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Christmas Traditions



Many Christmas traditions are older than some celebrants might think. The tradition of lighting up a Christmas tree, for example, dates back to the days before Christmas lights. Before electric-powered twinkle lights were invented and even before electricity was discovered, people used actual candles to adorn the Christmas tree. As one can imagine, having an open flame next to a dried-out tree was risky, so it was customary to keep a bucket of water next to the tree in the case of fire.

As if fire wasn't enough, the tinsel used to decorate trees was made from strips of silver and even lead -- something that is now known to be a health hazard to adults and children alike. Although we've come a long way since candles and lead, even now trees that are overly dry and decorated with lights that have frayed wires can just as easily lead to fires. Plus, plastic tinsel can be a choking hazard for children and pets.

One Christmas staple that has lost its status as a safety hazard is the poinsettia plant. It has long been thought that poinsettias are poisonous to people and animals. While there is some toxicity to the plant, it would require the ingestion of hundreds of leaves to get a toxic dose of a plant's poison.

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As we celebrate the birth of our Savior, we're reminded of the many blessings we enjoy, including the opportunity to serve good people like you. Merry Christmas and many thanks for your generous support all year long.

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Sugar cookies and the holiday season often go hand-in-hand.

Bake a batch of sweet sugar cookies

Holiday baking is a tradition that stretches through time. What person doesn't look forward to the treats the season brings? Cookies are often gifted to friends and family members, and they usually help complete the dessert offerings after the holiday meal.

Sugar cookies are an ideal holiday cookie because of their versatility. They can be dressed-up however you see fit, whether iced, covered in sprinkles or enjoyed as they are dunked in hot cocoa. To make successful sugar cookies, try this triple-tested recipe courtesy of Monica Buck and Good Housekeeping.

SUGAR COOKIES

Yields: 5 dozen cookies

- 1 cup (2 sticks) butter (no substitutions), softened
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 large egg
- 1 tablespoon vanilla extract
- 3 cups all-purpose flour
- 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- Frosting (optional)

Coarse sugar crystals, silver dragees, holiday decors (optional decorations)

1. Preheat oven to 350 F. In large bowl, with mixer on low speed, beat butter and sugar until blended. Increase speed to high; beat until light and creamy. On low speed, beat in egg and vanilla. Beat in flour, baking powder and salt until blended.
2. Divide dough into 4 equal pieces; flatten each piece into a disk. Wrap each disk with plastic wrap and refrigerate 1

hour or until dough is firm enough to roll. (Or place dough in freezer 30 minutes.)

3. On a lightly floured surface with a floured rolling pin, roll 1 piece of dough 1/8 inch thick. With floured 3-inch to 4-inch cookie cutters, cut dough into as many cookies as possible; wrap and refrigerate trimmings. Place cookies, 1 inch apart, on ungreased large cookie sheet.

4. Bake cookies 10 to 12 minutes or until lightly browned. Transfer cookies to wire rack to cool. Repeat with remaining dough and trimmings.

5. When cookies are cool, decorate with frosting if you like; use along with sugars and candies to decorate cookies. Set cookies aside to allow frosting to dry completely, about 1 hour. Store in tightly covered container (with waxed paper between layers if decorated) at room temperature up to 2 weeks, or in freezer up to 3 months.

HO...HO... HOPE It's Merry!

We know we're filled with joy as we recall the good times we've had serving our friends and neighbors this year. Thanks folks!



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The history & traditions of Boxing Day

Many countries celebrate Boxing Day on December 26. Those outside of these countries may be unaware as to the meaning behind the holiday and how its traditions originated.

Boxing Day is celebrated by those in countries that were once part of the British empire, which includes Canada. As a federal holiday, post offices and banks are closed. Schools also are closed as part of winter vacations. Despite being a federal holiday, Boxing Day is not observed in the same way in all provinces and territories. Also, it is not an official holiday in Quebec. Depending on the area, stores may be open or closed. Some people use the opportunity to take part in post-Christmas sales or make returns. Many stores run Boxing Week sales the full week through New Year's Day. Some shoppers have been known to camp outside of stores to take advantage of these price cuts, much in the way Americans might wait in the wee hours of the morning for Black Friday deals.

The etymology of the name Boxing Day is unclear, but some historians surmise that it is tied to the European tradition of giving gifts to the needy and those in service positions, as was the case during the Middle Ages. In the United Kingdom, it also became tradition that the day after Christmas employers would gift their servants with boxes of food leftovers from the holidays or present monetary gifts. The servants were allowed to take the day off to spend it with their families after having worked Christmas. Other ideas tie the tradition to the Feast of Saint Stephen, which also takes place on December 26. Metal boxes, into which people could put donations for the needy, were left outside of churches.



Did you know?



Sending out Christmas greetings is a tradition that is still common today. Have you ever wondered just how many cards are sent across the country? According to Hallmark Corporate, 1.5 billion Christmas cards, including boxed and individual cards, are purchased and then sent every year in the U.S. This makes Christmas the No. 1 holiday for sending greetings, followed by Valentine's Day (144 million) and Mother's Day (133 million).

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Christmas
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New Year



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Preparation pointers How to get your home ready for holiday guests



Family gatherings are synonymous with the holiday season. Even those families who have spread out far and wide often manage to come together at least once at the end of the year.

When families include members who don't live within driving distance of one another, those who aren't hosting the holiday festivities must plan an overnight stay. Lodging costs can be considerable during the holiday season because hotels can quickly fill to capacity. Holiday hosts who want to go the extra mile can invite guests to forgo hotels and stay overnight at their homes, where guests can spend more time with hosts and won't have to worry about finding lodging they can afford.

Though it's a nice gesture to host overnight guests during the holiday season, it's also one that requires a little work on the part of the hosts, who must take time out of the often hectic holiday schedule to prepare their homes for guests. The following are a few pointers for hosts who want to ensure everything is ready and accommodating for overnight guests.

* Take inventory of household linens. Depending on how many guests you'll be hosting, you may need to stock up on extra linens. If only one or two people will be staying overnight, you should be able to make due with what you have. However, if you'll be hosting a second family for the holidays, whether it's one night or a full week, then you will likely need to buy more linens, including bedding, pillows and blankets. Take inventory of what you have and make sure you have adequate bedding for each guest, as well as some extra bedding in case of emergency.

* Discuss pet allergies. Holiday hosts who have pets should discuss pet allergies with potential overnight guests well in advance of the season. If guests are allergic to your pets, then it might not be comfortable for them to stay overnight at your home. While most families would not want to shelter their pets on a holiday, doing so is an option but one that may not even be worth it. Pet hair and dander around the house might be enough to trigger an allergic attack even when the pet isn't in or around the home, so sheltering the pet may not be a solution after all. Discuss

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this issue with prospective guests well in advance of the season so they have time to find affordable lodging in the event that any of them do have a pet allergy.

* Stock up on toiletries. Toiletries are bound to run out if you're hosting guests for the holidays. Before guests arrive, stock up on these items, including toilet and facial tissue, hand soap, bath soap, shampoo and conditioner, toothpaste and extra toothbrushes in case guests forgot to pack their own. These items have no expiration date, so even if you end up buying more than you need you can always use them down the road when guests have long since returned home.

* Clear the house of clutter. Clutter can make a home seem even more crowded when guests are staying overnight. Clutter can accumulate anywhere in the house, from bathrooms to a living room to the kitchen. When hosting guests for the holidays, you will need all the space you can get, so clear the house of as much clutter as possible. Put all toys away and clear the common areas of items like shoes and clothing

that can make a space seem more cramped. In addition, clear the dining room table of any items that aren't needed at mealtime and choose festive centerpieces that don't take up much space.

* Don't be caught off guard by a storm. If guests will be staying multiple nights, it's safe to assume everyone, hosts and guests included, will want to get out of the house, be it to enjoy local holiday celebrations or simply to avoid cabin fever by getting some fresh air. But the holiday season gets its fair share of inclement weather, including snowstorms. Hosts should not be caught off guard by a snowstorm, stocking up on items like a snow shovel, a snow blower and salt or a de-icing product for walkways and driveways before guests arrive. This will ensure everyone won't feel trapped inside the house should a storm arrive unexpectedly.

Hosting guests for the holidays is no small task. But hosts who prepare in advance can ensure everyone makes the most of their time together.



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Test your knowledge of popular Christmas movies

What would the holidays be without snowflakes falling outside, a mug of hot cocoa in hand and a favorite Christmas movie on television?

Television is full of feel-good movies come the holiday season. Choose from among classic flicks you have watched year after year or new movies vying for spots as soon-to-be favorites.

Watching Christmas movies is a holiday tradition for many families. So much so that lines from popular movies are easily remembered and

recognized. Those who can recite movies verbatim might enjoy testing their mettle with the following Christmas quiz loaded with memorable quotes from some holiday classics.

MOVIE QUOTES QUIZ

1. "It came without ribbons. It came without tags. It came without packages, boxes or bags."
2. "Uh, since the United States Government declares this man to be Santa Claus, this court will not dispute it. Case dismissed."
3. "If TV has taught me anything, it's that miracles always happen to poor kids at Christmas. It happened to Tiny Tim, it happened to Charlie Brown, it happened

to The Smurfs, and it's gonna happen to us!"

4. "I want an official Red Ryder, carbine action, 200 shot range model air rifle."
5. "Bless this highly nutritious microwavable macaroni and cheese dinner and the people who sold it on sale. Amen."
6. "Iris, in the movies, we have leading ladies and we have the best friend. You, I can tell, are a leading lady, but for some reason, you're behaving like the best friend."
7. "Who gave you permission to tell Charlie there was no Santa Claus? I think if we're going to destroy our son's delusions, I should be a part of it."
8. "I want to wash my hands, my



Hold On— It's Almost Christmas!

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face, my hair with snow.”

9. “We’re not just doing this for us. We’re doing it for the kids. For every kid who ever sat on Santa’s lap. For every little girl who left cookies and milk for Santa on Christmas night. For every little boy who opens a package Christmas morning and finds clothes instead of toys. It breaks my heart.”

10. “We all know that Christmas is a big commercial racket. It’s run by a big Eastern syndicate you know.”

11. “I fear you more than any spectre I have seen. But as I know your purpose is to do me good, and as I hope to live to be another man from what I was, I am prepared to bear your company, and do it with a thankful heart. Will you not speak to me?”

12. “Seeing is believing, but sometimes the most real things in the world are the things we can’t see.”

13. “Light the lamp, not the rat, light the lamp, not the rat! Put me out, put me out, put me out!”

14. “Tell me something, Billy. How come a cute little guy like this can turn into a

thousand ugly monsters?”

15. “Wanna see some magic? OK, let’s watch you disappear!”

16. “That’s not ‘my’ Christmas! ‘My’ Christmas is filled with laughter, and joy... and this: my Sandy Claws outfit. I want you to make it.”

17. “That’s neither pig nor pork, it’s beef.”

18. “I passed through the seven levels of the Candy Cane forest, through the sea of swirly twirly gum drops, and then I walked through the Lincoln Tunnel.”

Answers:

1. “The Grinch Who Stole Christmas”
2. “Miracle on 34th Street”
3. “The Simpsons’ Christmas”
4. “A Christmas Story”
5. “Home Alone”
6. “The Holiday”
7. “The Santa Clause”
8. “White Christmas”
9. “Jingle All the Way”
10. “A Charlie Brown Christmas”
11. “A Christmas Carol”
12. “The Polar Express”
13. “The Muppet Christmas Carol”
14. “Greninja”
15. “Bad Santa”
16. “The Nightmare Before Christmas”
17. “Babes in Toyland”
18. “Elf”



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May you and your loved ones rejoice in the Miracle of Christmas, and may your home be blessed by His many good graces throughout the holiday season and beyond. **Noel!**



Dear Santa,

Straight from the North Pole to you, we're pleased to share some "best wishes" from our area children to their favorite holiday celebrity.

Dear Santa,

My name is Lane Hinton and I am seven years old. I will want an exploder and my mom wants to get a new phone, and I want a cuddle-up-it. I want a hamster and a hamster ball and a hamster cage and a hamster toy.

Thank you Santa.

Your friend,
Lane Hinton

Dear Santa,

My name is Kylie Monroe and I am seven years old. I have lied sometimes too, but forgive me. I would like an iPad, and a car that I ride in. And a big pillow pet. I would also like a cuddle-up-it (both unicorns).

I would like a present for my kitten. They want a kitten's present. And for my mom, a candle, and in my stocking, I would like a toothbrush with stickers that you put on the toothbrush.

Your friend,
Kylie

Dear Santa,

My name is Kaleb and I am 8 years old. I am very sorry for being mean to my sister Carly. Please forgive me, and I may have lied too.

My cousin is wanting a football. Lane wants a wooden Lowe's car. So does Joshua. I am sorry for being mean to Lane, Josh, Kylie and Tyler. My little cousin Addilin wants a baby doll. Kylie wants a guitar and some pics. Kylie also wants a wooden car. I want a playstation 3.

Your friend,
Kaleb Blum

Dear Santa,

My name is Joshua and I am seven years old. Can I have some baby clothes for my brother and a new water soda? I am sorry for being mean to my brothers and my Mom and my Papa and my Grandma and my friends. Can I have some tools for my grandpa, and a Lowe's truck for me, and a dress for my grandma and another dress for my cousin Alissa? Can I have a train set for my cousin Kyler and Jordan? Can I have 3 helmets and 3 football suits and some pads and a playstation 3 and some games?

Your friend,
Joshua Booth

Dear Santa,

I have been a good boy, just ask my teacher. How have you been? I hope your reindeer are eating good, and your elves are working hard

making toys. If it is not too much trouble, I would like for you to bring me some Legos, and Skylanders Giants. I would also like some new cowboy boots with spurs, and a new cowboy hat. The most important thing I want is glasses. I will be waiting for you on Christmas.

Love,
Ethan McAllister

Dear Santa,

How are your elves and reindeer? I hope they are ready for Christmas, because I really am. I am wishing for a Zombie Game, and a Zombie Toy. I would love to have some Lincoln Logs to play with, and maybe a Lego Train Set. I want a Zoo with a Zoo Keeper, and please don't forget all the other boys and girls. Let me know if I can help the elves. Thank you Santa, and goodbye.

Love,
Daze

Dear Santa,

My name is Maddie Moore. I have been a very good little girl and I hope you will come and visit me on Christmas. Please bring me a doll, and a new horse. Some new clothes would be great, and a pink cap to match my coat. My little brother has been pretty good too, so don't forget about him. I hope your reindeer are ready to fly, because Christmas is almost here. I will have milk and cookies for you.

Love,
Maddie

Dear Santa,

My name is Denver O'Dell. I like to ride my horse and pretend she is a reindeer. How smart are your elves? I am going to leave cake and milk out for you. This year, I would like a Lego Train set, and a Hot Wheels Wall Track. I would also like a Transformer (Optimus Prime). An army truck would be nice too. I am trying to be nice, but sometimes it is hard.

I hope you like my milk and cake.
Have a safe trip.

Love,
Denver

Dear Santa,

My name is Taylor McCann. For Christmas, I would like a Zombie Game, a stuffed animal, and an Easy Bake Oven. I would love the movie Diego, and some new clothes. I hope you don't get too tired Santa, because I know you are working very

hard getting ready for Christmas. I have been nice to people, so I hope you will have me on your nice list. Love you Santa.

Your friend
Taylor

Dear Santa,

My name is Berkley Moore, and I have been nice. How are Rudolph and all the other reindeer? I really hope I get some presents. I am sorry for being mean to my mommy. For Christmas, I would like a Barbie House with stairs and a Barbie car that is light pink. I also want two Barbie Boys. I would like a Hello Kitty shirt and some diamond earrings, and please bring me some glitter paint of all colors. My brother Hayden wants to know if Rudolph is the leader. Hope you write back Santa. I will have milk and cookies for you.

Love, Berkley

Dear Santa,

My name is Kyler Booth. I have really been trying to be a good boy. I am very excited for Christmas, and I hope that you will not forget about me. I would like for you to bring me a big car, some Lego's, and an I Pad. A toy helicopter like the one in my classroom would be great. I can't wait for Christmas to get here, so please hurry. I will leave you some goodies by the tree, and maybe I will be awake when you get there.

Love, Kyler

Dear Santa,

I have been a good boy this year and this is what I want for Christmas. I just want a dirt bike and a four wheeler and a lot of Legos.

Love
Tyler Harper

Dear Santa,

Can I have a horse and a baby for Christmas? Can I have a phone and a stuff animal?

Love,
Shelby Bowman
1st Grade
Hedley ISD

Dear Santa,

I want a 3D-DS with 2 Maryo games. I want 1 AngryBird - Star Wars game. I would also like a Dreamlite. Have a good day Santa!

Liam Branigan
1st Grade
Hedley ISD

Dear Santa,

I want a doll that I can dekrat her hair. I also want a bike. I also want a barbie. I also want makup.

Love,
Giomi Hall
1st Grade
Hedley ISD

Dear Santa,

I want a lfsafer and Skylander Giants. I would like all of the Skylanders and a jack in the box. Can I also have a reindeer?

Love,
Astin McAllister
1st Grade
Hedley ISD

Dear Santa,

I want a puppy, a doll, and a dollhouse. I want a show called Spiderman, a DS, a bike, and a Barbie doll.

Danielle McCann
1st Grade
Hedley ISD

Dear Santa,

I want a baby butrscoch. I want a real phone. I would also like to have a baby doll.

Love,
Danika Middleton
1st Grade
Hedley ISD

Dear Santa,

I want a horse. I would also like an Xbox and a puppy. Can I have a new backpack?

Love,
Aden Woodard
1st Grade
Hedley ISD

Dear Santa,

Can you give me a dinosaur that transforms into a car, and another one too please? ...And I hope you have a good Merry Christmas and thank you Santa! ...and I hope you have a Happy New Year and a good day! I really want you to be a good Santa, and I hope you brush your teeth good and I hope you make kids proud of you. Santa, I hope you floss your teeth every day and say your prayers to God at night.

God bless you,
Ranger Drenth
The End.

Dear Santa,

I would like a doll, guitar, a baby black snauzer, a star wish, and some reindeer pajamas, and a reindeer shirt and pants.

Your friend,
Kyndall

Dear Santa,

My name is Kadee and I'm 10 years old. I go to school in Hedley, Texas. I've been really good this year. I help my mom with the dishes and the laundry. How are the reindeer? How's Mrs. Claus?

I would like a saddle. I want a saddle because my cinch broke. My horse was to fat to fit it. I would also like a Groove Glider because it plays music while you ride. The last thing I want is zebra printed speakers. My others broke.

That's all I want. Tell the reindeer I said hi! Be careful on your trip. I would tell you what you're getting for a snack, but it's a surprise!

Love,
Kadee Lockbey

Dear Santa Claus,

My name is Leandra Mestas. I live in a family of four. I go to Hedley ISD. I am 10 years old. I've been really good this year! I clean my room and help my mom with supper. How are you? How are your reindeer and Mrs. Claus? For Christmas, I want a Groove Glider because you can plug up your MP3 player and listen to music on it. I also want an iPod Touch because mine broke. Please be careful and tell the reindeer I love them!

Love,
Leandra Mestas
P.S. I will make cookies and warm milk for you!

Dear Santa Claus,

My name is Kaylaneth Mendoza. I am 10 years old and go to school in Hedley. I have two brothers, and I live in Memphis. I've been good! I help my brother take a bath, and I help my mom with supper. How are the elves and the weather? Is it different in the North Pole? Do you have stores? If you don't, how do you get food?

I always wanted a butterscotch toy horse because I want to play with someone when I am really board. Also, a new Cow Girl Jesse doll because my mom's dog chewed up her boot, and an I spy that way my grandpa can see who stole his dogs. I don't know what I am going to leave you for a snack. Have a nice trip!

Love,
Kaylaneth Mendoza

Dear Santa Claus,

My name is Zachary Wells, and I am 10 years old. I go to Hedley ISD in Hedley, Texas. I have been so good this year! I helped my mom clean my house, and I take care of my mom. I am wondering how Mrs. Clause, the elves, and reindeer are doing? When you're flying around on your sleigh on Christmas Eve, be careful!

All I want for Christmas is my mom to feel better! The reason I want my mom to feel better is because she has been sick for 2 years, and I don't want her to be sick! I also want you to give my sisters what they want for Christmas because they have been very good this year! Can you also give my dad what he wants because he has been very good too!

Love,
Zachary Wells

Dear Santa Claus,

My name is Kyle, and I am 9 years old. I go to school at Hedley, Texas. I have been a good boy this year because I helped hand out gifts at a party. The party was at my dad's work.

How are the reindeer? I hope they can still pull the sleigh. Santa I want my cat, Molly, to feel better because she got declawed. I want some

Lego's because they are fun to build. One more thing, my dad wants a new truck because the one he has is old.

One last thing, I hope you, the reindeer, the elves, and Mrs. Claus have a Merry Christmas!

Love,
Kyler Lamberson

Dear Santa Claus,

My name is Jade, and I live and go to school in Hedley. I am also nine years old. I have been very good this year because I helped my mom with the dishes. How old is Mrs. Claus and the reindeer?

What I would want for Christmas is a DS because my other one broke. Give the reindeer a hug from me, and be safe!

Love,
Jade Fish
P.S. I'll leave you cookies for a snack!

Dear Santa,

How are you doing? Is it snowing where you live? I have been good. We don't have snow here.

I hope you can find me this year for Christmas because we are going to be at my aunt Tami's house. I would like a dream Lites Butterfly Pillow, a doll house, and a large drawing board. I love you Santa, and hope you fly good. Mommy and I are going to leave you gingerbread cookies. Love, Abbey Branigan. Age four

Dear Santa,

My name is Javier Valles, and I am so happy that it is almost Christmas. I have tried to be a good boy this year, so please do not forget me. I would love for you to bring me a laptop for Christmas. I would also like to have an Angry Bird Toy, and a new baby kitten. My cousins have been very good too, so they should be on your nice list. Please bring them some special toys too. I will leave you a snack by the Christmas tree, and please hurry!

Love,
Javier Valles
Age six

Dear Santa,

How are the reindeer? I want an I-phone 5, new air-soft gun, and a shotgun. How about Mrs. Claus and the elves?

Christain Lucero
5th grade

Dear Santa,

My name is Jacob Lucero. How are you? I have been a good boy. Are the reindeer being good? What I want for Christmas is an I-phone 5, computer, and a 4-wheeler. What I want most of all is the new PSP.

Love,
Jacob
5th grade

Dear Santa,

My name is MaKayla. How are you doing? Is Rudolph the head leader? I want a Super Mario DS game. I also want a green camera and a Hello Kitty jacket.

Love,
MaKayla
5th grade

Dear Santa,

How is your reindeer? What I want for Christmas is a Christmas CD and a new Uno set. We'll leave some cookies out for you.

Thanks,
Collin Monroe
5th grade

Holiday Greetings

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*As we watch the holiday season unfold,
We recall the greatest story ever told;
And join our friends in adulation
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As we honor our Savior's birth,
We send this prayer for peace on earth
And pray that every one of you
Receive His many blessings too!*

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Dear Santa,

My name is Kari, and I want to know how tall your elves are! I hope you like the cookies and milk. This year I would really like a camera. Have a safe trip!

Sincerely,
Kari

you have given me! I pray that God would show Himself faithful to the broken hearts. Well, I really hope you can get me at least one of these things. Love you Santa

Esther Metcalf
11 yrs old Hedley

Dear Santa,

I want an X-box with an army game. It has a white remote controller. And I want a racetrack game, a legos game, and a Shrek game. I want an X-box game that has an orange race track.

Love,
Evan Lee Starling

have a stuffed mermaid? Can I please have a toy Rudolph? I want some real gingerbread cookies – the real ones.

Love,
Skylar Childress

Dear Santa,

My name is Raysha! How tall are your elves? How do you deliver all those presents in one night? I want a reindeer named Santa Claus and a DS. Another thing I want is my sister Lahana home for the holidays!

Love,
Raysha I. P

Dear Santa

Thank you for the things I got last Christmas. May I have a Lego hui set and a Daisy BB gun please. These are the only things I want except please may I have a plastic shark fin?

Love Shawn Metcalf
8 yrs old Hedley

Dear Santa,

I love you. I want some ice cream, videos, and Barbies. I want babies, Santa Claus.

Love,
Aliza Pierson

Dear Santa,

I want a remote control flying helicopter. I want a toy reindeer like Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer. I want a toy puppy dog. And I want one of the reindeer that was laughing at Rudolph.

Jonathon Robinson

Dear Santa,

My name is Elayna. How tall are your elves? When you come to my house, I'm going to have cookies and milk. And what I want for Christmas is an iPod touch, a touch screen phone, and a new computer because my brother broke mine.

Love,
Elayna
5th grade

Dear Santa,

I have done my best to be nice this year. I would like a snake remote controlled monster truck. I also would like some games for my Leap Frog Pad. I also like any glow in the dark toys! Thanks you Santa.

Love,
Nolan Burrow
Age 5

Dear Santa,

I love you! Please bring me a remote control helicopter, even a remote control monster truck. Please bring me a Scooby Doo game.

Love,
Aiden Jaramillo

Dear Santa,

I would like E-Z Bake Oven. I want a thing that's round on the top and has a toothpick and has box full of decorations to decorate it with. I want a bow that's purple with rainbow hears on it.

Love,
Taillee Ehler

P.S. I want a bird that has a remote control so it can fly.

Dear Santa,

I hope the reindeer are in shape for Christmas. All I want for Christmas is an air-soft gun and a new barrel for my Stevens Favorite.

Thanks,
Wesley

Dear Santa,

I know you are busy this year. I have something to tell you. What I want for Christmas. Please try to get me a kitchen, scooter, big catpillar that's all I can think of right now never mind. Huge stuffed draft. That's all I want for Christmas. P.S Love you Santa Class

Love,
Madilyh Benson
Age 5

Dear Santa,

I would like to have a remote control helicopter and a remote control truck and a Bop It Smash, a new basketball court and new basketballs and a new Santa poster. I love you, Santa, and your reindeer. I love Mrs. Starnes and Ms. Hill.

Love,
Wrangler Eytcheson

Dear Santa,

I want a toy Rudolph, a Santa Claus toy, and a Dora game. I want a Dora toy. I want that thinga Ginger like in the Cat in the Hat.

Rosa Olivias

Dear Santa,

I want for Christmas a Nintendo and a 4-wheeler, and a skateboard. That's all I want. I wanted to ask you, did the Elf on the shelf take the picture I colored for you?

Merry Christmas!
Kennadie Leigh Cummins

Dear Santa,

I really only ant three things. What I want most of all is an American Indian doll, then the next thing is a piano, if we don't have room for a piano I would like a roll up one. The last thing I would like is some friends legos. Thank you for everything

Dear Santa,

I want a bicycle and a Barbie doll and a baby doll house. How do you get the reindeer to fly?

Kimbrasia Ballard

Dear Santa,

I want Snakebite because my other one broke down. The battery's dead. I want Fly Light. I want the Home Depot thingy. It has tools so you can build stuff. It says you can only get it at Toys R Us, Merry Christmas!

Kai Floyd

Dear Santa Claus,

Please may I have some of those pretty pink boots? How about that Hello Kitty doll? And can I

Dear Santa,

I want a remote control helicopter and a little Santa hat. I'm going to leave you cookies for you and milk.

Kayden Early



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Dear Santa,

I want a 4-wheeler and I want a guitar and I want a drum and I want a Hello Kitty clock. I love you, Santa!

Love,
Whitney Williams

and barbie stuff. I want the unicorn stompee, the little lady bug pillow pet, an ipad, and a new dress, and a cowgirl hat, and books. I want two scooters so me and Avery don't have to share. I love you Santa.

Love, Emmarie Holland
5 years old

Dear Santa,

I want a skateboard – a real one- and I want a dirt bike and I want roller skates because my friend Kennadie has some. Is Rudolph coming this year?

Love,
Tandie Cummins

PS I want a Nintendo with all the games in a case.

Dear Santa,

I want a monster truck with a remote control and an I-touch. And I want a little toy wrestler. And I want some legos that is a game. That's all I want! Merry Christmas!

Grant Haynes

Dear Santa,

I want a wagon, a chalkboard, and a DS. On the wagon, it should have a seat and a hood so it can be shady in there, I want some chalk for the chalkboard.

Ray Curry

Dear Santa,

I want a cake pop maker, a play doh set, and a pet guinea pig. I want gingerbread cookies, and a new box of crayons.

Bella Neal

Dear Santa,

I want a new play kitchen with some fake food, and a fake pumkin pie. I want some barbie dolls

Zane Ashley Cruse
4 years old

Dear Santa!!

My Mommy and Daddy say that if I tell you what I would like for Christmas and have been a good girl that my wishes will come true. I am sure I have not been perfect all the time.. I mean really who is.. But my daddy says I am his Little Princess so I am sure that counts for something. I am sure the Elf that you sent to our house has been telling you all about what my brothers and I have been up to... You might not want to believe everything she tells you...

I really would like to have an IPAD of my own that my brothers wont borrow from me. I also want a Tangled Baby Doll.

I want to tell you my brothers have been as good as brothers can be this year. Though they do pick on me a lot but mom and dad say that is what brothers are supposed to do. I don't know what they want but please be sure to bring them presents too.

We will leave Cookies and Milk for you and something for the reindeer.

Love,
Addy Havens

Dear Santa,

I hope you can bring me a trumpet and a drum. I also would like a playhouse with a door bell. I hope you get this newspaper in your North Pole mail box. I love you.

Zane Ashley Cruse
4 years old

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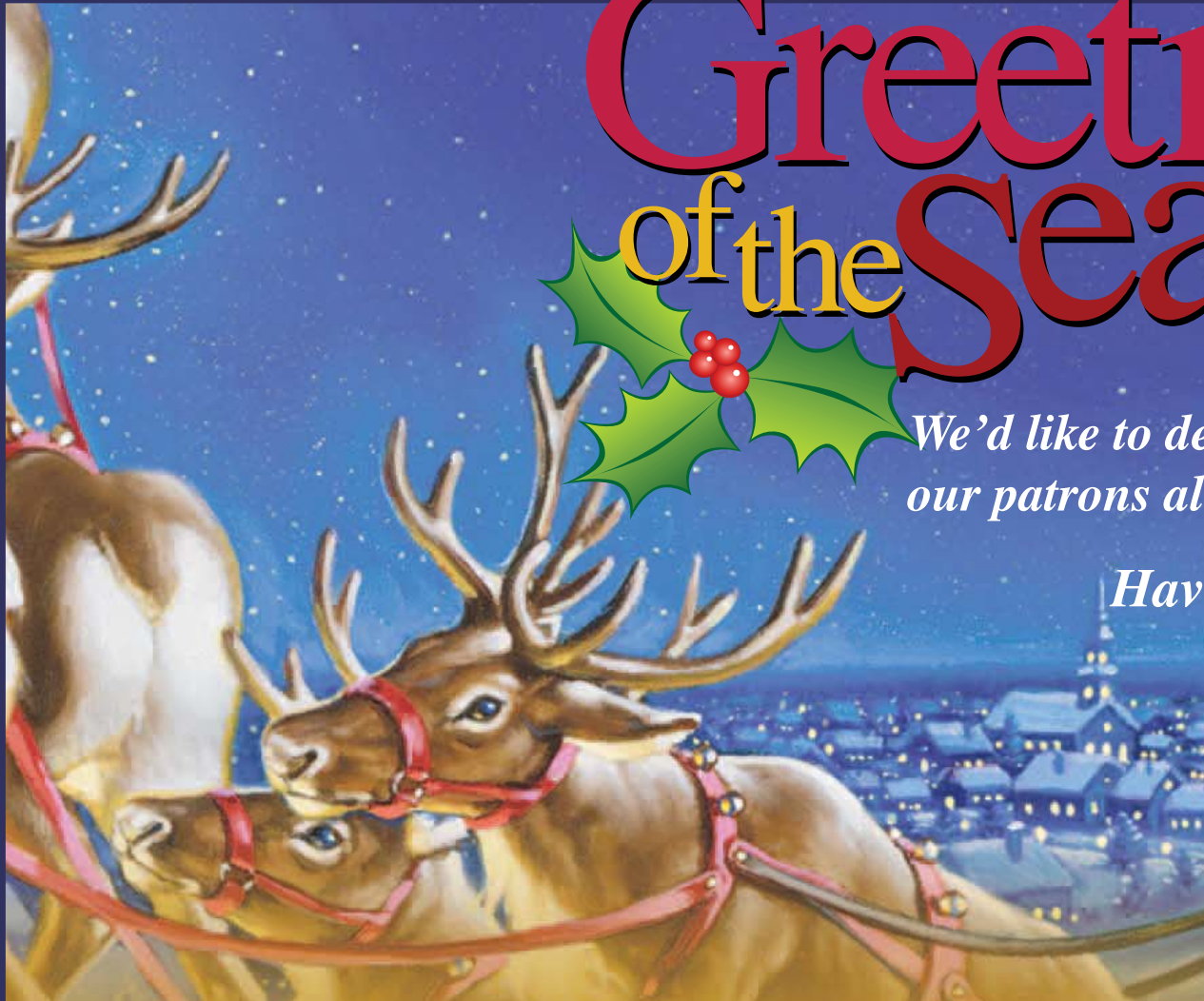
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Dear Santa,

I have been very good this year and have helped mommy and daddy with all the animals. I feed them every day and make sure they have lots of water. I love ALL my animals. For Christmas I would like a big cheetah and a little cheetah. I want a Wall E toy too. Thank you Santa. Daddy cleaned out the chimney so you can come down it without getting so dirty. See you soon.

Love,
Alexis Jantz
Age 2

Dear Santa,

I have tried to be good this year and I hope you come see me. I have been helping mommy with all the baking so we will have lots of cookies when you come to our house. I would like an I pad, a Monster High Doll, and a Hello Kitty game for Christmas. One more thing, how do you get your reindeer to fly? I love you Santa!

Your friend,
Riley Jantz
Kindergarten, Age 5

Dear Santa,

I want a big nutcracker the same size as me that looks like me. I want a big bag of bacon, a big potato head, The Ninja Turtle Layer with all the turtles and bad guys. How are you doing, Santa? How are your reindeers doing? Merry Christmas Santa!

Love Always,
Mason Allred

Dear Santa,

I want a real guitar and a new Barbie and I also want a Santa doll.
Merry Christmas!

Love,
Chelsea Wright

Dear Santa,

I want an X-box 260, a new bike, and a sweater. And I want one of those little slap bracelets that goes around your wrist and it sticks.

Love, Christian Henley

Dear Santa,

I want an army game. That's all I want. Merry Christmas!

John Anderson

Dear Santa,

I want an I-pod, a Nerf gun, a big Lightning McQueen car with a controller, and a phone. Is Rudolph coming this year? Don't put nothing under our Christmas tree cuz a train is under there.

Hayden Elam

Dear Santa,

This year I hope I am on the nice list, because my best friend Kennadie is on the naughty list. For Christmas I want you to bring me barbies, a baby doll, barbies, and a stroller. I'll leave you milk and cookies.

Love,
Addie Beth Roberts
Age 3

P.S. I love you very much.

Dear Santa,

My name is Adriana, I am four years old, and I live at Hedley. For Christmas, I would like for you to bring me a toy puppy, a baby doll with a bottle and a blanket, and a toy airplane. It would be fun if you would send a bunch of snow so me, and my brother and sister can build a snowman. I can hardly wait for Christmas!

Love, Adriana

Dear Santa,

Please bring me Dora and a Princess Cinderella. And a dragon. I love it.

Thank you,
Skylar Williams
Age 2yrs

Dear Santa,

I hope you have had a great year. I would like some Army play sets, an electric scooter, play guns and an Ipad this year. I will leave you come homemade cookies and milk.

From, Kasen Hatley
Age 6

Dear Santa,

I have been a very, very, good girl this year. I would like an American Girl baby with the backpack, Butterscotch, a round kitchen and a DS. Please don't forget my cousins and my big brother Kasen

Happy Christmas,
Love Kinslee Jo Hatley
Age 4

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I want a butterscotch pony, rainbow make up, a baby doll dressed in purple, a doll stroller, a Dora couch, paint set, a shopping cart, Dora kitchen, a baby crib, baby clothes and a dresser for my baby.

Thank you,
Hannah Curtis
Age 3

Dear Santa,

I LOVE you, for Christmas I want some transformers, a race car, and a megatron.

Your very best friend,
Kaendan Tylor Moffett
Pre k

Dear Santa,

I have been a very good boy this year. For Christmas, I would like a choo-choo train, some vroom vroom cars to play with, and lots of candy and bananas. I would also like a healthy baby brother. I will leave you some milk and cookies and something special for the elves. Thank you so much Santa!

Love, Keiden Moody
Age 1

Dear Santa,

I want windup Toy Story stuff for the bath tub please. It can walk in the water. I would like princess crowns for my sister and boy crowns for me and my brother. May I please have a big Rex that goes in the water.

Love you Santa!
Justus
Age 3

Dear Santa,

I would like a DS and Mario Bros 2 and a bike. I would also like a bell with the bike. Can you decorate it with Mario stuff, please? Please bring our whole family to our house. Please let us have snow on Christmas. I hope you feel good!

Jaxan
Age 6

Dear Santa,

I would like some hand bands for Christmas, please. I would like a pretend tea party set and just one princess dress. I would like some high heels. Santa, please give me some princess crowns and some king crowns for my brothers. I love all the toys you bring me!

Love, Millie
Age 5

Dear Santa,

My name is Casey. I would like a scooter, a bigger bike, a new toy gun, a new tv with rockets on it, a toy horse, a wallet, a new pen and spiral, a cell phone so I will stop getting in trouble taking my moms, a star toys that glows, a Ipad, a fish, a bell off your sleigh, Joey to marry mommy, new games and for baby brother to not be sick anymore.

Thank you.
Love,
Casey Curtis

Dear Santa,

I have been very good this year! For Christmas I want... A Barbie Doll, some new pink sparkle shoes, a baby doll with a bottle, an Ipad, a tangled doll with a brush, a barbie dollhouse, baby doll clothes, Princess clothes, a Teddy bear, lots of clothes like dresses, and one more thing some high heel shoes for my mommy!

Jaymi Mitchell
Age 6

Dear Santa,

My name is Robert. I have been a very good boy. For Christmas I would like to have an Ipad, a rev'n go stunt garage, a red dsi, an Angry Birds game, a drum set, a black camera, and a Razor dirt bike, Merry Christmas Santa!

Love you,
Robert Powell
Age 6

Dear Santa,

I have been a very good girl this year. For Christmas I want a baby alive, Dora Fantastic Gymnastics, an American Girl that looks just like me. I also want some blue clothes that sparkle and some blue shoes to match, I will leave you some cookies and milk by the stocking holders. I can't

Love, Me
Gracie Wilkins
Age 6

wait till Christmas! I hope your reindeer are doing good.

Love,
Maloree Wann

P.S. Don't forget about my new baby brother Hunter.

Dear Santa,

I was a good girl this year! So I want you to bring me a barbie and a minnie mouse a tablet like the one my sister has. And lots of chocolates please, oh and a blanket.

Thank You!
Melanie Mellado
Age 5

Dear Santa,

We love you. This year I would like to have some books since I am learning to read so good and maybe another surprise that you would like me to have. I have been trying to be good. The elf, Jingle, that you sent to my house has been doing a good job watching me and bubba. Can you bring my brother a game he wants also. I will be sleeping in my bed when you come but we will leave you milk and cookies by the fireplace. Have a safe trip Santa. Thanks a lot.

Love,
Aiden Word
Age 5

Dear Santa,

This year I have trying really hard to get along with my bubba and help mom with my baby sister, Clara Jewell. I would like a majic mermaid, a flying unicorn toy, a train set, an Orbies massage, a Dreamlite bear, and a unicorn Cuddleuppet!
I will have milk and cookie that I helped fix, waiting for you!



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Dear Santa,

I would like a Dora Adventure kit and a pair of new boots. I would also like a Dora mermaid and a Dora blanket for my new bed. I really want a new Dora chair for my room.

Thank you your friend,
Hayden Lockeby, Age 5

P.S. I have really been good this year.

Dear Santa,

I would like a real dinosaur egg. I also would like a house for my bugs I collect. I really love Angry Birds, so anything with them on it would be great. Toy Story stuff would be neat like a Toy Story tent. I would like my front tooth back so if you could make a deal with the tooth fairy I would really appreciate it.

Love,
Zack Lockhart-McKinney
Age 5

Dear Santa,

I want a baby doll, Ipad, Leapster, swimming pool, and a wooden swing set. Oh and a fur real friend Ponie, and a bunny. Please bring my brother and sister what they want. For my mom and dad well get them a vacation for Christmas.

Thank you,
Lauren Ceniceros
Age 6

Dear Santa,

I have been a very good ever since mom told me that you have been watching. This has been very difficult as it has been a whole three days!

As you know Nate, mom, and I enjoy having running shoot outs through the house. Sadly, over time, all of our Nerf bullets have gone missing. I would love it if you brought each of us Nerf guns that shoot the discs. Also, we need ammo. (Please bring only me a spare ammo clip. I am

the youngest, so this would not be an unfair advantage.)

Thank you!
Daniel Estlack
Age 5

Dear Santa,

Please, Santa, I would like some Lego's, and some Imaginex, a new bottle of toothpaste, a real robot, a real robot dog, a candy cane, a new dinosaur book, an abacus so I can count by fives and tens. May I also have some stickers, stencils, and a Rudolf mask. My baby sister Haylin would like a baby doll, a baby Jesus, and a kitty cat.

Henry Bivens, Age 6

Dear Santa,

How are you? How are your elves? I wish I could see an elf. Could you send a real one that I could see? I have been good this year. Will you please bring me a Barbie rinse & dry, a party favor shimmer kit and some surprises. Have a safe flight!

Gracie Clark

P.S. I love you, Santa!!

Dear Santa,

Enjoy your cookies. Have a Merry Christmas. There are carrots for Rudolph. I think I have been good. I would like some drums. I would like a dog again just smaller this year. I can't wait to get my picture with you again. And a new backpack, blankie, and lunch box.

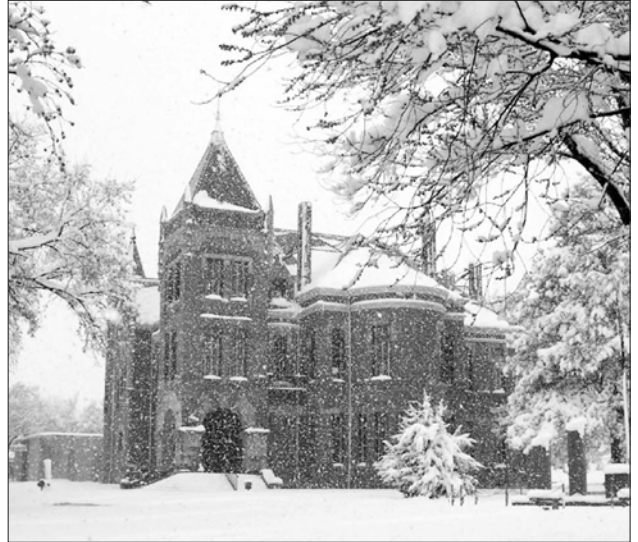
Melodee Leith, Age 6

Dear Santa,

I like Santa. I want a stuffed animal dog please for Christmas. This is a lovely Christmas. Can I join you in the show? I hope you have a Merry Christmas.

Love, Ethan Vogelgesang
Age 5

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*Don Stone
Signs*

Dear Santa,

We want to play you. We will have cookies and milk for you. I want a unicorn for Christmas. Steven and I love you.

Evelyn Mills
Age 5

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I would like a pellet gun, remote control car, roudolphs red nose for myself, dirt bike clothes, new helmet, new dirt bike boots, cowboy boots and clothes, cowboy hat, a real pony to ride, I also want a Mac Book, helicopter with remote control, games for my xbox, and nikes.

Mason Sims
Age 5

Dear Santa,

I wish for a real rabbit and a real phone. Also would like an I-pad, clothes, scooter, and a real car. I've been very good this year. That's all.

Thank you!
Savanna Wright
Age 5

Dear Santa,

I want a Thomas the Train black engine, SWAT team suit, and Bat mobile. I also would like a Batman helicopter and a real remote control helicopter. Please don't forget my sister, Ella. We have been good this year.

Love,
Benjamin Estlack
Age 6

Dear Santa,

I have tried really hard to stay on the nice list this year. Please bring me some new horse pens and trucks. I'd also like a new gun for my dad, and I'm sure my mom needs another necklace. Thank you for everything. I'll make sure mom leaves you lots of cookies and milk.

Love,
Jackson Graves
Age 5

Dear Santa,

I don't want that many presents this year I just want well lets just say 5 things: 1. I want Skyler to graduate College and live with us. 2. A Lloyed legos Cole and Kai I want the Armor one's 5. I want some clothes. And how is Roudolph and the other reindeer? I've been a good boy this year.

Your Friend,
Taylor Halsell

Dear Santa,

How are you? I have been really, really good this year. My brother has not been really, really good. I will leave cookies and milk for you. I want a kindell fiire and a iPod I want you to give Makena a two and one bracelet this year. I want 3 presents this year.

Piper N. Chambless

Dear Santa,

I want a tree topper. I would like a real motorcycle. I want a new car and a new puppy. I am a very good boy. How are you and your reindeers?

Love,
Jakoby Dunham

Dear St. Nick,

How are you and the reindeer? I was wondering if you could give me some things from the North Pole? I want an I-pod, guitar, ice-cream maker and a cookie baker. And some Tom shoes. Also I will leave you cookies and milk.

Love,
Finley Cunningham

Dear Santa,

How are your reindeers doing this year? My friends and I have been very good this year. I would like a puppy, a snow day. I want a coat and some pants for Christmas. We are getting a house in Amarillo I hope it is a 6 bed room for all of us. I hope we have a fireplace.

Your friend,
Jmaury Keshon Davis

Dear S.C.,

I want a snow bunny to play with it in the snow. I want a new puppy. I also want a lizard. I have been good this year. I will leave you some no fat cookies.

Love,
Ben Benton

Dear Santa,

How are you? I have been good this year. I want toys. I want to see you. I want gloves. I want a tree topper. I want a bunny.

Love,
Samantha Wright

Dear Santa,

What are you and the reindeer up to? I have been good this time of year. I want a pet hamster for Christmas.

Love,
Hailey Wilson

Dear Santa,

I hope you have a good trip to Clarendon and I will leave you some milk and cookies on the table for you and I hope I get a pstav for christmas and I hope you will make it.

Love, Santa
By Sylvester Ballard

Dear Santa,

How are you and your elves? I want to know if Zipy is telling you if Emmarie and I have been good. I want an ez bake oven. I want a ipad. I want a computer. I want a swimming pool. And I will leave cookies and milk for you.

Love,
Avery Sawyer

Dear Santa,

I will have some cookies waiting for you on Christmas. I have been very good this year. I hope Rudolph has been a very good Reindeer to lend the sleigh. I wish I could see Rudolph but I can, not. But what I want for Christmas is a phone and a leap pad 2 and a I pad 2.

Your friend,
Aliyah Zarate

Dear Santa,

How are you your elves and your reindeer? I have been good this year. I would like an American girl doll and a net for my trampoline. I want a new cover for my bed and some curtains for my window.

Love,
Jayde Gribble

Dear Santa,

How are you, your elves, and Reindeer? Can you tell Rudolph, Prancer and the other Reindeer I said "Hey! Whats up!" What I want for Christmas is a stuffed toy of a girl reindeer and a stuff toy of you Santa Claus. I want new shoes and new clothes. I would like stuffed, of Mrs. Claus and an Easey Bake oven. I am going to lay out cookies and milk for you. I have been good this year.

Your Friend,
April Franklin

Dear Santa,

How are you and the elves? I have been good this year. For Christmas I want my cousins to come down. I want a TV in my room and my sister not to go to college.

Love, Makenna Shadle

Dear Santa,

I would like a four wheeler for Christmas. I want a cat. And I have been good for Christmas.

Love,
Ezzy Luccro

Dear Santa,

How are you and your reindeers? We do not have a chimney so you have to go through the door. Here comes the present part. I want a big big pillow pet like you gave me last year. I would like movies, shoes, and boots. Bye Bye Santa.

Love your friend,
Ashley Yankie

Dear Santa,

What I want for Christmas is a new puppy and ney bunny. What I want for Christmas a new I pod and a new computer and a desk and a new phone.

Love,
Emberly Gonzalez

Dear Mr. Santa Claus,

I want a wwe 13 DSI game, Madden 13 Dsi game to, I want that wrestling doll that you takes a picture of you. I would like an electrect guitar and a microphone. How is Rudolph? I've been a good boy and all leave either cupcakes, carrots, or cookies and milk for you.

Love,
Aidan Kennedy

Dear Santa,

This Christmas, I am 6 years old and I have tried to be very good. I would like an American Girl doll and a bath tub and bed for her. My brother, Davis, needs a surprise too. He won't tell me what he wants but I bet you know. Merry Christmas Santa! I'll be waiting for you on Christmas Eve with cookies and milk.

Love, Morgan Johnston

Dear Santa,

It's me Emeri, may you please tell my elf on the shelf she's mischevious. She was making a lot of messes. Her name is Annie. I would like a real keyboard, and a American Doll. That looks like me. And some wooden blocks but different shapes Merry Christmas. Santa Claus.

Emeri Robinson
Age 9

Dear Santa,

What I want for Christmas is a phone, some toys, and a ski jacket. That's all I want for Christmas Thank you Santa Claus.

Love Calder Havens
Age 9

Dear Santa,

I want a BMX Bike black and white for Christmas. I also want a four wheeler, and an iPhone. I would like an air soft gun. Merry Christmas

Tristan Aguilar
Age 8

Dear Santa,

What I always wanted was a squishy reindeer. Before I ask for 2 ther things, I wanted to ask how the elves are doing, how is Blixen doing, and how are you doing? Also Merry Christmas the other two thing's I wanted was a squishy Dinosaur and lizards.

Kami
Age 8

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I want a red Desk, a red computer, and a nice elf because I've been waiting for Christmas aand I've been trying to be good as I

possibly can, and it is really hard to be patient.

Thank you for Reading My letter,
Matthew George Jaramillo
Age 10

Dear Santa,

I have been good. I would like a Kindle for Christmas so I don't look for my Ipod and play all day. I would also like a DS, and rollershoes. I would like a DS because, I can play on it in the car. I would like rollershoes because, I could catch up to my mom or dad when were in Walmart. How is you reindeer?

I love Rudolf.

Ashleigh Hatfield
Age 8

Dear Santa,

Last year I got some good gifts. That is cool how the elves made the toys. I would like a light up pillow that you tap and it lights up. I would like a baby doll with accessories and the baby whines it comes with a brush, bottle, highchair and bib. I would like a robot dog that barks, spins, flips, and follows you.

Samantha Clendaniel
Age 8

Dear Santa,

I want only two things this year. It is a Manekin from academy and Black OPS II from Game Stop. Oh by the way how are your raindeer?

Rhett Caison
Age 8

Dear Santa,

I have been real good and nice this year. What I want for Christmas is a hot pink bridle. Then I want a roping arena to play with my horses. Then some finger nail polish that is turquis.

Hadleigh Halsell
Age 9

Dear Santa,

I have been good this year. Can I have Snake bite the monster truck, boots, spiderweb, also tell Rudolph I said hi I hope you have a good Christmas.

Jesse Burrow
Age 8

Dear Santa Claus,

Happy Christmas! Are you going to come to Clarendon? Santa, please bring me a baby that says, "Mommy I'm walking" and can walk like my cousin Tristen does. I want to call you on the phone by myself. Do you have a car? I want a glow light animal so when I go to sleep there will be stars everywhere. I want a Doctor tool to put in my ears and listen to babies tummies like Doc McStuffs. I also want a headband with a flower on it and a white coat like Doc McStuffs. I want to do checkups on my babies, Bye-Bye, after while Crocodile.

Love,
Aubrey Mae Stidham
Age 3

Dear Santa,

Hi Santa my name is Klylyne. I would like a ipad, barbie dolls, clothes, hair bows, and makeup please. I have been a good little girl this year.

Thanks Santa
Klylyne Shelley

P.S. Can you take my baby brother back to the north pole with you? He is only 1 years old but he would make a cute elf.

Dear Santa,

My name is Jeremiah. I'm only 1 years old so I'm not asking for much. I like cars, bouncing balls

and food. My family says I'm a garbage disposal because I eat anything and everything. So when we leave your cookies and milk out, I won't promise that I won't take a bite or two but I will leave you some.

Thanks Santa
Jeremiah Shelley

Dear Santa,

My name is Josie. I would like a baby doll, a barbie, clothes, hair bows and makeup for Christmas. I have been a good girl this year.

P.S Oh Santa can you stretch my big brother so I can wrap him around my finger a little more please.

Thank you
Josie Murillo

Dear Santa,

Hi Santa my name is Payton. I would like toy cars, big toy trucks, ipad, games and hamburgers please. I also like to build things with my daddy, so tools would be nice too.

Thanks Santa
Payton Inman

P.S. Could you please give my nama a stocking full of batteries for her cell phone? She says I keep running her battery down by play games on it.

Dear Santa,

How have you been? I only want three things for Christmas. First, I want a X-Cube is you can make me one. I'm not quite shure what they look like but maybe you do. Second, I want the new game Blackpots two it has got to be an awesome game. Please make it for me.

Finally, I want some bibleguns I'd like it to be a shotgun or two pistols or some others, Hope you can get me all these things.

Coltyn Morrow
Age 8

Dear Santa,

I would like a Furby for Christmas. It could be blue or pink or orange. It could be any animal like animal owl. Please. Another thing it an Ipad case. I would like blue with zebra. I would like some clothes like long sleeves with a animal on it. Another thing how are you reindeer? Merry Christmas and happy new year.

Love,
Joslyn Burton
Age 8

Dear Santa,

I been really good this year, so can I please have a bike, and please tell Mrs. Claus she does not have to bake cookies for you. Tell her Madison Smith can bake cookies for you, If you can't get me a bike, some how I want to spend a night with my aunt in Borger. I do want some makeup and that kind of stuff. Please santa tell the elves good job on the toys.

Merry Christmas
Ho! Ho! Ho!
Madison Smith
Age 9

Dear Santa,

How have you been? I want three things and that is an elf on the shelf. Second I want boots. Third I want bedroom set. I want it to be pink. I've been so good all year I been nice to people. Tell your reindeer I said hi. Merry Christmas to all of you.

Jasmine Shepheard
Age 8

Dear Santa,

My name is Tayden Guinn I am 16 months old. I've been such a good boy this year. I would love a bounce bounce tigger and a stride-to-ride puppy.

Could you also bring my uncle Bray a Leap Pad, he really wants one. I will leave you a pudding cup and a glass of milk.

Love,
Tayden
AKA Tooterbug

Dear Santa,

My name is Braylen Rice. I am 3 years old and I've tried really hard to be good. Please bring me a Leap Pad 2 and a helicopter. Also, please remember my Bubba and my lil nephew Tayden. They have been pretty good too. I will leave a candy bar and a coke for you and Scooby snakes.

Love,
Braylen

Dear Santa,

My name is Kortni Davis. I am 3 yrs old and have been a very sweet little girl this year. I am so excited for you to come. I ask my Mommy and Daddy every night before I go to bed if that is the night you are coming. For Christmas this year I would like to have some My Little Ponies, some sparkly shoes, and a Furby. Please don't forget about my sisters, they have been good, but not as good as me. We have will have milk and cookies for you, and we will put some reindeer food out with glitter sprinkled by it so your reindeer will see it shining from our roof top. I love you Santa.

Love,
Kortni Davis

Dear Santa,

I want an air soft gun with ammo and a paint ball gun and ammo too. And I want Spiderman web shooters with silly spray and a real four-wheeler.

Love,
Colton Benson

Dear Santa,

I want a nerf gun with ammo and an air soft gun and a car and a horse and a play station 3 and a puppy and a play Santa Clause.

Love,
Anthony Cenicerros

Dear Santa,

I wish you can be nice and give everybody presents and live happy and that's it.

Love,
Justin Couture

Dear Santa,

I want a puppy and also a nerf gun with bullets and a remote control helicopter and a swimming pool.

Love,
Levi Gates

Dear Santa,

I want a nerf gun, an army set, a cowboy set, a Rockem Sockem board game, some new glasses, and a four-wheeler. I also want a goat and some Nintendo games, an iPad, a coloring set, some gloves, a horse, a go-cart, some books, a painting set and a car set. I also want stuff for my momma for Christmas. I want a robot set and a truck and a trailer, and some new clothes and some toy guns. I think that's going to be it.

Love,
Rowdy Eytcheson

Dear Santa,

I want a new Barbie house and a baby set and a new Barbie bike and a stroller and I want a school set and a tea set and I want a computer.

Love,
Ashlee Holmes



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Dear Santa,

I would like an iPad and an iPod and a case for both of them. I would like an army play set, Lego Lord of the Rings playsets, a handgun BB gun, and a Sheriff suit.

Love,
Kasen Hatley

Dear Santa,

I want an American girl doll with a bathtub and a bed.

Love,
Morgan Johnston

Dear Santa,

I want a dirt bike, a four-wheeler, a go-cart, a sled, and a little motorcycle driver.

Love,
Jayson Kidd

Dear Santa,

I want a dart set and a hamster and lots of hunting and army games,

Your friend,
Toby Leeper

Dear Santa,

I want a toy shotgun and a toy rifle and a real computer.

Love,
Steven Mills

Dear Santa,

I want a Leap Pad and I want a Barbie doll and pictures of my family and one of Mrs. Gribble and toys and a kitchen, papers, markers, baby horses and necklaces and pictures of Mrs. Gribble and her daughter and granddaughter and a computer and pictures of all my friends and pictures of second graders and pictures of reindeers and pictures of horses and pictures of Santa.

Love,
Lameicia Moore

Dear Santa,

I want a four-wheeler and a rodeo set and a ranch set. I want a racecar set, a Santa sleigh and reindeer, a kitchen set, a new rifle, and a BB gun and a dirt bike.

Love,
Jared Musick

Dear Santa,

Thank you that we have a Christmas this year. Thank you, Santa, for giving us presents. Santa, how are you doing? This year, can you bring me a Barbie set and some clothes and may I please have a book that has Jesus and some new shoes and some new scarves and some new earrings.

Love,
Anna Randall

Dear Santa,

I hope I see you soon. When I see you, you might be laughing and I might be laughing too. When you see me, I might ask for some Barbies cause it is very fun.

If you see me playing with my Barbies you might be laughing and I might be thinking about you and you probably will be thinking about me too.

Love,
Itavianna Randall

Dear Santa,

I want a DS, an iPad, and iPhone, and a computer, a baby kitty, a pet bird, and a toy of Mrs. Gribble, and a toy of Santa and an important jar, markers, scissors, snowman, and a little Christmas tree and a white board and I want a toy of me and

Thank you,
Tanner B.

sticky notes and new tissues, new staples, and new timers.

Love,
Meghan Squier

Dear Santa,

I would like two dolls.

Love, Summer Thomas

Dear Santa,

I want a toy Santa Clause with reindeer and a sled and I want a big, big, big bear and a toy bluejay and a toy awesome car and a regular deer and a stuffed angel and a stuffed cheetah and a big, big, big panda.

Love, Riley Wade

Dear Santa,

I want a horse, some chaps, a new cowboy hat and new boots.

Love, Wyatt Lewis

Dear Santa,

I want an Ipad, a warm blanket, DS pens, a Fortune Cookie maker, Fake glasses, Baby Lipstick, a Secret Journal, Money to help us so my Mom can stay home at night, School clothes, Socks, Charm Bracelet, and a Dallas Cowboy ornament. I would also like a snow globe and a King Size Kit Kat. I appreciate your Elf "Chipper" here watching me and my sisters.

Love, Carly Herrera

Dear Santa,

I want the Elf on a Shelf movie, a coat, charms for my charm bracelet, I love clothes and shoes too. New black TOMS and makeup. Thank you for Chipper watching over us and all the toys you give us!

Love, Dani Herrera

Dear Santa,

I have been kinda good! I would like an Elmo, some new clothes because I am growing really fast, some books and puzzles. Anything else you bring me will be fine, because I will just be getting into everything my sisters get anyway! I was going to leave you cookies and milk, but Carly thinks you need coffee. It is her favorite and she says it will get you warm! Hope you like it!

Love, Mallory Herrera

Dear Santa,

My name is Matthew and I am 5 months old. I have been a really good boy for my Mommy and Daddy so I hope you will come visit me on Christmas. I would really like a John Deere tractor that I can play with and a pair of work boots so I can help my Daddy on the farm. I also love to get on the floor and play so some more toys would be nice, too. Oh, and don't forget about my cousins Ben, Ella and Gage.

Your little friend,
Matthew Alan Newhouse
5 months old

P.S. I'm not sure what these things called "cookies and milk" taste like because my Mommy and Daddy say I can't have them yet, so I will leave you my favorite things to eat. I love a good jar of squash baby food and a bottle of formula!

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I would like a MacBook Pro, a Canon Rebel for my mom, three beanies one for each family member, three winter jackets one for each family member, books for my mom, and books for me and my brother doesn't like to read so no books for him.

Thank you,
Tanner B.

Dear Santa Claus,

For Christmas I want a new bike and a ipone 5. That is not all I will like. Also a MP3 Player and a macbook Pro.

Thanks you For your Firen
Tavina

Dear Santa,

I want a Panda Bear and a 3DS, but any kind will work. Also if you can get me to see my sisters that would be great and I want a dog. I want a fish and some contacts so I do not have to wear glasses. Also if you could get my grandmother what she wants, and last but not least I want my family to be happy.

Love your Friend,
Autumn Hale

Dear Santa,

I am Chad Voyles and here is my list, Zombie Hunter Blaster airsoft Rifle, Marines Isheved Stingers for airsoft, a Bretta Pistol for Airsoft, 2 of the 2,000 round B.B.s, Wii Sports Resort, House of the Dead Overkill, Avator for Wii, A toy AK 47, A Airsoft Grenade.

Sincerely,
Chad John Dale Voyles

Dear Santa,

I know you might be wandering what I want for Christmas, well here you go. For Christmas I would want a Bmx bike, play station and games to go with the play station, a awesome remote control helicopter and a MP3 player.

Your funny friend,
Jamal

Dear Santa,

This is my wish list for Christmas, I would like a knife that is hand carved, the movie Shy Fall on blue-ray, a emergency kit, 12 gauge shotgun double

barrel, \$250, leather wallet, bicycle, phone, water bed, iPad, and for my family to have the best time ever. That is what I want for Christmas.

Your friend,
Trent Smith

Dear Santa,

All I want for Christmas is two furry blankets; to keep me warm and that is it.

Your Friend,
Erykah

Dear Santa,

You can just get me anything you want and I will still appreciate your gift no mater what it is. Thanks you for your time.

Your friend,
Samara J.

Dear Santa Claus,


For Christmas I want a lalalupsey doll, go cart, and a shepherd I love animals; also I like bears go cart so I want one I want a lalalupsey doll cause I want a doll to play with and because when I was little I used to pretend to make my dolls talk. I would also like a posters or dolls of Justin Bieber and Taylor Lautner cause they are my favorite boy singers and actors.

Your friend,
Raynee Newsome

Dear Santa,

The only thing's I want is a husky and a Fixed blade knife. A Swiss Army knife or a knife with the Alamo on it. This knife is at country flowers and bloomers. I would also like a Blackhawk 45 old version.

Your Friend,
Clay



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And warm wishes to you, our neighbors
and friends, this holiday season.

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Dear Santa,

All that I want for Christmas is an iPhone. The reason I want an iPhone is because, it's cool. You can call and text people and also you can download music and games. I've wanted and iPhone for so long.

Sincerely Yours,
Braylee Danielle Shields

Dear Santa,

Wool you please get me baby butterscotch? Wool you also get me a scooter? I would also like a real black and white dog with fur. I want a pink girl stocking, not just a red one. I want a cell phone and some snow to come down whenever I go outside. That is all. Be safe. I made you a picture and will have cookies and milk waiting for you.

Love Elliot Frausto
Age 5

Dear Santa,

Merry Christmas! This will be my 1st Christmas and I am so happy! I can't wait to unwrap my big sister & big brothers present (hehe) I have been very good this year and I love Mickey Mouse clubhouse! I hope you have a safe trip this Christmas.

Love,
Leelann Wayne Beaudoin
Age 10 months

Dear Santa,

I have been a good girl and I am on the nice list. I would like a bike and a tennis racket and maybe some stompies and a dream light. Connie Woods wants cooking stuff, Janice Bennett wants new curtains for her kitchen, Tammy Owen wants a new purse, Paige Drakely wants new shoes and clothes. Please don't forget me and my friends.

Kenidee Hayes
Age 4

Dear Santa,

I want Batman, a cowboy hat, a new bike!! I've been a very good Boy this year. Thanks for sending my brother and I "Lucky".

Coulter Wortham
Age 4

Dear Santa,

I would really like to have a Woddy doll for Christmas. I would also like to have Thomas the train train tracks. Thank you for all my presents last year, I promise I will have cookies and milk waiting for you.

Love, John Holt
Age 4

Dear Santa,

My name is Brayden Jacob Goodwin I am 3 years old. I want a real talking Dinosaur and a truck and a big talking cowboy, and more playdoh, and some more book's about Dinosaur's. I will give you cookies.

Thank you,
Brayden

Dear Santa,

I am writing you to let you know what I want for Christmas. I want a princess book, jeep, motor cycle, a real computer, race cars, Barbie, real make up, dress up clothes, a wand, movies, Dora mermaid, and mermaid kingdom. I also want a camera, jewelry, new bows, boots, a star for our Christmas tree, a new purse.

Thanks you,
Kami Fierro
Age 4

Dear Santa,

I would love to have for Christmas, Scooby Doo toy, new shoes, spongebob toy, Dora toy, new hat, a new Santa, candy.

Thank you

Love, Miranda Godwin
Age 5



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Dear Santa,

I would love to have for Christmas this Year princess toy's, Barbie toy's, new hat, train, baby doll.

Thank you,
Karyl Keen
Age 4

Dear Santa,

I have done my very best to be a good little girl this year. It's been kind've hard especially since I have 2 brother, but I tried! For Christmas I would like a dollhouse, clothes, a new Barbie, a princess crown, earrings for church, a new baby doll & Barbie songs. Oh & I guess you could leave a toy or two for my brothers Coltyn & Xander. They have sort of been good.

Love you Santa & have a safe trip,
Alexis "LuLu" Phillips
Age 4

Dear Santa,

I love you I have a pig toy. I want a fire truck. Goodbye Santa. That's all. And that is all I want to say to you, now.

Love,
Asher Sommers
Age 5

Dear Santa,

My name is Kaleb Mays I am 5 years old. I would really really like an elephant cuddle up it and cars 2 video game. Also a new wagon. And a Sponge bob lunch box. A bike with training wheels. Also some stompies for me & my brother. And I want a cars map mat.

Kaleb Mays
Age 5

Dear Santa,

I want an army gun and a play Christmas tree. I want a toy star to go with my Christmas tree and something to hold the Christmas tree up. I want a play baby Jesus and his daddy to be there. I would also like a little boy's camel so he can ride it when he gets sleepy.

Patrick Dickerson
Age 4

Dear Santa,

I would like a candy bar, batman car with batman, puzzles, hat, batman pajamas, and a necklace like daddy's.

Aiden Jay Morris
Age 4

Dear Santa,

Thank you for the gifts last year, I loved all you brought me. This year I would like a Mickey Mouse Camera (aka: hot dog), some snow on Christmas, money drawer (cash register) with a quarter in it, some cupcakes, pillow pet (white), please tell Rudolf & the elves Hi!!!!

P.S. I will leave you some yummy mike & cookies by my tree!!!

I love you!!!!
Makayla Bowman
Age 5

Dear Santa,

I have been a good boy this year! For Christmas I would like... lots of toy cars, a Batman that flies, a tractor, a racetrack for my cars, a spongebob toy, a superman, a spiderman, a toy puppy that walks, some movies, a new pair of shoes, a new TV for my room, a toy cell phone, and one more thing I want a tool bench and some tools just like my daddy!

Kristian Mitchell
Age 4

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I would like black shoes, a purse, a Barbie girl hat, a Barbie doll wit dresses, a play kitten that meows because mine doesn't work anymore, my mommy to get well, some makeup, a pretend fishie, a stuffed Winnie-the-Pooh, a bike helmet, skates, a scooter, pretend food, for the play kitten and a bottle for the little kitty, And I would like a pretend anteater, a pretend fox, maybe some jewelry, a pretend Barbie house with lights that work and a crib in it with a baby. And pretend flowers. Thanks You!

Autumn Beall
Age 4 ½

Dear Santa,

First, I want a basketball goal that has a rill back bord. Next, a bike that is John Deer green and yellow. Last, a small pickup that is a ford.

Brock Hatley
Age 9

Dear Santa,

First I want a baby doll with a pink outfit. Second I want a stuff horse with a white saddle. Last I want a dress with a white belt.

Love,
Jami McConnell
Age 9

Dear Santa,

First I want a 3DS with a Maryow Brothers cipe. Secont I want a Bay Blayd and a Bay Blayd set and a Bay Blayd names pegases, Last I want a puppy a bule pupp. Light brown and a puppy size.

Sincerely,
Kendall K
Age 9

Dear Santa,

I would like to have a iphone because we could play games and I would like to have ipad and bomb game.

Love,
Rutik Patel
Age 10

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I want a dimond necklace I wan the color blue. Next I want a purse. Iwan it to be purple and white. I want it to be zebra stripe. Last I want a bulldog. I it to be white and brown and I want to be a female. While you giving presents I hope you are safe, and when giving me my presents I hope you don't get stuck in the Chimay.

Love,
Lilly Shadle
Age 8

Dear Santa,

How are you doing. What I want for Christmas. First I want a Xbox 360 the game I want is call of Duty-5#. Next I want is a I-Pod touch the back of it to be a basketball case. Last I want a new TV. I want my TV color to bed red, black and needs to be a flat screen.

Love,
Jodee Wayne Pigg
Age 8

Dear Santa,

First, I would like a DS with games like Mario 1, 2, 3 and Pecto chat. And sticks formy DS. Next finally, I would like New earrings that are diamond, dangley and 1 carate. P.S 1 carate means the size.

Love,
Mycah Woodard
Age 9

Dear Santa,

First, I would like a necklace that is pink that has perles on it and I would like it to be pretty. Then, I would like some makeup and I want it to be pink and to be kids and it to be light. Last, I would like some pairs of errings to be gold and with sparkle and I would like it to be dangly.

Love,
Kaylee Bruce
Age 8

Dear Santa,

First, I would like 4/g light phon. Iwould like the color to be black and blue, but a touch screen phon, next, I want a laptop. Can it be black and a mediam size, Last but not least I want some books, classic ones, but kid's books.

Love
Audrey Cason
Age 9

Dear Santa,

First, I want a bike I want it to be pink and fast and cool. Next, I want a slad to rind and I want it to be pink and to be fast. Last, I want a sekking toys for my puppy she is a girl so get a pink one.

Love,
Isabella Kate Martinez
Age 9

Dear Santa,

First, I want call of duty II for the Xbox 360. Next, I want a black remote plane and a orange helicopter. Last, I want a blood hound puppy black.

Gaven Nazario
Age 8

Dear Santa,

First I would like a game called Just dance 4 I

want it so I could dance to the new songs what they have on it. Next I would like a American girl doll her name is Mkenna and she has a cast. I would love to play with her lots of times. Last I would want some clothes that has zebra stipes on it and some new pants.

Love,
Kaitlyn Davis
Age 8

Dear Santa,

First, I would like an outside dog. I would like it to be a lab and it to be golden and a girl so I can dress her. Next, I would like a Elf on the shelf. I want it to be a girl and it wearing a skirt with a t-shirt. I want ot to be adorable. Last, I want a diamond necklets. I want it to be shiny and golden and I also want it to be pretty.

Love
Shania Brown
Age 9

Dear Santa,

First, I would like all the skylanders characters for the Wii. Second, I would like shylanders Giants in Wii. Last, I would like all shylanders Giants characters for Wii.

Sincerely,
Josiah Howard
Age 9

Dear Santa,

First, I would like a BB gun with a case and the color would be brown. Next, I would like a Ben ten watch and the color would be green and white. Last, I would like an ipad and the color would be black and it would have lots of games.

Matthew Powell
Age 6



Dear Santa,

First, I want a Buldozer with a truck to pull it. Secont, I want a four g iphone with a case, coler camo. Third, I want a gun case with my name Koyt Tucek on it.

Koyt Tucek
Age 9

Dear Santa,

I want an ipod so I can listen to country music. I also want a new skateboard. I would also like a trampoline and an ipad. I want some new cowboy music. I also want a new skateboard. I would also like a trampoline and an ipad. I want some new cowboy boots too. I am going to leave you some chocolate cupcakes to eat. Since I have been good, I would also like a remote control boat. Please bring my little brother a semi truck and a cattle trailer!

Harrison Howard
Age 7

Dear Santa,

For Christmas this year I would like a toy bear, a play station 3, a toy Santa so I can remember Santa all year long, a toy train with a track so the train can go around and around, another puppy and a toy tractor that U can sit in and drive around. Are your elves real? Do they make our presents? Does Rudolf really have a shiney nose? I have been really good this year. I will have some chocolate cookies and milk for you at my house.

Jesse Miller
Age 7

Dear Santa,

I want a computer and a play kitchen. I also want my own dress up clothes. I want a play puppy dog too. I also want play food to go with my play kitchen. And I also want play animals. I am going to leave you sugar cookies and milk.

Bayleigh Bruce
Age 6

Dear Santa,

I only want one thing this year. I want a toy poodle. I am going to bake gingerbread men with my mommy and leave them for you.

Maria Cash
Age 6

Dear Santa,

This year I want some new clothes. I also want some shoes to match. I want a Pudolph book to read. I have been really good this year so I hope Santa will bring me gifts. I am going to leave you chocolate chip cookies because they are my favorite.

Mya Edwards
Age 7

Dear Santa,

I want a dirt bike and an ipod so I can listen to country music. I want some cowboy clothes to wear. I want a bike too. I want an xbox 360 with some army games to with it. I am going to leave you chocolate chip cookies with milk. I also want a snowman shirt to wear.

Zackary Franklin
Age 7

Dear Santa,

I want a .243 rifle. I want a bow and arrows to go with it. I want an Ipad too. I want a cat as well. I would call him kit-kat. I will leave you chocolate chip cookies and milk.

Easton Frausto
Age 7

Dear Santa,

I want some chocolate cupcakes. I also want

some sugar cookies. I want a poster with a flag on it. I want a Christmas tree too. I want some clothes and some matching shoes. I am going to leave Santa a book to read and some cookies. I also want an Ipad and a soccer ball. I would also like a volleyball and a Barbie Dolls and, a regular doll. I would also like a new backpack.

Thanks Santa.
Jmaysia Harps
Age 6

Dear Santa,

I want a dirtbike and a playstation 2. I also want a Spongebob movie too. I want a PS2 Ben 10 game. I want a Ben 10 watch and a scooter. I want some stompies too. I am going to leave you cookies and a thank you card.

Warren Mays
Age 7

Dear Santa,

This year I would like a trampoline, a pet reindeer, ipad, a new mp3 player, Leapster, another dog, computer, an oven for kids, a jar of butterflies, an elf. I am going to leave Santa a thank you letter.

Emma Foy
Age 7

Dear Santa,

This year I would like a now blaster, a Nintendo DS 3, roller skate shoes, a Wii U, a blow up football, clothes, new shoes, a new bike, laptop, racing games, shooting games, and a basketball.

Lyric Smith
Age 6

Dear Santa,

This year I would like an ipod, and ipad, a pink bike, a small dog, a horse, boots, a calf, a laptop, any kind of games, PlayStation, a scooter, and elf on the shelf, and a cell phone. I am going to leave Santa some chocolate chip cookies.

Graci Smith
Age 6

Dear Santa,

This year I would like a toy Santa Clause, a toy Christmas tree, a star for my Christmas tree bike, a toy snowman, a gingerbread man shirt for boys, a Christmas tree shirt, and a snowman shirt. I am going to leave Santa milk and cookies.

Reagan Wade
Age 6

Dear Santa,

This year I would like a dool, clothes, tennis shoes, animal games, princess games, stuffed animals, teddy bear, and a Barbie doll. I really hope Santa will bring me this stuff. I'm going to leave him on Christmas Eve to tell him what I want.

Aubryanna, Age 6

Dear Santa,

This year I would like a Nintendo DS, Mario games, a computer, princess stuff, a crown, dress-up stuff, play makeup. Hello kitty games for my computer and DS, and another bike. I am going to leave Santa some chocolate chip cookies and a small glass of milk. I hop Santa doesn't get a tummy ache.

Leighanna, Age 6

Dear Santa,

I want a leapfrog Ipad this year. I would also like Barbie's, a Caroline doll with clothes and a bed, a set of Minnie and Mickey walkie-talkies and a Hello Kitty recording camera that also takes pictures. One more thing I would like is a Cinderella tea cart. I will leave out some cookies and milk for you.

Kynna Phillips
Age 6




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May the coming season bring peace, joy and harmony wherever you are.



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Dear Santa,

This year I would like a pink 4-wheeler for girls, a dog, a Barbie digital that has a camera, a mini trampoline, a scooter and a basketball net with a ball. I have been very good this year. Thanks you for all the presents.

Elyza Rodriguez
Age 7

Dear Santa,

This year I would like a mini cop car that I can sit in and drive, a sleigh, a Santa mask, a cowboy hat, a wagon and a big stocking filled with candy. I will leave you some chocolate chip cookies and some milk.

Lacob Murillo
Age 6

Dear Santa,

This year for Christmas I would like Mario Brother 2, a D.S. to play with, a new bike, a pet pig like a hamster, a new book to read and a stuffed animal.

Jaxan McAnear
Age 6

Dear Santa,

I am just 3 months old this Christmas, and my big sister Maloree thinks you should stop by for a visit. My big Sister thinks I need some presents this year. So far I have been a very good boy. I want a play motorcycle, a play guitar, a blue cricket rifle so me, my sister, and my daddy can go deer hunting. We are baking chocolate chip cookies and will have you a glass of milk sitting on the table. We hope you have a safe trip.

Love,
Hunter Wann
Age 3 months

Dear Santa,

Thanks you for everything you do, such as bringing me presents, even though I didn't exactly get what I wanted last year. It really didn't matter. I ended up getting something anyway. I would just like to say is that I really appreciate every single little thing you do for me. That is a blessing ok! I almost forgot. For Christmas I would like some money.

Your Friend,
Zhala

Dear Santa,

Thanks you for the presents from last year. I still have them. This is what I want for this year, an I-Phone 4, xbox 360, Halo 2, a Halo Mega block set, and a couple of character books. I wish you a Merry Christmas!

Sincerely,
Ethan Cason

Dear Santa,

I want to thanks you for all the presents I received last year. This year I want a xbox 360 with kinect. The games I want is Call of duty world at war, Call of Duty black opps II, and for the Kinecte I want Wipe out and Wipe out II. I hope you get this letter and have a Merry Christmas.

Your friend,
Aaron Rofs

Dear Santa,

I remember when I sat in you lap at the mall. I was scared, but now I'm not. Thanks you for beinging me presents for all the years, but this year I want a puppy, purple and pink colored bike, a brand new scooter that matched my purple and pink bike. Please remember to ear my chocolate chip cookies and drink my milk. I hope your reindeer will eat the food we make.

Your Friend, Kaylin Hicks

Dear Santa,

Thank for all the things you have gave me. This year I would like some books, a scooter, a D.D some clothes, shoes, and games. P.S. I will have cookies got you and I hope you like them.

Your friend,
Amnesty

Dear Santa,

Thank you for my gifts last year. How is Mrs. Claus and how are you? Howare your elves? How is Donder, Dasher, Comet, Cupid, Dancer, Vixen, blitzen, Rudolph? Heres what I want for Christmas, high hill shoes and a camera. This year I want to give you Holly cookies with hot coco. Merry Christmas Kris Kringle.

Your friend,
Brooke

Dear Santa,

I remember when I was three and I was scared of you when I sat on your lap at the mall, but nor I'm not. For Christmas can I have a ipod, white board with markers, a new bike, a real new born puppy, and things you give me. I hope you and all the reindeer haver a merry, merry Christmas. I think that you are very, very, very nice. I hope you give me what I want. Merry Christmas! ☺

Your friend,
Hannah

Dear Santa,

Thanks you for everything you have done. So, I would like one thing for Christmas and it's a metal det. If not that then my family. One Day of the year you get millions of treats, like cookies and milk. Besides it is only one day of the year, so enjoy everything. Merry Christmas Santa. P.S. Please tell Rudolph my forth grade class said, "Hi!"

Your friend,
Levi Eytcheson

Dear Santa,

What I want for Christmas is a scooter, skate board, air hogs helicopter, nerf hail fire, DC shoes, foot ball, asasins creed III, game sonic, basketball, DC hat, glow in the dark xploders, pogo stick, remote control boat and the present that I mostly want is a Merry Cristmas to all.

Your friend,
Jordan Evans

Dear Santa,

Thanks you all for the things you got me. I didn't understand why you came through our chimney, until I turns five years old. I heard about your reindeer cupid and Donder. The one with the red nose is names Rudolph yes, I know all those things now. But I hope I have a very Happy Christmas.

Your friend,
Ivan

Dear Santa,

For Christmas all I want is a laptop, a barbie, an X box 360 and a game, I also would like a nice Christmas with my family. I would like to say thank you for what you've given to my family for Christmas these past few years. I hope you will have a nice Christmas. I hope I do, too.

Sincerely, Sophia

Dear Santa,

I would like to thank you for all the presents you gave me, buy this year I do not want clothes. I want an ipod, new phone, a new mongoose bike with solid tubes and pegs, just dance 4 super Mario cart and Tony Halwks ride all for the wii, also 3 more wii controllers, a Automatic air soft 2 with a metal body and some bullets for it, two pistols with holsters and extra Ammo clips with them,

Your friend,
Travis

Dear Santa,

I'm going to make it easy on you, so just please send me "50" bucks. Thanks for all the toys I got last year. I want a bunch of other things, but that's all in these magazines. There is one thing I really, really want. I remember this cool seat hanger that's for outside, and you get in it. It sort of looks like a Chrysalis and it can hold up to three kids! Can you get something special for my Bubu and mommy? Have a very merry Christmas!

P.S. Don't eat too many cookies!

Sincerely, Jacie

Dear Santa,

I would like to thank the people for all that I received last year. This year I would like a blue sled enough for my puppy and I, this is his first Christmas with my family. This is special to me. I also would like to wish everyone a very merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Your friend,
Aubrey Jaramillo

Dear Santa,

Thanks you for the presents you bring every year, I really do appreciate it! But, this year if I have been kind enough, will you please bring me a Kindle fire. I promise, if you do, I will give you the best cookies ever! Thank you, for all you do for the world!

Your friend,
Shylee Morrow

Dear Santa,

I remember when I met you I was one years old. Santa, we always feed your reindeer. Sorry if they go crazy. I hope you and Mrs. Clause have a Merry Christmas! I want a puppy, golf cart, and a flat screen tv.

Your friend,
Ashlynn

Dear Santa,

Thanks you so much for all the presents I received last year. This year I would like to have a few things for my mini Chihuahua. I would like to have toys with her name on it. Her name is Ginger. She needs a new collar and leash with polka-dot on them. I hop you have a Merry Christmas.

Your friend,
Jordan J

Dear Santa,

How have you been doing this year? There are a lot of things I want for Christmas, but mom bought me almost everything I wanted. What I want from you is a lot of cute clothes, a mini laptop and some more jewelry. One more thing. Can you let everyone have a Merry Christmas and give every kid a great Christmas present from you.

Your friend,
Gracie Shadle

Dear Santa,

Can I please have a dirt bike, a drum set, a tank with shark minnows and an Ipad? Can I also have war movies for my 3DS. Hope you have a Merry Christmas!

Your friend,
Carl Thornton

Dear Santa,

Mt. Santa I thought you might want to know what I want for Christmas, but first I want to ask how you are doing? Are you elves doing ok? Is Mrs. Clause doing ok? When you give me my presents I want most of them in front. What do you say we move on. For Christmas I want the book called "heaven is for real" and this video game called Epic Mickey, SkyLanders, and a golden Eye. I know it's not much but it will save you and your elves the work. Merry Christmas.

Yours truly,
Ethan Babcock





WITH OUR THANKS FOR YOUR READERSHIP!

No matter how you get your news, we hope the holiday season delivers an abundance of glad tidings to your doorstep. We appreciate your loyal support and look forward to your continued readership.

*Roger
Ashlee
Freddy*

THE CLARENDON ★
Enterprise

*Morgan
Tara*

Dear Santa,

I know you've been through a lot, but I am going to be asking you some questions. So, how are your reindeer? Is it rough for the elves this year? Is it rough for you this year? I really don't want much this year, but I want an American doll and a lava lamp. Thank you so much!

Your friend,
Roxana

Dear Santa,

How are you doing this Christmas? Can I please have an Exploder, a dirt bike, a new bike that says cool on the wheels a Star Wars Lego set, the biggest one, Halo 2 action figure, the Zombie one. I also would like a Lego star wars III, and a Golden Eye VII.

Your friend,
Tyler Paul

Dear Santa,

I've been trying really hard this year to be good. How have you been? How's Mrs. Claus. I would really like a Baby Alive Doll, the Baby All Gone, a stuffed penguin, a new controller for my lap top, a fashion designer book, a dog, and family and friends. That's what I want most of all. One more thing I want is a Barbie that can clap. I hope it won't be too much trouble to give me a merry Christmas. This is the one holiday that's my favorite. I hope it won't be too much trouble.

Your friend,
Armani Jackson

Dear Santa,

How are you? For Christmas I would like some Bella Sara cards., some new wii games and some crayons and colored pencils. I would also like a basketball and an American Doll (Mckenna please). Thank you. How are your reindeer? And I would also like a Bella Sara toy horse. I don't care which one.

Your friend,
Kailee Osburn

Dear Santa,

How have you been this year? This year I would like a zebra ipod touch case, light blue, hot hot pink, lime green, or neon light bright yellow I would also like a light blue and or lime green cross, a zebra bed cover, light blue or lime green, a \$100 itunes gift card, six pairs of miss me jeans, a zebra dress an old John wayn movie 3 if you please, last, but not least, a book collection of Beverly Clear books.

Your friend,
Izzy Craft

Dear Santa,

How are you doing in your work shop? I miss you from last year. Although the presents are long gone, so I need some new cool ones. This year I would like a piano, some more roller skates, some Hello Kitty headphones, and some new boots. Thank you for every year of your working. P.S. I'll leave you some cookies on the fire place.

Your friend,
Jade Benson

Dear Santa,

I know you've been through a lot and there's a lot I want to have, so here it is. I really want Mario Galaxy, Mario cart. Just Dance 4, a bible, a lava lamp, an IPAD, a computer, and an Iphone 5. I hope you have a Merry Christmas and if I get these things I'll have a Merry Christmas too.

Your Friend,
Jordan Thomas

Dear Santa,

How are you today, if I may ask? Can I have an,

electric scooter? If I could get a present for my dad, my mom, and my two sisters that would be great! Here's what they all want: an iPad, just one, and an art studio for my two sisters.

Your Friend,
Angelina

Dear Santa,

I know you are busy but I have to tell you something. May I have a box of modeling clay and some One direction tickets and two shirts with One Direction on them? One more thing can you please let everyone have a good Christmas since hurricane Sandie hit Jersey may you help them by giving some food and water to? Maybe, you can use your magic.

Your friend,
Megan A

Dear Santa,

I know you have been through a lot. How are you and your reindeer doing? Can you get me a brand new bike, and an xbox 360? I will have you some cookies and milk on the table. I'm going to give you thanks for getting me presents though the years. I also wish you a Merry Christmas.

Your friend,
Antwan Bassett

Dear Santa,

I was just wondering how are you this Christmas? Can you try your hardest to get me The "Kylie Jean" collection books, and games, and videos, Iphone, "Judy Moody" collections, the binder with the strap, water bed, Easy Bake oven with the easy bake stuff, Art Studio, a "Wal-Mart" play store with all the "Wal-Mart" stuff you need. Animal Plant, a DSi game, the board game, Quizmo, dresses, "Ina Pickle," book, and Beverly Cleary Book?

Your friend,
Stephanie Kennedy

Dear Santa,

I sincerely want a new bike a guitar, a DS3, the board game headband's, a video camera, just Dance 4, nonfiction and fiction, even folktales, a radio, a flat screen TV, and a Glowing Arrow to help Santa. I also would like a nutcracker, a high speed helicopter, more ornaments and a roller coaster for Santa so he can go down the chimney.

Your friend,
Gavin Hall

Dear Santa,

How are you doing, Santa? Oh! You probably should lay off the cookies, ok? I would like a paint ball gun, dirt bike, and an air soft gun. That is just the start. I also want \$2,000 in a box, so I will know that the \$2,000 is there. And I want a hound dog pup too, and a clown fish. That is all I want. Still, lay off on the cookies, but eat mine!

Your friend,
Robert McGuire

Dear Santa,

How have you been this year? For Christmas I would like Snoopy Snow Cone Maker, the new movie Call of the Wild, and a Barbie with silky hair with arms and legs that move in the elbows and knees.

Your friend,
Malerie Simpson

Dear Santa,

I have been good this year. I would like a Bambi DVD, Open Season 3 DVD, a 3 Mousketeers DVD, a Rudolph DVD, a soft Starfish, a soft Leopard, a soft Fox, a soft Husky, a soft Penguin, a soft Chihuahua, a soft Jeanette and Eleanor Chipmunk, a toy Jesse from Toy Story, some pajamas and

house shoes. Please remember all the other children.

Thanks you,
Anna Hardy

Dear Santa,

Hi! My name is Cooper McCleskey and I am 8 years old! I live in the city of Lelia Lake in the state of Texas which is in the country of U.S.A! I have been trying really hard to get on your "nice" list this year. Some of the wonderful things I have done are helping my Granny put up the Christmas tree, helping put up the Christmass Nativity, and put up the garland. I have a few special Christmas wishes. They are a basketball goal, a ipod touch, and a play station 3 with a football game. I am very excited for your visit! I promise to leave out some cookies for you to snack on! Please give my favorite reindeer, Rudolph, a hug for me!

Happy Holidays!
Your Pal,
Cooper McCleskey

Dear Santa,

Hi! My name is Kylie Rose and I am 9 years old! I live in the city of Hedley in the state of TX which is in the country of U.S.A! I have been trying really hard to get on your "nice" list this year. Some of the wonderful things I have done are being nice to my sister, I help my mom, and I take out the garbage. I have a few special Christmas wishes. They are for my sister to be nice, I want to have the best birthday, and a DS for my sisters. I am very excited for your visit! I promise to leave out some cookies for you to snack on! Please give my favorite reindeer, Dancer, a hug for me!

Happy Holidays!
Your Pal,
Kylie Rose McCann

Dear Santa,

Hi! My name is Reese and I am 9 years old! I live in the city of Hedley in the state of Texas which is in the country of the United States! I have been trying really hard to get on your "nice" list this year. Some of the wonderful things I have done are going to my mama's house, I jump high, and I go to sleep at my bedtime. I have a few special Christmas wishes. They are an x-box 360 with Minecraft, a green 4 wheeler, and a Lego Minecraft. I am very excited for your visit! I promise to leave out some cookies and milk for you to snack on! Please give my favorite reindeer, Dancer, a hug for me!

Happy Holidays!

Your Pal,
Reese Watt

Dear Santa,

Hi! My name is Elijah and I am 8 years old! I live in the city of Memphis in the state of Texas which is in the country of U.S.A! I have been trying really hard to get on your "nice" list this year. Some of the wonderful things I have done are helping my mom change diapers, I help my brothers clean our rooms, and I carry out the trash. I have a few special Christmas wishes. They are an x-box, Isaac to be a little nicer, and a PlayStation. I am very excited for your visit! I promise to leave out some cake and milk for you to snack on! Please give my favorite reindeer, Prancer, a hug for me!

Happy Holidays!

Your Pal,
Elijah Thomas Booth

Dear Santa,

Hi! My name is Ashara Arguello and I am 9 years old! I live in the city of Hedley in the state of Texas which is in the country of the United States! I have been trying really hard to get on your "nice" list this year. Some of the wonderful things I have done are take care of my brother, I help my mom

clean, and I help do the dishes. I have a few special Christmas wishes. They are a fortune cookie maker, a diamond necklace, and a stuffed penguin. I am very excited for your visit! I promise to leave out some cookies and milk for you to snack on! Please give my favorite reindeer, Rudolph, a hug for me!

Happy Holidays!

Your Pal,
Ashara Arguello

Dear Santa,

Hi! My name is Matthew and I am 8 years old! I live in the city of Hedley in the state of Texas which is in the country of U.S.A! I have been trying really hard to get on your "nice" list this year. Some of the wonderful things I have done are I took out the trash, I did the dishes, and I feed the dogs. I have a few special Christmas wishes. They are a WiiU, an Ipad, and Mario 2 for the WiiU. I am very excited for your visit! I promise to leave out some cake for you to snack on! Please give my favorite reindeer, Rudolph, a hug for me!

Happy Holidays!

Your Pal,
Matthew Scot Huffman

Dear Santa,

I have tried very hard to be a good boy this year! This year for Christmas I would like a Mario Brothers Wii game since mine quit working. I also would like a Wreck-It-Ralph game. A train would be nice to have too and I could always use a new John Deere Tractor. Don't forget Emeri and all my cousins! Have a safe trip and I'll leave cookies and milk. Thanks Santa!

Love,
Kreed Robinson
3 years old

Dear Santa,

How is roodof and Mrs.Claus? Well what I want for Christmas you say? I want a leat pad 2 and a iPod and a iPad. Thank you Santa and have a safe trip.

Aleyan Zarate grade 2 and age 7.

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I want a iPad and iPod, a Barbie doll for Christmas and I been good. Be safe Santa! Thank you,
Emily Gonzalez
Age 8

Dear Santa,

Can I please have some toys form your sleigh I just whang three cool three toys and I am going to put it on the papper that I am writing on can I please have a Apod and a bike and can I please have a nintendo. I hope you have a safe drive driving the presents to the people. I been good for you not noddy.

Love,
Jacauavion Brown

Dear Santa,

I want a monster high doll, and a book the title is I Spy Christmas, I want a book that has girls and stickers the title is Sticker Dollie Dress Popstars.

Love,
Addison Willcughby
Age 7

Dear Santa,

I want a bake it ball, boots, Nintendo, Thanke you have fun on your trip!

Ardjana Araujo
Age 7

Dear Santa,

I want a doll and a iPad and a toy horse. Hi my name is Brenna. I love you! I want to see you. Merry Christmas, have a good Christmas, and I'm 7.
Brenna Ellis

Dear Santa,

I have been a good girl this year. I would like a Baby Alive with food and diapers, a real guitar, and a pink computer. We will leave you milk and cookies by the fireplace. I love you, Santa.
Elaina Estlack
Age 4

Dear Santa,

How has Mrs. Claus been? I am 7 years old I have been good. For Christmas I would like a orbes soothing spa, a mp3 player, and a iPad. Thank you have a safe trip. There will be cookies on the table for you.
Your friend,
Brooklyn Williams

Dear Santa,

I hope I get for Christmas an I-Pod oh and a I-Pad so I hope you have a good trip. Oh and a bike.
Love,
Kinleigh Dunham

Dear Santa,

I want a 3DS and a ball and basketball court. Have a great day,
Damien Jaramillo

Dear Santa,

Is Roodoff's nose bright enough to have a safe trip? Can I have a real friend baby butter cup, Nintendo 3, and some dress up games for my Nintendo 3. P.S. Are you going to polish Roodoff's nose to make his nose really shiny? Have very safe travels,
Laney Gates
Age 7
Second grade

Dear Santa,

I what a ballerina tutu, a ballerina doll with a tutu, and a tree house. I am 8 years old. I have been good this year. How have you been, how is rodo? How are you? How is Mrs. Claus?
Your friend,
Corina Wyrick

Dear Santa,

I want a tree house and a tool box and tools. Have a good trip. I'm in 2nd grade.
From,
James Robinson

Dear Santa,

I would like a iPad for Christmas and a elf hat for Christmas and a costum for Christmas. I am in 2nd grad.
Have a safe trip,
Brandon Hatfield
7 years old

Dear Santa,

Would you please bring me a baby doll that giggles like Haylin's, a gun that makes sounds, all the parts of the Spiderman costume, a big toy monster remote control truck, a robot and robot dog (whole set) that moves all over the place, a remote control helicopter like Henry's, and a magic ball and magic key that gives magic powers that picks me.
Thank you,
Haughton Bivens
Age 4

Dear Santa,

How has it been? I want a new Wii and a hot wheel track and a bike. I am 8 and I am in second grade.
Merry Christmas,
Nathan Estlack

Bring Christmas Home

As we welcome the holiday and all that it represents, we're reminded of the many people who have pulled for us this year, and we thank you from the bottom of our hearts. With warm wishes for a wonderful Christmas and a happy and successful New Year.



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Glad Tidings to You!

With thanks and warm wishes this Christmas season.

Kenny's Barber Shop

Jesus is the Reason For the Season.



We would like to thank everyone for their support this year and wish all a MERRY CHRISTMAS!

From Everyone At

Guys & Dolls Salon





BRING BACK THE *Mulkey*



PHASE ONE exterior work on the Mulkey Theatre is underway and will be completed in early 2013. When finished, the Clarendon Economic Development Corp. and generous benefactors will have invested more than \$230,000 to purchase the building, install a new roof, restore neon lighting, renovate the old barber shop for office space, and give the theatre a gleaming new face.

PHASE TWO interior renovations will restore the Mulkey as a movie theatre and also renovate the building for use as a Convention & Visitors' Center to host conferences and public meetings. The estimated cost of PHASE TWO is \$1.4 million, and grant applications are already being submitted.

Help us preserve this important part of Clarendon's heritage and launch a re-birth of our downtown. To learn more, e-mail tourism@cityofclarendontx.com. And to support this project with your year-end giving, make your check or money order to Amarillo Area Foundation, 801 S. Fillmore, Ste. 700, Amarillo TX 79101 and note "Clarendon Community Fund" in the memo.