



Dear Santa,  
Please bring a few things my way, which will help my classmates and me.  
Bring Tom David all the magazines about cars, so he will be able to fix his car.  
Bring Ronnie Ward a set of new tires so he can go see Jeanie everyday.  
Bring Larry Donaldson a set of new brakes for his '54 Ford.  
Bring Bobby Donaldson, an American History Workbook (with the answers).  
Bring Stanley Duckworth, a Johnny Horton's greatest hits record album.  
Bring David Herring, some good mufflers for his car.  
Bring Carol Thomas a red and white '60 Falcon, so her car will be like Ray's.  
Bring Ray Beanson, some elevated shoes, so he will be tall as Carol in her high heels.  
Bring Don Reeves, a paper showing him the route of his newspaper, so he won't get lost delivering the Abilene Reporter News.  
Bring Mark Anderson a new twist record (so he can do the twist).  
Bring Jinx Reeder, a new Chevrolet (since she claims hers is worn-out).  
Bring Martha Kay Waldrip, a wonderful Christmas by letting all the college students come home (Freshmen especially).  
Bring James Hopkins, some new brains for American History.  
Bring Ronnie White, 1,000 Wiscracks and a tank full of gas to go to Munday.  
Bring Linda Copeland, a closet full of clothes.  
Bring Mary Perz, a new plane Geometry book (with the answers).

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wers).  
Bring Ken Cornett, a sock full of car parts.  
Bring Bob Harris, a new car in case a cow hits the other car.  
Bring Wanda Mincy, a Guitar Player (boy, especially).  
Bring Linda Wasson, a new hair-do.  
Bring Bea Reyes, a car so she can go to Munday to see Jr.  
Bring Cheryl Melvin, a new muffler for her car in case she knocks the muffler off her car (and Andrew, too).  
Bring Louise Burnett, some money to pay her fines for running stops signs, (some brown paint also).  
If you have any money left, I would like a new car (T Bird preferred).  
Your faithful friend,  
Anita Poteet  
P. S. Bring Peace to the world.

Dear Santa,  
Here I am again writing for another request, not for toys this year, but for something that seems more important to me.  
Santa, you know how life's wonderful days seem to fly by and how you can't quite grasp hold of all the just small moments? Well, this is my request! Would you please slow the world down and try to let everyone realize the wonderful things in life and not just the bad.  
One of the many,  
Ken Cornett

Dear Santa,  
I want just a few things this Christmas, since I really have all need.  
First of all take good care of all the animals (homeless cats, and dogs). I know they have a hard time finding food and a place. Second, help us to have peace on earth and goodwill to all men. So that everyone may have the real spirit of Christmas and know the reason we celebrate it.  
Merry Christmas,  
Ann Hise  
P.S.—Do not forget to have fun yourself, Santa.

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring Knox City a good basketball season this year.  
If you wish, please bring me an elf from the North Pole that is smart in algebra.  
Be good to all of the boys and girls in Knox City and leave plenty of candy and bubble gum.  
Your friend,  
Becky Howell

Dear Santa Claus,  
I would like to thank you very much for the nice things you left us at our house last year.  
There is only one thing I would like this Christmas. It is peace among our nations and people. Because without peace we may never be allowed to have another Christmas.  
Your friend,  
Janie Escobar  
P.S.—Don't forget the rest of the people. I wish you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Dear Santa Claus,  
In deep regards to the Christmas holidays I would like to ask a favor of you. I want nothing special for me but for everybody.  
Will you please remind everyone to drive safely over the holidays. Please keep the Christmas driving accidents down.  
Remind everyone that a car is not a toy and could cause many deaths.  
As for me I would like to have the understanding and faith in God that everyone should have. Thank you, Santa Claus for everything. Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to you.  
Your friend,  
Wilma Fahrning

Dear Santa,  
What I would like most of all is to wake up Christmas morning and discover a layer of snow on everything. Beautiful, white snow covering everything seems to put everybody in a jolly Christmas mood. Of course, it is going to be very cold, and I would appreciate a new skirt and sweater. Something else I really need is someone to help me work my algebra. It seems to be getting harder, and Coach says it is going to keep getting harder. So a little help is going to come in handy. I could use a few extra good grades in all my subjects. I hope everyone has a very merry Christmas.  
Your friend,  
Gail Fletcher

**CARD OF THANKS**

We would like to express our thanks and appreciation for the many acts of kindness, floral offerings, cards of sympathy, visits, meals served and we especially want to thank the doctors and nurses who were so very kind and stood by us during the illness and death of our brother and uncle, Edgar Teague. May God bless you.  
The Teague Family

*Streams in  
Desert Places*

Ozelle Stephens

"Behold, a virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and his name shall be called Emmanuel," (which means, God with us) (Mat 1:23).  
Over nineteen hundred years ago God looked down through the ages at the great need of the human race, which He created. His heart went out to us. He wrapped His love gift in a small bundle and sent it down to rescue all who-so-ever would believe. This love is Streaming down as it has been for many ages, but the supply never runs out. It is life giving and eternal gift to all who accept it by faith.  
This redeeming love has transforming power that helps us to assume responsibilities; it makes us able to be agents of his forgiving grace. It strengthens us to endure the gift that means God with us.

Dear Santa,  
Life has been wonderful for me, so I ask nothing for myself for Christmas. Instead I want some small homeless child to have food and clothing. But especially some one to love and care for it. To a small child alone in the world life can be confusing and cruel. If everyone could just realize there is love in this old world, life would be easier to live. I guess that just about covers my request. I will thank you in advance.  
An old friend,  
Carol Thomas

Dear Santa Claus,  
I have really tried hard to be a good girl this year, and especially now, Santa. Because it is getting closer until you come each day.  
Santa, I surely would like a good eye for making free shots, and also bring the other forwards the same thing. I would also like some new skirts. Of course, I know I should have dieted Santa, but the food temptation was too great.  
Do have a very merry Christmas, and be careful Santa.  
Your friend,  
Martha Kay Waldrip

Dear Santa,  
I have a problem—it has four wheels. You know what this sort of thing runs into—not exactly people, just trouble.  
Well, first, I am thinking about the 'nil-mill'. Maybe you could arrange with your head mechanic to drop me by a good overhaul. (You tell him to leave his oats, wheat, brushes, and hoof clippers behind—and just bring a box of tools).  
And by the way—I don't think any extra cash would be out of order—just leave some under the seat.  
And, Santa, don't forget my friendly service station owner. Just leave him an 'un-bendable' credit card with my name on it—because I'm broke.

I guess that will be all, this week, that needs to be done for my wheels, Santa, so . . . . .  
Merry Christmas,  
Ronald White

Dear Santa,  
I am thankful for the United States, the country of the free. I am thankful for its rivers, for its skies and swaying trees. I am thankful for its pioneers, for trails they once had blazed. For its scientists, and engineers, it's strength, that now is raised.  
I am also sure that others can be thankful for their land,  
For the hopes, and works of country are the same in any man.  
And when tyrants use their power, build then smash the hopes of all.  
Make their people see a danger—Make a shadow action tall. Then the shadow hands start reaching to reality afar, and the boiling points of men's ideals will meet and touch in war.  
And the only thing that I can ask, is, stay our violent ways. Then, lead us through it's blinding fog and centuries of haze.  
Candace Carr

Dear Santa,  
Well, it's Christmas time again—I thought I'd drop you a line or two to say hello. I might also add a few items I would like to have for Christmas.  
First, I would like to have some good grades. I don't make too many of them.  
I always use money, clothes, and almost anything else you would like to give me.  
I won't say I have been a good boy, but I will say I have tried.  
Your truly,  
Bobby Donaldson

Dear Santa,  
This will be my first Christmas away from my Daddy. I would like it very much if my Daddy could be here for Christmas as that would mean more to me than anything in the world. Also I need a little help in buying a special gift for that special someone. I would like to wish you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.  
A dear friend,  
Elaine Meeks

Dear Santa,  
I can only think of a few things I would like for Christmas. In fact there are only three things I really want, so I guess I had better go ahead and tell you and stop dilly-dallying around.  
First of all, I would like a new lamp. The lamp in my room is (I have discovered) nuts! You have to hold it at a certain angle before it will stay on, and that sometimes takes five minutes. Then it usually goes off when I think it will stay on. I'm so desperate I may start using an oil lamp.  
So please if at all possible, send me a new (or old) lamp. It does not matter, just so I don't have to do my homework with one hand HOLDING the lamp.  
My second wish is this. I wish I had a full supply of light bulbs to go with the lamp (if I get it) because, according to my parents, I'm going to "burn the midnight oil" from now on in Algebra. So I'm sure I shall need those light bulbs.  
I am very serious about my third wish. I wish more than anything else that every animal in the world had shelter and food. I wish this every time I see a cat or dog that is hungry and cold. If I had only one wish this is what it would be. And wouldn't you know, THIS is the wish next to impossible.  
A great fan of yours,  
Linda Hill

Dear Santa,  
This Christmas I would like not a present for myself but peace through out the world. This earth of ours has been in quite an uproar of national and international problems lately, and we need some help, so you see, Santa, we need quite a big present this year.  
At Christmas, we should not think of war or such but some always do. A little reminder with every gift that we have peace this Christmas would be just right. It would help people to appreciate this beautiful country that is not yet scarred by wars.  
Sincerely,  
Linda Clayton

Dear Santa,  
I don't really want anything for myself. I have plenty of everything and I'm glad to have what I've got.  
I would like to ask you if you had anything left if you would bring the rest of my family something. I don't care what it is you bring, because if you pick out a gift for them I shall be satisfied.  
Your friend,  
Jeanette Vinita

Dear Santa,  
I really do not want anything special for Christmas but some good grades to keep peace in the house.  
But Santa, I would like for you to visit the unfortunate ones first and give them the happiness of receiving gifts. Also pray with me that there will be peace on earth and good will toward men.  
Thank you very much and Merry Christmas.  
A friend,  
Vicky Eakman

Dear Santa Claus,  
If possible for Christmas I would like to have a pair of boots. But most of all give my family and friends good health and a happy holiday. Please remember and help each needy child.  
Your friend,  
Charles Bridges

Dear Santa,  
I'm a freshman in High School and if I still were sure there was a Santa—as far as bringing me presents were concerned, I might ask for a shiny new red convertible with a white top, and lake pipes added—I might even ask for lowering blocks and straights on it.  
But since I'm not expecting you to answer my letter in a material way, I'll ask for some things that I know you or the belief in Santa might bring me and the other kids in my class.  
I will ask that we as a class might graduate from High School from Knox City and that our school might remain as good as it is now. I would ask that the teachers we have would still be here when we graduate; but most of all I hope that we still live in a peaceful world and a free country.  
If we did that, I might be able to buy me a new convertible one of these days.  
Merry Christmas,  
Philip Williams

Dear Santa,  
It has been a long time since I have written to you. I have now moved from the old home on Happy Street to a house of loneliness and doubt, which stands at the end of Disillusion Avenue. All of the fun of opening packages is in the past, and I am content with just something like clothes.  
I know that I shall not be able to come back to the some fifteen years past, but I shall hold an inborn fondness for those memories. The real thought of Christmas is not the thought of receiving but of giving. Please, Santa, give the poor my share, and I shall be happy.  
Sincerely and thoughtfully,  
Gary Campbell

Dear Santa,  
This is just a little note to remind you that I am trying to be a good girl, (although it's pretty hard.) Last October, my wonderful Daddy gave me a car so all I want for Christmas is some seat covers and floor mats, and a little gas money, for my car.  
Please don't forget my little brother and all the other little children in Knox City and everywhere. Kent has been pretty good, he's just spoiled and can't help it. So please bring him something. He told me to put in a good word for him.  
Always a Santa fan,  
Pam Darr

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a better grade in plane geometry. I could use better grades in all my subjects, but especially this one. Also, Santa, please bring the world peace that will last forever. And last but not least, please make everyone happy on Christmas Day.  
Your friend,  
Cora Jan Fitzgerald

Dear Santa,  
I hope you have a Merry Christmas along with all the rest of the people.  
Santa, a hair dryer surely would knock out the sleepless miserable nights that I spend on rollers. It would be very, very practical. Sheet music also would help a lot, for playing the same songs over and over get very boring.  
Thank you very much and Merry Christmas.  
Yours truly,  
Ila Kay Hutchinson

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Dear Santa,  
I have been good this year. I am a big girl. I am 8 years old. Please bring me a bb gun, a cash register, an annie okly suit and hat, some boots, a cowboy shirt, a pair of Levis, a record player and records, a gun and scabbard, and a play phone. Please do not forget the other girls and boys.  
Your friend,  
Diane Barnard

Dear Santa,  
Please I want a pellet gun. Merry Christmas to all.  
With love,  
Ernest Torres

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a bicycle and watch for Christmas and a transistor radio and some firecrackers too. Please bring me a bag of candy.  
From  
Edmund Junior Casillas

Dear Santa,  
Please bring my brother some play cowboy and Indians and some trucks.  
Yours truly,  
Larry Haddad

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a doll and a red spinning wheel and firecrackers and a sack of candy.  
Please bring all that I told you.  
With love,  
Adela Valencia

Dear Santa Claus,  
I have been good boy this year. I am a little boy 8 years old. Please bring me a BB gun, and a scooter, some guns and a tent. Remember all the other girls and boys.  
Henry Castillo

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a toy cash register a big record player and an Annie Oakly suit and hat, a play phone, and a doll bed.  
I have been good and I am a girl 8 years old. Remember all the other girls and boys.  
Your friend,  
Deborah Rowan

Dear Santa,  
I have been good this year. I am a little boy 7 years old. Please bring me a bb gun, guns, and a bicycle.  
Remember all the other girl and boys this year.  
Your friend,  
Richard Lara

Dear Santa Claus,  
I have been a good boy this year. I am a little boy 7 years old. Please bring me a bicycle, guns, bb gun and tent. Remember all the other girls and boys.  
Salvador Urena

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a I can talk doll. And a nurse set please.  
Thank you.  
Your friend,  
Carece Longval

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a pellet gun Please bring me field glasses. Thank you I hope you have a merry Christmas.  
Love,  
Jay Eaton

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a pellet gun and a football and a magnet and a road car set. Have a merry Christmas.  
Your friend,  
Bobby Mac Reeves



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Dear Santa Claus,  
I have been good this year. I am a little boy 8 years old. Please bring me a bicycle and a bb gun.  
Remember all the other girls and boys.  
Your friend,  
Johnny Abila

Dear Santa,  
I am 7 and I am a girl. Please bring me a new bicycle and a record player. I want a baby doll, a gun and scabbard, Annie Oakleysuit, records and a doll bed.  
Your friend,  
Rhonda Hewitt

Dear Santa,  
Please come by my house. I have been a good boy this year. I am a little boy 9 years old. I want a bicycle and a bb gun.  
your friend,  
Manuel Lira

Dear Santa Claus,  
I have been good this year. I am a little girl 8 years old. Please bring me a bb gun, record, doll candy, and a bicycle. Remember all the other girl and boys.  
I love you Santa Claus.  
Your friend,  
Janie Gonzales

Dear Santa,  
I have been good this year. I want a gun, a cash register, a bicycle, a tent, and a doll. Please bring my brother some toys too.  
Lala Perales

Dear Santa Claus,  
I have been a good boy this year. I am a little boy 8 years old. Please bring me a BB gun, car, bicycle, and airplane. Remember all the other girls and boys.  
Your friend,  
Magi Vidana

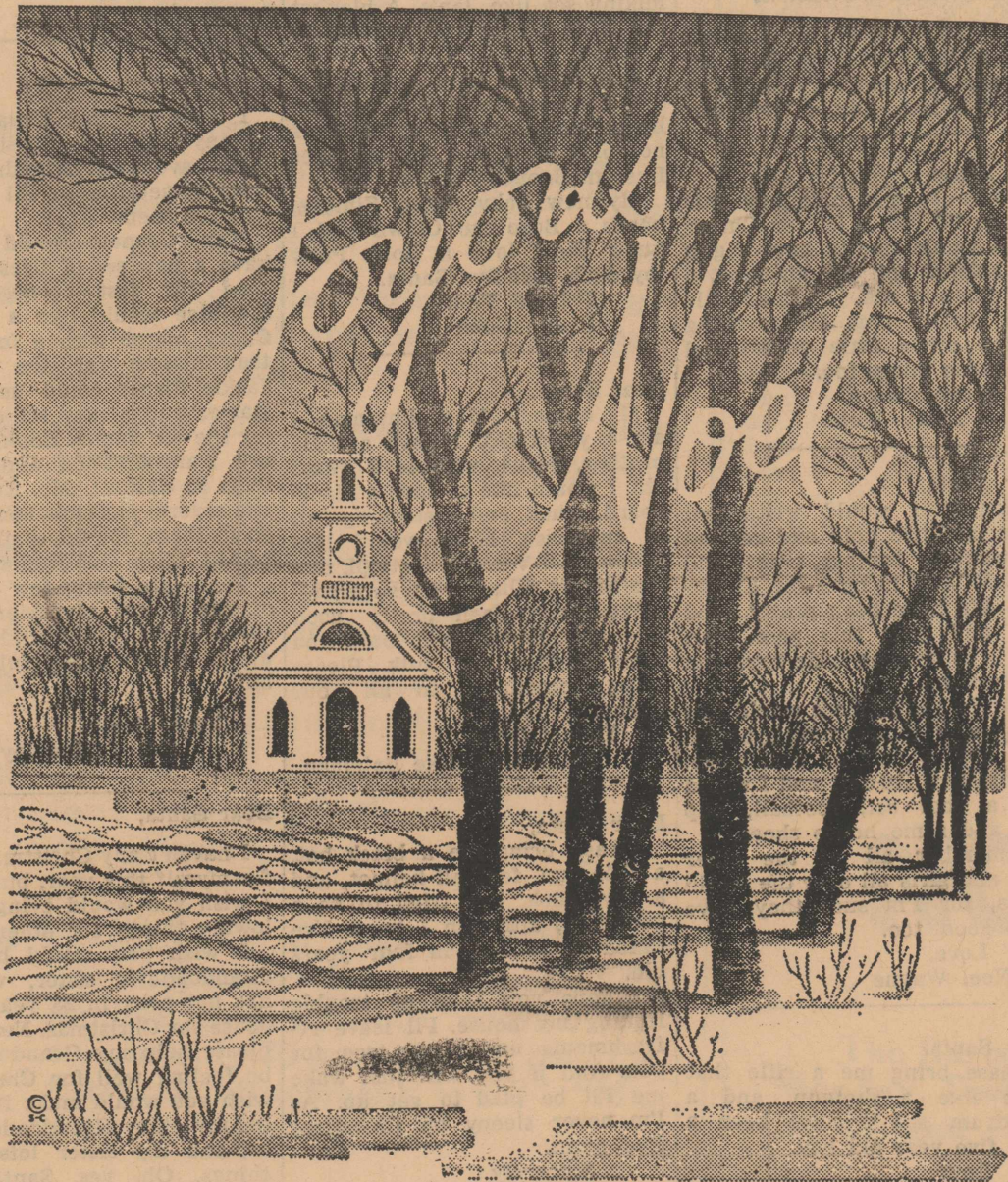


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As Christmas brings the sound of church bells brightly pealing, here's hoping it will give to you a most joyous Christmas feeling.

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May the spirit of this season, its joy,  
hope and peace, abide in every heart now and forever; may  
its message bring renewed courage, devotion and never-  
ending faith. May each of us devoutly join in doing  
our share to keep the Christmas spirit and message shining  
brightly before the world. And in our invocations,  
may we always remember to give thanks for our blessings.

**NORTHERN STAR SEED FARMS**

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a bicycle, a motor scooter, a football, B. B. gun, and firecrackers.  
Merry Christmas,  
Horacio Mendoza

Dear Santa,  
I want a B.B. rifle. Santa I want you to come to my home.  
With love,  
Robert Saldano

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me two guns. I also want a football, and a pellet gun, and I also want three tops. I love you very much. I wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.  
Your friend,  
Alfredo Montalvo

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me some firecrackers for Christmas. Merry Christmas to you.  
With all my love,  
Rickie Howeth

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a motor scooter, record player, BB rifle, transistor radio, and a saddle carbine.  
With love,  
Gary Wilcox

Dear Santa,  
I have been good this year. I am a little girl 7 years old.  
Please bring me a play house, a doll, and a doll bed. Remember all the other girls and boys.  
your friend,  
Mary Ledesma

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a transistor radio, dishes, record player and records, little red spinningwheel paint set, doll, watch, doll bed, and ring.  
With love,  
Vicki Hester

Dear Santa,  
I want you to bring me a doll for Christmas. And I want some dishes and a red spinning wheel I want a watch for Christmas.  
With love,  
Landa Flores

Dear Santa,  
Please get me electric train and a pellet gun for Christmas.  
With love,  
John Flores

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a BB gun and a transistor radio and a football. I want a motor scooter.  
Your friend,  
Charlie Castillo

Dear Santa,  
I want a bicycle. I want a bb gun. I have been a good boy. I am a little boy 8 years old.  
Your friend,  
Gary Hewitt

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a little Miss Echo, some dresses, some high heels and a little red spinning wheel.  
From  
Ester Espinoza

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be nice. Please bring me a BB gun and a knife and hatchet and football.  
Your friend,  
Kent

Dear Santa,  
I want a live pony. Please bring me a knife. Please bring me a train.  
Your little friend,  
Rob

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be nice in school. Please bring me a story book, a doll and a kitchen set. Bring me a doll too.  
Your friend,  
Jamie

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am a young boy of 2 years old. I have been very good to everyone. I want a truck, a black board, and other enjoyable toys. Bring me a lot of candy and I will leave something to eat on the table. Be nice to everyone.  
Wesley Wilson

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a Barbee doll and a Ken house and Ken. I also would like one suit for Ken and one suit for Barie and a cotton candy machine. Thank you. I wish you a merry Christmas.  
Your friend,  
Rolanda Stubbs

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be nice in school. Please bring me a watch, some dishes, a little red spinning wheel, a radio, a girls bicycle, a baby doll, a rain coat and rain boots.  
Your friend,  
Jan

Dear Santa  
Please bring me a watch, some dishes, a little red spinning wheel, a radio, a girls bicycle, a baby doll, a rain coat and rain boots.  
With love,  
Dolores Mendoza

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a 24 inch bicycle a watch a spinning wheel some dishes and a transistor radio.  
With love,  
Yolanda Casillas

Dear Santa,  
I saw a football at the store. Please bring me the football, baseball glove, an electric train a sack full of candy and a BB rifle.  
Merry Christmas.  
With love,  
Pete Mendez

Dear Santa,  
I want a pair of holsters and boots My brother Luis wants a pair a holsters and some boots. and my little brother Orlee want a set of Johnny Uma and some boots.  
from Joe

Dear Santa,  
I want a BB gun and a 26 inch bicycle,  
With love Santa,  
Charles White

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a Chemistry set and a Monopoly game and an electric train. I wish you a Merry, Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.  
Your friend,  
Kirk Schmidt

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a Fort Apache set, Have a Merry Christmas.  
Your friend,  
Randy Park

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a BB gun, I also want a football. Thank you. I wish you a Merry Merry Christmas.  
Your friend,  
Richard Leija

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me some boots and a raincoat and a bicycle. Santa you are nice. Thank you Santa. And have a merry merry Christmas. And a Happy New Year. Good-by Santa.  
Your friend,  
Marisela Montalvo

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a Pee Wee football. Please bring me a dictionary and a Army fort and also a radio. Thank you and have a Merry Christmas.  
Your friend,  
Randy Hines

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a purse, and a nurses set. I would also like a Video Village game. I wish you a merry, merry Christmas.  
Your friend,  
Carol Speck

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me some land boots, and a Monopoly game, and a barbie game and a stuffed dog. Thank you. I wish you a Merry Christmas.  
Your friend,  
Kathy Kent



# Caroling Forth Our Best Wishes

As the sounds of Christmas fill the air—music, laughter and words of greetings—we join in, singing out with gay wishes that your Holiday be harmonious in every way.

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CLAUD REED  
B. C. ANDERSON  
B. B. CAMPBELL  
J. M. AVERITT  
G. W. COATS  
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NORMA ESLINGER  
RUBY BROTHERS  
PAULINE MYERS  
FRANCES WALDRIP  
MARJOREE GLOVER  
EVELYN SHELTON  
HOWARD HENDRIX

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Dear Santa Claus,  
Would you please bring me a B. B. gun for Christmas and bring me some toys for my brother and doll for my sister for Christmas please Santa Claus. And bring a gun for my brother to play with. Two guns for my little brother to play with.  
Please Santa Claus bring us our toys to play with.  
Your friend,  
Johnny Rocha

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a ring, a B.B. gun, a bag of candy, some cowboy things, a sled, a boat, a football, a baseball with a bat, and some little cars.  
Your friend,  
Lupe C. Valencia Jr.  
I love you Santa.

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a bicycle and a BB gun and a play gun.  
Arnold Saldano

Dear Santa,  
I would like a transistor radio and an airplane for Christmas.  
Love,  
Ben Walling

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a doll.  
Please bring me a puppy.  
Please bring me a cat.  
Please bring me a under.  
Please bring me a Christmas.  
Please bring me a hat.  
Your friend,  
Stella Rodriguez

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a Thirsty Cry Baby and a stroller and some clothes.  
Your friend,  
Pam Pack

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me an electric train, BB gun and chemistry set also John Deere tractor and a football and suit. Thank you.  
Your friend,  
Tommy Thompson

Dear Santa,  
I am eight years old. I would like for you to bring me a Barbie and Ken doll set with clothes and their own car. I would like to have some clothes my self. I have been a good girl.  
Loved you,  
Sherrie Wynn

Dear Santa,  
I want a bicycle for Christmas and a big "bruiser" a Texaco fire truck.  
Long, I am eight years old and in the second grade.  
I enjoy playing games. Thank you.  
Your friend,  
Leslie Fitzgerald

Dear Santa,  
I would like to have a paliton gun and holster set. I would also like to have a cotton candy machine. I mind well and I do what my mother tells me to do.  
Thank you,  
Lee Denning

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a doll.  
Please bring me a puppy.  
Please bring me a cat.  
Please bring me a sled.  
Please bring me an apple.  
Please bring me a drum.  
Your friend,  
Love,  
Billie

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a single shot 22 and I would love very much to have a catchers mitt. And I would love to have some field glasses. Have a happy and a merry Christmas.  
Your friend,  
Jackie Gentry

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me some dishes a little red spinning wheel, a walking doll a watch a jumping rope and a bicycle And Merry Christmas to all.  
With love,  
Alice Del Hierro

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a motor scooter, a BB rifle, a electric train, a gun pellet, and a football, firecrackers, a baseball and a water gun.  
With love,  
Pedro Fuentes

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a Chemistry set and I would like a BB gun too. Have a Merry Christmas.  
Thank you.  
Your friend,  
Aubrey Lewis

Dear Santa,  
I want bicycle and a transistor radio for Christmas. Santa bring the boy in the next house something for Christmas sometimes he never gets anything. Well that is all.  
With love,  
Steven Figueroa

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a watch. I want a toy catapillars.  
Merry Christmas  
With love,  
Luis Torres

Dear Santa,  
I want a 22 rifle. Merry Christmas to you Santa.  
With love,  
Oscar Abila

Dear Santa,  
I want a gun and baseball glove and boots.  
Love,  
Wayne Rowan

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am 10 months old and am a very good boy. Santa, please bring me a bright red football, some little trucks and cars. Bring me a lot of candy and fruits. You'll have something on the table to eat (milk and pie). Be nice to each and everyone els.  
Ricky Wilson

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a Thirstee Cry Baby, and a Sno-Cone Maker, and a real live pony.  
Love,  
Debbie Wall

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a toy sewing machine and a Bride doll with a wardrobe. Please bring my little sister, Mary, Tiny Tears. And please bring my baby sister Cindy, some toy birds that fly over her baby bed.  
Love,  
Carol Huckabee

Dear Santa,  
Here I am writing to you to tell you to bring me a doll and a dish. My name is Irene Lira.  
Your friend,  
Irene Lira

Dear Santa:  
I have tried to be nice. Please bring me a gun and a train.  
Your little friend,  
Pat Tankersley

Dear Santa,  
Please send me a Susie Smart. Send my sister Doris a Tumbalina, Peggy Sue a coloring book, and craoolas and Cynthia a set of bottles and nipples and mother a coat and three dresses and daddy a coat and hat to match and pants.  
Love  
from your friend,  
Ruth Jiminez



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**CRISCO** ..... 3 lbs. 59¢
- Del Monte, Flat Can  
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**CRANBERRY SAUCE** ..... tall can 19¢
- Hunt's, Yellow Cling, No. 2½ Can  
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**FRUIT COCKTAIL** ..... each 23¢

- Eat More Fresh—  
**CRANBERRIES** ..... 1 lb. pkg. 19¢
- Crisp Large Stalk  
**CELERY** ..... each 9¢
- Extra Fancy, Red Delicious  
**APPLES** ..... lb. 19¢
- Golden  
**BANANAS** ..... lb. 9¢
- California Navel  
**ORANGES** ..... lb. 15¢
- FRESH COCONUTS** ..... each 10¢
- Knox County  
**YAMS** ..... lb. 9¢
- Imperial, Pure Cane  
**SUGAR** ..... 10 lb. bag 89¢
- Del Monte, No. 303 Can  
**SWEET PEAS** ..... each 19¢

Del Monte, All Green, Mary Washington  
**ASPARAGUS** picnic can ... **35¢**

Del Monte, 46 Oz. Can  
**Tomato Juice** **33¢**

BETTY CROCKER'S, White, Yellow, or Devils Food  
**CAKE MIX** BOX ..... **19¢**

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**PUMPKIN** NO. 303 CAN ..... **10¢**

Leonard Farms, 10 Oz. Pkg.  
**PECAN HALVES** ..... **99¢**

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**DOG FOOD** ..... 3 cans **39¢**

24 Oz. Bottle  
**JEWEL OIL** ..... **39¢**

Kimbell's—Drip or Regular  
**COFFEE** ..... 1 lb. can **49¢**

20 **"M" SYSTEM** 20

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**MARSHMALLOW CREME**  
 Pint  
**19¢**

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**SWEET PICKLES** ..... qt. **49¢**



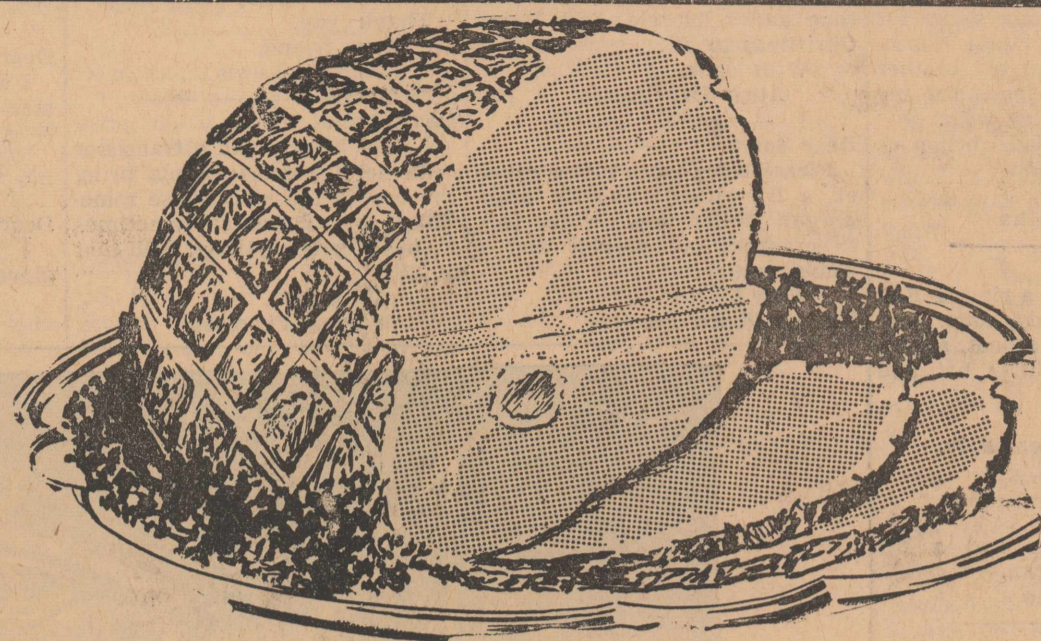
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- Swift's  
**VIENNA SAUSAGE** ..... 5 for 1.00
- Walnuts, Almonds, or Brazil Nuts—  
**MIX OR MATCH -- NUTS** ..... lb. 49¢
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**CORN** ..... No. 303 Can can 15¢
- Royal, Strawberry  
**PRESERVES** ..... 2 lb. jar 79¢

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- German Chocolate or Fresh Banana  
**COLONIAL CAKES** ..... each 79¢
- Mity Nice  
**STRAWBERRIES** ..... 10 oz. pkg. 19¢
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**ORANGE JUICE** ..... 4 for 89¢
- Mince or Pumpkin  
**SWISS MISS PIES** ..... each 35¢



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butt or shank ends, lb. .... 45¢

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**Turkey Hens** 12 to 16 Lb. Pound ..... 39¢

Fancy, Broad Breasted, USDA Grade A  
**Turkeys** TOMS Pound ..... 35¢

Fancy Fat  
**CHICKEN HENS** Pound ..... 45¢

Center Cut  
**HAM SLICES** Pound ..... 89¢

Wilson's Corn King  
**BACON** 2 Lb. Pkg. .... 79¢

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**CHEESE** Pound ..... 49¢

Kraft, 3 Oz. Pkg.  
**CREAM CHEESE** ..... 2 for 29¢

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**EGG NOG MIX** ..... quart 49¢
- Foremost  
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- Foremost  
**COTTAGE CHEESE** ..... 12 oz. cup 15¢
- Foremost Fortified  
**SWEET MILK** ..... 1/2 gallon 49¢

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FOR SALE — 6 lots and small home on First Street. See Gabino Lara, O'Brien. 4tp1

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FOR SALE — Gentle Shetland pony. Ideal for kids. See R. L. Montgomery, Knox City. 1tc4

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## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Election

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Election officials will be Mrs. Allie Moorhouse as Judge and Mrs. Leon Bivins as Assistant Judge.

The following names have been filed with the President of the Board: A. L. Conner, Bert Marshall and O. D. Propps.

O. D. Propps, Secretary, Board of Directors. B. B. Benson, President, Board of Directors. 3tc3

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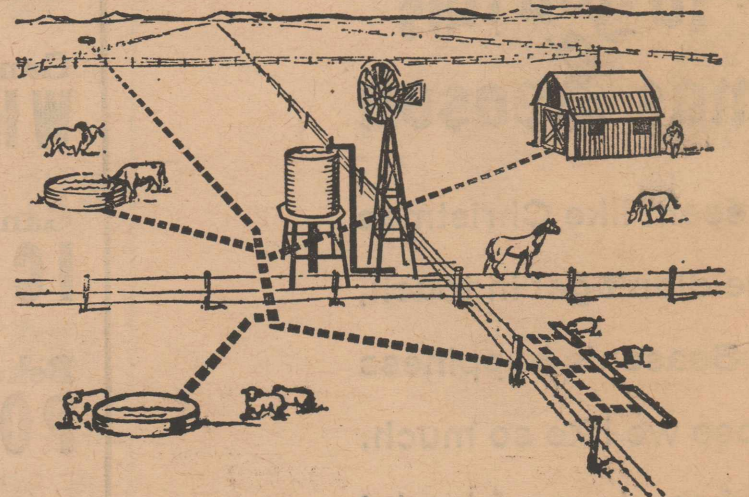
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# Merry Christmas

## DINNER

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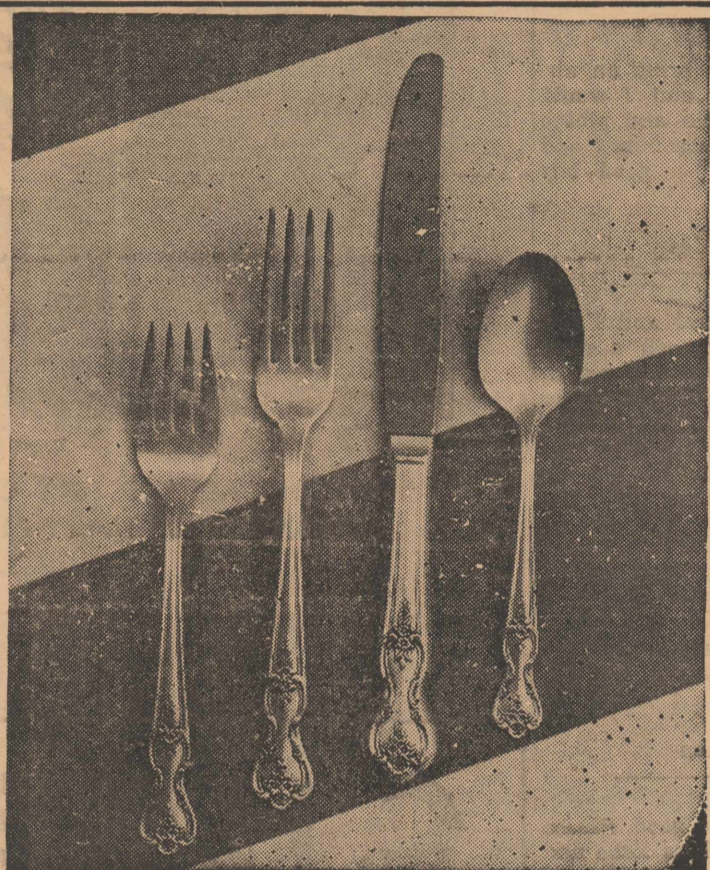
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MONDAY thru

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DURING THE next 6 weeks you will be entitled to purchase a place setting for only \$1.99.

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**SHORTENING** ..... 3 lb. tin 59¢

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**CHERRIES** ..... each 25¢

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**CRACKERS** ..... 1 lb. box 19¢

**BISCUITS** WHITE SWAN Sweetmilk or Buttermilk ..... 3 for 19¢

Del Monte, Crushed  
**PINEAPPLE** ..... No. 1 flat 15¢

White Swan, 300 Can  
**CRANBERRY SAUCE** ..... ea. 17¢

Texo Maid, Marachino, 10 Oz. Bottle  
**SALAD CHERRIES** ..... 29¢

Libby, 303 Cans  
**PUMPKIN** ..... 2 for 25¢

**COFFEE** FOLGER'S 1 LB. CAN ..... 59¢

Kraft Philadelphia, 3 Oz. Pkg.  
**CREME CHEESE** ..... 2 for 29¢

Libby's  
**FRUIT COCKTAIL** ..... 4 for 99¢

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**SWEET POTATOES** ..... 15¢

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SATURDAY  
December 29th

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# FOODS

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**HAMS** Half or Whole lb. **53¢**

**Turkeys** TOMS, 20-25 Pound Average **33¢**

for 1.00 USDA Grade A Broad Breasted  
for 29¢ **Turkey Hens** Pound **39¢**

Ebner Ranger  
**HAMS** butt or shank lb. **39¢**  
center cuts lb. **79¢**



to you this  
Christmas Season

Isn't seem like Christmas  
if we didn't get in touch,  
with the Season's happiness  
to those we like so much.  
Christmas to our friends!

USDA Good Round  
**STEAK** lb. **89¢**

All Meat  
**BOLOGNA** lb. **29¢**

Market Made, Whole Hog  
**SAUSAGE** 3 lbs. **1.00**

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**ROAST** lb. **55¢**

Beef  
**RIBS** lb. **29¢**

USDA Good Club  
**STEAK** lb. **69¢**

USDA Good Sirloin and T-Bone  
**STEAK** lb. **79¢**

**SALT JOWL** lb. **25¢**

USDA Good  
**CHUCK STEAK** lb. **59¢**

Extra Lean  
**GROUND CHUCK** lb. **63¢**

Fresh  
**HAMBURGER** lb. **39¢**

**BACON** EBNER COWBOY 2 lb. pkg. **89¢**

Gandy's  
**SWEET MILK** 1/2 gal. **49¢**

Gandy's Half Pint  
**WHIPPING CREAM** **15¢**

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**ICE CREAM** 1/2 gal. **79¢**

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**POTATOES** 10 lbs. **39¢**

California, Sunkist 48, 72 and 88 Size  
**ORANGES** lb. **13¢**

Washington Fancy Delicious  
**APPLES** lb. **15¢**

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**CELERY** lb. **10¢**

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**CRANBERRIES** lb. box **19¢**

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**MELLORINE** 1/2 gal. **29¢**

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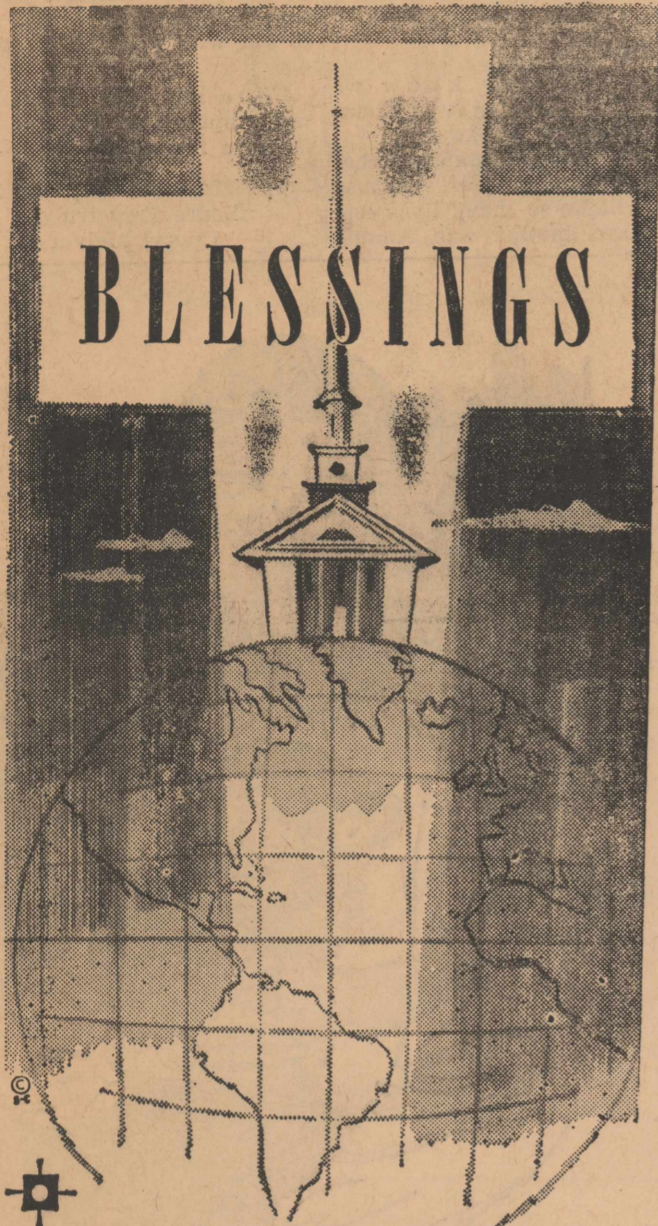
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# BLESSINGS

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once more, bringing its message of hope  
and love to all men. May we wish you the  
happiest of seasons at this time.

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Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good.  
Please bring me a football  
suit.  
Thank you,  
Roy Posey

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good.  
Please bring me a Susie Smart  
and an ironing board.  
Thank you,  
Love,  
Mona Denise Grindstaff

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good.  
Please bring me a doll and  
some candy.  
Thank you,  
Love,  
Modesta Castro

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good.  
Please bring me a football.  
Thank you,  
Love,  
Manuel

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good.  
Please bring me a football  
game and a jimmy jet and model  
Love,  
Randy Egenbacher

Dear Santa,  
I am a boy in the first grade.  
I am seven years old. I have  
tried to be good and work hard.  
Please bring me a red bicycle.  
Love,  
Buddy Curd

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am good most of the time.  
I try not to fuss with my sister.  
Please bring me a robot com-  
mando, a jimmy jet, and a pup-  
py.  
Love,  
Tony Land

Dear Santa,  
I am a girl in the first grade.  
I am six years old. I have tried  
to be good. Please bring me  
a bicycle. Bring Joe Mark some-  
thing, too.  
I love you,  
Diane Clonts

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am a good boy in the first  
grade. Please bring me a big  
bruser truck, a football, and a  
Texaco Fire Chief truck.  
I love you,  
Ricky Warren

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am in the first grade and  
a god little girl. Please bring  
me a blue bicycle, a doll, and a  
snow cone maker.  
Love,  
Janna Hise

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good. Please  
bring me a ball. Thank you.  
Peter Rocha

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good.  
Please bring me a football  
suit.  
Love  
Tad

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good. Please  
bring me a set of dishes and  
play watch. Thank you.  
Love,  
Cindy

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a doll, Ken  
doll, and a real dog and a basket-  
ball. Thank you.  
Love,  
Martha Kate Jones

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good.  
Please bring me a Ken Doll  
and a bill fold.  
Thank you.  
Love,  
Holly Hines

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am in the first grade. I am  
seven years old. Please bring  
me a football, and a model plane.  
Remember Terry and Pete.  
I love you,  
Jack Waldron

Dear Santa,  
My name is Vicki Hewitt I am  
four years old and have been a  
good little girl.  
Please bring me a cowgirl suit.  
Gun and holster and a doll and  
some dishes.  
Thank you,  
Vickie Lynn Hewitt

Dear Santa,  
I am a little girl 8 years old.  
I would like a new born baby  
doll, bingo set, western belt,  
necklace and surprises. Please  
don't forget my sister who is 12,  
and please do not forget my  
Granddady Roberson, who has  
been in the hospital and don't  
forget Mama Roberson either.  
Love,  
Jane Ella Griffin

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am in the first grade. I am  
nine years old. I have tried to  
be good. Please bring me a  
bull to kick, a gun, and some  
candies. Remember my twin sis-  
ter, Irma.  
I love you,  
Jesus Montalvo

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good.  
Please bring me a doll and  
some dishes.  
Thank you,  
June R.

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good.  
Please bring me a jimmy jet.  
Thank you,  
Mike Poteet.

Dear Santa,  
I have been a god boy. I am  
4 years old. I would like a real  
baseball glove and a fire truck.  
Please bring me a 2-gun holster  
set too. Please don't forget my  
friend Paul. And remember I  
have moved to Matador.  
Thank you,  
Billy Bob Reynolds

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a doctor set  
and some guns. A new shirt. Also  
a fire truck and a ball glove and  
bat. Please remember my friend  
Morris. I live in Matador, Tex-  
as.  
Thank you,  
Harvey Wayne Reynolds  
I am five and on-half  
years old.



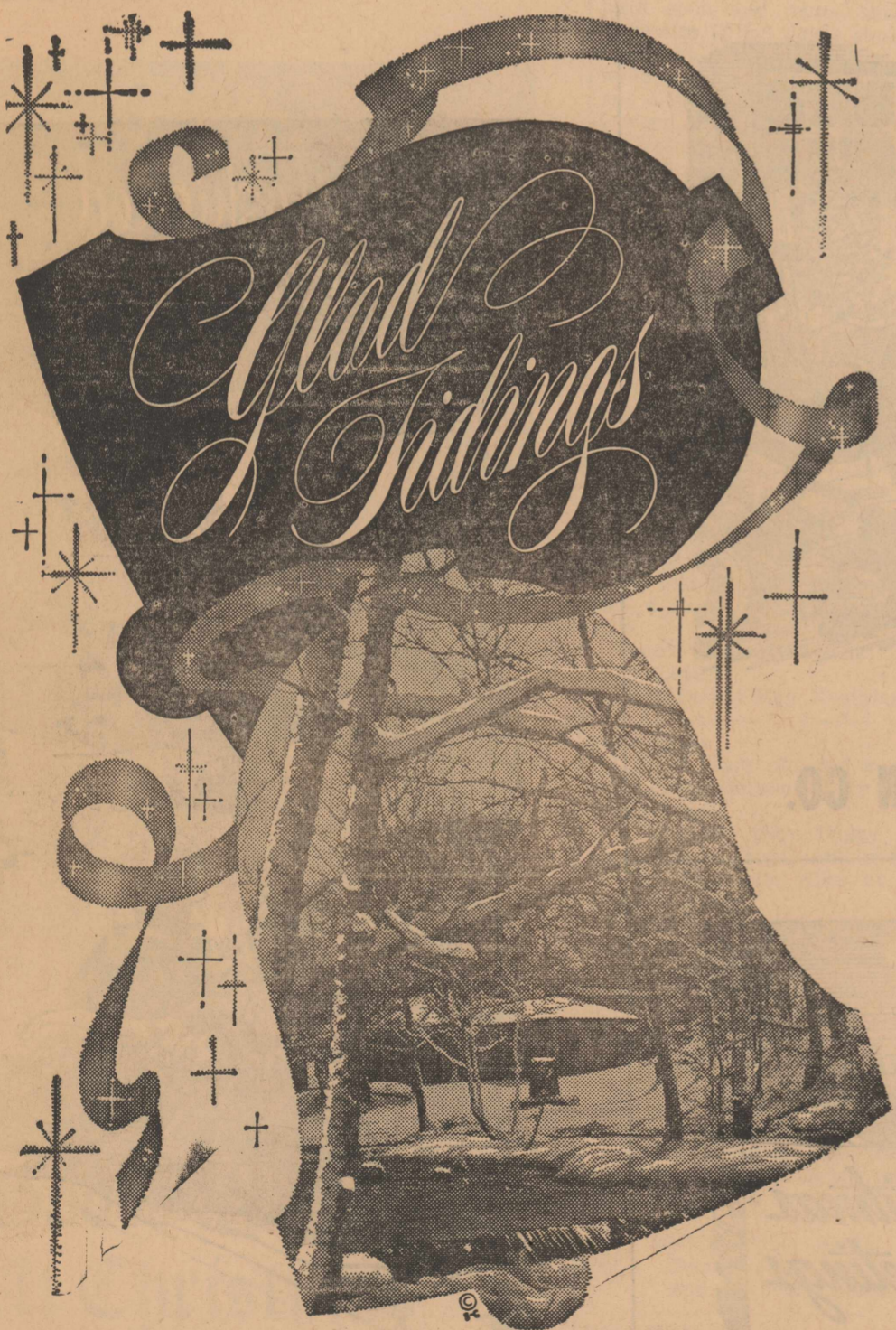
YULETIDE GREETINGS TO ALL!

**LANKFORD TIRE CENTER**



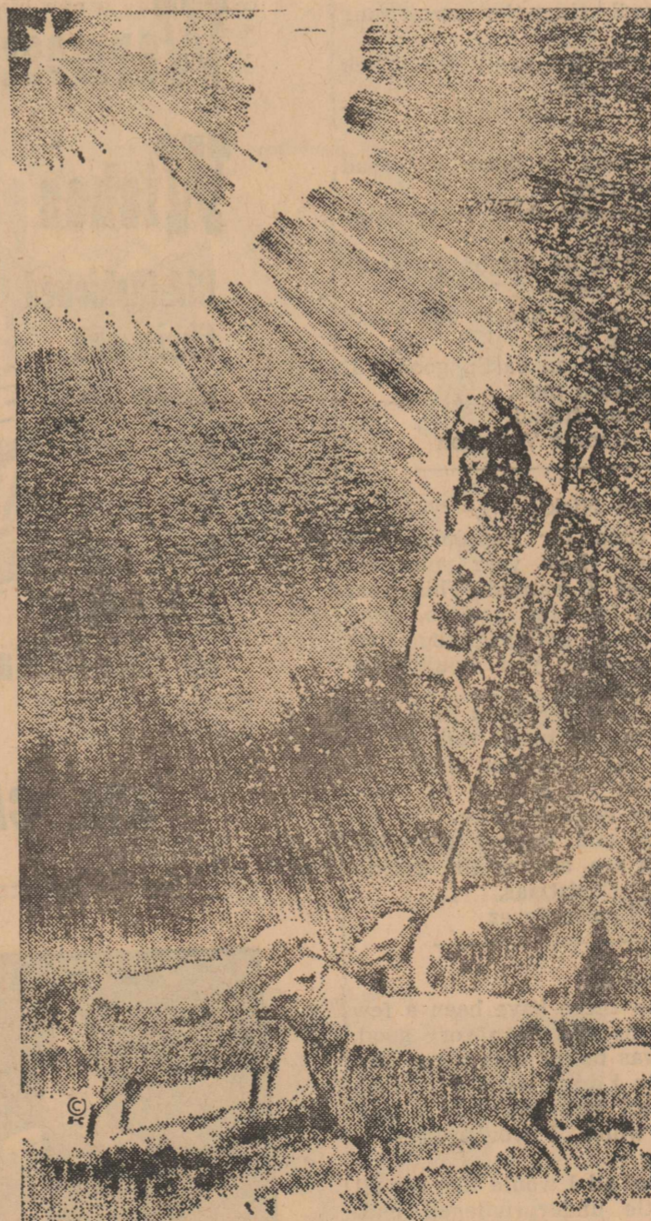
MERRY  
CHRISTMAS  
TO ALL OUR FRIENDS

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May the Christmas bells ring in for you  
true joy beyond all measure—the kind of  
joy that your heart will forever treasure.

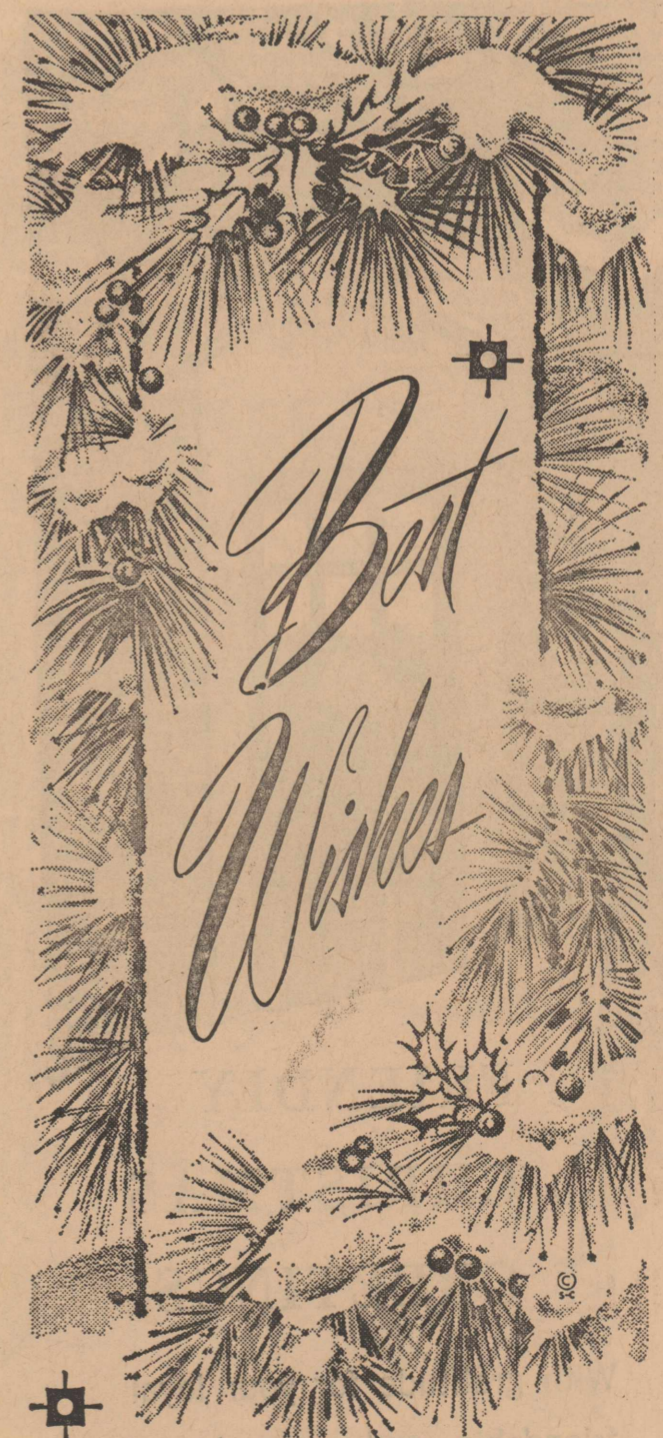
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MENS STORE**



**NOEL**

God grant you at Christmas the  
exceeding great joy the shepherds  
felt as they beheld the Star.

**Hoge's Pharmacy**



With gratitude for your friendship  
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that you have a very Merry Christmas.

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**Merry  
Christmas  
to All**



This is the season when all hearts are filled with a prayer for peace... when we wish every blessing to you and yours.

**KECK FOOD STORE**



**Peace on Earth  
Good will  
to men**

**Knox County Lumber Co.**

Dear Santa,  
Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good. Please bring me a combat set with 250 men and football game. Thank you.

Love,  
Butch Wynn

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good. Please bring me a teddy bear and a jimmy jet. Thank you.

Love,  
Randy Park

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good. Please bring me a combat set with 250 men and a football game.

Thank you.  
Love,  
Joe Huff

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good. Please bring me a doll and a bike.

Thank you.  
Love,  
Rita

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good. Please bring me a ball and boots.

Love,  
Jose Montalvo

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am in the first grade. I am six year old. I have tried to be good. Please bring me some guns and holster sets or basket ball and fill my sack with candy.

Love,  
Ronnie Thompson

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am eight years old and a good girl. Please bring me a doll and blue bicycle.

P.S. Santa bring some candy, too.

Love,  
Rachel Rodriguez

Dear Santa,  
I am a girl in the first grade. I am seven years old. I have tried to be good. Please bring me a teddy bear and a set of dishes.

Love,  
Shirley Pittman

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am in the first grade. I am seven years old. I have tried to be good. Please bring me a bicycle, lots of candy and a gun. Remember the other boys and girls, too.

Love,  
Roy Rodriguez

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am in the first grade. I have tried to be good. Please bring me some guns and play bullets, and an electric train, and a red bike.

I love you,  
Ray Hester

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am in the first grade. I am a good boy. Please bring me a snow cone machine a gun set and fill my sock with candy.

I love you,  
Greg Ferrier

Dear Santa,  
I am in the first grade and I am six years old. I have tried to be good. Please bring me a gun, Jimmy Jet, and a helicopter. Remember the other boys and girls.

I love you,  
Jerry Acosta

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am a girl in the first grade. I am six years old. I am good most of the time. Please bring me a doll. Put some candy in my sack.

Love and kisses,  
Shirley Casillas

**Christmas  
Greetings**



TO ONE AND ALL

Four Winds Studio

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good. Please bring me a bike and a doll.

Thank you.  
Barbara Rios

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good. Please bring me a Susie Smart Love you,  
Beverly.

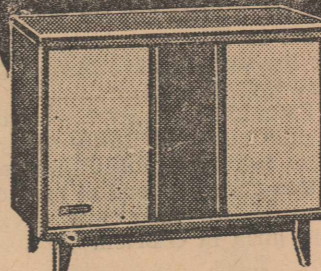
Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good. Please bring me a Chatty Kathy doll. Thank you.

Love,  
Kathy

Dear Santa,  
I am a little girl three years old. I would like for you to bring me a doll, dishes, piano, and some candy and fruit. Please remember my big sister, Sylvia, and the other boys and girls.

I love you, Santa.  
Love,  
Irene Flores

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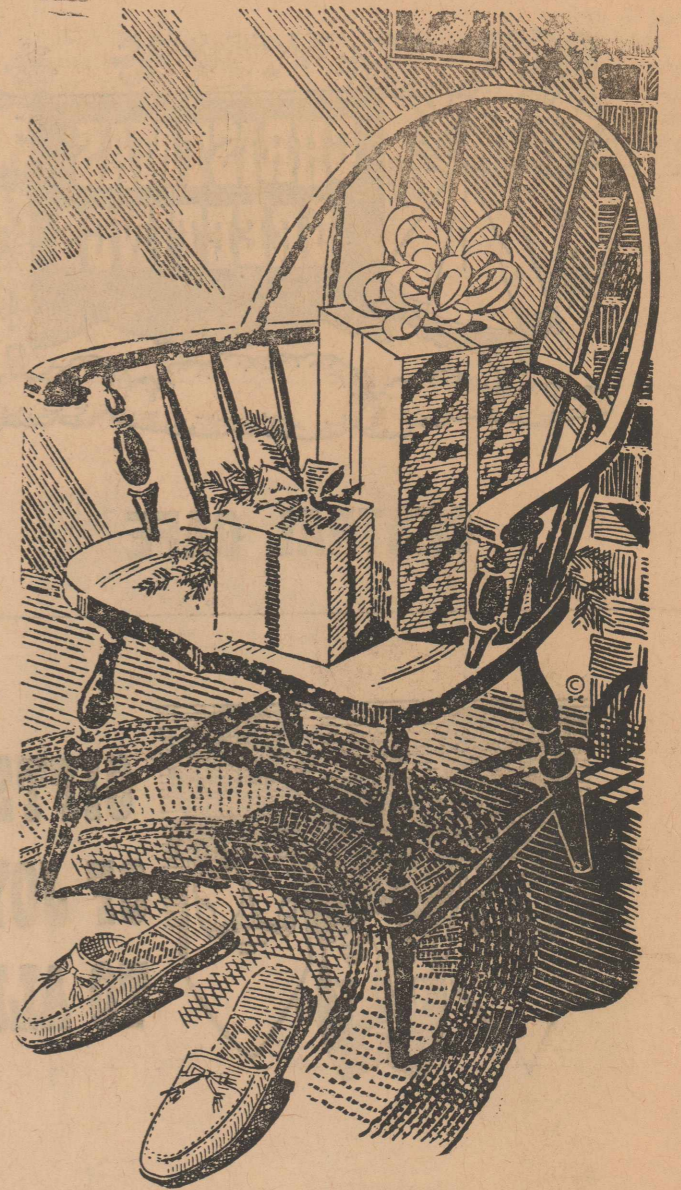
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**Merry Christmas**

... may it bring you an abundance of good cheer.

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Christmas Greetings  
to our many friends

MARION MOBIL STATION



YULETIDE  
CHEER

May your holiday  
be bright with  
warmth and  
cheer.

JONES DRUG  
STORE



FRIENDLY  
CHRISTMAS  
GREETINGS

With gratitude for your loyal  
friendship and support, we  
extend our warmest wishes for  
a very cheery holiday season.

PAYMASTER GIN

Dear Santa,  
Christmas time is here again,  
and I feel sad because it is the  
last year I can get my letter  
to you printed. For Christmas  
this year, if it were possible, I  
would request the necessary  
knowledge and a scholarship  
to attend college. The necessity  
of college is very great, and to  
become a commercial artist or  
commercial teacher requires a  
college degree. Of course, a  
stereo and pretty clothes would  
help aid the college spirit.  
Yours truly,  
Sue  
P.S. Merry Christmas

Dear Santa,  
I, along with many others have  
been faithful to you for many  
years. For eleven years now I  
have written to you asking only  
that you bring me many things.  
I know that you had trouble de-  
ciding what to bring me and  
I have decided to be a little more  
helpful this year.

In the following lines is what  
my little heart desires. A beauti-  
ful shiny craft that will move  
down the road, and is commonly  
referred to as an automobile. Oh  
yes, Santa, please don't forget  
all the other little children of  
my age.

Always faithful,  
Freddy Smith

Dear Santa,  
I have been a good girl this  
year, and I do not expect much  
for myself, but I would like to  
ask for something for my moth-  
er.

I would like for you to bring  
her a dishwasher. As long as I  
can remember, she has been tel-  
ling everyone that she has need-  
ed one, because she already has a  
good "automatic," which hap-  
pens to be none other than me.  
Pretty soon, she will be losing  
her present one. For this reason  
she will soon need a new dish-  
washer.

Your friend,  
Wynette Tankersley

Dear Santa,  
Dear Mr. Jolly Santa Claus,  
Ere read this letter do not  
pause  
As though 'twere but a lowly  
jest,  
Read though as as much a fond  
request.

Send, I beseech, on Christmas  
Day  
An answer to man's troubled  
way.  
'N show us how to right the  
wrong  
That sadly sings the sorrow song  
And gain the peace for which  
we long.

Come lead us down the road  
of right  
Let lightness shine in troubled  
night.  
And from its height, let strife  
descend—  
Up from our hearts our loo's'd  
love lend;  
Send peace on earth, good will  
toward men.  
Your friend,  
Ronnie Verhalen

Dear Old Nick  
It's time for happiness and  
joy again. Last year you gave  
me what I wanted. This year  
I would like for you to bring  
happiness to me by giving other  
children what you would give  
me, happiness.

Give to other boys and girls  
what you give to me this year.  
If I had a million dollars or  
even one, I'd give it to them,  
for they need it more. I'm not  
starving and hungry as other  
children are, around the world.  
Merry Christmas,  
Louise Perez

Dear Santa,  
I know there have been a few  
times I haven't been very good,  
but I was better this year than  
last year. I don't want very much  
this year, but there are a few  
things which I would love to  
have.

First of all I would like for all  
the little underprivileged chil-  
dren to have a wonderful Christ-  
mas. Next, I want world peace  
for the next thousand years.

Make sure all the people get  
what they have always dreamed  
of getting. If you can do these  
little things, my Christmas this  
year will be the happiest of  
them all.

Yours truly,  
Virginia Collins

Dear Santa,  
I guess I must admit I have  
been both good and bad this  
past year.

I think there is not anything  
especially that I want for Christ-  
mas now because what I wanted,  
I got it yesterday. It's a watch.  
Besides that I would like to be  
a good pupil in school.

Thank you,  
Elvira Rios

Dec. 12, 1962  
Dear Santa Claus,  
I am one of your most loyal  
fans even now, and I think  
you're really grand. Now, my re-  
quest this year is relatively sim-  
ple. It concerns a group of girls  
who work very hard every day.  
These girls could maybe obtain  
their goal without your help, but  
they all said they would feel  
better with you, Santa Claus,  
backing them. These girls, the  
Knox City Houndettes, would  
like a title. The district champi-  
onship, or bi-district champi-  
onship, or best of all, the regional  
title would be nice.

I hope you can help us Santa  
Claus, and bring us this title.  
Love from your old friend,  
Samantha Graham

P. S. If you'd like, I would  
certainly love to have a Kings-  
ton Trio record.

Dear Santa,  
Please bring Jimmy, my little  
brother, an odd egg and foot-  
ball suit. Please bring me a foot-  
ball helmet and padding. Please  
bring us both guns with white  
handles on them. Bring Unc a  
gun too.

Thank you,  
Gerald Brown

Box 272  
Knox City High School  
December 11, 1962

Dear Santa Claus,  
I have received the Christmas  
spirit and am full of Christmas  
joys. I hope that everyone has  
received the spirit.

I have thought and thought  
about what I want for Christ-  
mas but can not think of any-  
thing for myself. But I would  
like for you to visit all the  
needy children and give them  
something — food, clothes, or  
toys.

Thank you.  
Love,  
Cheryl

Lee Park  
English II  
Knox City High School  
December 13, 1962

Dear Santa,  
I would like a 1962 Chevrolet  
with a "409" and a four speed  
with bucket seats. If you can  
possible get one that is black  
with red leather interior.  
Please send Jackie Acosta some  
butterfly pills so he want get  
butterflies before a game.

Yours Truly,  
Lee Park

Cheryl Melvin  
English III  
Knox City High School  
December 12, 1962  
Box 213  
Knox City, Texas  
December 12, 1962

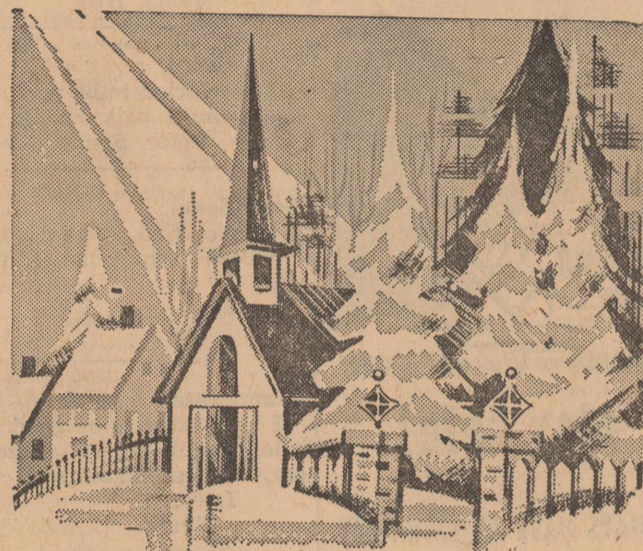
Dear Santa,  
As you probably know we  
came very close to war about  
seven or eight weeks ago.

My wish for Christmas is that  
we keep out of war, because  
there will be so many lives lost  
if we have another war. Among

these lives will be both of my  
brothers. One of whom I have  
not seen for nearly a year. I  
know, SANTA, that you do not  
have the power to keep us out  
of war, but SANTA, you can  
pray with me that we will not go  
to war with RUSSIA or any one  
else.

There are other things that I  
want, but I feel that the above  
is more important.

THANK-YOU very much.  
Yours very truly,  
Cheryl Melvin



Christmas Peace to All

It is our sincerest wish that this holy  
season will be one of great peace and  
happiness for our many good friends.

H. C. STONE



Warmest  
Wishes

Old-fashioned  
Christmas  
cheer we  
send your  
way in  
hope that  
it brightens  
up your Holiday!

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PEACE AND HAPPINESS

JanCharles Studios



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GREETINGS TO  
OUR FRIENDS

Thompson Food Market



Old-Fashioned  
Best Wishes

This cheery wish for Christmas joy,  
though it's repeated yearly, is  
just as warm as it can be and meant  
oh-so sincerely: Happy Holiday!

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ELI GRAY**



**God Bless You  
At Christmas**

May the Spiritual Truth of This  
Holy Season Bring You and Yours  
Lasting Peace, Joy and Happiness

**Knox City Bonded Warehouse**

Dear Santa,  
Would you please bring me a pair of cowboy boots, a blackboard, an animal truck with animals, a gun and holster set, and a tent. Remember all the other kids, because we've all been pretty good this last year.  
Your friend,  
Keith Rowan

Dear Santa,  
Would you please bring me a Barbie and Ken Dream House and some clothes for Barbie and Ken also. That will be all for now. Just don't forget the other little children.  
Love you,  
Sandy Stubbs

Dear Santa,  
My name is Annette. I would like a record player, a Ballerina doll, and a nurse kit.  
Please bring Sherry a doll, a buggy and a Dr. kit.  
Please bring James a train, and a gun.  
We have all been nice most of the time.  
Love to Santa,  
Annette Jackson

O'Brien, Texas  
Dec. 12, 1962

Dear Santa,  
I am a little girl six years old. I am in Kindergarten and I do all my work. I have been a good girl this year.  
I would like to have some clay, a coke machine, tinker toys and Miss Saranade for Christmas.  
Don't stay too long at my house because we have lots of boys and girls in O'Brien.  
Love,  
Temi Baker

Dear Santa,  
I would like for you to bring me a little Boston Rocker, some Diamond D Cuff Links, a jewel case, Halsam American Plastic bricks, star master monorail by Harmonic Reed.  
Thank you Santa,  
Ricky Tankersley

Dear Santa,  
Would you give me a Suzy Smart doll with clothes and shoes and a spinning wheel.  
Mother would like a salt and pepper shaker.  
Love,  
Gayle Tankersley

Box 202  
Knox City, Texas  
Dec. 10, 1962

Dear Santa,  
I want a Television and I do want some tap dance shoes. I wear size 11 tap dance shoe.  
I want John to have a little wagon and a little tricycle too and a bicycle for next year. And I want John to have some cowboy stuff and I want a Dale Evans skirt and hat. And I want a little red spinning wheel too.  
I love you,  
Elise Slaughter

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a wish-maker doll and her wardrobe also a record player and records.  
Bryan wants a wagon, gun and frog. Please fill our stockings.  
Melinda and Bryan Bankston

Dear Santa,  
Would you please bring me a little red spinning wheel, and an Anett doll for Christmas.  
My little brother Gary would like a fire truck, and a new rifle.  
Thank you very much.  
Love,  
Donna Kay Keathley

Dear Santa,  
I am 2 years old and a very good girl sometimes (I try hard, really I do).  
I want one baby buggy and ah one baby, too. And a mixer and helicopter (like at Joe Murry's store.)  
Thank you for the sucker you gave me the other day.  
Love,  
D'Linda Jan Lowry

Dear Santa,  
We think we have been nice boys this year.  
Please bring a doll, gun, animals, and truck for Michael, a cow, calf, tractor, and trailer for Jerry Bob, and bring me a gun, tractor, hat, spurs, and animals.  
We love you, Santa,  
Duane, Jerry Bob,  
and Michael Daniel

Dear Santa Clause,  
I'm glad we wrote to you, and I wonder when you're coming. I like you!  
I would like a cotton candy machine and a Ken Doll. We have our Christmas tree up and are ready for you to come.  
Love,  
Adrian Jones

Dear Santa,  
I am a little girl two years old. Please bring me a choo-choo train and a doll that says moma and some more toys.  
Thank you Santa.  
Love,  
Connie Norton

Dear Santa,  
I hope you are feeling well, since the bad weather got here. I am feeling fine.

This year I don't care what you bring me, but I would like to make a few requests for some of my friends.

If you have some pants with thick seats in them, would you bring them to Hollis. Jackie needs a roll-bar for his car. Jimmy needs someone to protect him. Kenny could use some seat belts. Gary needs some old sharpened down pencils. Bonnie needs some tin soldiers for his-gang. Brack would like for some new girls to move here. George needs some hair dye. John needs some goggles for his motorcycle. Linda needs some stamps. Belle would like a super sport. Roger needs a basketball. Danny wants a doctor kit. Freddy would like a cigar. Mr. Youngblood needs some peace and quite. Mr. Keel needs a board. Mrs. Cash needs a "dunce hat." And heavens knows what else we need.

I surely would appreciate these few requests.  
Thanks a lot for many previous Christmases.  
Yours truly,  
Mack Standlee

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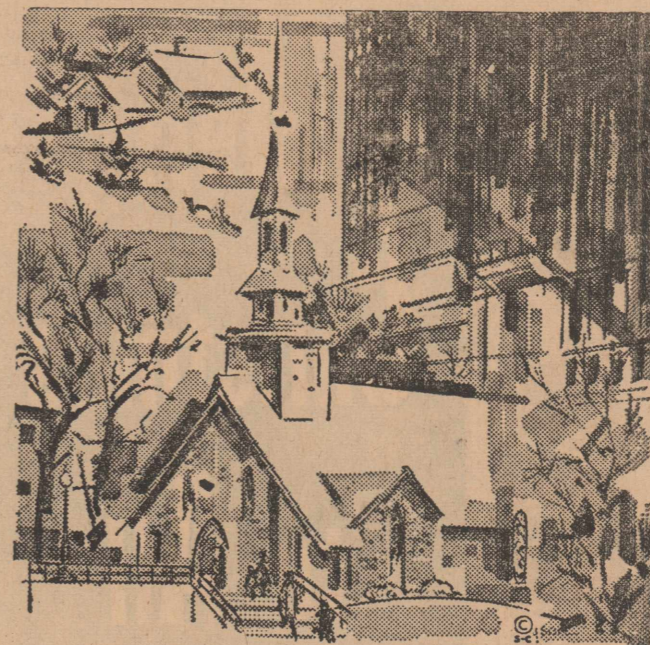
Dear Santa,  
I can not say I have been a good girl, because I have not. But I want a lot for Christmas. First of all I would like to have a big brother that I have not seen in four years. A radio that I have wanted for two years would be nice. And last but not least, I would like a new Ford car. I guess that's all for this year.

Yours truly,  
Betty Davis

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be a pretty good girl even though sometimes I fail. I would like to see my aunt and my little cousin whom I haven't seen for five years. I would also like to have a hair-dryer. I would appreciate it very much. I hope you have a merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

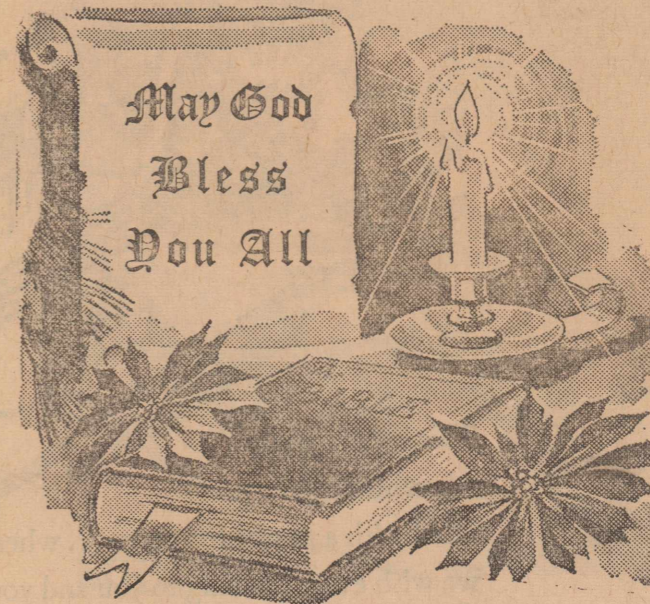
A friend, (I hope)  
Paula Myers

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a Ken and Barbie and Terri a teddy bear.  
Love,  
Pam Odom



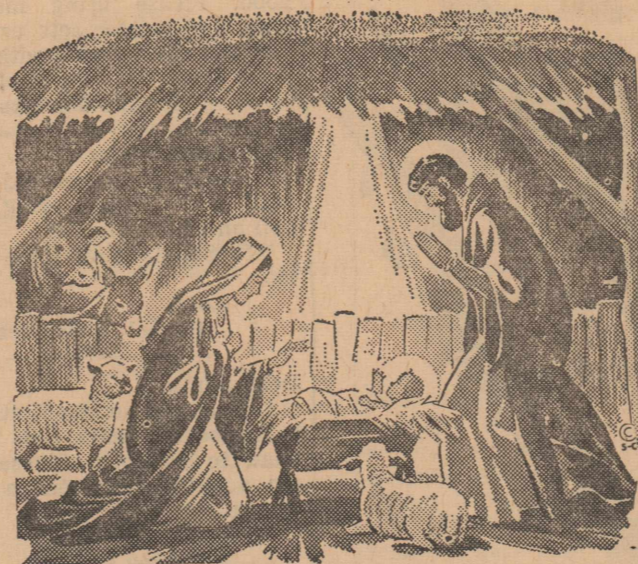
WE EXTEND OUR FOND WISHES  
FOR A JOYOUS CHRISTMAS DAY

**PERRY BOTHERS**



All joys that you desire,  
all blessings that God may bestow,  
we pray will be yours this Christmas.

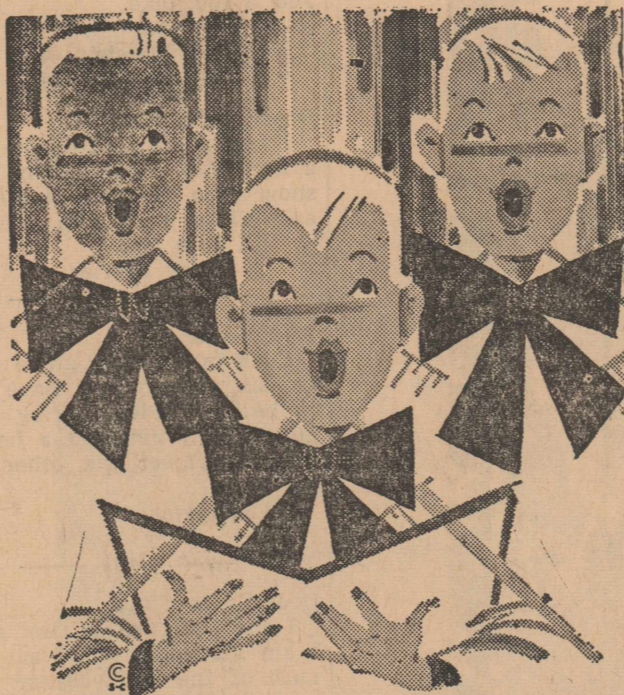
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**A BLESSED CHRISTMAS**

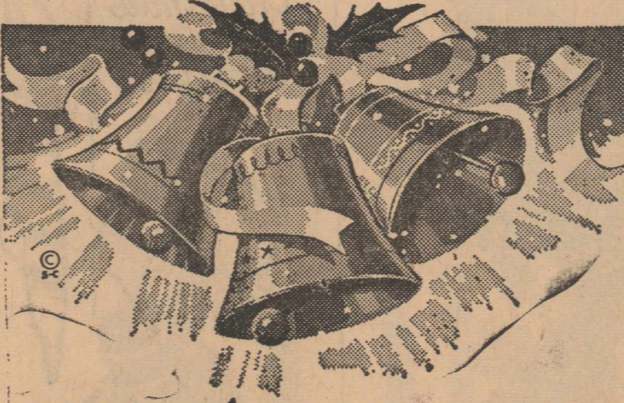
Sincerely, all of us extend our hope that this holy season will bring all of you fulfillment of your dreams.

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**Christmas  
Greetings**

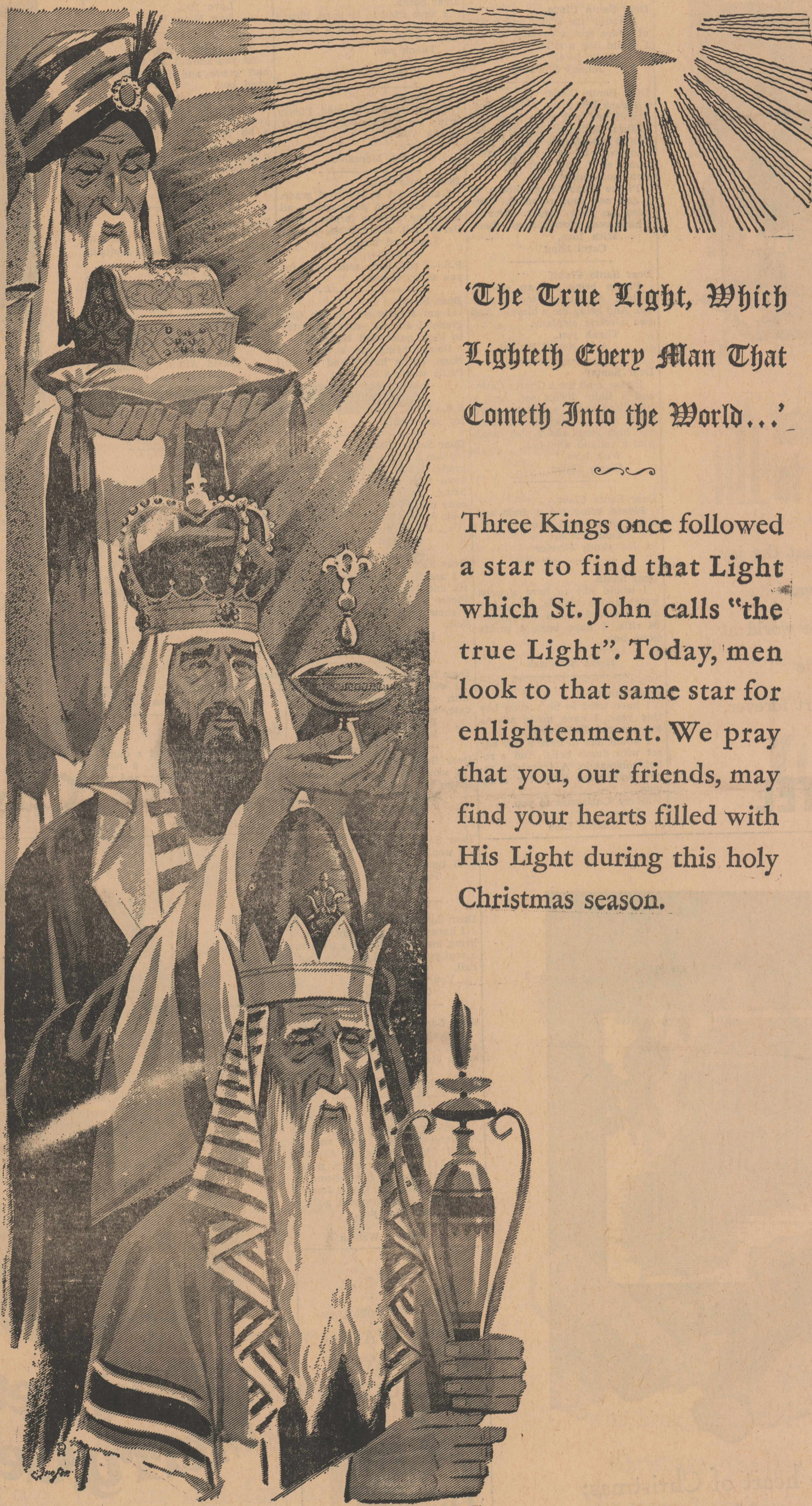
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Cometh Into the World...'

Three Kings once followed  
a star to find that Light  
which St. John calls "the  
true Light". Today, men  
look to that same star for  
enlightenment. We pray  
that you, our friends, may  
find your hearts filled with  
His Light during this holy  
Christmas season.

**THE KNOX COUNTY HERALD**

Belle Burnett  
English II  
Knox City High  
December 11, 1962

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am 15 years old and a sophomore. I've been a good girl all year. I'm not going to ask for much because I know it's been a bad year for everyone and you probably can't afford it. Here's what I want.  
Stereo, lots of records, sweaters, skirts, robe, house shoes,

dresses, portable T. V., some games, comb and brush set, luggage, shoes, \$400 cash, savings bonds, bedspread, pretty sheets. That's all.  
Love,  
Belle  
P. S. Don't come down the chimney because the fire in the fireplace will be burning. There will be some coffee. Mama makes good coffee.

Dear Santa,  
December 11, 1962  
I am a little boy only sixteen years old. I know you can fix me up in a Lone Ranger suit because I am only 5' 9" tall and just weigh 160 pounds. So if you will please bring me a suit I shall appreciate it very much, but don't forget the mask. I would also like for you to bless me with a real tool set, a drawing board, a basket ball, a dozen baseballs, three footballs, two baby dolls, (for my big sister of course), a model airplane, a rope, and a golden shot put like Freddie Smith and a picture of Freddie holding it.  
Your little friend,  
Brack Shaver  
P. S. Please fill my sock completely full.

311 Third Street  
Knox City, Texas  
December 11, 1962

Dear Santa,  
My only niece, Dee Goodson, is having her first Christmas this year. Dee is the only grandchild in our family, therefore, would you please bring her a bunch of love and attention.  
Because she is the only baby in the family, she does have a little love, but we would like to make sure that she has plenty.  
Love,  
Karen Graham

Ruth Commack  
Dear Santa Claus,  
This has been such a wonderful year that I don't really want much. There is one little thing that I want more than anything else in the world. My brother has been gone so long, and I miss him so much. Now he has a wife and a baby that I have never seen. Please, Santa, bring my brother home for Christmas. I love you Santa.  
Ruth Commack

Ronnie Worley  
English II  
Knox City High School  
December 11, 1962

Dear Santa,  
I'm usually stingy in that I want plenty of gifts from you. But I've changed now. My papa got me a new shotgun, and I'm satisfied. I'm a Sophomore in High School, and I'm happy with our school. We have good teams in all sports, and our school is as well organized as a school could be. I couldn't ask for anything more.  
Yours truly,  
Ronnie

Dear Santa Claus,  
This year I wish Christmas could become the kind of holiday it should be. Perhaps if a few of these things were done it would be:  
If the loudspeakers blasting out "Silent Night" paid a little more respect to silence;  
If televisions and radio commercials did not try to link up the purchase of their products with the "spirit of Christmas" in a very hypocritical fashion;  
If the exchange of gifts were limited to expressions of genuine friendship rather than exhibitions of competitive generosity;  
If some families would stop competing over their Christmas cards and so forth and instead donate the surplus money to a worthy charity;  
If children were taught that Christmas is a season for giving, not just for grabbing, so that the self-centeredness is not encouraged.  
If the hearty friendliness could be laid on a little less heavily, so that there would be more left to spread over the rest of the year, when it is so badly needed;  
If more people would ponder upon the real reason why He whose birthday, we are celebrating was called the "Prince of Peace," and what this title should mean in terms of our own conduct;  
And, most of all, if we forgot all the world's perversions surrounding Jesus' birthday and celebrated by remembering: "Therefore all things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them; for this is the law and the prophets."  
Thank you for all the help in the past and in the future to come.  
Judy Lynn Smith

Dear Santa,  
May I ask you to please visit my home a little earlier this year. As I am in a typical Christmas financial difficulty, I would like you to please bring me \$100. With this money I intend to finish my Christmas shopping, straighten the bumper on my car, and sew up the seat of my car. These are the reasons why I asked for your earlier visit.  
As I live in a mobile home this year, you won't be able to come in the front door.  
Love,  
Stan Compton  
P.S.—Help yourself to the chocolate milk in the refrigerator.

Dear Santa,  
Just surprise Jane and me on Christmas morning.  
Wade

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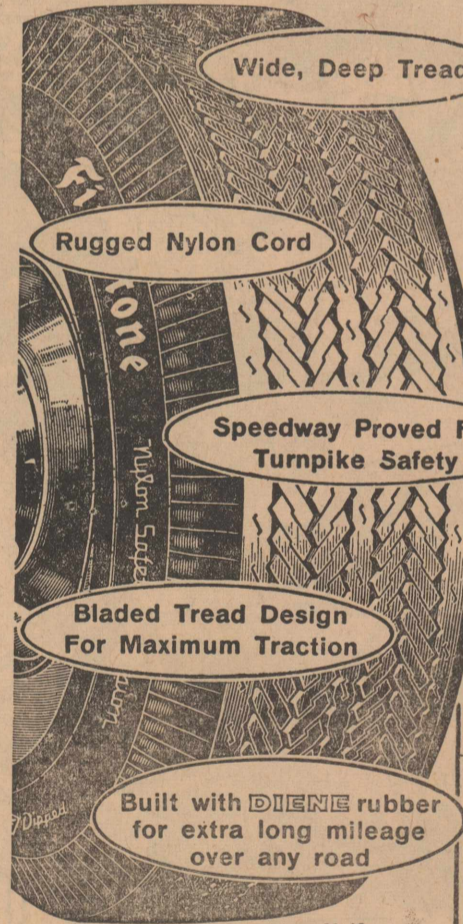
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Dear Santa,  
I would like a gun, a electric football game, a robot commando a play toy, dear rifle, and a cavalry rifle.  
Your friend,  
Ricky Cox

Dear Santa Claus,  
I would like a gun and a pair of chaps and a cavalry set and I would like a rifle.  
With love,  
Johnny Stockton

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a baby doll, a doll bed and some baby doll clothes. My sister Melody would like to have a music box. I don't know what my mother and father want, so I will just say they want something.  
Please come to my house so I can see your reindeer. They must be very pretty. Because I have read stories about them.  
With love,  
Carol King

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me an electric train. And bring me a rifle too. And bring me a bicycle. And two electric airplane.  
Thank you,  
Arlis Novell Wright

Dear Santa,  
Please send me a Chatty Cathy and a Baby dishes set. And a transistor radio, an evening gown stoll. And a stuffed reindeer, and high heels and a play menk And a holland what-not.  
With love,  
Cissia Skiles

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a desk, and a doll, and a doll stroller.  
Your friend,  
Cindy Ferrier

Dear Santa,  
I would like to have a wrist watch and a bicycle tube. And also I would like a Winchester 94 rifle. I have been a pretty good boy.  
Love,  
Brent Railsback

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be a good boy this year. I have made all As but one two Bs in writing.  
I would like to have a bell bar set with dumb bells. And a robot commando. A transistor radio. And some little toy army men.  
Merry Christmas to you.  
Love,  
Charlie Lieb

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a girls bicycle this Christmas and a sewing machine a cake set. And a radio. I want a new pair of shoes too. And that is all I want.  
With love,  
Karen Nadien Helms

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good. Please bring me a doll and a monkey and a kitchen set.  
Thank you,  
Love,  
Catharine Hughes

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be good. Please bring me a doll and a monkey.  
Thank you.  
Love,  
Irma Montalvo

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am a girl in the first grade. I am kind and good nearly all the time. Please bring me a Barby doll, and a bottle holder.  
Love and kisses,  
Ginger  
P.S.—I will have some cake for you at my house.

Dear Santa,  
I am a little girl in the first grade. I am six years old. I try to keep quiet and be good.  
Please bring me a doll carriage, bottle holder and a doll. Paula wants a doll, too.  
I love you,  
Sarah Bellinghausen  
P.S.—I will have cake and pie for you, Santa.

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am a little girl in the first grade. I am seven years old. I have tried to be good. Please bring me a doll and a snow cone maker, and a blue bike.  
De Wayne wants a basket ball.  
I love you,  
De Ann Darland

Dear Santa,  
I am in the first grade. I am six and have been a good boy. Please bring me a red bike and a snow cone maker, and a football.  
I love you,  
Ricky Aldridge

Dear Santa,  
I would like a bicycle a doll, with clothes, music box, book case, dog dash for my dog.  
With love,  
Brenda Burks

Dear Santa Claus,  
I would like a bicycle, some skates and a doll.  
Love,  
Muriello Woodall

Dear Santa Claus,  
I would like a new bicycle and a B Bgun.  
Thank you,  
Leonard Rodrigues

Dear Santa,  
I have been a good boy. Please bring me a Jimmy Jet a BB gun a real pony a hatchet and a football.  
Your friend,  
Greg

Dear Santa,  
I have tried to be nice. I want a doll, a story book, a kitchen set and a black board.  
Love,  
Patricia

Dear Santa Claus,  
Would you please bring me a "Thirstee-Crybaby" doll and a set of China dishes for Christmas? I like gum, candy, nuts, and fruit, too. I have been a good girl all year. Oon't forget the other little boys and girls. I'm looking for you.  
Love,  
Felecia Watson

Dear Santa,  
I am seven years old. I would like for you to bring me a Barbie and Ken doll set, with clothes, and their own car. I would like to have some clothes for myself. Don't forget my brother and sister. I have tried to be a good girl.  
Love you,  
Judy Marie Wynn

Dear Santa Claus,  
As you know I am in the second grade and I have been a good boy.  
I want a lot of things for Christmas so I am going to tell you what I want most. I want a bb gun and a football, but most of all I want you to have a lot of presents to give to all the boys and girls who don't have presents.  
David Perez

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a football suite, football helmet, football game and some guns.  
I love you,  
Roland Marion

Dear Santa,  
Will you please bring me a Winchester 94 B-B Gun?  
Your friend,  
David Allen McGaughey

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a football suit and a jimmy jet.  
Chuck Markward

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a walkie-talkie and I want a b-b gun and some bb's to.  
I want a pool table and I want a cowboy shirt and two banlon shirts and a pair of blue jeans. I want a belt too.

I have been a good boy and my sister has to. And I hope the other children have a good Christmas too.  
Dean

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a baby doll for Christmas.  
Your friend,  
Veda Wilson

Dear Santa,  
For Christmas I want a dump truck, and a BB rifle, a race car set, a tape recorder, and an electric robot an army set. I guess thats all.  
Your friend,  
Phil Denton



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Dear Santa Claus,  
I have been good this year. I am a little boy 7 years old. Please bring me a b b gun, tent and bicycle. Remember the other girls and boys.

Your friend,  
Danny Del Hierro

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am in the first grade. I am eight years old. I have tried to be good. Please bring me a bicycle, a doll, and candy. Remember the other boys and girls too.

Love,  
Angela Castro

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am a boy in the first grade. I am seven years old. I have tried to be good. Please bring me a foot ball suit, and one for my brother. Remember the other boys and girls.

Love and kisses,  
Johnny McCowan

Dear Santa,  
I would like a new bicycle and a B B gun.

Thank you,  
Joe Sanchez

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a bee bee gun for Christmas, a bicycle, a twenty-two, a bo and arrow, a pair of skates, and a burglar alarm if you can.

With love,  
Gary

Dear Santa,  
I want an alarm clock. And I want some roller skates, a electric train. And be sure to stop at everybody's house and give them toys also. Make sure your reindeer don't get sick.

With love,  
Mary Jo Campbell

Dear Santa,  
I want a bicycle or a baton or some skates.

With love,  
Jan Lankford

Dear Santa,  
I am in the first grade. Please bring me a doll, a bike, and some candy.

Love and kisses,  
Toni Gonzalez

Dear Santa,  
I want a gun for Christmas and you just buy the things I want.

Thank you,  
Billy Baker

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am in the first grade. I am six years old. I have tried to be good. Please bring me a football, one new front tooth and a bike.

I love you,  
Art Crownover

Dear Santa Claus,  
I am in the first grade. I am seven years old. I have tried to be a good girl. Please bring me a doll, a bicycle and a box of candy.

I love you,  
Karen Leach

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a record player and a car coat and roller skates.

Cheryl Turner  
With love,

Dear Santa,  
I want an electric train and track, a gun, a truck that runs and airplane that flies.

Louis Conn  
first grade

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a record player and some records and a baby doll please don't for get my sister, Pam She would like a baby doll and doll clothes and dishes and a doll-buggy.

Love,  
Cathy Stockton

Dear Santa,  
I am a little boy in the second grade. I am looking forward to Christmas and I hope all of the other boys and girls have a nice Christmas too.

Will you please bring me a world globe, weaving loom, and a transistor radio?

Thank you,  
Your friend,  
Lanny Cypert

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a little doll with a house and carpet. Things to go inside the house. Thank you. Merry Christmas.

Your friend,  
Irene Leija

Dear Santa,  
I want a Sues Smart doll. For my christmas gift and christmas tree.

Your truly,  
Janie Romo



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