been very good. Have a happy Christmas! My step sister has her birthday coming up befor Christmas. And a pupy stuffed animal.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Amanda Fuentes

St. Nick  
I want gostbusters and Thundrcats and a pupy and a new bike and a skatebord and a trampoline and a jean jacket and Nintendo and a keyboard.  
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Love, Jared Gandy

Dear Santa Claus,  
I what a kmputr, I what a remote control car, I what a skateboard, I what a bike, I what a water bed, I what a Nintendo, I what a beebee gun, I what a scooter bell, I what a dog, I what a jean jacke.  
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Your frined,  
Frutoso Hernandez  
Love Santa

Dear St. Nick,  
I would like a bike, I would like a play Gun, I would like a skateboard, I would like a truck, I want to give it to my brother.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Raymond Jay Hernandez

Dear Santa,  
I want a keybord, I wood like sum new clothes, I wood like a tiperider, I wood like a canperter.  
\*\*\*  
Love, LaTara Reshae Hood

Dear Santa,  
I wood like a nintindo. I wood like a rase car. I wood like a curputer. I wood like a bell from a bear.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Ricard Maldonado and Love Santa

Dear Santa,  
I want a Nintendo for chismas and a G.I. Joe airplan but not helicopter and some games to go with the Nintendo and a new blue bike.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Gregory Lee Resendez  
Ho Ho Ho Merry Chismas

Dear Santa,  
I wont a pink bike and Ricky wont's a pupy and Johnny wont's a coat and Fabian wont's a big football and my mom wont's a big car and my dad wont's a big red bird. OK  
\*\*\*  
Love, Melissa Rodriguez

Dear Santa,  
I want a fraree and a Golde necles and Braslet and a pup whith a bow and a camra and some Belts.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Courtney Stennett

Dear Santa,  
I wata a lunch box. And a toy tiperidr.  
\*\*\*  
Yor frjend, Jessica Tijerina

Dear Santna Claus,  
I Like Santa I like Chrsmas, I Like Chrsmas I Like Santa. I like my mom and dad and Santna to. I whont a keybard. I whont a Nintendo. I whonta skatebard. I whont a compeder. I whont a wartbed. I whonta Phon.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Marlon Womack

Dear Santa,  
How is Rudolph? How are you and your wife?  
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Please bring me a jacket, a pocket rocker and Pistol.  
Luv,  
Julian Resendez

Dear Santa,  
How is Rudolph? I have been good mostly. a gun scope water pistol record siren rite I love you and your wife  
\*\*\*  
Jamymie Swarts

Dear Santa,  
How is Rudolph? Please bring me a drss and dazzle a new cabbage Girl, Radio, Record and tape player. Barie Ice Cream Shop.  
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Love, Kassidi Andrews

Dear Santa,  
How are you and your wife? How is Rudolph? Please bring me a pocket rocker.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Brandy Kieth

Dear Santa,  
How are you and your wife? I have been good most of the time. please bring me a car, gun, scooter, football, basket-ball.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Albert Gutierrez

Dear Santa,  
I have been good most the time. please bring me a computer and baton and pom-pomnz and wagon and colors, coloring book.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Valerie Lopez

Dear Santa,  
How are you and your wife? I want a 12 gauge shot gun and a scooter and boots.  
\*\*\*  
Love, B.J. Beach

Dear Santa,  
How is rudolph? I have been good most the time. Please bring me a Real camera colors, coloring book, a Real kitten.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Barbara Amador

Dear Santa,  
How are you and your wife? how is Rudolph? I have been good most of the time. please bring me an keyboard and a doctor kit.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Kristyn DeLeon

Dear Santa,  
How are you and your wife? I have been super good I want my pet monster and a vest and a bike and a real dog.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Justin Cogburn

Dear Santa,  
How are you and wife? How is Rudolph? I have been good most fo the time. Please bring me dress and dazzle, waatch.  
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Love, Shana Harris

Dear Santa,  
How are you and your wife? How is Rudolph? I have been good most of the time Please bring me jambox And teddy bear a Veeo game and talking pee-wee.  
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Love, Brian Alvarado

Dear Santa,  
How are you and your wife? How is Rudolph?  
\*\*\*  
Please bring me Cababge Patch girl, Nientendo, Kite, dress and dazzle.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Raquel Garcia

Dear Santa,  
How are you? I want a transformer and a train, a wrecker. this is all.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Sammy Rosales

Dear Santa,  
How are you and your wife? How is Rudolph? I have been good. I want a rabbit, puppet, triangle, keyboard, clock, play-house, bird.  
\*\*\*  
Love, Lucinda Ayala  
Merry Christmas!

From our family to yours  
*A very merry Christmas!*

We join in wishing you and your loved ones an abiding peace, love and serenity now and in the coming year. We have enjoyed helping you with your pharmaceutical needs. In helping you, we are able to realize our dream of finest quality service to all.

**Tahoka Drug**

*Season's Greetings*

However you say it, the message is the same: we wish you the best!

**Whitaker Hardware**  
Downtown Tahoka

As we recall that holy night, we ask His blessings upon you and your family.

**JOHN WITT BUTANE**

*Merry Christmas*

When we count our blessings at Christmas time we think of friends like you and wish you a beautiful holiday in a beautiful world!

**Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co.**

**Loads of Cheer**

It's time for some revelry! Get in on the spirit of Christmas and have a wonderful holiday season. We wish you and yours all the best!

**LOVE, HAYS & MUSICK**  
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS  
TAHOKA, TEXAS

# Letters To Santa



Dear Santa,  
What I most want is for mommy to be here. I want Dress n' Dazzle and New panty hose and a bike, a game and jewelry. I am 5 years old. I love you, Santa.  
Chelsea White

Dear Santa Claus,  
Me, I have been a good boy. Rachel cries sometimes. I want a scooter and a truck. Rachel wants a kitchen to share with me and a telephone. Rachel is my baby. My mom wants to feel better. My Dad wants a bubble gum machine to share with me. Susie gave me a nickle to say I.  
Channing Colby Chancy  
3 years old

Dear Santa,  
I hope you have fun bringing presents to houses. Please bring me a dress with out sleeves. I know I will love evrey thing evry body gives me. I will take good care of evrything evry body gives me give my gramas some candy and gold neckles and evry the that is pretty. give my grampaws evrything that is cute and al the girls evry that is pretty and all the boys evrey thing that is cute. and my teacher a pare of elephants boots. Thank you Santa.  
Love, Diedre Charo

Dear Santa,  
I want a pelet gun and a Nelendo game I wante Rushan Atake.  
Stony Roberson

Dear Santa,  
How are you? I am fine. I just want a few things this time. All I want is a comperter, nintindo, and some clothes.  
Merry Christmas  
Your friend, Briante Rangel  
P.S. Thank you.

Dear Santa,  
I wold like Dubbl Dragen computer 220 Dumader 20 gage shotgun 33 deer rifle and shols.  
From Brad Ashbrook

Dear Santa,  
I want a bike and a basketball and net. I want a baseball set and a football set. I want some clothes and some shoes.  
Love, Mario Gutierrez

Dear Santa,  
I want a five speed bike and the intindo. I also want a racing car remote controll and a four wheeler. for Christmas! Merry Christmas!!!  
Billy Rosales

Dear Santa,  
I want a computer and a hot tube and a patman set and a keyboard and a bother and a sister.  
Love, Shelia Martin

Dear Santa,  
How are you. I am fine. Did you now that my brithday on Dec. 17. I want a big bear. I also want a popel too. I also wold some close.  
Thank your friend,  
Shelly Duncan

Dear Santa,  
I want a nnundo tape the tape I want is contra and maelrod and gosh ang gobblins and dog a lumtur. the end.  
Albert Alvarado

Dear Santa,  
I want Ikari warriors, a trampaline, belt, puppys, kitten, new shoes, socks, crayons, merkers, a cap, guns.  
Ricky Peasley

Dear Santa,  
I want a bike, becuse you can rid on it. I want a cat. I want a dog. I want a dalls. I want a ball. I want toys. I like toys and a pet and a doll and a bike and that is all.  
Eva Castaneda

Dear Santa,  
I want a ve car for Christmas.  
Buddy Zachary

Dear Santa,  
I just want two things for Christmas. I want a swimming pool and a trampoline and santa I love you Jesus, mom, dad.  
Jamie Luna

Dear Santa,  
Electronic battleship, 5 speed bike, An Apple computer II Dubbl Dragian Super Mario Brothers 2 King King The Seagar Sitem.  
Seth Wright

Dear Santa,  
I want a waterbed and a trampoline.  
Love, Leticia Antu

Dear Santa,  
I wood like a trampoline. and a peach and Cream. barbie. and a waterbed and a kichin that makes sands.  
Love, Kelly

Dear Santa,  
I want a microbabeove Also I want a phone and a bike.  
Love, Corina

Dear Santa,  
I want a car that ses barbe onit its a big car that I can ride in its pink hot pink.  
Lindsey

Dear Santa,  
I want a football and I want a waterbed and I want a helicopter.  
Love, Charlie

Dear Santa,  
I hoap you mak it to evree hous even min Im going to hav you a gift for you and candy.  
Your friend, B.J. Barnett

Dear Santa,  
I am 7 years old I wont a G.I. joe tiger helicopter and a G.I. joe tiger boat and a G.I. joe man.  
love, Erik

Dear Santa,  
I want some veeo games and super mario tow. and a trampoline. and leigo.  
Love, DJ

Dear Santa,  
I want a little miss makeup and a star slag. My favit thing t eat are apples.  
Love, Kalie

Dear Santa,  
I want a Peach and Cream Barbie and a Computer and a Barbie Rocker and a Nintend.  
Love, Vikki

Dear Santa,  
I want a Bick and a trampoline and a Barbie and waterbed and a kitten.  
Love, Jenny

Dear Santa,  
I what a waterbed and dolls and a trampoline and a Nintendo.  
Love, Tamesha

Dear Santa,  
I want a Bick and a trampoline and a Barbie and waterbed and a kitten.  
Love, Jenny

Merry Christmas  
Furniture Ole'  
Glad tidings to all...it's the season to greet good friends!



In the warm afterglow of his visit,  
Santa brings a merry tale of fun  
and laughter to the young and young at heart.  
As his festive tale unfolds, embracing one and all in  
the loving spirit of Christmas, we add a footnote of thanks for  
our devoted friends and patrons and wish you

# A Very Merry, Merry Christmas

Farmers Co-Op  
Association No. 1

Tahoka, Texas

Merry Christmas!

The heartiest of greetings to all our fine patrons!

Lynn County Abstract Co.  
Jerry Guin, Mgr.

# Merry Christmas

from all the folks at



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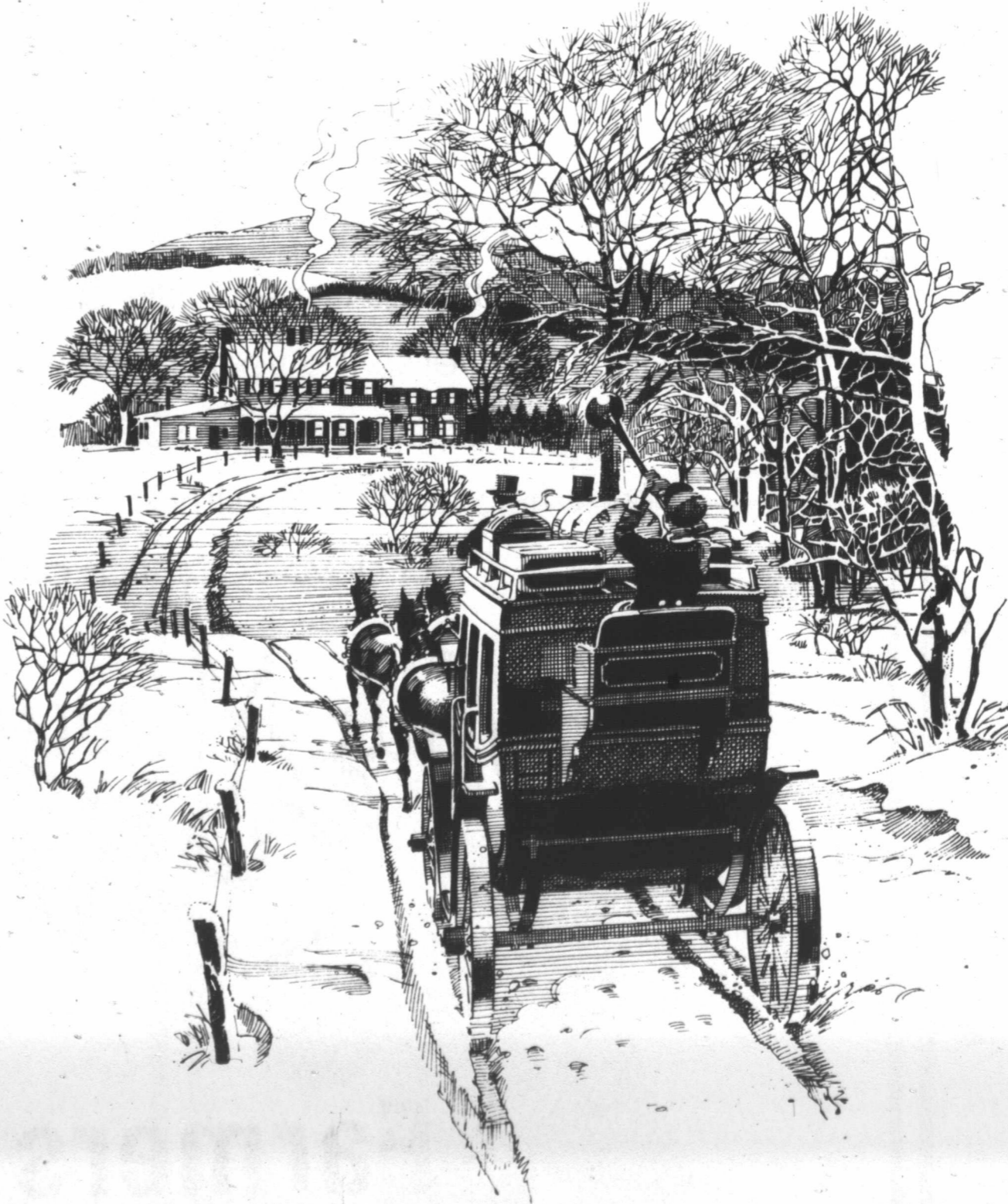
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**WINDOW WINNER** — This tree in the picture window at the home of Lonelle Brown, 2009 N. 4th, won the window lighting competition. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

## Lighting Contest Winners Named

Winners were named in seven categories of Christmas lighting in the annual event sponsored by Tahoka Garden Club, as club members judged the entries last Friday evening.

The Garden Club is urging all residents to drive around town and view the lighted seasonal decorations displayed by all the entries in the contest. Winners through three places are listed in order in the various categories of the competition:

**Municipal buildings**--Lynn County courthouse, Pioneer Museum's windmill, and Tahoka City Hall.

**Merchants**--Lyntegar Electric Co-op, Balloons and Flowers, Parker Pharmacy.

**Overall**--Frances Flores, 1913 S. 5th; Lucia Zunica, 1920 S. 2nd; James R. and Donna Chaney, 2216 N. 4th.

**Window**--Lonelle Brown, 2009 N. 4th, J.A. and Joyce Pebsworth, 1801 N. 7th; Hazel Bennett, 1900 N. 8th.

**Yard**--Gary and Juanell Jones, 1728 N. 5th; Douglas and Leah Taylor, 2415 Lockwood; Mr. and Mrs. Jay Dee House, 1717 N. 1st.

**Door**--Simon and Sylvia Rodriguez, 1829 N. 1st; Sylvia Chapa, 2002 N. 2nd; A.J. Jester, 1829 Ave. O.

**Tree**--Bill and Debbie Wright, 2429 Ave. L; Math and Linda

### New Home, Wilson Players All-South Plains

Four New Home players and one from Wilson were chosen to the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal's six-man All-South Plains football team announced this week.

Brothers Gaylon and Darrell Paul of New Home each was named to both the offensive and defensive first teams. Gaylon was named as offensive end and punter, Darrell was chosen as a running back and linebacker. Coby James of New Home was selected as a defensive back and Tyrone Watkins of the Leopards was named a defensive lineman.

Michael Guzman of Wilson, who led the area in rushing with 1,788 yards, and 29 touchdowns, was named to the first team as a running back, and his coach, Rex Bilby, was named the six-man coach of the year in the area.

Darrell Paul, who was also named player of the year, rushed for 1,713 yards and scored 28 touchdowns, and had 150 tackles on defense.

### All-Star Team Lists Eagles

The Lubbock Avalanche-Journal's All-South Plains Class A football team listed three members of the O'Donnell Eagles team; all seniors.

Running back Jessie Perez was named to the first team, offense, and chosen for the first team, defense, were lineman Ricky Gloria and linebacker Richard Ramirez.

Bartley, 2505 N. 2nd; Robert and Shirley Draper, 2023 N. 8th.

### News Office Sets Holiday Closings

The Lynn County News will be closed Monday, Dec. 26, as will most businesses in the county, for the Christmas holiday. The newspaper also will be closed on Friday, Dec. 30 and on Jan. 2 for the New Year's holiday.

Next week's paper will be out on regular schedule, with the office open on Tuesday through Thursday.

### Methodists Set Christmas Services

The First United Methodist Church of Tahoka will be observing Christmas Week with special services.

Christmas Celebration will be at 10 a.m. Sunday. Special music features Patrick Hamilton singing, "O Holy Night." Patrick is the son of Loyd and Ann Hamilton of Wilson. He is an actor in New York and has performed in several musicals and roadshows. The "Joy Ringers" will also present a musical selection. Larry E. Ramsey, pastor of the church, will deliver the message, "This Day."

All community residents are invited to both services.

3 Days Til Christmas!



**WINNING SCENE** — This manger scene and Santa Claus in front of the community Christmas tree on the Lynn County courthouse lawn won first place in the category of decorations for municipal buildings in the annual Christmas lighting contest. Tahoka Chamberettes arranged the scene. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

### Glisson Named All-South Plains Wide Receiver

Thomas Glisson, senior wide receiver for the Tahoka Bulldogs this season, was chosen by the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal as a first team wide receiver.

Glisson caught 16 passes last season for 432 yards, averaging 27 yards per catch.

Oddly, neither Glisson nor Tracy Saul of Idalou, was named by the A-J as quarterback on the Class AA all-star team, was named to the first team all-district football team chosen earlier by coaches in the district, at least not in the positions they made All-South Plains.

Glisson was named to both the offensive and defensive second teams in all-district. On defense he was named in the secondary. No Tahoka players were chosen on either offense or defense all-district first teams. Other Bulldogs named on the second teams were Kurt Bryan at tight end and Chris Jurden and Ricky Saldana as down linemen, Danny Calvillo at defensive end, Gerald Antu at linebacker.

The first team all-district offensive team included Brian Legan of Seagraves at quarterback, running backs Steven Henderson of Seagrave Ricky Westbrook of Idalou and Greg Williams of Crosbyton, wide receivers Paul Aylesworth of Shallowater and Cliff Alexander of Idalou, tight ends Scott Fields of Seagraves and Earl Haralson of Shallowater, tackles Brandon Richardson of Idalou and Timmy Williams of Seagraves, guards Tommy Cook of Idalou and Thomas Moreno of Seagraves, center Billy Moore of Seagraves and kicker Saul.

### Reception To Honor Walker On Retirement

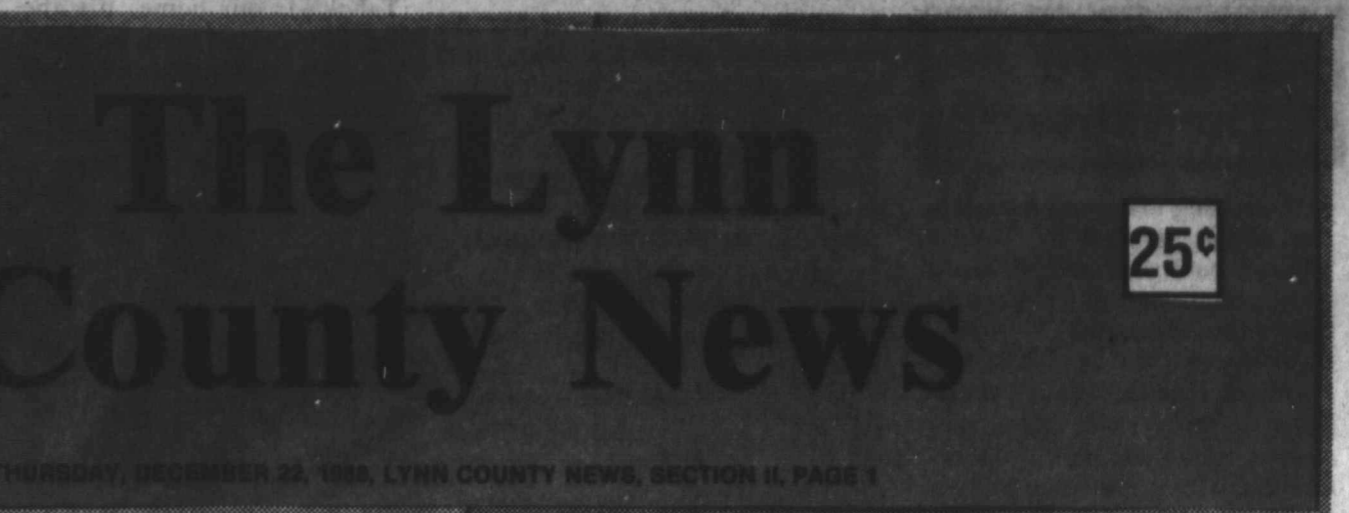
The Walker and Solomon Agency has announced a reception to honor Clint Walker on his upcoming retirement. The reception will be held at the Agency Office from 2 p.m. until 5 p.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 28.

Walker has been in the insurance business for over 30 years.

Everyone is invited to come to the reception.

### New Home ISD Tax Office Hours

The New Home I.S.D. Tax Office will be closed Dec. 21-28 and Jan. 2. It will be open Dec. 29 and 30 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.



**DISPLAY WINS** — The window scene at Lyntegar Electric Co-op building in Tahoka won first place in the merchants' category of the Christmas lighting contest this year. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)



**YULETIDE YARD** — The yard at the home of Gary and Juanell Jones, corner of N. 5th and Ave. L, was judged by Tahoka Garden Club as best in the residential yard division of the annual lighting contest. The day after this photo was made, high winds blew down some of the display and broke Santa across his middle. Most of the display is back up for viewing, however. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

## Four TV Sets, VCRs Stolen At High School

Tahoka High School was reported burglarized sometime between Saturday and Sunday. Principal Charles Cate reported to police that persons unknown had apparently entered the building through a northside second floor window. Reported stolen were three color television sets, three VCRs and one telephone headset taken from room 134. One color television and one VCR were reported stolen from the DECA room and two lockers were reported damaged in the DECA

room. Crime Line, 998-5145, is offering a \$500 reward in the school burglary.

Lillie Mae Williams of 1124 N. 6th reported to police on Sunday that someone had stolen one food stamp book valued at \$35 from her residence.

Police investigated an accident on Friday at N. 1st and Ave. Q that involved a 1989 Chevrolet Suburban driven by Margaret Carter of Tahoka and a 1973 Ford pickup driven by Rosalinda Rosas Coronado of Tahoka. No injuries were reported.

In jail during the week were one person for no drivers license plus speeding, one for driving while intoxicated, second offense, and one for DWI felony, plus driving while

### Wilson Teacher Wins Grant

A project proposed by a Wilson teacher is one of four in the nation to win a \$250 mini-grant from the National Rural Electric Cooperative Assn. Others winners were in North Dakota, Ohio and Pennsylvania.

In Wilson, teacher Jane Graham's project will involve the gifted and talented fifth through eighth graders in promoting science in all elementary classes. The area of static electricity, AC/DC current, solar energy and chemical electricity will be investigated. After a series of experiments involving the keeping of daily logs, the students will prepare and deliver presentations. Lyntegar Electric Co-op in Tahoka is the local cooperative for the Wilson area.

license suspended and also charged for the third time with no liability insurance.

**CRIME LINE** 998-5145

**Crime Line Offers**

**\$500 Reward ...**

For information clearing a burglary of the Tahoka High School sometime last weekend. Among items stolen were four color television sets, four VCRs and a telephone headset.

### Letter To The Editor

(Following are some letters to the editor, written by Tahoka High School sophomores as a class assignment and then submitted for publication)

Dear Mr. Wood:  
I think that the county courthouse looks terrible, the county should either fix the "Merry Christmas" light display or turn it off. It really looks great when all of the lights burn; but it looks equally terrible with only a few bulbs are burning.

Sincerely yours,  
Matt Taylor

Dear Mr. Wood:  
I am a concerned student in Tahoka High. I often feel that this town has a lack of support for our basketball teams. During football season, the stands would be packed every Friday night with fans waiting to see the mighty Bulldogs play. I think that's great, but I also feel that we should carry that enormous spirit into the gym. We should fill our stands and their stands and make going to a basketball

game, whether it be junior high, junior varsity or varsity a major part of our weekly schedules. I don't mean going to every out-of-town game. But really, how hard can it be to go to a game just a few miles or blocks away? So please come out to the gym on Monday, Tuesday or Friday night and support the Big Blue Basketball team all the way to state.

Respectfully yours,  
Chris Carter

Dear Mr. Wood:

As the holiday season draws near, our attention is drawn to the home. The coming together of family and friends and the renewals of times past. Isn't it nice to have such a wonderful little town to bring us all together again. Sure, Tahoka isn't the cleanest, and most perfect place in the world, but it's the place that I call home. In it's own little way, Tahoka is like a mother, raising us through our childhoods and then watching us go as we begin to try our wings in the scary and dangerous world. We all complain during our teenage years, that Tahoka is boring and dull, but through all of our lively travels, it seems like we always return.

Tahoka is our home, it's the place we started and in some ways, it's the place we end. Some say that home is where you hang your hat, I say home is where the heart is. My heart is in Tahoka, forever.

Sincerely yours,  
Tiffany Huffaker

Dear Mr. Wood:

Ever since I was a child, Tahoka people have proved loving and caring people. However, as I have begun to associate more with this older generation I have seen even deeper and I'm proud of what I see. These people are crazy about kids and they love football games, dances, and spirit as much as we teenagers do. It's wonderful to see parents and supporters getting involved as much as they have this year. Never have I seen as much pride as I've seen in the parents who stood in the cold during football games, traveled great distances to basketball games, and stood behind the kids. Thank you for all of this, but most of all, thank you for the pat on the back that got us up on our feet cheering louder, playing harder, and loving Tahoka even more! You people are what makes Tahoka great!

Sincerely,  
Jennie Wells

Dear Mr. Wood:

I must say that I do like this town, but there are also some things that should be changed especially during the Christmas season. One of the major things is the number of rumors spread in this town. Instead of talking about people we should get our minds on what Christmas is all about.

Sincerely  
Todd Wright

Dear Mr. Wood:

I have been living in Tahoka my entire life. I have been all over this little town, and still I have seen the same thing over and over again. If we could only make Tahoka a little bigger, then it would probably be more interesting. But Tahoka is too small, and too boring to do anything good with it. If only we had new buildings, stores, and a school to replace all of the old ones. If also, we could make new construction along some of our roads. It would be a whole lot better for some of us who live here. Well, hopefully Tahoka will expand in time.

Sincerely  
Gino Arriajola

Dear Mr. Wood:

I feel that Tahoka should have recreation centers for teenagers. Most of the kids would stay off of the streets if there was a planned activity for them to do. Because Lubbock is 30 miles away and most kids don't have a license or even a car, they use the drag as a way to see friends and have a good time. A recreation-center would be greatly appreciated.

Respectfully yours,  
Terri Solomon

Dear Mr. Wood:

I have lived in Tahoka all my life and its always the same thing. The Hispanics and black are always doing something wrong. I'll admit we do our share, but so do the white kids. I think people should give us a chance and not always assume the worse. I've sat back and watch many white kids doing things they're not supposed to do and the Spanish and black do the same thing and get in trouble. I think we should all be treated the same and no one kid better than another. Prejudice is

very bad in Tahoka and I think if we learned to get along with one another and not put each other down, Tahoka would be a better place to live.

Sincerely,  
Melissa Ramirez

Dear Mr. Wood:

I have taken a good look at Tahoka's surroundings and I'm not pleased. Our town looks quite drab with the old, run down buildings standing, or falling to the ground. Teenagers are always looking for adventure, so I think we should do something constructive and either tear them down, or rebuild them into a place for teenagers to enjoy. I would greatly appreciate it if the city would please take advantage of the complaint in my letter.

Sincerely,  
Candice Bailey

Dear Mr. Wood:

I would like to address you about the town of Tahoka, I believe we could change a few things. We need to clean up the whole city and streets. I believe that we don't need all these kids out at all hours of the night as they have done in the past. You also need to address that we do not need all the drinking on the streets. We also have all those empty buildings that need to be done something with. Thank you for your time and cooperation.

Sincerely yours  
James Ellis

Dear Mr. Wood:

I am writing to let other people know how I feel about Tahoka. I have been here for about three years and I have enjoyed everyday of it. I find Tahoka to be peaceful and fun. I enjoy listening to the church bells ring and play the beautiful music that is heard all over. I also enjoy most of the people here. Everyone seems to be friendly. I hope Tahoka will remain as great as it is today.

Sincerely yours  
Sandy Garcia

Dear Mr. Wood:

I think that Tahoka needs more community activities. The Harvest Festival is the only activity the town has that the kids and adults both participate in. That's only once a year. The kids need more parties and dances. If they don't have anything to do, they just ride around and get drunk. I hope there will be more activities for us to do in the future.

Sincerely yours,  
Bryan Patterson

Dear Mr. Wood:

I am glad to live in Tahoka, but I wish they would construct a movie theater. This theater would bring in large profits. I hope that a theater will be considered in the future.

Sincerely yours,  
Paul Harper

Dear Mr. Wood:

There has always been the problem in Tahoka of nothing for the teenagers to do. With all these empty buildings in the town I do believe that one of these buildings could be turned into a place for the teenagers to hang out. This hang out would not only entertain the teenagers but it would also keep us off the streets during the weekend.

Sincerely yours,  
Roger Aleman

Dear Mr. Wood:

There are many wonderful things in this town, but I appreciate the friendliness most of all. Everyone knows everyone else and that results in having many friends and strong relationships between them. I think if we as teenagers grow closely to those around us, we will turn out prosperous and wealthy!

Respectfully yours,  
Trey Nance

Dear Mr. Wood:

In our community you always hear people talking about how bad we teenagers are. The question is are we really bad or are people just not giving us a chance? I do admit that there are some teenagers that do nothing but cause trouble; however, you can not judge all of us by what they do. I ask all of the people of our community to please give us a chance.

Sincerely yours,  
Virginia Lara

Dear Mr. Wood:

My main pet peeve about Tahoka is all of the empty, run-down buildings around

town. They are not only unattractive, but also may be a big hazzard. I think the city should either tear them down, or something should be made out of them. Someone could make a restaurant, or a

club for teens, or anything. This would make Tahoka a nicer place to live, and it would be a safer place also.

Very sincerely yours,  
Bridget R. Miller



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# Basketball Roundup

## New Home Basketball

By MICHELLE SHANNON  
The New Home girls' basketball team, coached by Keith Gast, begins with a 7-4 record. The players are Gloria Munoz, Jenni Gast, Michelle Shannon, Tobi Timmons, Grystal Ford, Pennie Shannon, Theresa Caballero, Shannon Kreger and Regina Davis. Tobi lead the team with 185 points. This season's summary up-to-date is:

- NH.-53 Union-23
- N.H.-39 Stanton-37
- N.H.-58 Dawson-27
- N.H.-36 Ralls-52
- N.H.-38 Guthrie-56
- N.H.-48 Hermleigh-32
- N.H.-47 Cotton Center-36
- N.H.-40 Sands-45
- N.H.-48 Sands JV-19
- N.H.-31 Borden Co. JV-48
- N.H.-51 Plains-39

The Leopardettes got 5th in the Southland Tournament.

### New Home Leopards

The New Home boys basketball team, begin with a 7-0 victory. The players are Gaylon Paul, Darrell Paul, Coby James, Carey Rudd, Grady Thompson, Henry Caballero, Joe Solorzano, Juan Munoz, Michael Caballero and Scott Fillingim.

Gaylon leads the team with 98

rebounds and 200 points. This season's summary up-to-date is:

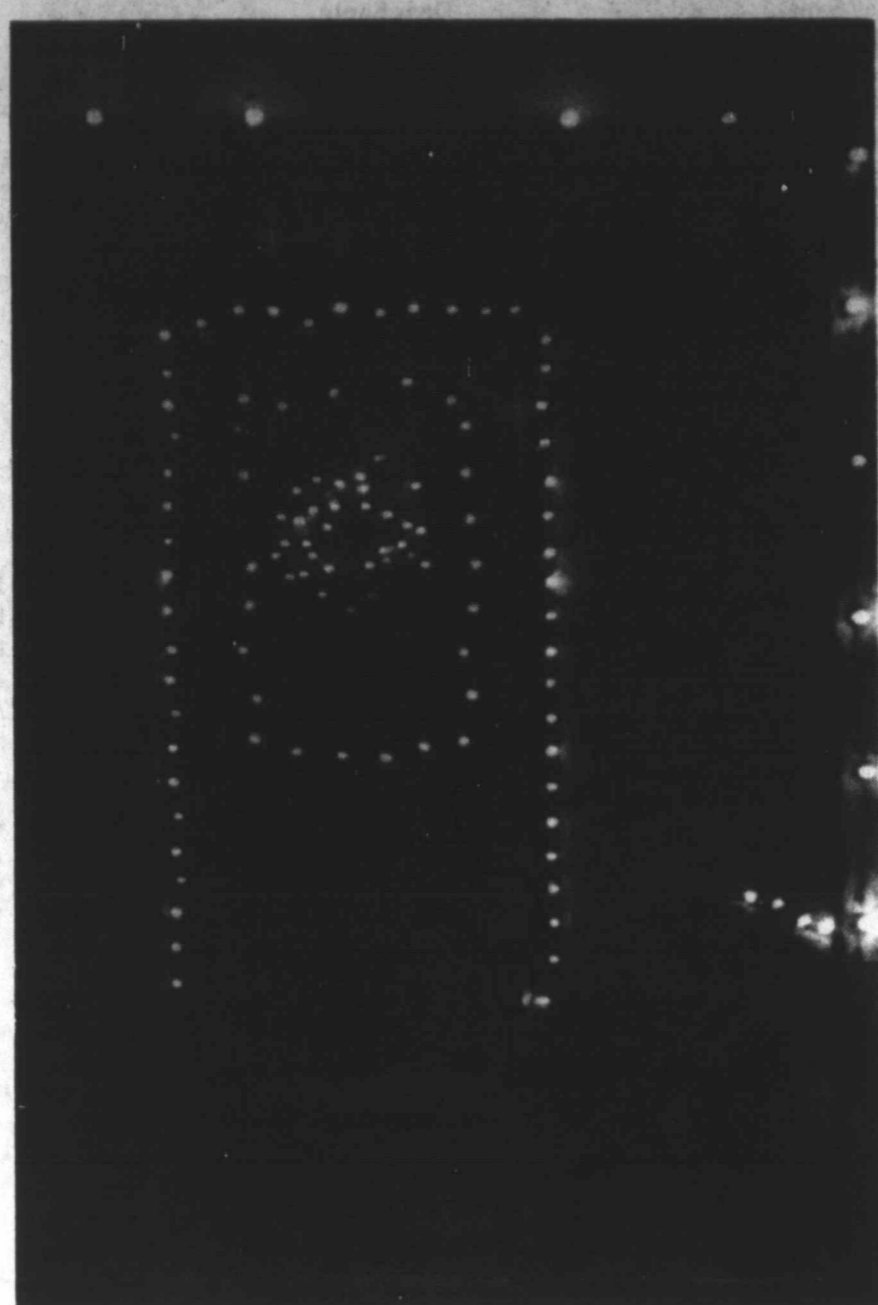
- N.H.-61 Ralls-56
- N.H.-70 Guthrie-34
- N.H.-90 Hermleigh-54
- N.H.-90 Patton Springs-32
- N.H.-73 Sands-52
- N.H.-83 Sands JV-21
- N.H.-83 Wilson-25
- N.H.-87 Plains-53

Gaylon Paul received most valuable player at the Southland tournament and was named to the All-Tournament team at the Sands tournament. The Leopards won the Southland tournament and got 4th at Sands.

### Jr. High Basketball

The Jr. High girls basketball team, coached by Dickie Turner have a 1-3 record. The team consists of Misti Gasaway, Kaury Turner, Selma Armijo, Lisa Rodriguez, Marla Rudd, Christina Hernandez, Charlie Speckman, Kara Askew, Amber Gatzki, and Sally Alonzo. The scores of the game played are:

- N.H.-6 Christ the King-26
- N.H.-25 Lorenzo-30
- N.H.-26 Petersburg-25



**DOOR DECOR** — The front door at the home of Simon and Sylvia Rodriguez, 1829 N. 1st, was judged No. 1 in the door decoration division of the annual lighting contest sponsored by Tahoka Garden Club. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

N.H.-28 Southland-23

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The New Home Jr. High basketball team, coached by Jeff Faubion have played 4 tough teams. The team consists of Troy Fillingim, Julio Hiracheta, Shannon Zant, Jason Gandy, Lee Jay Lisebmy, Cornelius Dyck, Pete Navarez, Roy Flores, Aaron Wendell, and John Barley. The scores are as follows:

- N.H.-10 Christ the King-23
- N.H.-22 Lorenzo-55
- N.H.-30 Petersburg-51
- N.H.-21 Southland-32

### Jake Jacobs Makes A Hole-In-One

Jake Jacobs made a hole-in-one on Wednesday, Dec. 14 on a #3 hole 2-Bar CC with #6 iron. Playing with Lionel Miller, Jake doesn't know whether to send the ball to a taxidermist or an embalmer.

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## New Home News

By FLORENCE DAVIES  
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The New Home Baptist Church honored the New Home high school graduating class with a banquet Thursday night in fellowship hall. Eight seniors and the sponsors, Dale Schaffner and Dalton Moore and twelve other guests were served. The meal consisted of fried chicken, creamed potatoes, green beans, jello, salad, hot rolls, chocolate pie, cake and ice tea. Rhonda Timmons and Pat Gill presented a chalk talk.

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Treva and Samantha Brenner of Colorado Springs, Colo.; Gail and Eugene Grider and family from Irving, spent and the weekend here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kieth. Freddie and Charlene Kieth and family, and Jimmie and JoAnn Kieth family joined them Saturday evening to celebrate Cecil's eightieth birthday.

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Delores and Robert Mauldin of Lubbock visited with her mother Ida Mae Edwards on Sunday.

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A Christmas program was presented in the New Home Baptist Church Sunday evening

followed by fellowship in the hall.

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Mrs. Florence Davies accompanied her three sister's in-law, Jo, Dee and Olive to Hart's Camp Sunday for an early Christmas with another of the sisters, Willie Mae and Blanton Martin. Other family members there were, Jim Spikes, Angela and Terry Johnson, Jonathan, Heather and Christy, Pat and Johnnie Wood and Tina, Mike and Pam King, Dustin and Melissa, all from Lubbock, Suzanne and John Perry of San Angelo, Jodi and Ward Stratton, Ashley and Johnathan of Amarillo.

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The Sunday night class of the New Home Baptist Church spread joy to residents when they went Christmas caroling Saturday evening. Sponsors were Alan and Sherri Nettles.

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The children presented a Christmas program in the New Home Methodist Church Sunday evening with a fellowship and later went caroling.

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Mrs. Fred Roper is reported in stable condition in Methodist Hospital.

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Jan. 21-22 -- 20th Rockhounds Gem & Mineral Show, Fredericksburg. Lapidary and mineral exhibits, demonstrations, fossils and artifacts will be on display at Pioneer Pavilion in Lady Bird Johnson Park: Sat: 10 a.m. - 8 p.m.; Sun: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Free Admission. Details from Dick Pohly, Fredericksburg Rockhounds, 306 E. San Antonio, Fredericksburg 78624 (512/997-2426).

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Jan. 21-29 -- 52nd Texas Citrus Fiesta, Mission. Tribute is paid to Rio Grande Valley produce with a variety of entertainment including citrus exhibits, royalty coronations, quilt show, golf tournament, armadillo races, mariachis, variety show, arts, crafts and carnival. Highlights are the Product Costume Shows featuring fashions created from natural Valley-grown products using a cloth base, and the Parade of Oranges with many of the floats decorated with Valley-grown fruits and vegetables. Complete listing and prices from Texas Citrus Fiesta, Box 407, Mission 78572 (512/585-9724).

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Jan. 26 - Mar. 3 -- 15th Texas Opera Theater Statewide Tour. Each year, young professional opera singers and musicians perform in many small towns where opera is rarely available as well as large cities, gaining career experience along the way. The nation's largest touring opera company travels throughout Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana before touring other states. This season offers two productions: *Hansel and Gretel*, Humperdinck's musical of the enchanting forest fantasy, will be performed in Tomball, Nacogdoches, Texarkana, Tahlequah (OK), Palacios, Eagle Pass, Temple, Austin, Midland, El Paso, Lawton (OK), Longview, Leesville (LA), Port Arthur, Galveston and Shreveport (LA); *America Sings*, a concert showcase of American opera composers, travels to Kingsville, Albany, El Paso, Plainview, Brownwood, Dallas, Tyler, Houston and San Antonio. Schedule and dates from Texas Opera Theater, 401 Louisiana #720, Houston 77002 (713/546-0290).

# Letters To Santa



Dear Santa,  
I have very good. I want a Little Miss Makeup an a pink bicyelle with a basket I want a checkers board remote control barbie car I love you  
Love, Kameron Livingston

Dear Santa,  
Hope you have a nice Christmas. Please bring me a computer and a Hot Wheels car wash. Please would you give me many present.  
Love, Mike Donathan

Dear Santa,  
I hope you find my house. I want a new bike. I wish it came shiny. My Christmas tree got decorated. When its going to be Christmas I hope you put something in my stocking. It has my name on it.  
Love, Recca Hicks

Dear Santa,  
I want a red truck. A robot that has red and brown on it too. I want a microscope. I want binoculars and a flashlight and a little gun you can hang up. I love you Santa. Please bring me a scooter.  
Love, Joulyich Hernandez

Dear Santa,  
I want a B.B. gun. I want a red bike. I want a bow and arrow. I want some crayons. Please give me a truck. I want a desk. I want a skateboard and some skates.  
I love you!  
Love, Jordan Bednarz

Dear Santa,  
I have been good. I want a skateboard. I want a brown bike without training wheels. I want a three wheeler. I want roller skates. I want a football. I want a baseball and a baseball bat.  
Thank you.  
Love, Clay Tedder

Dear Santa,  
I want a B.B. gun. I want a Hot wheels racing track. I want a color hot rod. I want a squirt gun to spray people playing in the water. I want a crayon box like Jennifer's. It has a crayon sharpener. I want new scissors from Santa Claus. I want Army Leggos.  
Thank you. I have been a good boy at school.  
Love, Joseph Bell

Dear Santa,  
I want a new bike for christmas, and a new doll, and a red jambox, and a computer, and a keyboard, and a organ, and a puppy and a kitten, What I mostly want for christmas is my family to be together for christmas.  
love  
Mindy Mankins

Dear Santa,  
I want a teddy bear and a care bear and a saeg set and I want a talking alf and a bike and a mocking bird and a bouncing baby and a my little pony and a singing raindeer.  
Love,  
Lori Ann Guzman

Dear Santa,  
I want a nintindo set and games and paltial. I want a tv. I want a seag set and games and joystick. And men and paper. And rodauif.  
Love,  
Jeremy Hernandez

Dear Santa,  
I want a red 58 jambox, and a radio with ear phones and a red organ and a computer with a key bord and a kitten and a puppy What I mostly want for christmas is everybody to be together for Christmas and I hope my brother is there with my aunts and uncles I hope to be there.  
Love,  
Becky Duenez

Dear Santa,  
I've been an o.k. boy this year. I want a t.v. for my mommy. I broke her t.v. I want a bike. I want a play bow and arrow. I want a hot wheels racing track. I want a color hot rod. I want a skateboard.  
I promise to be better.  
Love, Randal Follis

Dear Santa,  
I want Ninnie Mouse skates. I want a t.v. I want a new pink bike. I want a pretender. It is rabbit that purrs. I want an ice cream shop. I want a pound puppy that is whitish with a pink bow. I want a purple care bear. I want a santa claus robot. I want a popple book. I want a Jim puzzle. I love Santa Claus.  
Love, Ashley Joplin

Dear Santa,  
I want a Baby Grows. I want a talking doll. I want a Cabbage Patch doll. I want a new bike. I want Rainbow Brite skates. I want a Teddy Ruxpin. I want a praying doll. I want a Barbie doll. I want checkers.  
I've been a good girl. I want a new coat.  
Love, Briana Fields

Dear Santa,  
I want a red bike with a basket. I want a punk rocker. I want a tape recorder. I want a jam box. I want some books. I want some puzzles. I want a backpack. I want a shirt with name on it. I want a piano. I want a kite. I want lots of toys.  
Thank you.  
Love, Jennifer Vasquez

Dear Santa,  
Thank you for all the presents. I've been nice and everything. I want a bike for Christmas.  
Love, Angelica Ariaz

Dear Santa,  
My name is Stacia Barrington. I would like a dog and a baby doll and also a play fish. My mommy would like a white cadillac. My dad would like a gun. My little sister would like toys and a toy box.  
Love, Stacia Barrington

Dear Santa,  
I want color racers that you drop in water and they change colors. I want a set of cars that has a set of tracks that turn off the lights and glow in the dark. I want pocket rockers.  
Love, Justin Brannan

Dear Santa,  
I believe in you. Please bring me a remote control car.  
Love, Ruben Rodriguez

Dear Santa,  
I want a car that drives with a steering wheels and gears and you put your feet through it. Bring any other kind of toy.  
Love, Amber Wilke

Dear Santa,  
I want a tractor. I've been good. I want a play reindeer.  
Love, Fabian Rodriguez

Dear Santa,  
For Christmas would you get me, if you can, I want a toy truck and a new car, a remote control car. I would like you to give me a toy remote control police motor cycle that comes with a man. I wish that you could see me.  
Love, Ryan Smith

Dear Santa,  
Don't forget Michael Wayne Shipley. I love you Santa Claus. Will you bring me a truck? Santa Claus, will you please give me a chicken? I want a candy cane.  
Love, Michael Shipley

Dear Santa,  
Wish you could come and I like you Santa. I want Rudolph with you. I've been good. I want Barbie doll. I miss you. Would you bring my mom dishes.  
Love, Jennifer Morales

Dear Santa,  
I want to say, "I love Santa and I like Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeers." I want a four wheeler and I love the other reindeers. I like the elves because they can make four wheelers. They can make anything except horses.  
Love, Casey Short

Dear Santa,  
Santa I want a doll, and a bag to put things in, and a bed for the baby my brother and for my other brother a bike, and for me colors and a coloring book.  
Love, Vanessa



**BOOSTING AMBULANCE FUND** — A check for \$250 is presented by the St. Jude's Church bingo fund to help buy a new ambulance for the Lynn County EMS, which already is operating the ambulance. Accepting the check for EMS is Billy Tomlinson. Presenting it are Juan Alvarado, left, representing St. Jude's, and Armando Del Toro, bingo operator. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

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Two training sessions are offered per year, in August and January.

The second training session will be Tuesday, Jan. 10, in the high school library for the elementary and junior-senior

high school campuses as follows:  
Elementary (K-6) 8-10  
Jr-Sr High (7-12) 10 a.m. - noon  
All applicants must bring their drivers license and Social Security card.  
All persons who attended the first session in August are not required to attend the second session.

## Phebe K. Warner Club News

Phebe K. Warner Study Club dined at Waldrop's Well on Tuesday, Dec. 13 for their annual Christmas party. The guest speaker was Louise Deitrich, a member of Toastmaster's International, who told the story "Christmas Bells." Thirty-one members and guests enjoyed the meal and entertainment.

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## Tour Texas! January 1989

The following events, selected by Mari Schnell of the Tourism Division of the Texas Department of Commerce, are but a few of the many excellent opportunities offered by communities across the state.

**Jan. 2 -- Cotton Bowl Parade/Festival & Football Classic, Dallas.** The downtown parade begins at 9 a.m. followed by a festival of ethnic entertainment at City Hall Plaza. At 12:35, it University of Arkansas vs. UCLA in the Cotton Bowl at Fair Park.

**Jan. 6-27 -- 6th Annual Texas Black Artists Exhibition, Carver Cultural Center, San Antonio.** This juried art show is sponsored by Black Arts Alliance of Austin. The best works of Texas painters, sculptors, photographers, graphic artists and jewelry makers will be judged by nationally known artists and art educators. Hours: 9-5 Mon.-Fri. Free admission. More information from Carver Cultural Center, 226 N. Hackberry, San Antonio 78202 (512/299-7211).

**Jan. 7 - Mar. 12 -- Winslow Homer: Paintings of the Civil War Exhibit, Amon Carter Museum, Fort Worth.** More than 50 paintings, drawings and prints of one of the best known American artists depict how the Civil War soldier looked and acted; the camaraderie and tedious camp life interspersed with the occasional skirmish. Included is *Prisoners from the Front*, one of the icons of American art. Also on exhibit is *Flag Paintings of Child Hassam*, created during World War I - many in response to specific events or observances. Lectures and a film series will be held in conjunction with these exhibits. Free admission. More information from Amon Carter Museum, Box 2365, Fort Worth 76113 (817/738-1933).

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# Chain-Carrying Chancy Misses Just One Bulldog Game In 42 Years

The following feature story on Bill Chancy was written as a class assignment by Tahoka High School junior Kris Belew. Chancy has carried the 10-yard chains for 42 years at Tahoka High School football games.

By KRIS BELEW

What would you consider to be a true Bulldog fan? How about someone who has gone to every game the past 42 years except for a game against Petersburg Oct. 6, 1963 when Petersburg won 21-16? What about someone who has stayed until the end even when he was having to stand in six inches of snow? Anyone who is willing to do all of this and more is definitely "true to the blue" of Tahoka. You may know this man as the one who sells you gas, or the one who, to some kids, looks like Santa Claus, but he is Bill Chancy.

It all began one summery day in 1945 when Bill tried to "thumb" a ride to Lubbock. He was a junior at Tahoka High School, had only six weeks of school left, and was ready as anybody for summer vacation.

Back then the kids obviously didn't have someone like Tahoka's vice-principal, Culbertson around to keep an eye on them. From the way Chancy

talks, he would have been in D-Hall all the time. According to Bill, he found hitchhiking to Lubbock a better alternative than going to school some days; therefore, it had become somewhat of a habit for him. In all his days of hitchhiking he had come across a lot of people, but never his dad, until one day he finally did come across his dad.

Bill says his father pulled over to the side of the road, and calmly asked him, "Son, what are you doing?"

"Well dad, . . . I'm going to Lubbock," replied Bill.

Bill says his father sat there a minute and then said, "Son, you have been doing this a lot lately. Would you just like to quit school and go to work with me?"

It didn't take long for Bill to decide what he wanted to do, and he says he immediately said to his father, "Yes Sir!" Bill hopped in with his dad and they went to school to check him out.

Bill said, "I can remember having to duck as I walked through the door leaving. I was walking ten feet tall because I was so proud of myself."

At the time Bill recalls, "My dad had been working 8-hour days until I started working with him. Then we started working 12-hour days."

By the end of the summer Bill had decided that maybe he wasn't exactly cut out for working 12-hour days just yet and he decided to re-enroll in school.

Little did Bill know that this would mark the first year for him to begin his career as the chain carrier for the Tahoka Bulldogs football team. Since he had to repeat his junior year he was unable to play football, but he still wanted to go to the games. The coaches let Bill be the chain carrier so he could go to the games, and Bill said he could also still be a part of the team.

Bill played football from his 7th grade year to his sophomore year, and then got to play again his senior year.

After Bill graduated, he continued to carry the chains. Through the years he has had partners such as Bob McMillan to help him out. Bill said, "I might not have carried them the whole game, but I was always there."

Chancy has had two sons who played football for the Bulldogs. JayBo played from 1975-1978, and played on the team that went to the quarter-finals in

1978. Bill's son, Malcolm, played from 1979-1981.

"The more I talked to Mr. Chancy, the more he amazed me," said Growl staff reporter Kris Belew. "He is an intelligent man with the best memory of anyone I know. It is hard for me to remember who we played Friday on the next Monday, much less remember the score too. But -- if you ever can't remember, just call Bill Chancy. He can remember games from any date, who we played, what the score was, and what the weather was like."

Bill is one of those types of people who lets nothing stand in the way of what he wants to do. He didn't even throw in the towel in 1980 when Tahoka's district changed. Tahoka would be playing Dalhart one Friday that year, and then would play Ballinger also. This didn't stop Bill, even though he knew he would be travelling over 1000 miles in a week's time. He also recalls a game in 1976 when he played Frenship. "It was clear when we started the game, but by halftime there was six inches of snow on the ground."

Chancy has seen and heard it all of past Tahoka football. He has been with the Bulldogs in championship games, seen them through quarter-finals, and stood by them in losing seasons. He has heard "The Star Spangled Banner" called "The Star Spangled Banana", and heard cheers of joy, laughter, and happiness.

"The only thing I find disappointing at times is actual participation in the Booster Club," said Bill. Bill said he can remember a time in 1977 when there were 400 members, and now there are barely 40. "You would think the parents would at least be in it," said Bill.

Next season when football starts you won't see Bill standing by Carroll Rhodes singing stanzas of "Leeeeeet's Goooooo Bulldooooogs," or handing out programs at the gate. You will find him in his spot on the sidelines, chains in hand, supporting the Bulldogs in his own special way.

"I don't do it for the coaches. I do it for the boys," Bill said -- and so he does, staying forever true to the blue.

"While interviewing Mr. Chancy for this story for our school newspaper, I found out he has always paid his own way into football games. Principal Charles Cate gave me a life-time football pass to present to Mr. Chancy," said Kris Belew. "It seems very little pay for 42 years of dedication to the Bulldogs."



**BEST OUTDOOR TREE** — This tree at the home of Bill and Debbie Wright, 2429 Ave. L, was judged tops in the outdoor tree category of the Garden Club's lighting contest.

(LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

emphasis on any one phase of agriculture.

Belew also believes that agriculture education is becoming more fashionable, so the interest in different area is growing, which in turn is good for the city. "In Tahoka agriculture is our base. If people aren't proud of it, they're going to run off the kids. Towns like this will dry up and blow away if that happens," Belew said. He believes that because of this change in the attitude toward agriculture courses there has been a recent upswing in enrollment. Statewide there is a 15-20% rise in the size of agriculture education classes and almost a 30% increase at Tahoka High School.

Although he believes that the increase will not affect larger universities, small community colleges may experience a rise in enrollment because they offer more technical training that the students may be seeking.

Belew also mentioned that a misconception about the students enrolled in agriculture education is that they don't pull their weight in the academic areas. He says this couldn't be any more inaccurate and cited the \$27,000 in scholarships that the graduating seniors in his courses received last year. Between the nine students, that comes to average of \$3,000.

## Agriculture Program More Specialized

By KENT JAMESON  
Texas Tech Journalism Student

A great deal is changing in the Tahoka high school agriculture program because of recent changes made in the curriculum.

"We're changing from a general agriculture program to more specialized courses," according to agriculture instructor Denny Belew.

Belew also said the only general courses still taught at Tahoka are two sections of basic agriculture that give a broad background of the field. If a student wishes to continue studying in the field of agriculture they must begin taking some more specialized courses such as marketing, animal or plant science, agricultural mechanics or range and wildlife management.

Another change that the program is going through is a switch in its moniker. It's no longer considered "vocational agriculture," it is now "agriculture education." Belew also said that "It's not the Future Farmers of America anymore, it's just FFA."

According to Belew the reason for all of the changes is that nationally only 3% of the youngsters taking agriculture go

into the actual production aspect, whereas almost 60% go into agricultural related fields. So the change in the program allows an

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Black civil rights leader, minister and Nobel Peace Prize recipient Martin Luther King Jr. is honored on the third Monday in January by the observance of a federal holiday in his name.

An eloquent Baptist minister, King led the civil rights movement in the U.S. from the mid-1950s until his assassination in Memphis, Tenn., on April 4, 1968. He was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize in 1964 for his leadership in applying principles of non-violent resistance in the struggle for racial equality.

Born Jan. 15, 1929, in Atlanta, Ga., King's birthday was observed as a holiday by many states and territories after his death. In 1983, the U.S. Congress passed a bill declaring King's birthday a legal federal holiday. It was first observed Jan. 20, 1986. **hl**

**USO Birthday**

February 4 marks the 47th birthday of the United Service Organization, better known as the USO. A civilian agency that provides support around the world for U.S. service people and their families, the USO centers have served as a "home away from home" for millions of Americans.

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## Tahoka, New Home Split Varsity Games

Tahoka and New Home varsity basketball teams split games Monday night, with the Leopards winning the boys game 73-67, and the Bulldogs girls winning 58-54.

For the New Home boys, Darrell Paul scored 20 points, Coby James and Gaylon Paul 16 each, and C. Rudd 13. For Tahoka, Chuck Cate scored 25 points, T.C. Spruiell 17 and Ramiro Rodriguez 15. New Home led at halftime 37-32 and outscored

Tahoka 21-12 in the third period, but the Dogs came back to make it close in the last quarter, outscoring the Leopards 23-15 to make the game close.

Tahoka's junior varsity boys beat New Home JV 61-20 as Trey Nance scored 11 points and Michael Tipton had 10.

New Home came out smoking in the girls contest, outscoring Tahoka 20-9 in the first period, largely on the shooting of Tobi Timmons, who had 34 points in the game. But the Lady Bulldogs came back with a 21-10 margin in the second period to make the halftime score 30-30. The second half was almost like the first with New Home winning the third period 13-8 and Tahoka taking the fourth 20-11 and winning by a 4-point margin. Chasity Hood scored 22 points and LaDonna Tillman scored 18.

In games played the previous week, the Bulldog boys beat Plains but lost to district member Idalou after giving the highly-rated Wildcats a scare. In the Idalou game, Tahoka led 18-14 at the end of the first period and still led 37-32 at halftime before Idalou pulled away in the last half, mostly on play by Tracy Saul, who scored 22 points.

T.C. Spruiell and Ramiro Rodriguez played their best game of the season against Idalou, said Coach Charles Jurden. "They made a few mistakes."

Against Plains, Timothy Young was the hero of the day as he scored the winning shot in the final seconds of the game. Plains held a 64-63 lead as Thomas Glisson passed the ball to Young, who fired a 17-foot jump shot. As the ball cleared the net the buzzer sounded, and Tahoka was 65-64 winner. Young's shouting teammates carried him to the dressing room on their shoulders.



NICE TO LOOK AT — The home of Frances Flores, 1913 S. 5th, with decorated house, fence and garage, again has been judged tops in the overall lighting category of the annual contest sponsored by the Garden (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

## Managing Your Money

### Financing Planning and Divorce BY BYRON ALLAM

Divorce is a major statistic in today's world. The statistics are unsettling, but a reality. Acknowledging that, many financial planners have realized the need for divorce planning—alongside the standard retirement, education, estate and emergency fund planning needs.

While the term "divorce planning" appears almost paradoxical, it is a viable process to consider when dealing with divorce.

When a couple faces divorce, the division of property issue ranks second only to child custody. And, unfortunately, splitting the resources right down the middle is usually not adequate. Many times irrational behavior will precede the divorce. For example, a partner may incur debts to deplete assets or hide cash in secret accounts.

Divorce is generally thought to be a legal matter, but many attorneys who are not financial experts are turning to other professionals in this area. A financial planner can help divorced couples by making them aware of financial alternatives.

In general, couples will be immediately concerned with their short-term needs, expressing individual points of view. But there are long-term decisions requiring considerable attention. For example, who gets the family home? That decision may pose a possible burden that may require action in the future. For example, a divorcee may need to sell the home and face possible capital gains taxes, selling costs and the need to find another home of equal or greater value.

Here's one solution: The couple could retain common ownership of the home and sell it as tenants in common. The amount can be divided between the hus-

band and wife and reinvested in order to avoid capital gains taxes.

The differing tax structures that pertain to alimony and child support also may require special attention. Depending on the combined state and federal tax brackets involved, determination of a support payment system can have a significant impact on each individual tax position.

One possible technique is to use investments, including certain types of life insurance, annuities and unit investment trusts, to make long-term alimony payments. An investment that produces a monthly income has one particular advantage: Monthly payments are made from an objective source. Such a method can assure the spouse of uninterrupted and timely payments.

Pension plans are often another critical area of concern. By law, pension plan administrators may recognize a divorcee's right to all or a portion of a participant's plan benefit. The administrator may divide a participant's interest in a qualified pension plan to set aside a portion for the divorced spouse. If lump sum distributions are permitted under the plan, the amount can be rolled over into an Individual Retirement Account by the former spouse, minimizing immediate tax consequences.

Obviously, establishing separate financial plans by dividing a couple's assets becomes complicated. It becomes even more difficult when differing state laws enter the picture. At this point, it's often recommended that divorcees go beyond hiring an attorney to see them through the process and consider the assistance of an accountant, financial planner, stock broker or insurance representative. By having a financial planner involved, the divorcees and their attorneys will be able to see the impact of the proposed settlement on both parties.

### City-County Library To Be Closed For Holidays

The City-County Library will be closed on Thursday, Dec. 22 and Monday, Dec. 26 for the Christmas holidays.



## Senior Citizens Menu

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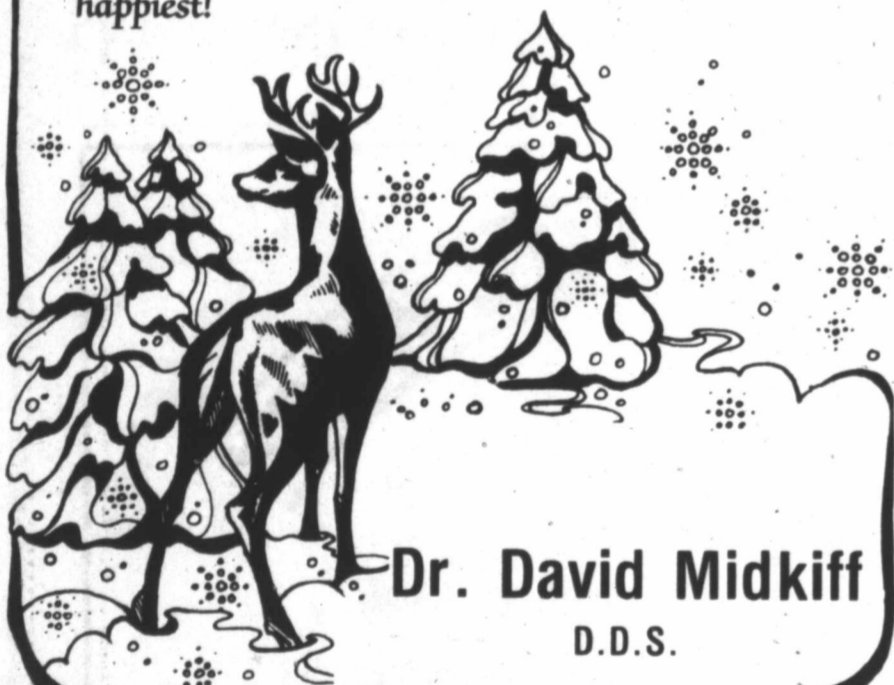
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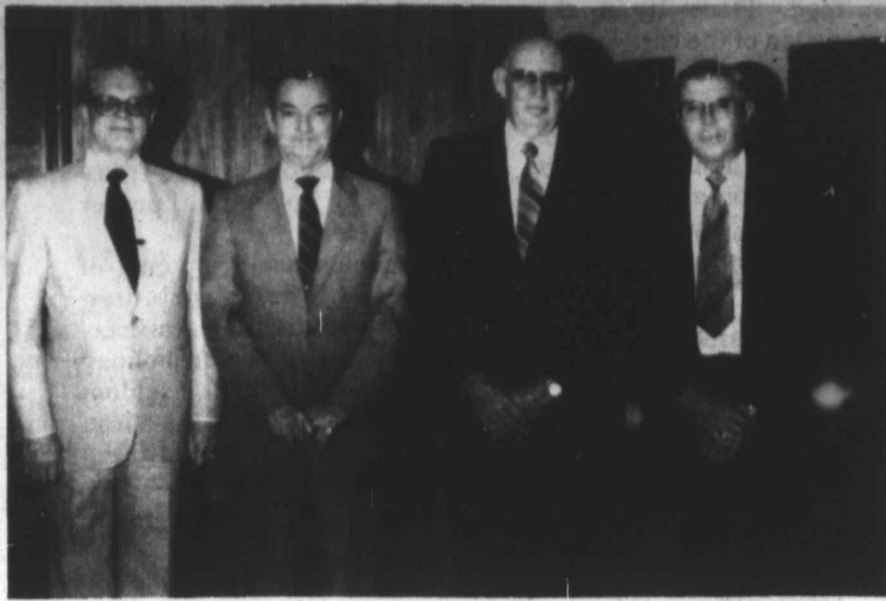
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### Lyntegar Service Awards Presented

Service Awards were presented to 18 employees, 2 directors, and 2 attorneys of Lyntegar Electric Cooperative, Inc. at the annual Christmas and Service Awards Banquet held Friday, Dec. 16 in the Tahoka School Cafeteria at 7 p.m.

Presenting the service awards, representing over 320 years of service was Board of Directors President Earl J. Brown, Jr. and General Manager Jim Payne.

Those receiving awards were: 40 years--W.W. "Dub" Gurley; 35 years--Bill R. Taylor; 30 years--Morris Bigham and Harold Green; 25 years--Hilton Wood, Mary Shearer, and Dwayne McNeely; 20 years--Gerald Huffaker; 15 years--Earl J. Brown, Jr.; 10 years--James Chancy, Frank Collins, Jr., Herman Freeman, Juan Corona, and Don Collins; 5 years--Novis Curry; 3 years--Marlin Hawthorne, Carla Brown, Diann Reynolds, Mark Wuensche, Gregory Henley, Michael Allen and Linda Brown.



135 YEARS OF SERVICE — These four men represent 135 years of service to Lyntegar Electric Cooperative, Inc. From left are Harold Green, 30 years, Morris Bingham, 30 years, W.W. "Dub" Gurley, 40 years, and Bill R. Taylor, 35 years.

### Suffering From Social Insecurity?

To most senior citizens, it's synonymous with a dignified retirement. But to many young workers these days, social security provokes a severe anxiety attack.

Will social security be there when today's workers retire in the next century? The short answer is yes. Retirees are almost certain to collect monthly benefits checks for as far into the future as anyone can see. The question is how much society will pay to have a social security system that will accommodate the 80 million retiring baby boomers born between 1946 and 1964.

Assuming that social security survives in something akin to its present form, what can you expect? In the next few decades the realities of a rapidly growing roster of aging baby boomers supported by a shrinking base of workers may force Congress to vote for changes that will make the system even less lucrative. As a result, the normal retirement age may be lifted even more. Younger workers today may have to wait until their late 60s or early 70s to collect full retirement benefits.

Smart financial planning demands that you understand how social security affects you. Here's what you can do to help ensure your financial security in retirement no matter what hap-

pens to social security.

Save. If you can afford to sock away money in a company retirement plan or an IRA, even if a contribution to the latter is not deductible. Also consider investing in a deferred annuity, which allows earnings to grow untaxed.

Consider investing in long-term investments that offer tax deferral, such as retirement plans, IRAs and annuities. If your employer offers a 401(k) plan or another company-sponsored retirement plan, contribute as much as possible. Your employer's plan will control how much you can contribute, perhaps as much as 25 percent of your salary, up to this year's legal maximum of \$7,313.

You also should consider other long-term investments that offer tax-deferral, such as IRAs and annuities. For example, an employee may participate in both a 401(k) plan and an IRA -- deferring up to 20 percent of pre-tax income in the 401(k) plan, while also contributing up to \$2,000 (\$2,250 spousal) in an IRA.

Get a handle on your retirement income. The Social Security Administration will estimate the amount of your social security check when you retire no matter what your current age. The figures are presented in today's dollars, so the size of your check actually may be much greater because of inflation. You also can ask the employee benefits department at your place of work to estimate the amount of benefits you can expect at retirement from company-sponsored retirement programs.

Buy a home. This forces you to save. You can parlay equity into increasingly valuable properties until retirement then move into a smaller dwelling, sell the house and live off the income from the proceeds.

Above all, abandon the notion that social security is the cornerstone of your retirement income. Better to think of it as one of three sources, the other two being company retirement plans and your own savings and investments.

### The Wilson News

By PAM WILLIAMS  
(806) 628-6330

Mr. Jack Woody presented the Wilson Bands in a Christmas Concert on Dec. 5. The 4th, 5th, and 6th grades performed several numbers each. The Lab Band consisting of Robin Wheeler, Angela Young, and Michelle Young performed between each group. The program ended with a wonderful performance by the Mustang Band. Mr. Woody said it was the first time the whole band had played together, and they really sounded great.

The Wilson School party for the staff and faculty was held Thursday, Dec. 15 at the County Line in Lubbock. The group was served a delicious family styled barbecue dinner. Afterwards, they played "round robin" with the Christmas presents. There were lots of laughs as the gifts were opened.

The Lion's Club also had its party on Dec. 15. A large group of families and friends gathered at the Green Building for a turkey and dressing dinner. They also exchanged gifts and had a visit from Mr. Claus.

The children of the First Baptist Church were treated to a "birthday party" for Jesus on Saturday morning. Each member of the children's choir put a candle on the cake and tried to think of a wish that would help someone else have a happier Christmas. The younger members of the group blew the candles out. They presented the musical "The Gift Goes On" on Sunday night, Dec. 18. Many thanks to all the parents that made costumes, fixed snares, helped with the children, and all the other work that made the program successful. The choir will not meet again until next month.

School is out and a lot of people will be traveling over the holidays. I will skip the Wilson News next week so please save up your holiday activities for the following week. Merry Christmas!

The Wilson School Board met Monday, Dec. 12, in regular session. The board received a financial audit report from the auditors. In other action the board approved employee bonuses for the Christmas, approved the purchase of a 1989 Chevrolet Caprice, approved the gifted and talented handbook, and heard a report on the employees health insurance and the Exit level T.E.A.M.S. results. In executive session the board evaluated the superintendent.

The Mustangs will be playing in the Loop Tournament on Dec. 29-30.

### Leopards Awarded All-District Football Honors

By GRADY THOMPSON

The New Home Leopards of 1988, who qualified for the Quarterfinals, were beaten by

Fort Hancock. But the Leopards weren't the only team to be beaten by the Mustangs. Fort Hancock won the state finals against Zephyr last Saturday night.

The Leopards were able to acquire eight 1st team positions. On the offensive team, Darrell Paul, running back for the Leopards was All-District back, along with Grady Thompson, the All-District end. Gaylon Paul was Honorable Mention end, along with Raymond Correa at Honorable Mention center.

Leopards had an outstanding defense for the 1988 football year. New Home had four 1st team players, plus one second team player to make All-District. They were 1st team Darrell Paul, linebacker; Todd Ballard, end; Tyrone Watkins, nose guard; and Carey Rudd, corner back. Coby James was named 2nd team safety. Gaylon Paul obtained first team punter for district.

The Leopards had an excellent football season this year, and we wish them the best of luck in basketball. Congratulations to head Coach Dickie Turner on his first year as a coach and to assistant coaches Jeff Faubion and Glenn Kieger.

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A Visit With Your

### County Agent

By Brett Cypert, CEA-Ag.

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Soil testing should be one of the first steps in planning your 1989 crop production, and now is the time to collect soil samples from fields to be planted to spring crops, said Cypert, county agent.

Cost of a soil test is a minor investment to make for the peace of mind it brings when faced with making fertilizer decisions, Cypert said.

Limited rainfall in many areas of Texas in 1988 resulted in crop yields below the yield goals for which crops were fertilized. Thus, some soils have fertilizer nutrient carry-over that could reduce 1989 fertilizer requirements. But only soil testing can determine that carry-over.

Following soil test recommendations can effectively reduce the per unit cost of producing a commodity and increase the chances of making a profit, said Cypert.

Of course, a good fertility program can only insure optimum yields when other conditions affecting crop yields are favorable, said the county agent Cypert. A good plant stand, adequate moisture, good physical condition of the soil, and insect, disease and weed control are all important in obtaining profitable returns from money invested in fertilizers.

Crop producers who have not yet made a final decision about which crop to plant on which field should submit soil samples now and request fertilizer recommendations for several cropping alternatives per soil samples, Cypert said. This information can be helpful in making final cropping decisions.

Soil sampling bags and information sheets can be obtained at my office.

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If you're taking food to a holiday party or family gathering make sure you don't inadver-

tently bring along food poisoning bacteria to spoil the fun. The real problems occurs when you have to travel more than two hours. Bacteria multiply rapidly whenever perishable foods are left between 40 to 140 degrees Fahrenheit for that amount of time. Since it's difficult to keep

foods hot enough to be safe for long travel, cooking the food completely and then thoroughly cooling it in the refrigerator is one option. Freezing the food is also a good choice. Any prepared food that freezes well will travel easier and will help to keep the other foods cold. Just before departing, pack

a cooler with ice and the cold or frozen food. Place it in the coolest section of the car. Don't forget to count the holding time once you get to your destination too. If you drive for an hour and then the food sits on the buffet for another hour before it's eaten, there could be problems. Promptly refrigerate

food until it's time to reheat and serve it. Protein foods, such as meat or poultry; egg dishes like deviled eggs or custards; and gravies are among the foods to be especially cautious about transporting and holding at proper temperatures. The unpleasant symptoms of food-borne illness, including vomiting and diarrhea, can certainly put a damper on holiday festivities. And while it's seldom life threatening, a food-borne illness can be serious for young children and the elderly.

of Northhome, Minn, and Tim and Clovis Halstead of Fort Worth; and eleven nieces and nephews.

**Breast Cancer  
High-Risk  
Groups Cited**

In 1989, one out of every 10 women will be diagnosed with breast cancer. Because the cause of breast cancer remains unknown, it is important for women to examine their breasts once a month. The American Cancer Society and the National Cancer Institute, identify three high-risk groups:

**Women over 50.** Two-thirds of all breast cancers occur among older women.

**Women whose mothers or sisters have had breast cancer.** A woman's risk is increased two-fold if her mother or sister had had breast cancer. The risk is six-fold if both family members have had it.

**Women who have already had cancer in one breast.** The risk of developing cancer in the other breast is about three times higher for this group than the average.

Other groups who are also at high risk include: women who have never had children, women who had their first child after the age of 30, women who experienced early menstruation or late menopause and obese women.

As with most cancers, the earlier the cancer is detected, the greater the chance for recovery. ACS statistics indicate a five-year survival rate of up to 96 percent for those women who detect the cancer before it spreads.

According to the NCI, women should become familiar with the shape and feel of their breasts. Any changes in the appearance, shape or feel of the breasts or any unusual discharge from the breast merits immediate medical attention. However, if a woman finds a lump in her breast, she should not assume she has cancer. Often 80 percent of the lumps found are benign.

**HealthStyles,** Lubbock Methodist Hospital's program for women, offers information concerning these and other health related issues. A special benefit of the HealthStyles programs is that all members receive a 30 percent discount on mammograms. For more information, contact Tricia Cobb, HealthStyles coordinator, at 793-4333.

**Service News**

Army National Guard Private John M. Shipley, son of Michael M. Shipley of Wilson, has completed a motor transport operator course at the U.S. Army Training Center, Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

During the course, students received training in the operation and maintenance of light military vehicles. Instruction is also given in the transportation of personnel, equipment and supplies.

**Letter to  
The Editor**

Dear Editor:  
Seasons Greetings to all my friends in Tahoka and Lynn County. Wishing each of you a safe and sound Christmas. I wish I could have a real long visit with each of you.

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JIMMY RODRIGUEZ, JR., et al

Defendants,

CIVIL ACTION NO.  
CA 5-87-037-C  
(consolidated with  
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TO: ALL FARM WORKERS WHO WORKED FOR JIMMY RODRIGUEZ, JR. DURING 1984, 1985 OR 1986 HOEING COTTON IN THE BROWNFIELD, SEAGRAVES OR TAHOKA, TEXAS AREA.

A lawsuit has been filed in the United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas in Lubbock, Texas against the following cotton farmers:

GOODPASTURE, INC. PST, BOBBY HARLAN, SCOTT HAMM, J.W. HAWKINS, DOYLE MOSS, GRADY HERRON, individually and as representative and administrator of R.G. HERRON ESTATE, HERBIE MARCHBANKS, KEITH ADDISON, LYNN ADDISON, EARL BROWN JR. III, R.H. CLEMENTS, EVANS & CLEM, P & B FARMS, KENNETH PURTELL, ROY A. SEXTON, T & S SKAINS FARMS, RALPH SPAIN, E.H. WOOD, BOBBY WELCH, BILLY JACK WELCH.

The lawsuit has been filed by three farm workers who worked in the cotton fields. These workers are claiming that the farmers and Santiago Jimmy Rodriguez, Jr. violated their rights and the rights of other hoe hands under the Migrant and Seasonal Agricultural Worker Protection Act. They are suing for damages to be paid to themselves and the class of all farm workers who were employed by any of the 21 farmer/defendants and Santiago Jimmy Rodriguez, Jr. to hoe cotton during 1984, 1985 or 1986 whose rights were violated under the Migrant and Seasonal Agricultural Worker Protection Act.

You will be automatically included in the class of workers seeking to receive damages unless you notify the Court that you do not want to be part of this class. If you do want to be included you do not have to do anything.

If you do not want to be included in the class, you may be excluded from the class if you file a written objection with the Court on or before March 1, 1989.

The judgment in this action, whether favorable or not, will include all members of the class who do not request exclusion.

You are further notified that the United States District Court in Lubbock, Texas, has also received a motion from the named plaintiffs seeking an amendment of their class action law suits against Santiago Jimmy Rodriguez, Jr. and the 21 farmers listed above. The plaintiffs seek to delete the pendent breach of employment contract claim concerning the wages, terms, and conditions of employment. This would include deleting claims concerning the failure to provide field sanitation facilities.

The granting of plaintiffs' motion to amend means that the named plaintiffs will no longer seek damages on behalf of the class for the alleged breach of the employment contract in 1984, 1985, or 1986. If the members of the class desire that the named plaintiffs continue representing the class on these claims or wish to pursue their claim individually, they should do the following:

- a. File a written objection with the Court stating that you want the plaintiffs to continue representing the class on the employment contract issue on or before December 31, 1988.
- b. File your own law suit within the statute of limitations. The statute of limitations for a breach of an employment contract is usually four years from the date the contract is broken. However, you may have additional time because the case was originally filed as a class action. You should immediately contact a lawyer to determine when you should file your own case.

Any class member who has objected to plaintiffs' motion to amend or desire to be excluded from the class should file their written objections with the United States District Clerk, Room C-221, 1205 Texas Avenue, Lubbock, Texas, 79401, and send a copy by U.S. Mail to: Stephen C. McIntyre, Attorney at Law, Post Office Box 1658, 1114 E. 7th St., 2nd Floor, Plainview, Texas 79072, counsel for the plaintiffs and 22 classes, and Tom S. Milam, Attorney at Law, CRENSHAW, DUPRES & MILAM, First National Building, 1500 Broadway, Lubbock, Texas 79401, and A.W. Salyars, Attorney at Law, Suite 425, RepublicBank Building, 916 Main Street, Lubbock, Texas 79401, counsel for the defendants.

**FURTHER TAKE NOTICE:**

The law prohibits anyone from discriminating, threatening, blacklisting, or retaliating against you for taking part in this case.

The workers who have brought this lawsuit and the class of other workers are represented by Stephen C. McIntyre, TEXAS RURAL LEGAL AID, INC., FARM WORKER DIVISION, Post Office Box 1658, 1114 E. 7th St., 2nd Floor, Plainview, Texas 79072, (806) 293-2625.

Dated: December 9, 1988

BY ORDER OF THE COURT:  
*Sam R. Cummings*  
SAM R. CUMMINGS  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

EN LAS CORTE DEL DISTRITO DE LOS ESTADOS UNIDOS  
DISTRITO DEL NORTE DE TEXAS  
DIVISION DE LUBBOCK

Gregorio R. Salinas, Gregorio G. Salinas, Jesus Chavez, individualmente y de parte de todos los demas similarmante situados

Demandantes

vs.

Jimmy Rodriguez Jr. et al.

Demandados

Accion Civil No.  
CA 5-87-037-C

(Consolidada con  
CA 5-87-139-C)

Aviso legal a todos los trabajadores que trabajaron con Jimmy Rodriguez, Jr. durante el 1984, 1985, o el 1986 en la limpia de algodón en las areas de Brownfield, Seagraves, o Tahoka, Texas.

Se a sentado una demanda en la corte del distrito de los Estados Unidos para el Distrito del Norte de Tejas en Lubbock, Texas contra los siguiente rancheros:

GOODPASTURE, INC. PST, BOBBY HARLAN, SCOTT HAMM, J.W. HAWKINS, DOYLE MOSS, GRADY HERRON, individualmente y como representantes y administradores de R.G. HERRON ESTATE, HERBIE MARCHBANKS, KEITH ADDISON, LYNN ADDISON, EARL BROWN JR. III, R.H. CLEMENTS, EVANS & CLEM, P & B FARMS, KENNETH PURTELL, ROY A. SEXTON, T & S SKAINS FARMS, RALPH SPAIN, E.H. WOOD, BOBBY WELCH, BILLY JACK WELCH.

La demanda fue sentada por tres trabajadores agricola que trabajaron en las labores de algodón. Estos trabajadores reclaman que los rancheros y Santiago Jimmy Rodriguez, Jr. violaron sus derechos y los derechos de otros azadoneros bajo el Acta de Proteccion para trabajadores agricola. Estan demandado por que les paguen danos a ellos ya la clase de todos los trabajadores que fueron empleados por cualquiera de los 21 rancheros/demandados y Santiago Jimmy Rodriguez, Jr. por la limpia de algodón durante el 1984, 1985 or 1986 a quienes se les violaron sus derechos bajo el Acta de Proteccion para el trabajador agricola.

Usted sera automaticamente incluido en la clase de trabajadores que buscan recibir danos, solo de que Usted notifique a la corte que Usted no quiere ser parte de esta clase. Si Usted quiere ser incluido no tiene que hacer nada.

Si Usted no quiere ser incluido en la clase, Usted puede sentar una objeccion por escrito en la corte antes del dia 1 de Marzo de 1989 para ser excluido de la clase.

El Juicio en esta accion, sea favorable o no, incluira a todos los miembros de la clase que no hayan pedido ser excluidos.

Ademas queda Usted avisado de que la corte del Distrito de Estados Unidos en Lubbock, Texas tambien a recibido una mocion de parte de los demandantes pidiendo una enmienda en su demanda de accion clase contra Santiago Jimmy Rodriguez, Jr. y los 21 rancheros enumerados arriba. Los demandantes piden que se borre la violacion pendiente del reclamo de contrato de empleo tocante a los sueldos, terminos y condiciones de empleo. Esto incluira borrar los reclamos tocante a la falta de proveer facilidades sanitarras en la labor.

Concederles a los demandantes la mocion de enmendar quiere decir que los demandantes nombrados ya no pidiran danos de parte de la clase por la violacion de contrato de empleo en el 1984, 1985, 1986 que se alega. Si los miembros de la clase decean que los demandantes nombrados continuen representando en estos reclamos o decean seguir sus reclamos individualmente, deben hacer lo siguiente:

- a. Sentar una objeccion por escrito con la corte deciendo que Usted quiere que los demandantes continuen representando la clase en la causa de contrato de empleo antes del 31 de Diciembre de 1988.
- b. Sentar su propia demanda dentro del los limites de la ley. Los limites de la ley para una violacion de contrato de empleo es usualmente cuatro anos de la fecha en que se rompio el contrato. En todo caso, Usted puede tener mas tiempo por que el caso fue sentado originalmente como accion de clase. Usted debe hablar con un abogado inmediatamente para determinar si deber sentar su propio caso.

Cualquier miembro de la clase que se a opuesto a la mocion de enmienda de los demandantes o decea ser excluido de la clase debe sentar sus objecciones por escrito con el secretario de tribunal del U.S. District Court, Room C-221, 1205 Texas Avenue, Lubbock, Texas 79401 y mandar una copia por correo a Stephen C. McIntyre, P.O. Box 1658, 1114 E. 7th Street, Plainview, Texas 79072, abogado de los demandantes y 22 clases y a Tom S. Milam, Attorney at Law, Crenshaw, Dupres & Milam, First National Building, 1500 Broadway, Lubbock, Texas 79401, y A.W. Salyars, Attorney at Law, Suite 425, RepublicBank Building, 916 Main Street, Lubbock, Texas 79401, abogado de los demandados.

**ADEMAS TOME AVISO**

La ley prohibe a cualquiera que lo discrimine, lo amenase, de bola negra o lo castigue por haber tomado parte en esta caso.

Los trabajadores que trajeron esta demande y la clase de otro trabajadores son representados por Stephen C. McIntyre, TEXAS RURAL LEGAL AID, INC., FARM WORKER DIVISION, Post Office Box 1658, 1114 E. 7th Street, 2nd Floor, Plainview, Texas 79072, (806) 293-2625.

Fecha: Diciembre 9, 1988.

Por Orden de la Corte

SAM R. CUMMINGS  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

**Obituaries**

**Lillie Williams**

Services for Lillie Williams, 89, of Draw were held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 18, 1988 in Draw United Methodist Church with the Rev. Elmer Ward, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Draw Cemetery under direction of White Funeral Home of Tahoka.

She died at 9:45 p.m. Friday, Dec. 16, in St. Mary's Hospital after an illness.

She was born on Sept. 1, 1899 in Weimer and moved to Lynn County in 1916. She married Kenneth Eddis Williams on Jan. 15, 1920 in Lynn County. He died in 1970. She was a member of Draw United Methodist Church.

Survivors include a daughter, Betty White of Lubbock; three sons, Albert, Robert and Walter, all of Tahoka; a sister, Clara Basden of Amarillo; a brother, Herbert Kuck of Weimer; eight grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Gus Sherrill, George Glenn, Boyd Barnes, Bobby Mack Furlow, Weldon Bessire and Willis Tyson.

**Tillie Richards**

Services for Tillie Armillia Richards, 83, of Tahoka were held at 3 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 21, 1988 in White Memorial Chapel with Doug Hall, minister at Tahoka Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial was in Tahoka Cemetery under direction of White Funeral Home.

She died at 12:30 p.m. Tuesday in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital after a lengthy illness.

She was born on Nov. 27, 1905 in Montague County and moved from New Mexico to Tahoka in 1916. She was a homemaker and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include a sister, Virgie of Tahoka.

Pallbearers were J.A. Pebsworth, Roy Ford, Loy Huff and Haney Wells.

**Bridget R. Halstead**

Bridget R. Halstead, 27, died Sunday, Dec. 11, 1988 in Fort Worth's John Peter Smith Hospital due from complications received in a car accident on April 14, 1988. Burial was by Lucas Funeral Home in Fort Worth.

She graduated from Richard High School in Fort Worth, in 1979.

Her father, Bruce Halstead, died in 1983.

Survivors include; two children, Bonnie 3, and Brandi, 7 months; her mother, Kathryn Smith of Fort Worth; seven brothers, Richard Halstead of Tahoka, Marlin Halstead, stationed in West Germany, and Jason Halstead of Fort Worth; four sisters, Debbi Halstead of Arlington, Mrs. Scott Erickson of Haltom City, Mrs. Jimmy Wright of Tahoka, and Callie Halstead of Fort Worth; Grandparents, Jim and Ann Diamond

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The family of Maeola Clay would like to thank everyone for everything they did. Thanks for the cards, flowers, phone calls, food and prayers.  
Betty J. Rogers and family 51-1tp

Thank you for the prayers and visits while I was in the hospital and since I've been home.  
In Christian love,  
Viola Greer 51-1tc

We would like to thank everyone that helped us, especially Elaine and Richard Lopez, Yolanda Alvarado, our families, Diana Riojas and MSC Associates, St. Jude's Catholic Church, Red Cross Branch of Lubbock, and my co-workers. Thank you all so much.  
Mike, Diana and Wesley Lara 51-1tp

Thanks to everyone who helped and came to our Resident's Christmas Party. We had a good turnout and we are already looking forward to next year's.  
Tahoka Care Center 51-1tc

The family of Gordia Unfred would like to thank everyone for the cards, flowers, memorials, food, prayers, and to all who helped in any way, may God bless you.  
The family of Gordia Unfred 51-1tc

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COUNTY OF LYNN  
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Any person wishing to request a public hearing on the proposed project must submit that request in writing to South Plains Community Action Association Inc., 411 Austin Street, Levelland, Texas prior to December 12, 1988. 50-2tc

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**GIFTS DONATED FOR NEEDY FAMILIES** — Tahoka Cub Scout Pack 782 donated gifts to two needy families on Monday. Den 1, first row, are Dustin McNeely, Seth Wright, Gary Gandy and Philip Vickers. Their den leader is Debbie Vickers. Den 2, top row, are T.J. Thomas, Lee Rash, Monty Hale, Jerry Jackson and Brad Long. Their den leader is Jo Ella Rash. (LYNN COUNTY NEWS PHOTO)

How are you? How are your reindeer? I saw you at the mall. I told you what I wanted for Christmas, but that wasn't all, I also want a Mickey Mouse that talks, footknobs, I also want an I.V. like my grandma had in the hospital but the pretend kind. I want a fisher price kitchen. Please bring my baby sister a lamb music box. I want a little mess makeup, and a Pee Wee Herman that talks you can buy that at toys r us. I will be good, and I will leave you some cookies, to eat.

Love you Santa,  
Victoria Medina  
P.S. I'm 4 years old.

Dear Santa,  
Please help me and my little sis to get over this terrible cough and fever we have both been suffering for several days now. I am only 3 years old and sis is 7 months old so we need to be better for Christmas. I want a Little Miss Makeup, Football (Like Roderick's), some play makeup, clothes (like my aunt's) and bring Alyssa a bald cabbage patch baby doll.  
I love you.

Mandy Gomez  
P.S. I have been good even though my mom says I'm a little pain. Don't believe her. O.K.

Dear Santa,  
A Cabechpach, And A Cputer, And A KeyBord, And A chokbord, And A radeo, And rud of that wolks And that nods his head, And I want a scrable, And A big trampuleen.

Love,  
Amber Fields

Dear Santa,  
I would like a Nitendo. I would like a bike.

I would like a transformer.  
Love,  
Joseph Ricky Morales

Dear Santa;  
I would like a Bouncing Baby and a Fashion Star Phily and clothes.

Love,  
D'Andra Wilke

Dear Santa,  
I would like a bike, and a Nitendo, and a Remote Control truck, and a play gun.

Love,  
Joel

Dear Santa,  
I would like a waterbed and a bike and a Bouncing Baby and a Fashion star phily.

Love,  
Veronica Garza

Dear Santa,  
I would like a bike, and a car, and, gun.

Love,  
Pablo Gomez

Dear Santa,  
I would like a transformer, I would like a bike, I would like a water bed.

Love,  
Oscar Bacza

Dear Santa,  
I would like a saga, I would like bike, I would like a Remote Controt bigfoot.

Love,  
Eli Martinez

Dear Santa,  
I hope you can get me a new bike, and a key boar.

Thank you  
Love, Clay Criswell

Dear Santa,  
I would like a Fashion Star Phily and a bike.  
I would like a stuff cat and a stuff puppy.

Love,  
Heather, Jones

Dear Santa,  
I want a football and a playcar. I want a big ball. I want a bike.

Love,  
Nicholas Moreno

Dear Santa,  
I want a rela Gun and a fishing rode and a rela whree whreel and toys and a pop guns and a pet bind and toys.

Merry Christmas Santa  
Love,  
Kevin Abbe

Dear Santa,  
I want a pair of drums. I want a keybord. I want a pair of gray roapers. I want a cuputer. I want a big trapaleen. I want a pelet gun. I want a jimset.

Love,  
William Bell

Dear Santa,  
I want a green bike. I want a bear. I want a hat. I have been a good boy.  
Love, Santiago Hernandez

Dear Santa,  
I want a superman toy. I want a toy rifle. I want some markers. I want a transformer. I want a cowboy gun. I want a karate GI. Joe. I've been good.  
Thank you for the toys. Have a merry Christmas.

Love, Chris Muniz

Dear Santa,  
I want a blue bike. I want lots of toys. I want a gun. I want a quilt. I want police things. I want a play ghost. I want a jambox. I want a goose for my little sister.

Love, Jacob Hernandez

Dear Santa,  
I want a shotgun to shoot bears. I want a play knife. I want a real little dog. I want another cat. I want some more crayons. I've been a good boy this year.

Love, Carlos Guzman

Dear Santa,  
I want a desk. I want a Little Miss Makeup. I have been a good girl.

Love, Rosy Hernandez

Dear Santa,  
I want a car. i want a Nintendo. I have been a very good boy. I want a remote control car.  
Love, Rigobert Magallon

We send warmest wishes to all our faithful friends for a bright, glowing holiday.



**TAHOKA AUTO SUPPLY**  
JUAN MANUEL TOME

**Letters To Santa...**

Dear Santa,  
My name is Jhonathan. I am 5 years old and I have really tried to be a good boy. I live with my nana and granddady Leighton. I would like for you to bring me a nitendo, lots of toys and some snow.

I will leave milk cookies ad fruit for you on the bar. Take care of yourself and the raindeer.

Be careful and don't get too cold. I love you Jhonathan Ribble.  
P.S. Don't forget the children in the hospital and remember my mommie.

Dear Santa,  
I want to tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a white desk, houseshoes and a container for my pencils. I well be in Tahoka. Have a merry Christmas.

Love, Amy McCord

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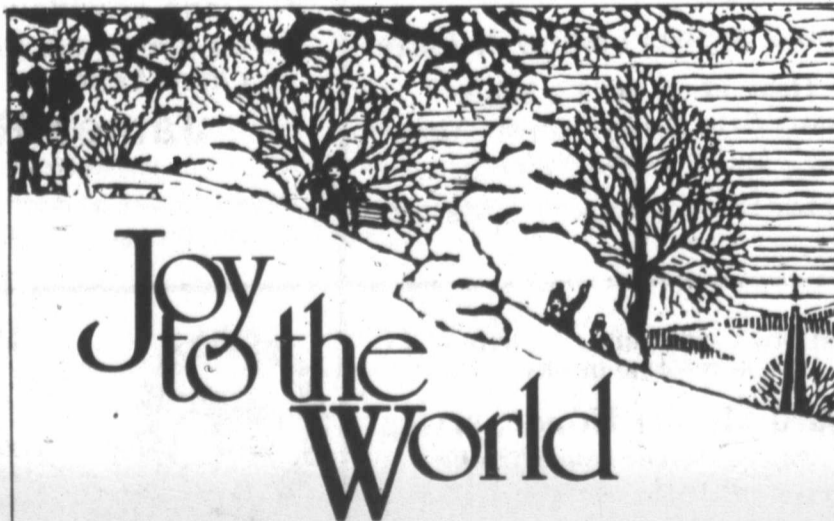
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