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FOR UNTO US A CHILD IS BORN



May each of us in our own individual way so rededicate our lives that brotherhood of man will become a wonderful reality, and that the true meaning of Christmas will be felt everywhere, for all time to come.

Dear Santa,
I have something I want
very much. I hope I get it. It
is a barbie perfume maker.
Love
Cheryl Boggs

Dear Santa,
I want to have close and
some shoes. And I want a
puppy.
Love
Samantha Bartlett

Dear Santa,
I want a doll My sister wants
a bike I Love you Do you like
toys I want a play horse
Love,
Nicole McCall

Dear Santa,
How are you? I am doing
fine. I want errings, neckles,
pants, shirt, woopsy and a
drss.
Love
Necial Williams

Dear Santa,
I want a new soccer ball and
I want a new gun. and a new
dog. base ball I hop Scott
gets a new bike happy
CHRISTMAS.
Love
K.C. McCarter

Dear Santa,
I Love Santa I wish i had a
bike Merry Christmas I
Love you Santa
Rebecca Ketchum

Dear Santa,
this christmas I want a
PuPPy, Gymset, my friend
snoopy, and mini bake oven
Merry Christmas
Love
Misti Hrcnrick

Dear Santa
This is your Friend Marian
Merry Christmas
Love Marian Goss

Dear santa,
I like my toys and bike think
You Santa I want a toy train
and a truck I Love You
Santa I Love You do You
Love me do You Like toys.
Love
Shannon Ray Long

Dear Santa,
You are my best friend. Will
you get me some play horses
please. I will be nice all the
time.
Love,
Jill Silvers

Dear Santa,
I want a 56 bike and a
godzulu and a rumthespunit
and a dinosaur book and a
nrf football
Love Benny Hutchings.

Dear Santa,
I know you are coming to my
house Decmeber 25. to bring
me and my family some
presents. My sister wants a
barbie, I want a benkenobi
and DARTH Vadar and candy
Love
Bill Parker

Dear Santa,
I hope you have a very
happy holiday. I hope I am
good enough for you. I want a
barbie perfume maker and a
juicer blender a snugels doll
for My Sister and she wants
a jumping horse. One more
thing, I Love you.
Love,
Cari Crawford

Dear Santa,
I hope you have a happy
Christmas day I hope you
will bring me a super fection
game and a Touch me game
and a bake oven and I hope
you are feeling good. I want
a My freind Snoopy, and I
need to say one work I Love
You.
Love
Stacy Magness

dear Santa
I'd like a toy gun and a Hot
Wheels. I would also LIKE
some clothes And Pajamas.
Thank you
Bryan Mckenley

Dear Santa
I want a remot-control car
any kind of them. And a
mulaineun-foucun and some
more star-wars stuff.
I Love you verey much.
Love, March Len Thames.

Dear Santa Claus,
I would like to have a race
car track, Dallas Cowboys
shirt, a firetruck, dartboard.
Merry Christmas.
Lewis.

I LOVE YOU SANTA
CLAUS Can you Bring A ho
ho ho Bag of toys to me
SANTA CALUS I would
REALL appreciate that I
LOVE YOU Sata Claus
CYNTHIA

DEAR SANTA
I WOULD LIKE SOME
SKATES, A BARBI DOLL,
SHOES, BIKE, PURSE, A
Stuffed Animal And PAJA-
MAS.

THANK YOU
VERY MUCH
Wendy
Roger Patterson

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a record
player. My little brother,
Don, would like a Tin Can
Alley shooting game. We
have been good. Tell
Rudolph hi.

P.S.
We will no be home on
Christmas day so please
come early if you can.


Love,
Karen Ellis
1312 Edgehill Tr.

Dear Santa,
I want a bow and arrows and
cars.
Vance Edwards

Dear Santa,
My name is Dee Dee. I want
a Barbie and Barbie clothes.
and fur coat Happy
christmas Santa love
Dee Dee
Merriman

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"thanks" for letting us
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pleasures of
Christmas Day. May
the holiday bring,
in bountiful
measure, many
happy moments
with family and
friends for
you to
treasure.



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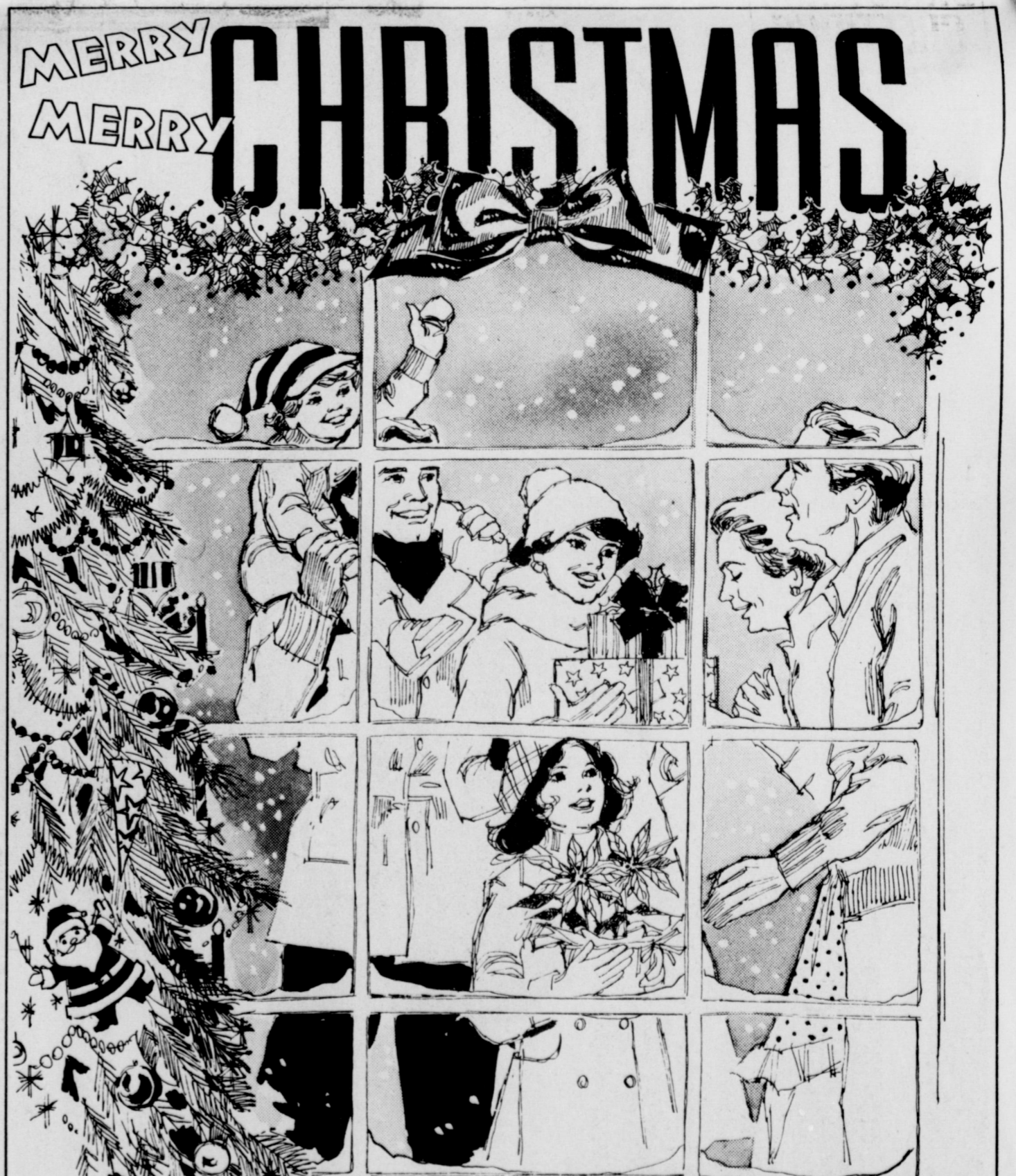


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Goodwill toward Men

We hope the glowing Spirit of
Christmas will brighten every day of
your holiday and its holy light always
shine in your heart. Thanks to all.

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the truly beautiful and meaningful
treasures of life. As you share warm and
loving hours with those you cherish most,
we wish you a season of beautiful
Christmas moments... beautiful holiday
memories. Thanks from our house to yours.

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Dear Santa
I want a Bik
I want doll house
I want doll clothes
I want Barbie doll
how are you feeling santa,
I want a piano
I want a Fan
I wanta dollcot
Love Dawn Beeman

Dear Santa
I want : Incredible Hulk I
Want Race traek I Want
clothes
Jamey Huff

Dear Santa,
I Want s mre ytivl smf s

Dear Santa,
I want a neWtruck and a
spaceship and wheels and a
monster bird, Puppy, and
rocket
Jason Welch

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? I want a
fur coat and a baby Rash
Love Angela Harris

Dear Santa,
We hope you come. And
bring toys and I wanta BB
pistol, racetrack, mud grip
tires, bike rocket, clothes.
Love, Chad Reis

from Patricia Warrn
Dear Santa I want a bike
and a babydoll and I want a
Candy doll and I want a
Kitten.

Dear Santa,
How are you feeling? I want
a B.B Pistol. I want rocket. I
want bow
Donnie Davis

Dear Santa, How are you? I
hope you are not sick
tonight. I wanta kitten And
flashlight.
Love,
Launa Thrush

Dear Santa,
How Is your family? I wanta
B.B rifle and a tincanalley.
Mery cHRISTmas 4-10
shells
Love David Meissengill

Dear Santa
I want a Barbie car I wanta
BaBy Rash. I wanta Play
house. Santa I hope your
not sick
Doni Peeler

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a bike How are you? I
want a Barbie Van I want a
Candy doll like you Santa
Claus.
Stacey Dawn Crume

Dear Santa
I want bike
I want train
I want spaceship
I want BB rifle
David Buckmaster

Dear Santa I wanta Barbie
case, ball, Necklace, Barbie
clothes,
Love
Jodie Horton

Dea Santa,
Will you get mea Mr.
Mouth? I want toys and a
puppy. I Want a bike and
some clothes.
Merry christmas.
Gary Green

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a TCR racing set and
a radio and a watch and
surprises. How are you?
How are Dancer, Prancer,
Doner, Blitzen, Comet,
Cupid, Rudolf, Dasher and
Vixen? How is your wife?
How are the people in the
workshop? I like you a lot.
Have you ever heard Doctor
Drill fill hill Bill and Mill? I
have not I like Mrs. Claus.
Love, Philip

Dear Santa
I want a play car. I want
playing cards. I want a book.
from Dean Wynn

Dear Santa Claus,
I have been pretty good. I
want a Lego Building Set,
and a Pop-Up Pinball. Please
bring my little sister a doll.
Thak You
Love
Stan
Age - 4

Dear Santa,
I want a shortun and
motorcycle and a foot ball
stunt Mr. Mouth, pistolgun
stunt bike.
Love, Shane Patterson

Dear Santa, I want a Stunt
bicycle, and to Woketokes a
boat and boots 4/D b-b gun
Dog and cat colsokye 100,
200 dinasors freds to
I Love Santa
Robert

Dear Santa
Koyasokye 100, Deer gun,
football, Deart bike - not a
motorcycle. Baby doll Baby
wet and care dinasours
fossil fight
Love Chance

Dear Santa my name is
Jennifer. I live at #2 Surrey
Iowa park. Now I'll tell you
what I want. I want a doll
with lots of dresses. And lots
of barbie stuff. I'll leave you
milk and cookies and a
carrot for your reindeer. I
also want some rock in roll
records. Oh and especialy
fruit in my stocking.
with love
Jennifer Welch
Merry Christmas

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a bracelet
and a necklace. and a ring. I
would like to have a
typewriter, Candi Color and
Curl, My Melody Baby Doll,
Mary Muffin Stroller, Mo-
nopoly game, Piano, Drum
and Rhythm Band Set,
Bulletin board and a stuffed
animal.
RHONDA WEAVER

Dear Santa
I wish for a bike and a doll.
And some boots and a perse.
Love Ginger
Echols

Dear Sante,
How are you. I have been a
good boy. Would you please
bring me a Penball machine,
And a football game. Kelly
McClure.

Dear Santa
I would like a gun. I would
like some goodies. I would
like a play train. I've been
good.
Jimmy Kaufhold

Dear Santa:
I want a doll, a stuffed dog,
and some barbie doll clothes,
I also want a purse.
Love Tammy

Daer Santa,
hi I was a bad boy. I will be a
good boy. I want some race
cars and a reace track too. I
want some trucks.
Merry Christmas
from Chris Cook

Dear Santa,
I love you I hop you have a
happy christmas I wish i had
some cards and my other list
is with you. I Love you
Jason English



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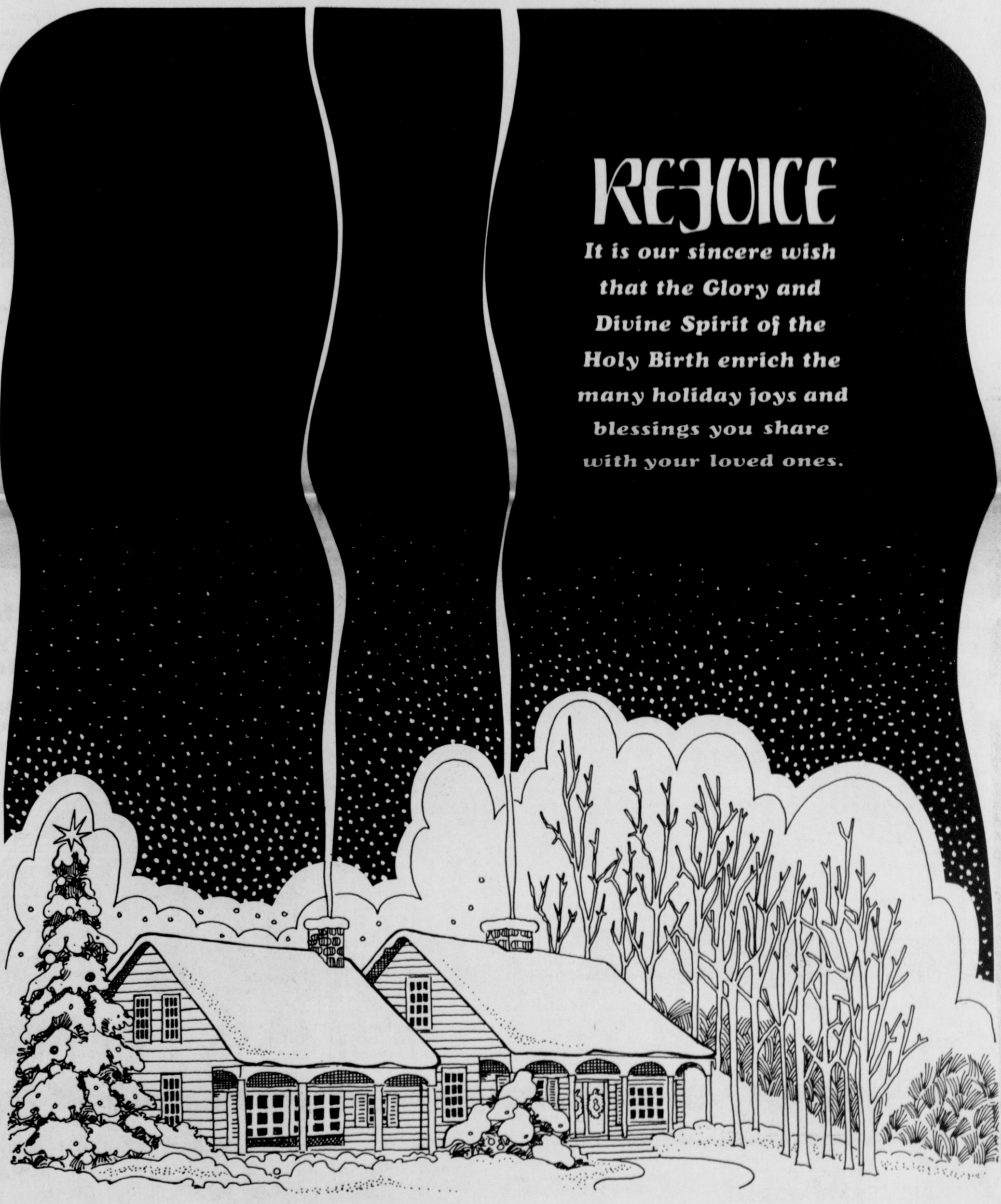
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Dear Santa Clause,
I would like a Barbie doll and a townhouse, a little plant, a record player, a new purse, and my own cook-book. My brother wants a Star Wars space station or droid Factory. Merry Christmas.
Love
Christie Catlin

Dear Santa,
I would like RollerSkates RaceCar track
Love Chad Witherspoon

Dear Santa
I would like makeup laugh baby purse play puppy snuggles doll dollhouse play cat
Love
Julie Hodson

Dear Santa
I would like football suit football socker ball batman
Frank Banks

Dear Santa,
I would like a Doghouse Makeup baby drink and eat
Patty Anderson

Dear Santa
I would like real puppy purse roller skates
love
Kristi Fulfer

Dear Santa
I would like a footBall sut pads rifle
Tracy Washburn

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be good. I would like to have,
I want a Holly Hobby Radio
Love Marian

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be good I would like to have Mickey Mouse Radio
Love melody

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be good I would like to have doll Easy Oven Holly Hobby Radio, Bicycle, flip phone
Connie

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be good I would like to have wagon for doll
Love Toshia

Dear Santa,
I would like to be good. I would like to have T.V.
Love Jeremy

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be good. I would like to have a tv
Love Gabrielle

Dear Santa,
I would like to de good. I would like to have Holly Hobby Oven
Love Marsha

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be good I would like to have a tv and a Purse
Love Emily

Dear Santa,
I wanta motorcycle and a Lone Rnage Set and a police set and a super man set and a Star War set.
Brent Wineinger

Tony
Tratre MotldPhatro teeth.

I want a Big Wheel Santa. I want a horse. Are you real Chris

DeAr SAntA,
I am asking for a Super Star Barbie and a Kissing Barbie doll. Please send me a Seadoddle game and some rings.
Kelly

Dear Santa,
I would like BB gun hulk rifle Batman stretch xray
Jim Conner

Dear Santa
I would blue comet train Real cat 4-10 Pj5+01 RocketDavid
Love
Danny McCreary

Dear Santa I would like base ballbat Superman Train Hulk Batman
Love
Tommy Lee Ashton II

Dear Santa
I Would like Racecar-track. BB Gun. horse Saddle rollerskates.
Brian Laney

Dear Santa,
I would like Rifle BB gun Suit Cowboy Suit Stretch Xray
John Collensworth

Dear Santa
I would like Snuggles doll and Rollerskates.
Adela Collazo

Der Santa, I want a Bear. and a bicycle.
Kim Black
Age 5

Dear Santa
I want
Guitar with Pick And A Band
Jason Miesel
Age 6

Dear SANTA,
I WANT A BABYALIVE!
Shara Stout

Dear Santa,
I want
Holley Hobbie Puzzle.
Christy Kenyon
Age 5

Dear Santa
I want a race car set.
Eddie Singleton

Dear Santa, I want B.B. Gun I want Teddy Bear.
Jason Hammond
Age 5

Dear Santa
I wanta Star-Station. I want Bow and arrow.
Jason Hamilton
age 6

Dear Santa,
I want a motor destruction set.
Michael Smith
age 5

SANTA CLAUS I WANT A CREEPY CRAWLER FOR CRISTMAS THANK YOU
Randy Barnes

Dear Santa,
I heve ried to be good Like to heve doll Easyoven Bicycle
Love Jaima

Dear Santa,
Motorcycle bicycle stunt bike b.b. gun shotgun tape recorder walkie-talkie football
Dec 3

Dear Santa
I want
Guitar with Pick And A Band
Love
Brandon Lane

DEAR SANTA CLAUS
Would you please bring me Squirt the Animals, Winnie the Pooh Bee and Hunny Game, Barbie Swimming pool, Dancarinid, and a Sneeker Sleeper Telephone.
Thank You
Christy Adams
Age 5
804 W. Magnolia
Iowa Park, Texas
76367

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. I am 5 years old. Please bring me some football pads, some chaps, vest and a cowboy hat. Please bring my parents and sister some gifts too.
I love you,
Andy Cravens
Kamay, Texas

Dear Santa,
I want a Baby Ballering and How are you feeling came and see us I wanta fur coat sweetie face earrings play house and layanegg
Merry Christmas
Misti Murray

Dear Santa I want a easy bake oven or zip-up boots 12 n.
Love Marcy McCarthy

Dear Santa,
I want a Kissing Barbie doll and I want a tape recorder, some lipstick, and some makeup, some shoes, some pants, some necklaces and some earrings.
Love Michelle Cannedy
Bradford

Dear Santa Caluse
Ive Been a pretty good Boy. I want a Dallas CowBoy suit and a Dallas CowBoy watch. Tyco Clementine with smokepowered. I have a neice and she's Been good. She want's a Irish Doll and Little Refrigerator. Little Sink. Little Microwave. Miss Piggy a Doll and a puppte and the dogs Jacques, Crisy, Buffy, Jeanne they want a rubber bone.
Love
David,
and
Mison

Dear Santa,
I wont BB and pellet gun. and a BB pistol with Scope hunting bow and arrow
Jason Meller

As I See It....



Iran is rubbing the nose of Uncle Sam in the sands of its political desert. The OPEC nations have decided they need to raise the price of oil which we so badly need. Our own government has decided it needs the money more for energy development programs and aid to the poor, than do the people who try to produce the oil our nation needs, so a new "windfall" profits tax will be financed by the American public. Everyone who wants the president's job is telling us how poorly our current president is running things, and how poorly all the other candidates would be if elected. The price of gold is going even higher than interest on mortgages, and soon our newlyweds may be using some other metal for their wedding bands. Hardly anyone can afford to build a home because of the cost of construction materials, labor and interest rates. Economists tell us inflation is overtaking our pay checks and we don't have as much buying power as we once had, as if we didn't know. Fixed income citizens are being inflated out of existence. Unemployment is soon to be a major factor in the nation.

Whether the date is correct or not, we can gain hope for the future because today, and every year on this

date, the world is reminded of the birth of Jesus Christ, the Son of God. Merry Christmas.

IOWA PARK LEADER

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The Living Word

We find God's message for us in His uniquely inspired word, the Bible. This marvelous book was produced by the Holy Spirit who guided its writers. The Bible contains God's will for all men of all time. Consequently, the apostle Peter speaks of "having been begotten not of corruptible seed, but of incorruptible, through the word of God, which liveth and abideth...The word of the Lord abideth for ever I Peter 1:23, 25. Paul tells of our Lord "having committed unto us the word of reconciliation" II Cor. 5:19. James was moved by the Holy Spirit to exhort men to "receive with meekness the implanted word, which is able to save your souls" James 1:21. A familiar passage from Paul to Timothy reads, "Every scripture inspired of God is also profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction which is in righteousness; that the man of God may be complete, furnished completely unto every good work." II Tim. 3:16, 17. He also admonished Timothy to "give diligence to present thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, handling aright the word of truth." II Timothy 2:15. The apostle Peter explained the origin of the scriptures in these words, "No prophecy ever came by the will of man; but men spake from God, being moved by the Holy Spirit" II Peter 1:21. Jesus said, "He that rejecteth me, and receiveth not my sayings, hath one that judgeth him: the word that I spake, the same shall judge him in the last day" John 12:48. Jude was guided to write, "Beloved, while I was giving all diligence to write unto you of our common salvation, I was constrained to write unto you exhorting you to contend earnestly for the faith which was once for all delivered unto the saints" Jude 3. Paul wrote to the Galatians "Though we or an angel from heaven, should preach unto you any gospel other than that which we preach unto you, let him be anathema." Another clear-cut statement emphasizing that authority does not lie with men but with God, is found in John's statement, "Whosoever goeth onward and abideth not in the teaching of Christ, hath not God; he that abideth in the teaching, the same hath both the Father and the Son." II John 9.

All of these scriptures add up to the fact that human traditions, human creeds and the opinions of men do not constitute meaningful authority in the Christian religion. Authority always rests with God. God has proclaimed His Will in the inspired book, the Bible. Man must respect that authority. There is urgent need for a "Thus saith the Lord" for everything we do in religious faith and practice.

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