

They did not walk through with the architect and contractor, said Whitlock. Estimated completion given by the contractor is still the first of the year, said Whitlock.

Letters to the Editor

The Tishomingo County News encourages polite, public discourse in this space with letters to the editor. We reserve the right to edit for space or content. ALL letters must be signed, with a phone number provided for verification. Deadline for letters is noon each Tuesday. Letters can be emailed to tcnews@bellsouth.net, mailed to P.O. Box 70, Iuka, 38852, or faxed & signed to 662.423.2214

Tax Bills Sent Out; More Interest in Petition Now!

The petition drive for Tishomingo County seems to be looking up since the people have received their tax bill cards for this year's taxes. I went to the store on Monday, December 12th to get a few things I needed. A person asked me if I had the petition and I told them I had it right here in the truck. They said I'd like to sign it.

While they were signing it, five more people came up and signed it too. We got to talking and I asked them "why have you been so long about signing this?" Each one of them said, "well, I have just been sitting back thinking about it." I asked them what made them decide to sign it now. They said "when I received my tax papers in the mail telling me how much my taxes went up this year, that's when I decided to sign this petition". One of them made this statement, he said "I don't drink, I've never

drank, but if the people are going to wear our roads out by drinking and driving and going to other counties and states to buy their alcohol, then I think we need to sell it right here in Tishomingo County. That way we can get the tax dollars they are giving other counties and states because we get plenty of their garbage."

One of them told me, "every Monday morning I clean my ditch out in front of my house, there will be from 15 to 20 beer cans and bottles in my ditch and yard and sometimes there will be 2 or 3 whiskey bottles or a wine cooler or two."

Two of the people asked me if Tishomingo County is this broke how are they going to pay for this new jailhouse. I told them with tax dollars, I guess to get the answer that they need on that they need to go to the supervisors when they have their board meeting and ask them. "I cannot answer that for you sir," I told him, "my understanding on that was that the state of MS was going to have prisoners there, they would pay Tishomingo County some money for housing these state inmates", but I also told him I did not know this for a fact, this is just what I have been told. I told him to get the truth on this, he should talk to the supervisors.

They might be able to tell him exactly how they have plans on paying for this new jail. As I have told people before, I cannot tell you how these tax dollars that came off of alcohol sales will be spent in Tishomingo County because I do not work for Tishomingo County or the state of Mississippi. All control I have on this is to get the signatures that it requires to put this on the ballot to be voted on. That is 2,690 legal signatures to get this to a vote. If I can get you by the 1st of September of 2012, I can put this on the ballot with the presidential election. That way it won't cost the tax payers anything. The presidential election is in November 2012. I have 40 more signatures to take to the courthouse but I am waiting until I get some more before I turn them in.

Charles "Tubby" Aldridge
NOTICE - The Petition to vote Tishomingo County web will be in the Tishomingo County Newspaper on Thursday, January 5th, 2012. I have 40 more signatures to turn in to the Courthouse. I got six more signatures in the mail on Saturday, December 17th. I am going to wait until I get more before I turn them in.

Charles "Tubby" Aldridge

Happenings

to do this week...

Carols, Communion & Candlelight at IUMC Christmas Eve

5:30 p.m. Christmas Eve Night come to Iuka United Methodist Church for a celebration of Christmas Eve your family will never forget.

Christmas Day Services at Tishomingo

Everyone is invited to come worship at Tishomingo Baptist Church at 10 a.m. Christmas morning. Casual service; wonderful worship.

Christmas Day Worship at IUMC

Come to Iuka United Methodist Church at 10:30 a.m. for Christmas worship. Children are invited to bring one Christmas toy for a special "Blessing of the Toys."

Christmas Service at New Salem

New Salem Baptist Church will be having services at 10am only. Please join us as we praise and worship the King of Kings and remember the real reason for the season.... JESUS!

Local Christmas Light Show

From 5-10 each evening at 47 CR 288, Iuka until December 31st.

County Officials Swearing In

County officials elected in November will be sworn in December 29th at 2 p.m. in the county courthouse. Everyone welcome.

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Courthouse Holiday Schedule
Courthouse closed on December 23rd and 26th for the Christmas holiday and December 30th and January 2nd for New Year's.

January...

NMMC's Mobile Mammography Unit Travels To Area Communities

Mobile Mammography Unit will be at the following local locations:
January 3rd-4th at NMMC-Iuka, 1777 Curtis Drive.

Appointments for all mammography services are scheduled in advance. To schedule a screening mammogram, call (662) 377-7982 or 1-800-THE DESK (1-800-843-3375).

MS State Alumni Association

All alumni, friends, fans and previous donors to Mississippi State University are invited to attend a meeting on January 10, at the Homestead Restaurant in Iuka. We will elect officers, develop by-laws, establish the structure of the chapter, and plan activities for the rest of the year. Social and networking time begins at 5:45. Guest speaker, Dr. Jimmy Abraham, Executive Director of MSU Alumni Association begins at 6:15 and kick off meeting begins at 6:45.

IDEA 2012 Kickoff

The IDEA group will meet Tuesday, January 24th, at 6 p.m. at Iuka Library. We are so excited about 2011's successful events! Everyone who is interested in promoting the culture and business of Iuka is invited to come be a part of something that is really working!

New Site Hosting Ole Miss Coach Mike Bianco

The New Site Royals Baseball team is pleased to announce Ole Miss Rebel Head Baseball Coach, Mike Bianco, will be the featured speaker for its Third Annual 1st Pitch Banquet and Silent Auction being held on Thursday, January 26th at 6:30 pm on the campus of New Site HS. Seating is limited to the first 150 tickets sold and must be purchased in advance. Tickets are \$15 and include meal, access to silent auction, and seating for speaker presentation. For more information or to purchase a ticket, please call 662-322-7389 or 662-728-5205.

ongoing events...

Just Plain Country

A reminder to "Just Plain Country" fans, we WILL NOT be performing at the Tishomingo County Fairgrounds this Saturday night, December 24th, 2011, but we will be back next Saturday, December 31st, 2011 with our big New Year's Eve party. Hope to see everyone there. Thanks and Happy Holidays from "Just Plain Country"!

20th Century Club Still Has Pecans!!!

Just in time for the holidays. We still have mostly "pieces". They are excellent for your

pecan pies, cakes and other sweet treats. These pecans are this year's crop and are extremely good. They are \$9.50 for a 16 oz. bag. You may purchase at the Style Shop, Cherry's Creative Touch, Daugherty's Refrigeration, Pray Pottery, Wellness Center or from any club member. For information, you may call 279-9718 or 424-0298.

Joe Rickman & Band Performing Thursday Nights at Burnsville City Community Center

Country and gospel music, great family entertainment with no smoking and no alcohol. It will be from 6:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. Cost is \$3 a person or \$5 a couple. Come see us on Thursday nights! For more information, call (662) 287-3437 or (731) 439-6472.

Free Celebrate Recovery Classes

There will be free "Celebrate Recovery" classes at the Go 4th Ministries building on Thursday nights at 6 p.m. There will be a free meal and some daycare provided. There will be classes offered in Spanish (contact Diane Rodgers, 424-3199 cell or 423-5740 home). Celebrate Recovery is a faith based program. For anyone with any kind of hurt, habit or hang-up. Need more information? Contact Keith Curtis at 279-2319 or Carla Curtis at 424-2840.

Alcoholics Anonymous

Local meetings will be on Wednesday nights at 7 p.m. and Friday nights at 7:30 p.m. at the old Chevy Dealership (off old Hwy. 25 in Iuka). Alcoholics Anonymous is a fellowship of men and women whose common welfare is to stay sober and help others achieve sobriety. The Iuka Meeting is an open meeting.



Iuka Elementary School - Mrs. Shea's 2nd Grade Class

Dear Santa,
My name is LaBraun Scott Duckett. Seven people live in my family. I like to ride my bike. It is red and silver. I'm making A's. I want a DSI and a new game for my xbox 360. How is Mrs. Claus? I hope you and Mrs. Claus have a great Christmas. Your friend, LaBraun

Dear Santa,
My name is Dylan Brose. I have 4 people in my family. They are Breanna, Eric and me, Dylan. My teacher is Mrs. Shea. How is Rudolph? I want a remote control boat and remote control monster truck and a remote control power house tractor and Beyblades. Love, Dylan

Dear Santa,
My name is Tate Jackson Ramsey. It is a good town. I have 5 people in my family. There names are Randy and Michael and my sisters name is Shelby. Her boyfriend is cool. My papa's name is Jack. I like to ride my four-wheeler. It is a Honda and it is red. I get to go to the gravel pit. I like Math, it is fun. How old are you?

P.S. I hope the reindeer don't get sick.

P.P.S. I want a Honda like my uncles. It is a 4 wheel drive and camouflaged. I want a Playstation and a four-wheeler for my Dad. Love, T.R.

Dear Santa,
My name is Joshua Ethan Guinn. There are 8 people in my family. Their names are Josh, Katelynn, Nana, Ed, Shawn, Sila, Aiden, Tate, Autumn, Addi. I play with my skateboard in the park. I go to Iuka Elementary School. Can you give me a telescope? I want a battery car and a boom box and a Yamaha. Love, Josh

Dear Santa,
My name is Emilee Kate Grisham. I live on Harmony Road 226. I have four people in my family. Their names are Scott, Shanna, Allye, and me. I like to watch iCarly at my house. I go to school at Iuka Elementary School. Mrs. Shea is my teacher at school. I love math. How is Rudolph the Red Nose Reindeer? Has he been sick a lot? How are you with shopping for presents? I hope you enjoy this letter. Love, Emilee Grisham

Dear Santa,
My name is Addi Ree McAnally. My street is called Fulton St. I have five people in my family. Their names are Devin, Brady and G.G. Wayen. My teacher's name is Sharon Shea. She is a good teacher. I like to play with my friends. Their names are Courtney and Halley. I live in Iuka, Mississippi and my best subject is math and sports. My friend in school is Chloe. She has

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asthma, but she is nice a lot. My favorite thing to do at home is play with my dog and my brother. Love, Addison

Dear Santa,
My name is Aiden Dexter Cutshall. I live in Iuka, Mississippi. I have three people in my family. Their names are Amy, Zach and Aiden. I like to watch TV. I play my Wii that you gave me. It is white. I go to Iuka Elementary School and Mrs. Shea is my teacher. I would like to ask if the reindeer are ok. I want Legos, candy and different stuff. Love, Aiden

Dear Santa,
My name is Ethan. I live in Iuka, Mississippi. There are four people in my family. I like to play xbox 360. I play with my friend, Rayn. I go to school at IES. I like to go to P.E. My teacher is Mrs. Shea. Are there lots of elves? I want a MP3 player and a Turtle Beach. Love, Ethan

Dear Santa,
My name is Reese Brewer. I live in Iuka, Mississippi. I have six people in my family. I like to sing, play and flip. I go to Iuka Elementary School. My teacher's name is Mrs. Shea. At school, I like to play at P.E. I want to ask Santa to make me feel better and tell his wife to make me those cookies that I like. Please get me all that I ask for. I want an iPod Touch and all those things Angel got for her birthday. Love, Reese

Dear Santa,
My name is Autumn Rein Wilson. I have 11 people in my family. Their names are Marilyn, Donald, Caleb, Jena, Lilah, Nathen, Cory, Chad, Jonathon, Bill, Berriey. I like to draw at home. I draw a lot of drawings. I think I draw 33 drawings. I can draw 12 in one day. I go to school at Iuka Elementary School. My teacher's name is Mrs. Shea. My favorite thing to do at school is to learn. How many elves are there? How many reindeer are there? I would like a make-up set and a pretend hair salon.

Love, Autumn
Dear Santa,
My name is McKenzie. I live in Iuka, Mississippi. I have four people in my family. Their names are Dance, Zoro and Tristan. I like to play my DS and play with my brother. I go to Iuka Elementary School. How are the reindeer? I want a Wii and a DS game. Your B.F.F., McKenzie

Dear Santa,
I have 4 people in my family. I like playing with my little brother. I also like to ride bikes with my cousin, Colten. I go to school at Iuka Elementary School. I like to do Math and go to recess. Where do you live? I want a bike and a blue remote control car for Christmas. Love, Austin
Dear Santa,

My name is Sarah Grace Rast Lewis. I live on 1410 Pleasant Hill. I have 3 people in my family. Here's what they do. My mom works at Plant Process Support. Here's what my dad does, he works at Nunley's. I like to dig in my back yard. I like to play with my dog. Her name is Mittins. I like to go to bowling at night and I like to go fishing. I like to watch a movie at night. I go to Iuka Elementary School. My teacher's name is Mrs. Shea. I like to go to music. Love, Sarah

Dear Santa,
My name is Norah. I live in Iuka, Mississippi. There are 4 people in my family. I like to watch TV. My favorite TV show is Freaky Friday. It is about a daughter who turns into the mom and the mom turns into the daughter. My teacher is Mrs. Shea. I like to do Math. I would like to ask how many reindeer there are. I would like a dollhouse and a Wuggle Pet. Love, Norah

Dear Santa,
My name is Mark McCarley. I live in Iuka, Mississippi. I like to watch TV. My favorite show is Adventure Time, where a radical boy and his dog go on adventures. I like to play video games. My best one is Mario Kart, where you go to race with Mario's people. I like to play future war with my toys. I go to school at Iuka Elementary School. My teacher is Mrs. Shea. She is my cousin too. I like P.E. class the most. Does Rudolph's nose really light up? How many elves do you have? I want a Sky Landers video game with all toys. I also want a 3D DS for Christmas. Sincerely, Mark

Dear Santa,
My name is Chloe Grace. I live on CR 961 in Iuka, Mississippi. I have five people in my house. Their names are Kels, Dev, Chloe, Ginger, and Johnny. I like to play my Wii. It is white. You got me Just Dance. I love that game. Thank you! My favorite thing to do at school is P.E., but I can't do P.E. I have asthma. How many elves do you have? I want an American Girl doll (Julie) and a doll. Dolls are fun! Love, Chloe

Dear Santa,
My name is Caleb James Long. 5 people live in my house. What is your favorite thing to do? How is Rudolph? How many elves are there? Have you seen any Artic fox? I want a real, real, real big race track. I want it to snow. Love, Caleb

P.S. Do you have a dog?
Dear Santa,
My name is Aubree Lambert. I live in Iuka, Mississippi. There are 4 people in my family. Their names are Vickie, Dustin, and Brenna. My favorite thing to do at home is listen to Justin Bieber and put on make-up. My teacher's name is Mrs. Shea. She is the best teacher ever!!! My favorite thing to do at school is to read Junie B. Jones books. I want to ask you some things. What are all your elves names? Do they drink hot coco for break time? What do they look like? What do you get for Christmas? What do the elves eat for lunch, supper and breakfast? How do you get done giving presents all night long? This is what I want for Christmas - the Justin Bieber "Never Say Never" movie and a Barbie Camper. Love, Aubree

Dear Santa,
My name is Cassidy Lowrey. I live in Cairo, MS. I was born on July 2nd, 2004. I have five people in my family. I have two brothers. One is named Cooper. The other is Austin. He died on his birthday. But I'm sure he is having a great time. I like to practice riding my horse. Her name is Spot. I rode a donkey one time. I play soccer. I won a medal. I will play every year. I'm real good at it. How is Rudolph? Is he going to pull the sleigh this year? I have been very good. I wish for a watch this year and something that is cool. Your friend, Cassidy Curtis Lowrey

P.S. Please surprise me again.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Moore Celebrate 50th Anniversary

Congratulations to James E. and Nona (Linton) Blythe-Moore on their Golden Wedding Anniversary, December 22, 2011! Formerly of Iuka, they live at Hernando, MS. On Sunday, December 11, their children, Phyllis (Blythe) Henson, Terry Blythe and Tammy (Moore) Hines honored them with a reception in Horn Lake.

Women's Self-Defense Class at Golden Baptist

Golden Central Baptist Church as part of its community outreach program has arranged to offer Women's Self-Defense Classes to the local public. The Tishomingo County Sheriff's Office is coordinating the classes with an area instructor. Classes will commence January 10 and be held every Tuesday evening from 7:00 - 8:00 PM through mid-May 2012 at the Family Life Center Gym, 15 Red Bay Highway, located behind the church. All classes are being offered free of charge; however, the instructor, Larry White of Belgreen, Alabama, encourages participants to consider donations to the Belgreen United Methodist Building Fund if participants find the instructions of value. No one will be turned down for instruction based on inability to make any donations.

Mr. White, age 68, has been practicing a vari-

ety of Martial Arts since he was 18 and has studied under Chinese and Korean Masters during his 20 years serving in the Far East. In recent years he has taught Taekwondo at Belgreen School and Red Bay School and taught Women's Self-Defense at Belgreen United Methodist Church. He is a certified instructor with the Chinese-Taiwan Taekwondo Association, Taipei, Taiwan and the Living Defense Martial Arts Association, Little Rock City, Arkansas.

Techniques being taught in the course are based on multidisciplinary schools incorporating elements of Taiwind, Judo, Brazilian Jujitsu and Weeping Jujitsu.

For more information please call Linda Reed at the Domingo County Sheriff's Department at 662-423-7000 or email at linda.reed@tishomingo-countysheriff.com



James And Lena Gray To Celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary

James Herman and Lena (Ables) Gray will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Friday, December 30th, 2011. James is a native of Tishomingo, & Lena was born & raised in Dennis. James & Lena were married on December 30th, 1961. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Claxton Cook in the home of Calvin & Viola Fuller on Red Bud Road in Belmont. The couple has spent more than 40 years pastoring churches for The Church of God of Prophecy, and now reside in Amory, MS where they pastor the Amory Church of God of Prophecy.

James & Lena have three children, nine grandchildren, & four great-grandchildren. Their family will host a reception in their honor on Friday, December 30th, 2011, from 2-5 p.m. at the Crosspointe Ministries Fellowship Hall, 129 North Eason Blvd. in Tupelo.

The family is extending an invitation to all friends & family to come help us honor this important milestone for James & Lena. For more information or to RSVP, please call or text one of the following: Andrea Hays @ 662-660-0276; or Tammy Gray @ 662-279-6169. No calls to either before 6 p.m., please.

Friday Night American Legion Music

There will be bluegrass, country, and gospel music at the American Legion Hall on every Friday night. You do not have to be a member to attend. Music starts at 7 p.m. Donations are appreciated, but there is no admission charge. The Heartland Band and Lisa Lambert and the Pine Ridge Boys will perform on December 23rd. This will be our Christmas Supper night and will start at 5 p.m. for the meal. It is a "bring a dish" event and we

will share a meal with our fans and music will start at 7 p.m. Hope you make plans to be with us and a very Merry Christmas to you.



A Dream Come True...

Peggy Walker, a resident of Tishomingo Manor, had her dream fulfilled this past Saturday night, December 3rd, 2011 when she got to see the legend, George Jones perform at Itawamba Community College. Thanks to all who made her dream come true!!!

NOTICE: The City of Iuka will not be picking up garbage on Friday, December 23rd, Monday, December 26th, Friday, December 30th or Monday, January 2nd. If your garbage is normally picked up on Friday or Monday, then it will be picked up on Tuesday. If your garbage is normally picked up on Tuesday or Wednesday, then it will be picked up on Wednesday. Thank you for your cooperation during our holiday season. d-22-29



Alli and Veronica Smith

Mack, Jeanette, Veronica, Alli,
and the Sunflower Gang
wish you a

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And a

Happy New Year

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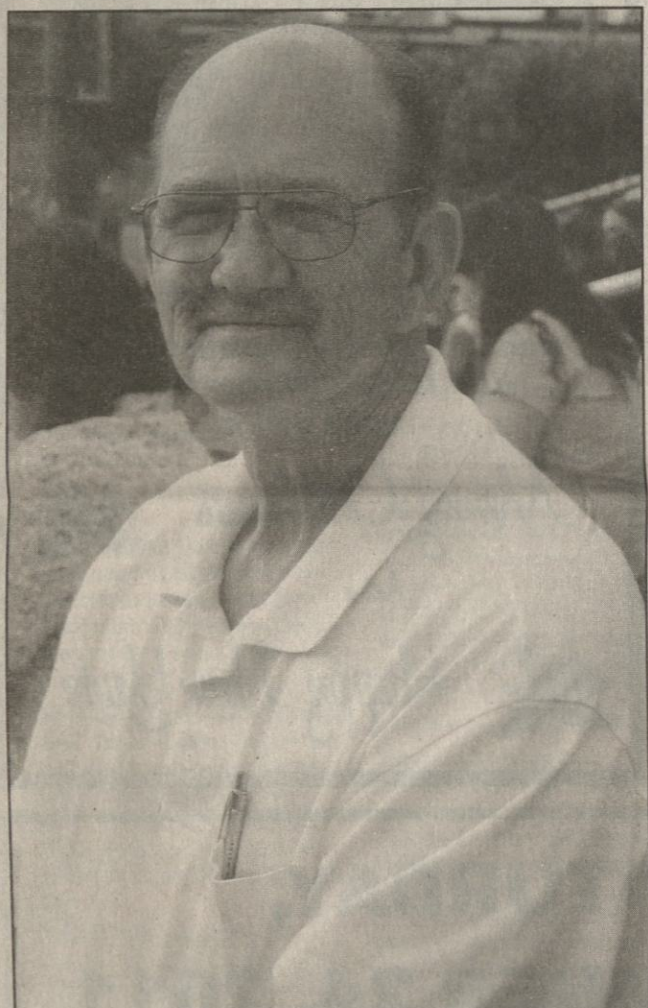
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J. T. and Judy Blakney
December 23rd
We love you,
Larry, Linda, Cory, and
Barbara*



Our Dearest Daddy...

As we walked into the room and I could see deep into your brown eyes...
I could feel my heart sink...only thinking, what? How? And why?
Our minds all dazed and confused...As we all stood praying, dear God, please take
Control, we don't want him to go...
Later, we could hear them playing, "When I Get Where I'm Going"...
Songs being played, in remembrance of you, our daddy...
There we stood quietly with all of your family and very close friends, sharing their special memories and words of encouragement, not wanting this day to end...
Memories of our childhood flashed before me and special "family" times that we shared, and now with only one thing left to do, take each moment by moment and
Each day by day.
Now a year has gone by and it seems like just yesterday, Reminiscing daily of you, our daddy, such a simple man...
Not rich with a lot of money, however, priceless in our eyes, always willing to do for others...no matter what or why...
Oh and lets not forget that "smirky" grin on your face, that our hearts will forever behold.
You traveled many miles on this ole' earth, with not a care in the world...
But daddy, even though, we were not ready to let you go...
Knowing that it was God's own will...and you are in good hands...
Waiting to see you again at the promise land.
Holidays are here again, our favorite time of year, longing to spend "together" time
With family and friends...
Gifts really did not matter to you, but the food and fellowship you sure enjoyed...
Our hearts have an empty place for you, and we look forward to celebrating and
Rejoicing with you again some great day...

*Merry Christmas Daddy!!
(Gene Luttrell)*

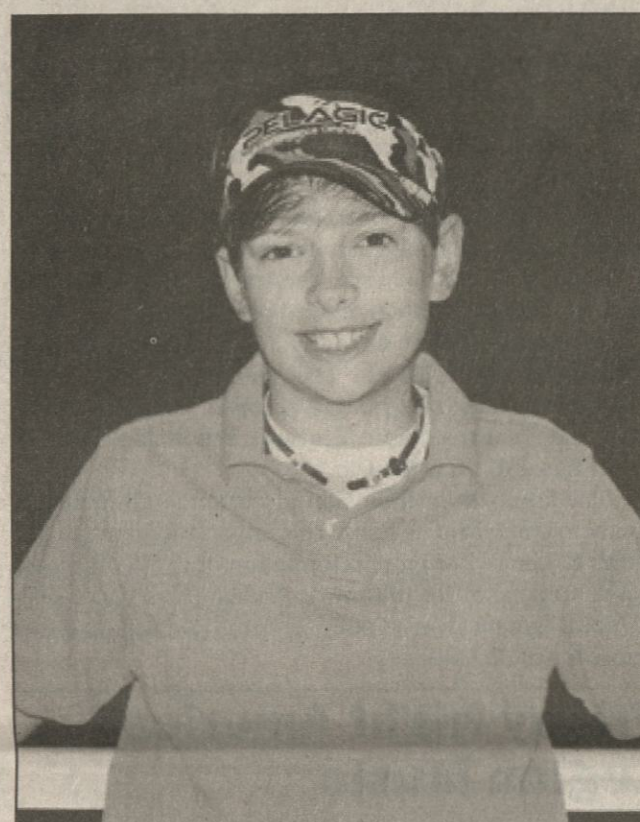
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We love and miss you...

Tina, Gina, Travis, Cari and Casey



**Happy Birthday
Niki Nichole King
"34"
Brianna Nichole Flangan
"15"**
Love you both very much!
Moma, JoJo, Andy



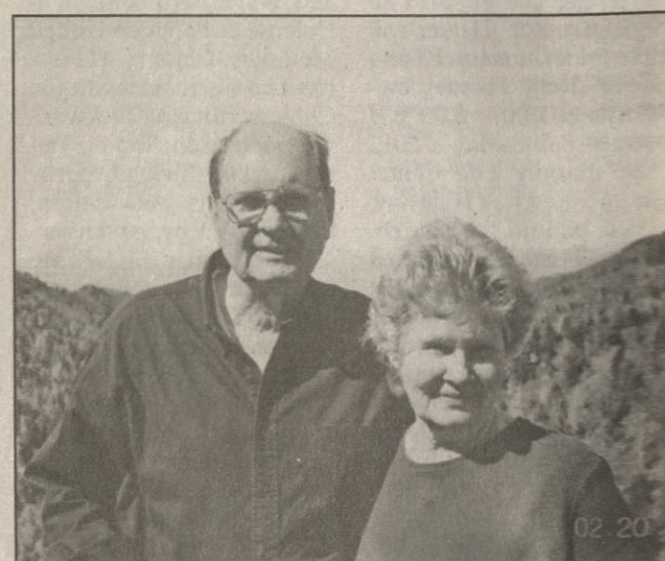
**Happy 13th Birthday
Jacob Rushing
December 24th
Love,
Mom and Dad
(Amy and Brian)**



**Happy Birthday
Caleb Garner
12-24-99
Love,
Mom, Dad,
Lee and Brandon**



**Happy Birthday
to our teenager
Katelin Waldrep
Love,
Poppie, MiMi & Momma**



**Happy 50th Anniversary
Jerry and Dorothy Skinner
December 23rd
We love ya'll!
Love,
Tammy, William, Joseph,
and families**



**Congratulations
Bryan Franks
on your First Deer!
Spike killed 11-27-11**



**Happy 94th Birthday
Irene Nunley**

Irene Nunley celebrated her 94th birthday Wednesday, December 14th with family and friends at Tishomingo County Living Center.



Left to right: Andy Andrews, Tate Cutshall, and McWhorter Dean Charles Sands.

Tate Cutshall Begins Pharmacy School at Samford University

Tate Cutshall of Starkville, son of Jason and Kelly Cutshall participated in a recent White Coat ceremony for members of the Class of 2015 at Samford University's McWhorter School of Pharmacy.

Cutshall is beginning a four-year professional curriculum that leads to a Doctor of Pharmacy degree. Students must complete two or more years of undergraduate coursework prior to entering pharmacy school.

The ceremony at Shades Mountain Baptist Church on October 7 included the

presentation of a white coat to each student prior to their taking the pledge to the American Pharmaceutical Association's code of professionalism.

Each student selected a professional mentor to assist with the ceremony. Cutshall selected Andy Andrews of Starkville, his employer who is a pharmacist.

This year's entering pharmacy class includes 129 students from 17 states and two foreign nations. Samford's McWhorter School of Pharmacy enrolls a total of 501 students.

Samford University is consistently ranked in the top tier of its peer group by U.S. News & World Report. Founded in 1841, it is the largest private university in Alabama with more than 4,700 undergraduate and graduate students enrolled annually. The university offers undergraduate, graduate and professional degrees in eight schools: arts, arts and sciences, business, divinity, education, law, nursing and pharmacy. The nationally-recognized, fully-accredited McWhorter School of Pharmacy dates to 1927.

ACT Center to Host Sign-ups for Smoking Cessation

Individuals making a New Year's resolution to quit smoking or tobacco use can find a helping hand at the North Mississippi Medical Center-Iuka's ACT Center program will host an open enrollment on December 27, 2011. The center, based at NMMC-Iuka, is staffed by Respiratory Therapists certified in helping people quit using tobacco using an evidence-

based planning method that is recognized statewide for its effectiveness. The treatment for clients involves a six-week course and provides some medications in order to help people kick the tobacco habit.

The ACT Center will have two open enrollment periods on December 27, 2011, at the hospital from 9:00 - 11:00 AM and from 4:00 - 6:00 PM for people

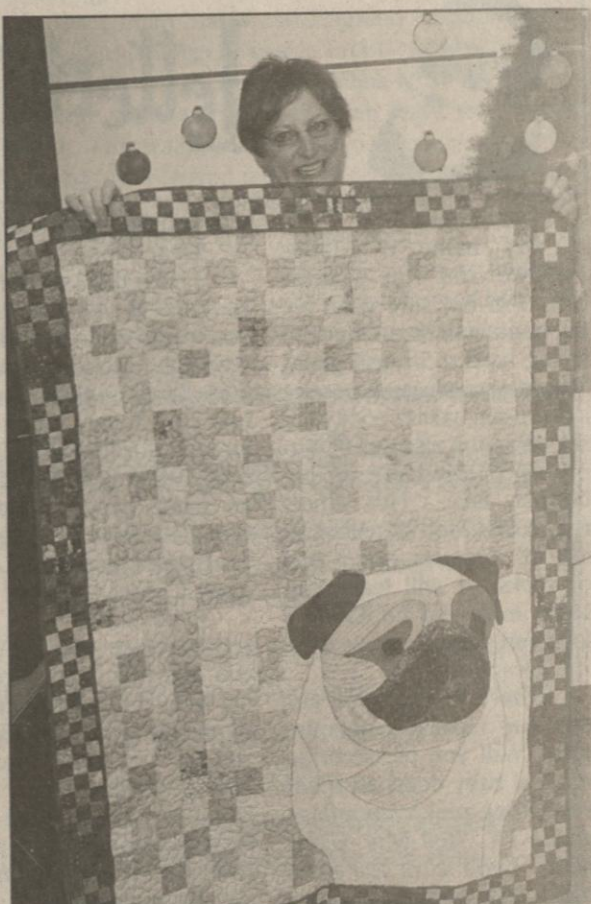
to come by and enroll or just see what the program is all about. The ACT Center program is designed to help people quit using tobacco, and many people each year make this one of their New Year's resolutions. For more information on the ACT Center or other Respiratory Therapy programs at NMMC-Iuka, please call (662) 423-4675.

Needle Chasers Celebrate

The Needle Chasers celebrated Christmas with a luncheon at the Iuka Library at their December meeting. Members made their favorite holiday finger food to share. In lieu of exchanging gifts members donated money for the Helpful Samaritan Food Pantry. The collection was \$280 to be used by the Food Pantry to help the many people in our community who need assistance.

To honor the outgoing President, Adrienne Phillips, the membership had secretly made a lap quilt with a large applique of a pug and presented it to her. Pugs have been a part of Adrienne's life for many years. Her husband, Nick, reports that it will hang in their home to be enjoyed daily.

Anyone who love quilts is invited to the Tishomingo Co. Needle Chasers meetings normally held at 1:00 on the first Monday of each month at the Iuka Library. The January meeting will be held at 1:00 on Tuesday, January 3, due to holiday closing on Monday.



Christmas Show At Candy Cane Lane

Come enjoy the holiday season with a local Christmas light show like those you've seen on Youtube! Located at 47 CR 288, Iuka, MS 38852, until December 31st from 5-10 p.m. Directions from Iuka:

1. Go North on MS-25/Veterans Memorial Dr. (heading towards JP Coleman Park)
2. Turn right on CR 989
3. Turn right onto CR 256
4. Continue onto CR 303
5. Turn right on to CR 288.
6. Located on right and left hand sides of road.

For more information, call 662-660-0115 or 662-424-0366.

THIS IS OUR STATE

This is **YOUR** Alumni Association

All alumni, friends, fans, and previous donors to Mississippi State University are invited to attend a meeting on the evening of January 10, 2012, at the Homestead Restaurant in Iuka. We will elect officers, develop by-laws, establish the structure of the chapter, and plan activities for the rest of the year.

Social and networking time begins at 5:45
Guest speaker Dr. Jimmy Abraham, Executive Director,
MSU Alumni Association begins at 6:15
Kick off meeting begins at 6:45

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Opening Specials

Dec. 12 - 31, 2011

All Christmas Items 50% Off

New Gift Items have Arrived!

- Mani and Pedi—\$50.00 Value \$40.00
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- Perm. Make-up Service \$25.00 off

Senior Citizens Discounts

Shampoo and Set or
Blow Dry
\$15.00 Value \$10.00



Bill Moore of Iuka got first haircut at Madison Studio from owner, Kathy Haataja.

Thanks to the community for a great Grand Opening and
Thanks to Dr. Kitchens for providing music at the Grand Opening.

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Letters to Santa

Dear Santa,
My name is Marlee Fooshee and I'm 4 years old. I'm not sure what list my name will be on, but I'm trying hard to be real good. Would you please bring me a drum set, baker's cookware set, baby doll and lots of surprises. Please leave my big brother, Jake a Hot Wheel rug, some Hot Wheels and lots of surprises, and a bag of rocks. I will leave you some milk and cookies. I love you, Santa.

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. I love you and miss you. Will you please bring me real baby dolls, an iPod, everything pink camouflage and a TV. Tell Mrs. Claus hello. I will leave you some milk and cookies. Your friend, Autumn Barnes, 4 years old

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. I would like a cowgirl and cowboy baby doll, Strawberry Shortcake baby dolls, an iPad, and a fishing rod. I will leave you some Oreos and white milk. I will leave some food for the reindeer. Tell Mrs. Claus I said "hello". Your friend, Paisley Barnes, 7 years old
Iuka Elementary School - Mrs. Hood's 2nd Grade Class

Dear Santa,
How are you? Will Rudolph be on the sleigh? How is Mrs. Claus? How are the elves? Tell them to not work too hard. There is a note on the small table. Make sure, please, my Dad makes it home in time for Christmas and all the other boiler-makers make it home. I would like a Kindle, an iPod, clay dove targets and some Junie B. Jones books. Don't work too hard. Love, Austin Rast

Dear Santa,
How is Rudolph? I will leave you milk and cookies. How is Mrs. Claus? I want a bike and an Alabama lunch box. Love, Kyle Doyle

Dear Santa,
I want an Ole Miss bicycle, a password journal, and 12 DSI games, some stuffed animals, a flat face cat, and an owl picture, and an owl lunch box. Give Rudolph kisses. Love, Avery

Dear Santa,
So how is Rudolph doing? How is Mrs. Claus doing? Are you ok? This is what I want. A 3D DS and a game for it called Sonic Generation, a Generator Rex game for PS3. Thank you. Love, Blake Counce

Dear Santa,
I love you. You are nice. I have been a good girl. I want a Lala Loopsy Silly Hair doll and a big brown stuffed bear. Love, Hailey Hill

Dear Santa,
My oh my! Oh, how I like Christmas! Oh how I love you so much. But what I want for Christmas is some coloring books, and a stuffed owl, and a microphone that changes your voice. I put milk and cookies under the tree for you. I hope you like it. I love you. Love, Emilee

Dear Santa,
I'm so glad it is December. I like the gifts that you gave me. I hope Mrs. Claus is good with you. Are the reindeer fine? Can you please bring me a red DS, please, and luck. Love, Angela

Dear Santa,
I hope you are ok. I would like surprises, and a reindeer stuffed animal, DS game, and a sled to slide on. I love you very much. Love, Miranda South

Dear Santa,
I hope what I write is not too much. Because I like lots of things and you already have thousands of things of toys to make. But anyways. I would like Avatar the Last Airbender dolls, and would you please let me have the Werewolf girl and Frankenstein girl from Monster High? I would also like Puss In Boots dolls. I would also like a stuffed-up animal snow-shoe cat. Thank you,

Carrigan Elizabeth Dawson
Dear Santa,
I hope that you don't get sick and if you do, I hope you would get better. How is Rudolph? How are you and Mrs. Santa and the elves? I love you, Santa. I have been looking forward to Christmas, Santa. I would like an x-box game, a Playstation game, and a Wii game. I also want some Legos. Love, Colin Lee Cook

Dear Santa,
How are you? I hope you and Mrs. Claus are doing well. I am getting excited about Christmas. I know you are very busy. I am in 2nd grade this year. Mrs. Hood is my teacher. I have been working hard to make good grades. I enjoy singing and playing with my friends. This year, I am only asking for 3 gifts because Jesus got 3 gifts. I would like for you to bring me an American Girl doll, sparkly boots, and a trampoline. I will leave you and the reindeer a treat. Please tell Mrs. Claus and the elves I said hello. I hope to see you soon. Love, Maycee McRight

Dear Santa,
I've been looking forward to Christmas. I hope the reindeer are doing well. I'm in the 2nd grade. I have Mrs. Hood. She's very nice. I like her. She's one of my favorite teachers. Tell the elves, Mrs. Claus and the reindeer I said Hey. I want an iPod Touch, 1 DSI game, Elf on the Shelf, Junie B. Jones book packet and an ornament with my name on it for Christmas. I'm ready for Christmas! I'll leave you and the reindeer a special treat. I won't let my bulldog scare you. And her name is Belle!!! Love, Kelsey Ann

Dear Santa,
You are a good man. Thank you for the presents. I live in Iuka. Are your reindeer and your helpers doing good today? Your reindeer are cool. How do you make presents? Can you get me a bike for Christmas? I like your music that you got. Love, Conner

Dear Santa,
How are you? I want a Barbie Camper and a Mijet Figit and a 3DS and a Junie B. Jones book and a Lala Loopsy Silly Hair doll and some new shoes and some new shirts and some new pants and lots of surprises. Love, Makenzie C.

Dear Santa,
I hope that you and Mrs. Claus are doing good this year. How are the reindeer doing? I hope you are safe on your sled. This year I'm in Mrs. Hood's class. She is the best I have ever had. She is so nice to us. And this year all I want for Christmas is 2 Beyblades and a scooter and I hope my brother will be nice to me. I hope that I will always have a church to go to. The last thing that I want for Christmas is a brand new soul. I want Jesus in my heart. Love, Curt Carmon

Dear Santa,
I want a remote control airplane, helicopter, and truck. I want a real gun, DS, Playstation 2, a 4-wheeler, Magic Tree House books, skateboard, roller skates, \$20, guitar, radio, camouflage shirts, jacket, pants and two rolls of camouflage tape. Ok? Love, Tracy

Dear Santa,
I hope you're doing well in the North Pole. For Christmas I want a new Wii game, Disney Universe and a new PS2 game Pacman, a new Guitar Hero World Tour for the PS2, a new Beyblade, some Egyptian Legos (the one with Anubis) and a new poster. Love, Cameron Cornelius

Iuka Elementary School - Mrs. McRight's 2nd Grade Class

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? Is everything alright? Thank you so much for what you got me last year. My favorite color is blue and I like softball and basketball. What I

would like is a saucer/sled, American Girl doll (Julie), dry erase board. I hope you have a safe trip. I hope you have a Merry Christmas. I am going to leave you and the reindeer a treat. Love, Amelia Webb

Dear Santa,
How have you been doing? Thank you for what you did last year. Are you okay? I would like a Nintendo 3DS this Christmas. I like to do push-ups. Do you like to do push-ups? Have a Merry Christmas. Your friend, Konnor Tuders

Dear Santa,
Have you had a great year? I am making all A's. How is Rudolph? I would like to have a DS and a toy motorcycle and race track. I will leave you a treat, Merry Christmas. Your friend, Daniel Horn

Dear Santa,
How is Rudolph? Is he ok and Mrs. Claus? I hope she is ok? I would like a drum set and a DSI. It would be awesome, and an electric guitar. If I could ride your sleigh, I would give you some cookies. I hope you have a safe trip and thank you for the presents you gave me last year. I hope you like my cookies. Your friend, Jackson Stuart

Dear Santa,
How are the reindeer? Have you had a good year? I have been making good grades. I can't wait to make you cookies this year. Will you tell Mrs. Claus I said hi? I would like an American Girl doll. Could I have a bunny webkins and a 3DS? Have a Merry Christmas? Love, Daryl-Anna Thrasher

Dear Santa,
How are the reindeer? Are they feeling good? Santa, tomorrow is my birthday. Is Mrs. Claus okay? Is it fun riding the sleigh? I would like to have some Legos and some other stuff. I will bring you and Ms. Claus a treat. Love, Caden Park

Dear Santa,
Are you having a great year? Thank you for all the things last year! How are you doing, Santa? I would like to have a 3D DS, 3D TV, and a 3D t-shirt for Christmas. Merry Christmas! Have a great year! Sincerely, Seth Embrey

Dear Santa,
How are you doing, Santa? Is your wife doing ok? Is the reindeer doing ok? Is Rudolph doing ok? I would like to have a puppy, guitar, and DSI. I love you, Santa. Merry Christmas, Santa. Love, Isaiah

Dear Santa,
How is Rudolph? Are you taking care of Mrs. Claus? My favorite season is Christmas. You are kind, some people don't believe you but I do. I would like an Orbeez Soothing Spa, and a Victors doll and a Justin Bieber doll. Thank you for my gifts. Love, Avery Tapp

Dear Santa,
How have ya'll been? Has everyone been fine? I had a new baby boy, it is cute. So I needed to tell you what I need for Christmas, an American Girl doll, a Build A Bear gift certificate, and the funny one, a squirrel costume for my dog. Hope you have a safe trip.

P.S. I will leave some milk and cookies. Sincerely, Olivia Arnold

Dear Santa,
How is Rudolph doing? How is Mrs. Claus? Are you having a good year? I have good grades. Can I please have an American Girl doll clothes. Can I see Dawson? I will leave you a glass of milk and cookies. Merry Christmas! Love, Karsen Harwell

Dear Santa,
How is Rudolph doing? Has your year been good so far? I hope Mrs. Claus is doing well? Can you get me an American Girl doll? Can you get me an iPod? Can you get me a set for my American doll? Have a great trip. Your friend, Callee Ham

Dear Santa,
I love 2nd grade. I would like to have an Arthur's Christmas DVD and a GameBoy and a Barbie doll and a Wii game. Love, Americous

Dear Santa,
I am making A's in 2nd grade. And I am a good kid, I am helpful too. I hope you have a Happy New Year. I love school. I will give you a treat and Rudolph. I would like a DSI for Christmas and an electric scooter, please. And a Barbie car. I forgot how many Reindeer's you had. There is one more thing I want, it is some more shoes. Love, Keiana Bennett

Dear Santa,
I would like to know how you are doing? I wonder how cold it is? Are you having a good year? I wonder how big an Elf is? How is Mrs. Claus? I would like a Mario vs. Sonic, DS game. How is Rudolph and the other reindeer? Sincerely, Scott

Dear Santa,
How's Rudolph? How are you? I want to know, how is your wife? I would like a Wii, sports games, and two surprises and I will leave some carrots for Rudolph. Sincerely, Maggie Clark

Dear Santa,
How are you doing, Santa. I would like to know, Santa, how do you make the toys? I love you, can you send a picture of your elves? Can I, please, have a real 4-wheeler? Are you a boy? Your friend, Matt

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? How is Mrs. Claus? I would like an American Girl doll, Lala Loopsy Silly Hair Doll, electric scooter, the Smurf's movie, and an Easy Bake Oven. Love, Kylie

Tishomingo Elementary School 1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I want a puppy with a bone, a blanket, and a brush, a PSP, an iCarly jacket, and a diamond castle. Love, Gracie Sweeney

Dear Santa,
I want a remote control airplane, and a pet hamster. Thank you. Love, Eli Reno

Dear Santa,
I want a Tangled doll. I want Wii drawing game. I want a Justin Bieber doll. I want a snowman. I love you, Santa. Love, Amber McNatt

Dear Santa,
I hope you give me lots of toys. I want the DSI game - Mario Bros. I also want the DSI game - Mario vs. Donkey Kong. I also want the DSI game where there are little people that want to push over a tree. Love, Jaden Myrick

Dear Santa,
I want a four wheeler, a racing water slide, the new Mario Bros. in 3D, and a bouncy slide. I have tried to be good. Love, Jaxson Pryce Jones, I Love You!

Dear Santa,
I would like a Figit Friend, a Brats doll, a tiara, a camera, candy, a teddy bear, a Sponge Bob pillow, Sponge Bob pajamas, and Paper Jams. I have been good. Love, Katelyn Turner

Dear Santa,
I want an American Girl doll with earrings, the

Safari sundress and charm, and the Midnight Skate outfit and charm. Love, Anna Browning

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a new bike, Scooby Doo stuff, a John Deere shirt, a pink hat and clothes, some books, and big green tractor and a cute little pony. Love, Cheyenne Watson

Dear Santa,
Please bring me two DSI games, a Barbie doll and clothes, some petshops and paint and a Fur Real Friend puppy and lots of surprises. I will leave milk and cookies. Love, Madison Reno

Dear Santa,
I want a purple four wheeler and Xbox games that I can play. Love, Eliza Cavness

Dear Santa,
I want a playhouse, make-up, DS player, a new purse, an easel for my board, some fake nails, a laptop computer, and some high-heel shoes. Love, Sadie Holt

Dear Santa,
I would like some clothes and shoes and surprises. Thank you for the gifts you gave me last year. Love, Sophie McNally

Dear Santa,
I want an action figure, a brand new Nerf gun, and a brand new monster truck too! I will leave donuts and root beer. Love, Garrett

Dear Santa,
I would like one of those little race cars with a box remote control. Love, Samuel Massey

Dear Santa,
I would like a DSL and some games to go with it. I like fire trucks, cop cars and airplanes. Any surprises will be great. Love, Tyler Moss

Dear Santa,
I would like a Nintendo DS, games, WWE Champion Belt, and some surprises. Love, Ashton McDonald

Dear Santa,
My name is Gavin Jones. I would like WWE Rumlbers, clothes, action figures, an Iron Man suit, Zombie Army mask, Nike shoes, and black shoes with red checks. Love, Gavin Jones

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. This year for Christmas I want a remote controlled car, a Mustang car, a remote controlled monster truck and a race-track. Love, Landon Sappington

Dear Santa,
I would like a Barbie jet plane, a baby beauty shop chair, and a ball dancing Barbie. I love you, and I have been good this year. Love, Mary Katherine Roberts

Dear Santa,
I want a Lightning McQueen toy and Harry Potter DS game. I have been good. Love, Jason Wimbish

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. I would like a Nintendo DS, a trampoline, a Puss and Boots game, a new Pillow Pet, and an iPod, too. Love, Olivia Hill

Dear Santa,
I want a Monster High doll and a Doodle Bear and a pony, jewelry boutique, Fijit Friends and some books, a Tangled Sing and

Glow Rapunzel, Bratz doll, Squinkies, Lala Loopsy. Love, Rachel

Dear Santa,
I love you. I would like girl Legos, iPod Touch, Pop The Pig game and a dog with a leash and whistle. Don't forget my brother. I will leave you milk and cookies. Love, Isabella Ragan

Dear Santa,
I would like a dirt bike and a Wii game and a DS game and lots of surprises. Love, Christopher

Dear Santa,
I have been good. I would like a V-Tech Reader, clothing, and a Barbie doll. Love, Arabella

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like some trucks, and a race car track. Love, Isaiah

Dear Santa,
I want a robot and a Nerf gun. I also want some Bakugans and some Hot Wheels cars. I want one spaceship too. I love you. Love, Chandler

Dear Santa,
I want a bow and arrow, and a toy shot gun, and a dirt bike, and games for my Xbox 360, and my brother to come home from the Army for Christmas. Love, Ashton Randolph

Dear Santa,
Please bring me Doggy Doo, make-up, Unicorn Pillow Pet, chapstick, colors, princess book, dresses, princess puzzle, and a Cars table. Love, Hayley Hall

Dear Santa,
I been good. I want a toy monkey. I want a Bratz make-up. I want a jacket. I want an iPhone. I want a Xia Xia. I want a Microphone. Love, Talise

Dear Santa,
How are you? I am fine. Will you make me a sword and a gater? I want a case for the sword with a golden chain and an electric guitar. I also want a machine that puts powers in Beyblades. Love, Dylan Miller

Dear Santa,
I would like a Beyblade, Cars 2 action playset, Ole Miss football suit, Super Mario DS game, and surprises I have tried to be a good boy this year. I will leave you cookies and milk under the tree. Love, Levi

Dear Santa,
I want a Doctor Dreadful, Darth Vader helmet, Sponge Bob Squarepants DS game, and a 4-wheeler. I will leave you milk and cookies. Love, Houston

Dear Santa,
I have been good. I want a Wii and another teddy bear. I love you. Love, Melanie Wilson

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I would like a video racecar, Tom and Jerry movie, MSU Pillow Pet, Sonic game, dirt truck, and new clothes. Love, Devin Phifer

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I would like a new lamp, Hot Wheels car hauler, MSU Pillow Pet, video racecar and clothes. Love, Chase Phifer

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl. I would like a four wheeler and a radio. Love, Mollie Colley



It may be cold outside, but we feel warmed by the thought of all the good people we've had the pleasure to know this past year. With our warm wishes for a beautiful holiday season.

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Local students participate in State Band Clinic

Tishomingo County High School students Kala McMahon, a senior alto saxophone player, and Antwon Powell, a junior French horn player, recently participated in the Mississippi Bandmasters Association State Band Clinic held in Natchez, MS on December 7-10. The students were among the best high school and selected junior high musicians in the state. Being selected to attend the MBA state band clinic is a very big honor. Both students represented their school and community very well by making the top performing group out of 3 clinic bands.

GFWC-MFWC 20th Century Club Christmas Social

Ruth Ellen Cox graciously hosted our Christmas Social in her lovely home on December 6th, 2011 at 6 p.m. Eleven members—Nancy Daugherty, Sue Kerby, Joy Kitchens, Vicky Monjeau, Zenobia Oaks, Fredda McCone, Jo Russell, Terry Shea, Willadeen Thorne, Terrie Whitehurst and our new member, Pat Nicolas, arrived with their special "finger food" dishes. The serving table was beautiful and the red dinnerware added to the Christmas decor. We certainly missed Jo Farrow and Maxine Wade.

President Terrie Whitehurst offered the blessing for our food. After a delicious meal, President Whitehurst presented 10 year GFWC pins to Ruth Ellen Cox and Jo Russell. On a sad note, Ruth Ellen will be leaving us as she returns to the Memphis area in the near future. We will miss her and we wish her the best but expect her to visit frequently. President Whitehurst also presented each member with a GFWC umbrella. We appreciated the thoughtful and useful gift and will certainly enjoy it on a rainy day.

We had a report on the pecan sale. Everyone was encouraged to continue to sell—we only have pieces and hope to end the sale by our January meeting. Then it was fun time!!! Vicky Monjeau had some neat games for us to play.

The Wright game and a "pop test" on Christmas songs. We also played the "penny" game and that was hilarious.

Each member brought a jar of peanut butter for the Food Pantry as our gift to our fellowmen. We give to the pantry at each of our monthly meetings in some way.

Our gracious hostess presented a beautiful poinsettia to Zenobia Oaks—one of our 50 plus year members and Pat Nicolas, our newest member.

Members gathered the dishes and wished each other a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year and went their merry way!

Plum Pudding

Plum pudding is an English dish dating back to the Middle Ages. Suet, flour, sugar, raisins, nuts, and spices are tied loosely in cloth and boiled until the ingredients are "plum," meaning they have enlarged enough to fill the cloth. It is then unwrapped, sliced like cake, and topped with cream.

Caroling

Caroling also began in England. Wandering musicians would travel from town to town visiting castles and homes of the rich. In return for their performance, the musicians hoped to receive a hot meal or money.

Christmas Under The Stars

The GFWC 20th Century Club selects an outstanding decorated home and yard for our "Christmas Under The Stars" award for the first three weeks of December. We make our selections from the many beautifully decorated homes in our town.

For the 1st week, the home and yard of Joyce and Billy Lambert, at 1610 Pine Lane, was selected. There are many, many lights featuring a Santa and his reindeer. The lighted message "Peace On Earth" with a nativity scene in the background which depicts the reason for the Christmas season. Mr. and Mrs. Claus are on the porch along with a unique jack-in-the-box. This is a must-see to set the mood for Christmas!!! A beautiful poinsettia from Wal-Mart was presented to Billy and Joyce. Thanks to the Lamberts and all of Pine Lane area for the beautiful Christmas decorations.

For the 2nd week, the lovely Christmas decorations of Eugene (Peanut) and Joann Thorn of 1760 Pine Lane were selected. As you come off Highway 25 North onto Pine Lane you are greeted by a spot-lighted Christmas card from the Thorns. Mr. and Mrs. Santa snuggle on the porch. Wreaths and swags adorn the windows. A Christmas tree peaks from the front door. The shrubby twinkles with lights as does various trees and displays. The Thorns received a beautiful poinsettia donated by the Friendly Florist. They seemed especially appreciative because they are celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary this month.

For the 3rd week, the home of Josh and Brooke Nunley at 312 Pike Street was selected. Icicle lights covered the front of the house with large lighted wreaths in the windows. The porch railings and steps are covered with lights accented by huge red net bows. In the center window, there is a beautiful Christmas tree. The Nunley's were presented a beautiful poin-

settia donated by Country Boys Farms. Thanks, Josh and Brooke for your part in making the park area a beautiful place to visit during the Christmas season.

Christmas Cards

An Englishman named John Calcott Horsley helped to popularize the tradition of sending Christmas greeting cards when he began producing small cards featuring festive scenes and a pre-written holiday greeting in the late 1830s. Newly efficient post offices in England and the United States made the cards nearly overnight sensations. At about the same time, similar cards were being made by R.H. Pease, the first American card maker, in Albany, New York, and Louis Prang, a German who immigrated to America in 1850.

Stockings

In the United States and England, children hang stockings on their bedpost or near a fireplace on Christmas Eve, hoping that it will be filled with treats while they sleep. In Scandinavia, similar-minded children leave their shoes on the hearth. This tradition can be traced to legends about Saint Nicholas. One legend tells of three poor sisters who could not marry because they had no money for a dowry. To save them from being sold by their father, St. Nick left each of the three sisters gifts of gold coins. One went down the chimney and landed in a pair of shoes that had been left on the hearth. Another went into a window and into a pair of stockings left hanging by the fire to dry.

Midway Sales

Hwy. 25 South—Iuka, MS 423-1533

We will be open until Saturday, December 24th until 2:00 p.m.

We have got some new name brand clothing items in, also some new hat, scarf and glove combos with gift

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Margarine**

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It is Ok to say Merry Christmas!

by Blake Melton

As many of you know, and even presidential candidate, Rick Perry, made mention of in a recent campaign ad, "We are in a war on Christianity in our country". When you study our country's history, it doesn't take long to discover that it was firmly founded on Christian principles and that is simply a part of what makes this great country what it is.

However, there are people who want to completely change all of that and do away with anything concerning Christianity. Even with the majority of Americans claiming to be Christians, the minority that doesn't claim to be Chris-

tians seems to be gaining ground in some areas. One issue arises this time of year is the effort to take Christ out of Christmas.

We are blessed to be part of the "Bible Belt", where we don't personally see or experience a lot of the more deliberate attacks on Christianity. We are only made aware of them through media. But the attack on Christmas has even crept into our own hometown.

There seems to be a silent push to swap the word "Christmas" for "Holiday" with titles and phrases such as, "Happy holidays", "Holiday tree" or "Holiday decorations". This is more vividly seen and heard in

the businesses that profit off of the very holiday that is called Christmas. They do not want to offend anyone by Christ being in the title of the holiday. Well folks, Christ is what Christmas is all about.

There are many holidays on the American calendar and I find it interesting that we don't say "Happy Holidays" on the Fourth of July. Why not? After all, it is a holiday; the same goes for all the other holidays, for that matter. It's because people are scared of offending someone at Christmas because it mentions Christ.

My point is that businesses in North Mississippi and the surrounding area should wake up and real-

ize they are offending more by omitting Christ from the holiday than they are by saying it and displaying it. Don't get me wrong - I've noticed several local businesses that are not drinking the anti-Christmas Kool-aid, and are showing the true spirit of Christmas by including CHRISTmas in their signs, advertisements, and employee-to-customer salutations. For this, I would like to say how much I, and many others, appreciate it. But there are still some that are falling into the anti-Christmas trap.

This seems to be a greater epidemic in the chain stores. They want to use the excuse that they are following rules from their home

office or headquarters, but yet they want to claim to be a home town store. Well, if you're going to be a home-town store, get the guts and decency to accommodate your hometown customers. Answer the phone with a "Merry Christmas" instead of "Happy Holidays" and put "Merry Christmas" in your décor. There is nothing wrong with "Happy Holidays" as long as it's secondary to "Merry Christmas".

I understand that to some this doesn't matter, and may seem like a small issue, no big deal. But don't be fooled - it is a big deal. This anti-CHRISTmas movement is real and has a real agenda, and that is to remove Christ from Christ-

mas. As a business or an employee of a business, I, myself, would not want to have any part of it. No one could stop me from saying "Merry Christmas". We are, after all, a country of free speech. I would urge you as consumers to patronize your local businesses that aren't afraid to say "Merry Christmas". And encourage the businesses and employees that don't do so. Because, it is what it is, it's about Christ's birth, and it's ok to say "Merry Christmas".

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OBITUARIES

December 22, 2011

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Judy K. Ezell

Judy Kay Ezell, 65, of Tishomingo, Mississippi, died Wednesday, December 14, 2011, at her residence. She loved her grandchildren and working in her flower gardens. Visitation is scheduled for 6:00 until 9:00 p.m., Saturday, December 17, at Cutshall Funeral Home in Iuka. Funeral services are scheduled for 1:00 p.m., Sunday, December 18, at Cutshall Funeral Home Chapel in Iuka, officiated by Bro. Charles McGill. Interment will follow in Paradise Cemetery. Pallbearers include Artis Raymond Ezell, Brandon Dale Ezell, Robert Ooten, Mark Alred, Timmy Anglin, and Brian Southward. Cutshall Funeral Home of Iuka, MS is entrusted with arrangements. Survivors include 1 son, Charles Ezell and wife, Debbie, of Iuka, MS; 1 daughter, Melissa Martin and husband, Gary, of Waynesboro, MS; 3 brothers, John Shirley Williams of Wartburg, TN, Gary Williams, and Gerald Williams of Wartburg, TN; 1 sister, Karla Sue Ooten of Apache, OK; and 2 grandchildren, Artis Raymond Ezell and Brandon Dale Ezell, both of Iuka, MS. She was preceded in death by her parents, Jack and Glois Williams; and 2 brothers, Michael and Robert Williams. Memorials may be made to Paradise Methodist Church. An online guestbook can be accessed at www.cutshallfuneralhome.com.

Geraldine M. Cole

Geraldine M. Cole of Waynesboro, TN was born February 20th, 1933 in Waynesboro, TN, the daughter of the late Frank Martin and Ersie Todd Martin Wilson. She was united in marriage to James T. Cole on January 11th, 1951. Mrs. Cole was retired from Genesco and was a child care worker. She was a member of the Green River Baptist Church in Waynesboro, TN.

Mrs. Cole departed this life on Friday, December 16th, 2011 at Wayne Medical Center in Waynesboro, TN at the age of 78 years, nine months, 26 days.

Survivors include her husband, James T. Cole of Waynesboro, TN; daughters, Joy Cole Carton and husband, Joseph of Decatur, AL, Jana Cole Crane and husband, Robert of Brandon, MS; grandchildren, Bobby Cole Crane and wife, Jenifer of Inver Grove, MN, Joshua Martin Crane and companion, Candice Simmons of Brandon, MS, Jessica Cole Reid and husband, Ike of Cherokee, AL; great-grandchildren, Taylar Rose Crane, Chloe Rene Crane, and Lilly Marie Crane all of Inver Grove, MN.

In addition to her parents, Mrs. Cole was preceded in death by a son, Jarvis Wayne Cole. Services were held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, December 18th, at Shackelford Funeral Directors in Waynesboro, TN with Cal Hampton and Kerry Franks officiating. Burial was in Memorial Gardens in Waynesboro, TN. Shackelford Funeral Directors, of Wayne County were in charge of the arrangements.

Launzada Carr

Launzada Carr, 83, of Dennis, died Friday, December 16th, 2011 at the North MS Medical Center. She was a native of Mississippi and a homemaker. She was a member of Trinity Church of Christ.

Services were held at 1 p.m. on Sunday, December 18th, Deaton Funeral Home Chapel in Belmont with Bro. Steven Hodgin and Bro. Tommy Carr officiating. Burial was in Lindsey Cemetery in Dennis. Deaton Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include one son, Tommy Carr and wife, Anita of Rochester, MN; one daughter, Sue Hodgin and husband, Kenny of Dennis; five grandchildren, Steven Hodgin and wife, Lisa, Todd Hodgin and wife, Lori, Debbie Conolty and husband, Bob, Monica Eichten and husband, Brent and Tim Carr and wife, Tonya; 14 great-grandchildren, Josh Hodgin, Kelsey Hodgin, Bethany South and husband, Chuck, Michael Hodgin and wife, Christy, Lauren Pirtle and husband, Nathan, Katelyn Conolty, Robert Conolty, Zack Eichten, Jenna Eichten, Alyssa Eichten, Bailey Carr, Timberly Carr, Sadie Carr & Lilly Carr; four special great-grandchildren, Ally Hodgin, Redick South, Scheyer South and Hartley Pollard.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth Wayne Carr; her parents, Henry Oscar Eaton & Ovie Bell Lester Eaton; two brothers; and two sisters.

Pallbearers were Tim Carr, Michael Hodgin, Josh Hodgin, Nathan Pirtle, Chuck South and Chris Clay.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Liberty Church of Christ Lads to Leaders & Leaderettes.

Kenneth Dale Smith

Kenneth Dale Smith, 53, of Cherokee, died Sunday, December 11th, 2011. He was a native of Florence, AL and a veteran of the Army.

Services were held at 2 p.m. on Friday, December 16th at Morrison Funeral Home Chapel with Ed White officiating. Morrison Funeral Home of Cherokee was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include his wife, Patti Smith; son, James Smith; daughter, Melissa Smith; two step-sons, Tony Estes and David Estes; step-daughters, Melody Ball and Patricia Harmon; brothers, Don Smith, Aaron Smith, and Brian Smith; sisters, Lee Ann, Susan, Nellie, Linda and Onetia; 21 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and one step-great-grandchild.

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Billy Ray Gann

Billy Ray Gann, 72, of Belmont, died Thursday, December 15th, 2011 at his residence. He was a native of New Site, MS and a mechanic for 50 years. He attended Belmont United Methodist Church.

Services were held at 3 p.m. on Sunday, December 18th, at Belmont United Methodist Church with Bro. Greg Forbus officiating. Burial was in Lindsey Cemetery in Dennis. Deaton Funeral Home of Belmont was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include his wife, Vera Gann of Belmont; two children, Dennis Ray Gann of Dennis and Angie Stephens and husband, Mike of Golden; one step-daughter, Natalie Wigginton and husband, Phillip of Saltillo; one sister, Alice Millstead of Belmont; four grandchildren, Haydn Gann, Mikenlee, Sydnee & Ella Kate Stephens; one step-granddaughter, Veronica Wigginton; and two nieces, Amanda Millstead of Belmont and Lana Earnest of Tuscaloosa, AL.

Pallbearers were Stevie Harris, Mike Stephens, Craig Long, Joe Massey, Phillip Wigginton and Randy Dean.

O'Neal Dickerson

O'Neal Dickerson, 82, of Iuka (formerly of Memphis and Michie, TN), died Sunday, December 18th, 2011, at Southern Magnolia Estates in Iuka. He was an U.S. Air Force veteran of the Korean Conflict, and enjoyed reading.

Services were held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, December 21st at Liberty Church of Christ in Michie, TN with Malcolm George officiating. Burial was in Liberty Church Cemetery. Cutshall Funeral Home of Iuka was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include one step-son, Mark Lenti of South Dakota; one step-daughter, Tracey Lenti Crum of Atlanta, GA; one brother, Johnnie Dickerson of Iuka; one sister, Jo Ann Dickerson of Nashville, TN; two step-grandchildren, Paige and Haley Laurie; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Marty Dickerson; his parents, Thomas and Vera Dickerson; and his sister, Virginia Whitehurst.

An online guestbook can be accessed at www.cutshallfuneralhome.com.

Fred Gorski

Ferdinand L. "Fred" Gorski, 83, of Glen, formerly of Chicago, Illinois, died Saturday, December 17th, 2011, at Magnolia Regional Health Center in Corinth. He was a member of St. James Catholic Church in Corinth. He was a U. S. Army veteran of WWII and served as a paratrooper in the 11th Airborne Division. He was a retired automobile dealership owner. He was also a master model boat builder, and enjoyed boating and fishing.

A Funeral Mass was held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, December 21st, at St. James Catholic Church in Corinth with Father Richard Smith officiating. Burial was in Oak Grove Cemetery. Cutshall Funeral Home of Glen was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include his wife, Rita T. Gorski of Glen; one son, Michael J. Gorski of Algonquin, IL; one daughter, Marie J. Gorski, M.D. of Mt. Pleasant, TN; one sister, Harriet Kramer of Kernersville, NC; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by a son, Leonard T. Gorski; and his parents, Ferdinand T. and Marie Jane Matela Gorski.

An online guestbook can be accessed at www.cutshallfuneralhome.com.

Everett Lewis Roland

Everett Lewis Roland, 76, of Cherokee, died Sunday, December 18th, 2011.

Services were held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, December 21st. Burial was in Cherokee Memorial Park. Morrison Funeral Home of Cherokee was in charge of the arrangements.

He was the husband of Oshia B. Roland.

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BIBLE QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

By Claude Wilemon

92. What part of man's body is unruly and full of deadly poison? (Last Week's Answer) 91. Name a woman that lived in the valley of Sorek that Samson loved. Answer: Deliah - Judges 16:4



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And each day you're gone, I'm still in denial.

You're in my thoughts each and every day

And in my heart you will never go away.

Things each day, without you, are so different, Georgia Girl.

And the day God took you, I knew,

I'd lost my best friend in the whole wide world.

But one day, I promise, I'll see you again.

And then I'll be happy, back with my best friend.

You were with us this time last year.

And how so, so much you are missed.

But you shall never be forgotten,

And you are in our hearts and thoughts each day.

Merry Christmas

My Best Friend

I love and miss you!

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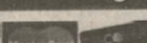
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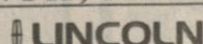
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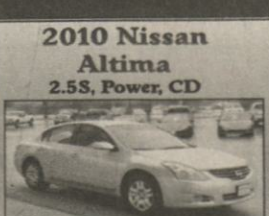
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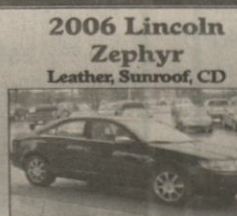
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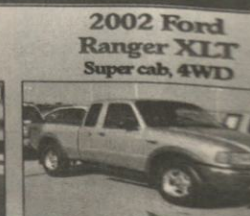
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TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on December 4, 2007, CHARLES F WILLIAMS, AND LISA MARIE WILLIAMS, HUSBAND AND WIFE executed a Deed of Trust to RECONTRUST COMPANY N.A. as Trustee for the benefit of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., ACTING SOLELY AS A NOMINEE FOR COUNTRY-WIDE BANK, FSB, which Deed of Trust was filed on December 17, 2007 and recorded in Book 380 at Page 359 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and the entire debt secured thereby having been declared to be due and payable, and the legal holder of said indebtedness, BANK OF AMERICA, N.A. SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP, having requested the undersigned Trustee to execute the trust and sell said land and property in accordance with the terms of said Deed of Trust for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees, Trustee's fees and expenses of sale.

NOW, THEREFORE, RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., Trustee, will on December 29, 2011, offer for sale at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, within legal hours (between the hours of 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.) at the front door of the Tishomingo County Courthouse in Iuka, Tishomingo County, Mississippi, the following-described property:

THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE SITUATE IN THE COUNTY OF TISHOMINGO, STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, TO WIT:

A PART OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 4, TOWNSHIP 2 SOUTH, RANGE 10 EAST, TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI; BEGINNING AT THE INTERSECTION OF THE SOUTH BOUNDARY LINE OF SAID SOUTHWEST QUARTER WITH THE WEST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF MISSISSIPPI STATE HIGHWAY NO. 25, THENCE RUN SOUTH 89 DEGREES 29 MINUTES 12 SECONDS WEST ALONG THE SOUTH BOUNDARY LINE OF SAID QUARTER 1409.97 FEET TO AN IRON PIN; THENCE RUN NORTH 00 DEGREES 25 MINUTES 6 SECONDS WEST ALONG A WIRE FENCE 284.47 FEET TO AN EXISTING IRON PIN; THENCE RUN SOUTH 65 DEGREES 47 MINUTES 18 SECONDS WEST ALONG A WIRE FENCE AND HEDGE 339.86 FEET TO THE EAST SIDE OF A COUNTY ROAD AND AN IRON PIN; THENCE RUN NORTH 25 DEGREES 19 MINUTES 40 SECONDS WEST ALONG THE EAST SIDE OF SAID COUNTY ROAD 71.39 FEET; THENCE RUN NORTH 6 DEGREES 21 MINUTES 44 SECONDS WEST ALONG THE EAST SIDE OF SAID COUNTY ROAD 234.32 FEET; THENCE RUN NORTH 00 DEGREES 38 MINUTES 37 SECONDS WEST ALONG THE EAST SIDE OF SAID COUNTY ROAD 15 FEET TO THE NORTH SIDE OF A PUBLIC ROAD; THENCE RUN NORTH 88 DEGREES 08 MINUTES 49 SECONDS EAST ALONG THE NORTH SIDE OF SAID PUBLIC ROAD 320.0 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE RUN NORTH 00 DEGREES 37 MINUTES 30 SECONDS WEST 218.97 FEET TO A HEDGE; THENCE RUN NORTH 89 DEGREES 17 MINUTES 4 SECONDS EAST ALONG SAID HEDGE 100.0 FEET; THENCE RUN SOUTH 00 DEGREES 37 MINUTES 08 SECONDS EAST 216.98 FEET TO THE NORTH SIDE OF A PUBLIC ROAD; THENCE RUN SOUTH 88 DEGREES 08 MINUTES 49 SECONDS WEST ALONG THE NORTH SIDE OF SAID ROAD 100.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING 0.50 ACRE, MORE OR LESS.

INDEXING INSTRUCTIONS:

PART OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 4, TOWNSHIP 2 SOUTH, RANGE 10 EAST, TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI.

BEING THE SAME PROPERTY CONVEYED TO CHARLES F. WILLIAMS AND LISA MARIE WILLIAMS BY DEED FROM CHARLES M. MURRAY AND JOYCE F. MURRAY RECORDED 09/06/1994 IN DEED BOOK B168 PAGE 72, IN THE OFFICE OF THE CHANCERY CLERK OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI.

RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. will convey only such title as vested in it as Trustee.

WITNESS MY signature on this 7th day of November, 2011.

RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., TRUSTEE

2380 Performance Dr, TX2-984-0407

Richardson, TX 75082

Telephone No. (800) 281-8219

By: /s/ Mahtab Memar

Title: Assistant Vice President

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SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE NOTICE

WHEREAS, on or about the 21st day of March, 2008, Johnny Harber executed and delivered a certain Deed of Trust unto Harold S. Jackson, Trustee, Renasant

Bank, beneficiary, to secure an indebtedness therein described which Deed of Trust is recorded as Instrument No. 2008001068 of the Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on Lands on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, on the 21st day of October, 2011, Renasant Bank executed and delivered to Scott R. Hendrix an appointment whereby the said Scott R. Hendrix was appointed and substituted as Successor Trustee in the aforesaid Deed of Trust in the place and stead of Harold S. Jackson, the Trustee originally named therein, as shown by said appointment duly recorded as Instrument No. 2011003495 of the records of trust deeds of Tishomingo County, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, which default continues, and Renasant Bank, the legal holder of the note secured by said Deed of Trust, having requested the undersigned to sell the property described hereinafter for the purpose of satisfying the indebtedness and costs of sale.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned Substitute Trustee, will on the 30th day of December, 2011, at the East front door of the Tishomingo County Courthouse in Iuka, Mississippi within legal hours, offer for sale, at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to wit:

Part of Block 44 of Hubbard's Survey of the Town of Iuka, Mississippi, Tishomingo County, described as beginning at the Northwest corner of said block and run thence South to the West line hereof 150 feet to the point of beginning hereof; thence continue to run South on the West line of said block 206 feet thence run East parallel to the South line of said block 80 feet; thence run North parallel to the West line of said block 206 feet; thence run West parallel to the South line of said block 80 feet; to the point of beginning.

ALSO: Part of Block 44 of Hubbard's Survey in the Town of Iuka, Mississippi, described as starting at the Northwest Corner of said block and run thence south along the west line of said block and the east line of Mill Street a distance of 406 feet, more or less, to power pole for a point of beginning of this conveyance run thence south along west line of said block and east line of said street 136 feet, more or less, to north of said block and north line of said Fifth Street 80 feet; thence north parallel to west line of said block 136 feet; thence west parallel to south line of said block 80 feet to point of beginning.

ALSO: Part of Block 44 of Hubbard's Survey of the Town of Iuka, Mississippi, Tishomingo County, described as beginning at the northwest corner of said block and run thence South on the west line thereof 150 feet to the point of beginning hereof; thence continue to run south on the west line of said block 256 feet; thence run east parallel to the south line of said block 80 feet; thence run north parallel to the west line of said block 256 feet; thence run west parallel to the south line of said block 80 feet to the point of beginning.

LESS AND EXCEPT: Part of Block 44 of Hubbard's Survey of the Town of Iuka, Mississippi, Tishomingo County, described as beginning at the Northwest corner of said Block and run thence South to the West line thereof 150 feet to the point of beginning hereof; thence continue to run South on the West line of said block 206 feet; thence run East parallel to the South line of said block 80 feet; thence run North parallel to the West line, of said block 206 feet; thence run West parallel to the South line of said Block 80 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel #3-1006-02-13-026

Address: 310 W. 5th Street, Iuka, MS 38852

Such title will be conveyed as is vested in me as Substitute Trustee aforesaid without warranty of any kind.

This, the 2nd day of December, 2011.

/s/ Scott R. Hendrix

Scott R. Hendrix, Substitute Trustee

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SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE NOTICE

WHEREAS, on or about the 26th day of December, 2006, Ira Johnny Harber executed and delivered a certain Deed of Trust unto Harold S. Jackson, Trustee, Renasant Bank, beneficiary, to secure an indebtedness therein described which Deed of Trust is recorded in Book 365, Page 502 of the Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on Lands on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, on or about the 31st day of May, 2007, Ira Johnny Harber executed and delivered a certain Deed of Trust unto Harold S. Jackson, Trustee, Renasant Bank, beneficiary, to secure an indebtedness therein described which Deed of Trust is recorded in Book 372, Page 113 of the Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on Lands on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, on or about the 7th day of December, 2007, Ira Johnny Harber executed and delivered a certain Deed of Trust unto Harold S. Jackson, Trustee, Renasant Bank, beneficiary, to secure an indebtedness therein

described which Deed of Trust is recorded in Book 380, Page 140 of the Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on Lands on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, on or about the 7th day of May, 2008, Ira Johnny Harber executed and delivered a certain Deed of Trust unto Scott R. Hendrix, Trustee, Renasant Bank, beneficiary, to secure an indebtedness therein described which Deed of Trust is recorded as Instrument No. 2008001840 of the Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on Lands on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, on the 25th day of January, 2010, Renasant Bank executed and delivered to Scott R. Hendrix an appointment whereby the said Scott R. Hendrix was appointed and substituted as Successor Trustee in the aforesaid Deeds of Trust in the place and stead of Harold S. Jackson, the Trustee originally named therein, as shown by said appointment duly recorded as Instrument Number 2010000297 of the records of trust deeds of Tishomingo County, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hendrix was also named as Trustee in one or more of the above Deeds of Trust referenced above, and therefore no Substitution of Trustee was required in those instances, however, for the sake of clarity he shall be referred to herein as "Substitute Trustee"; and WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deeds of Trust, which default continues, and Renasant Bank, the legal holder of the notes secured by said Deeds of Trust, having requested the undersigned to sell the property described hereinafter for the purpose of satisfying the indebtedness and costs of sale.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned Substitute Trustee, will on the 30th day of December, 2011, at the East front door of the Tishomingo County Courthouse in Iuka, Mississippi within legal hours, offer for sale, at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to wit:

Part of the SW ¼ of Section 24, Township 3, Range 10 East, described as beginning at the point on the east right-of-way of State Highway #25, where said right-of-way crosses the north line of said quarter, and run thence in a southwesterly direction along said right-of-way 491.6 feet to the southwest corner of a 1-acre plat formerly sold to Kermit Rushing, then this point begin the point of beginning; thence in a southeasterly direction at right angles to said Highway #25, along the line of Kermit Rushing 1-acre plat 209 feet; thence a southwesterly direction parallel to the right-of-way of Highway #25 a distance of 385.2 feet, more or less, to the north right-of-way line of public road leading by residence of William A. Graham; thence a westerly direction along said right-of-way of said public road 194 feet to east right-of-way line of said Highway #25; thence a northerly direction along said right-of-way 75 feet, thence a westerly direction along said right-of-way 15 feet; thence along said right-of-way 310.2 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning, containing 1.83 acres, more or less.

Such title will be conveyed as is vested in me as Substitute Trustee aforesaid without warranty of any kind.

This, the 2nd day of December, 2011.

/s/ Scott R. Hendrix

Scott R. Hendrix, Substitute Trustee

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LEGAL NOTICE

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S

NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on the 8th day of March, 2011, Kenneth W. Shaw and spouse, Jennifer K. Shaw, executed a Deed of Trust to Mark Segars, Trustee, for the benefit of First American National Bank, that was recorded on the 21st day of March, 2011, as of 4:46 p.m., in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi as instrument number 20110008822;

WHEREAS, on the 30th day of September, 2005, Kenneth W. Shaw, Jr., executed a Deed of Trust to Mark Segars, Trustee, for the benefit of First American National Bank, that was recorded on the 11th day of October, 2005, as of 11:53 a.m., in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi in Book 347 at pages 661-665;

WHEREAS, First American National Bank having duly substituted and appointed Jana L. Dawson as Substitute Trustee in the place and stead of the original Trustee by instrument dated the 7th day of October, 2011, and recorded as instrument number 2011003277 on the 14th day of October, 2011, in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi;

WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said Deeds of Trust and the entire indebtedness secured thereby having become due and payable in accordance with the terms of said Deeds of Trust, First American National Bank has requested the undersigned Substitute Trustee to sell said lands in strict compliance with the Deeds of Trust and the laws of the State of Mississippi.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Jana L.

Dawson, Substituted Trustee in the said Deeds of Trust will on the 30th day of December, 2011, between the legal hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., at the front door of the Tishomingo County Courthouse, Iuka, Mississippi, offer for sale and will sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real property located in Tishomingo County, Mississippi to wit:

A part of the Southwest Quarter of Section 35, Township 6 South, Range 10 East, Town of Belmont, Tishomingo County, Mississippi, described as commencing at a one half inch by 3 inch iron pin at the Northeast corner of said Quarter; thence run South 00 degrees 38 minutes 36 seconds East for 199.50 feet; thence run South 88 degrees 47 minutes 24 seconds West for 33.00 feet to the center of Power Pole No. 925 on the West boundary of Ebenezer Street; thence run South 86 degrees 33 minutes 45 seconds West for 211.39 feet to an iron pin set and the true point of beginning; thence run South 00 degrees 12 minutes 15 seconds East for 177.11 feet to an iron pin set; thence run North 88 degrees 35 minutes 58 seconds West for 118.01 feet to an iron pin set; thence run North 00 degrees 19 minutes 22 seconds East for 167.24 feet to an iron pin set; thence run North 86 degrees 33 minutes 45 seconds East for 116.61 feet to the point of beginning, said to contain 0.46 acres, more or less.

I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substituted Trustee.

Witness my signature on this the 8th day of December, 2011.

JANAL DAWSON

Substitute Trustee

431 West Main Street

Post Office Box 228

Tupelo, Mississippi 38802

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Facsimile: 662.842.7010

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NOTICE TO VENDORS TO FURNISH TISHOMINGO COUNTY AND THE ROAD DISTRICTS THEREOF THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING JANUARY 3, 2012 AND ENDING JANUARY 7, 2013

Notice is hereby given by the Board of Supervisors of Tishomingo County, Mississippi that it will until 10:00 AM on Tuesday, January 3, 2012 receive bids for the following supplies for Tishomingo County for a period which will begin January 3, 2012 and end January 7, 2013.

Metal culverts – all sizes FOB Concrete culverts – all sizes FOB Plastic culverts – all sizes FOB Asphalt – all grades Limestone products – all sizes Road and Bridge maintenance supplies and material Road and Bridge maintenance with material laid in place

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Said bids will be filed with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of said state and county at the Chancery Clerk's office Tishomingo County Courthouse, Iuka, Mississippi until the aforesaid time and date and under the statute.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. This the 1st day of December, 2011.

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LEGAL NOTICE

The Board of Supervisors of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, will on Tuesday, January 3rd, 2012 at 10:00 AM at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in the city of Iuka, Mississippi receive bids for hauling garbage from the Tishomingo County Landfill to Prairie Bluff Waste Management Landfill which is approximately 97 miles. This price will be per load and will be for a two (2) year period which will end on January 5, 2014.

The following is a list of requirements: Successful bidder will have \$1,000,000 Liability Insurance, General Liability, Workmens Compensation 48' 102' unloader walking floor trailers with a capacity of 200 cubic yards minimum.

For the use and benefit of the Tishomingo County Board of Supervisors. The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any and all bids submitted. This the 1st day of December, 2011.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO BANKS

Notice is hereby given by the Board of Supervisors of Tishomingo County, Mississippi that it will until 10:00 AM Tuesday, January 3, 2012 receive bids from banks for keeping county funds as a county depository. Said bids to be filed with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of said state and county at the Chancery Clerk's office, Tishomingo County Courthouse Iuka, MS until the aforesaid date and time and under the statute, all bids shall be awarded to the lowest and best responsible bidder for a time beginning January 3, 2012 for a period of two (2) years which will end January 5, 2014.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. This the 1st day of December, 2011.

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LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

OF COLAS CRAWFORD DEATON, DECEASED

CIVIL ACTION NUMBER CV2011-000394-71

ROBERT COLAS DEATON, EXECUTOR

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

LETTERS TESTAMENTARY having been granted on this the 16th day of November, 2011, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi to the undersigned Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Colas Crawford Deaton, Deceased; notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, for probate and registration according to law, within ninety (90) days from the first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE this the 16th day of November, 2011.

Robert Colas Deaton, Executor

d-15-22-29-pd

LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF

DOUGLAS LAVAUGHN TIMBES, DECEASED

CIVIL ACTION NUMBER CV2011-000365-71

EFFIE MAE TIMBES, EXECUTRIX

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

LETTERS TESTAMENTARY having been granted on this 28th day of October, 2011, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi to the undersigned Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Douglas Lavaughn Timbes, Deceased; notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, for probate and registration according to law, within ninety (90) days from the first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE this the 28th day of October, 2011.

Effie Mae Timbes, Executrix

d-15-22-29-pd

PUBLIC NOTICE TISHOMINGO

Dale Farris will be applying for full pardon 30 days from this posting for the crime of statutory rape committed January 2000, charged in this county and has lived a law abiding life since the crime, forgiveness is sought. If there are objections to the granting of this pardon, please contact the Parole Board by phone at (601) 576-3520, or fax at (601) 576-3528.

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LEGAL NOTICE

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S

NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on 10th day of July, 2009, JEFFERY C. HARBER, executed a deed of trust to Mark Segars, trustee for the benefit of FIRST AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK, which deed of trust is recorded as Instrument Number 2009002424 in the office of the Chancery Clerk of the County of Tishomingo, State of Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, the aforesaid, FIRST AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK, the holder of said deed of trust and the note secured thereby, substituted HAROLD S. JACKSON, as Trustee therein, as authorized by the terms thereof, by instrument dated December 9, 2011, and recorded in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk as Instrument Number 2011003955; and

WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said deed of trust and the entire debt secured thereby, having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust, and the legal holder of said indebtedness, FIRST AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK, having requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee to execute the trust and sell said land and property in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees, Substituted Trustee's fees and expense of sale;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold S. Jackson, Substituted Trustee in said deed of trust, will on the 19th day of January, 2012, offer for sale at public outcry for cash to the highest bidder, and sell within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M.) at the East Front door of the Tishomingo County Courthouse, Iuka, Mississippi, the following described property situated in the County of Tishomingo, State of Mississippi, to-wit:

Part of the NW ¼ of the SE ¼ of Section 22, Township 5 South, Range 10 East, Tishomingo County, Mississippi, commencing at the intersection of the I. C. Railroad with the center of Old Burgess Road in said ¼, ¼ section; thence North 77 degrees 28 minutes East 250 feet to an iron pin on the South side of said road and the point of beginning hereof; thence North 77 degrees 28 minutes East 151.0 feet to the Crowe Lot; thence with the Crowe line South 18 degrees 10 minutes East 151.0 feet; thence North 88 degrees 00 minutes East 150.0 feet to Highway #25 right of way; thence South 22 degrees 30 minutes East 362.5 feet; thence departing said right of way and with the Milam line South 57 degrees 36 minutes

West 100.0 feet to an existing iron pipe; thence South 20 degrees 30 minutes East 170.0 feet to the Martin line; thence with the said line South 69 degrees 10 minutes West 155.0 feet to an existing iron pipe; thence with the Scroggins Easterly line North 23 degrees 36 minutes West 779.0 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 3.4 (3-4/10) acres, more or less.

I WILL CONVEY only such title as is vested in me as Substituted Trustee.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this the 13th day of December, 2011.

Harold S. Jackson

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE

Post Office Box 414

301 W. Eastport Street

Iuka, Mississippi 38852

(662)-423-6880

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LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

ESTATE OF RONALD JOSEPH PHILLIPS, DECEASED

NO. CV 2011-000419-71

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 7th day of December, 2011, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to the undersigned Executrix of the Estate of Ronald Joseph Phillips, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of this Court for probate and registration according to law, within ninety (90) days from the first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred.

THIS the 7th day of December, 2011.

Jacquelyne Judy Phillips

Executrix of the Estate of Ronald Joseph Phillips, De

LEGAL NOTICE
SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S
NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on September 3, 1998, Anthony G. Chadwick a/k/a Anthony Chadwick and Deborah L. Chadwick a/k/a Deborah Chadwick, executed a Deed of Trust to Rebecca Phipps, Trustee for the benefit of SouthTrust Bank, National Association, Mobile Service Division, as recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, in Book 241 at Page 138, reference to which is hereby made; and,

WHEREAS, on December 28, 2004, SouthTrust Bank, N.A. merged with Wachovia Bank, N.A., and Wachovia Bank, N.A., succeeded to all rights and interests of SouthTrust Bank, N.A. Mobile Service Division in the subject Deed of Trust; and WHEREAS, by corrective Assignment dated August 24, 2011, Wachovia Bank, N.A., a national banking association, as successor by merger to SouthTrust Bank, National Association Mobile Service Division assigned said Deed of Trust to 21st Mortgage Corporation, a Delaware corporation, and as recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi as Instrument No. 2011003674, reference to which is hereby made; and,

WHEREAS, pursuant to an Agreed Final Judgment executed and entered by the Tishomingo County Chancery Court on October 31, 2011, in Cause No. CV2011-000331-71mm, and recorded as Instrument No. 2011003629 in the records of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, the Deed of Trust recorded in Book 241 at Page 138 was reinstated, revived and restored; and

WHEREAS, said 21st Mortgage Corporation, under the power granted to it in said Deed of Trust, by instrument dated November 22, 2011, duly spread upon the record and recorded in Book as Instrument No. 2011003904, in the office of the Chancery Clerk aforesaid, did substitute the undersigned Marc K. McKay in the place and stead of the original Trustee and of any other Substituted Trustee;

WHEREAS, default having been made by said Anthony G. Chadwick a/k/a Anthony Chadwick and Deborah L. Chadwick a/k/a Deborah Chadwick in the payment of the above mentioned indebtedness as it fell due, and payment having been requested by 21st Mortgage Corporation, the legal holder of the indebtedness secured by and described in the above mentioned Deed of Trust;

WHEREAS, the undersigned was called upon to execute the Trust therein contained, the owner of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust having declared it due and payable, and to sell said property under the provisions of said Deed of Trust for the purpose of raising said sum so secured and unpaid, together with the expenses of selling same, including Trustee's and attorneys fees; NOW, THEREFORE, I, the undersigned Marc K. McKay being the Substituted Trustee, do hereby give notice that on January 18, 2012, between 11:00 o'clock a.m. and 4:00 o'clock p.m., being the legal hours of sale, I will proceed to sell at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, at the Front door of the Tishomingo County Courthouse in Iuka, State of Mississippi, the following real property described and conveyed in said Deed of Trust, lying and being situated in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, and being more particularly described as follows:

Part of Lot 2, Block 3, of the official survey of the Town of Burnsville, Tishomingo County, Mississippi, and lying in the Northwest Quarter of Section 12, Township 3 South, Range 9 East, Tishomingo County, Mississippi and being more particularly described as follows:

Commence at the Northwest Corner of the Northwest Quarter of Section 12, Township 3 South, Range 9 East, Tishomingo County, Mississippi; Thence run South with the West boundary line of said Northwest Quarter 70.72 feet; Thence run East 980.11 feet to an nail set in the right of way of Municipal Park Public Road for the point of beginning; Thence run South 03 degrees 52 minutes 18 seconds West 396.40 feet to an iron pin; Thence run South 70 degrees 05 minutes 12 seconds East 156.67 feet to a U.S. Government Boundary Marker; Thence run North 03 degrees 52 minutes 18 seconds East 454.11 feet to an iron pin set on the South edge of Municipal Park Public Road; Thence run South 88 degrees 24 minutes 09 seconds West 151.27 feet to the true point of beginning, containing 1.47 acres more or less. This property is subject to the right of way of the Public Road.

AND ALSO:

1999 Fleetwood 28 x 76 S/N TN-FLW27AB51929-SR12

I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substituted Trustee.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this the 15th day of December, 2011.

_____/s/ Marc K. McKay

MARC K. MCKAY

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE

MARC K. MCKAY

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LEGAL NOTICE
SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S
NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on the 26th day of March, 2003, Samuel James and Barbara James, executed a Deed of Trust to CTC Real Estate Services, Trustee for the use and benefit of Countrywide Home Loans, Inc., which Deed of Trust is on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, in Deed of Trust Book 305 at Page 134 thereof; and

WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust was ultimately assigned to Bank of America, N.A. successor by merger to BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP fka Countrywide Home Loans Servicing, LP, by assignment on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, as Instrument No. 2011003750 thereof; and

WHEREAS, the legal holder of the said Deed of Trust and the note secured thereby, substituted Bradley P. Jones, as Trustee therein, as authorized by the terms thereof, by instrument recorded in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk as Instrument No. 2011003755 thereof; and

WHEREAS, default having been made in the performance of the conditions and stipulations as set forth by said Deed of Trust, and having been requested by the legal holder of the indebtedness secured and described by said Deed of Trust so to do, notice is hereby given that I, Bradley P. Jones, Substitute Trustee, by virtue of the authority conferred upon me in said Deed of Trust, will offer for sale and will sell at public sale and outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, during the legal hours (between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m.) at the East front door of the County Courthouse of Tishomingo County, at Iuka, Mississippi, on the 12th day of January, 2012, the following described land and property being the same land and property described in said Deed of Trust, situated in Tishomingo County, State of Mississippi, to-wit:

Beginning at the Southwest Corner of the North Half of the Southwest Quarter of Section 15, Township 3 South, Range 10 East, Tishomingo County, Mississippi, thence run East 1766.16 feet to the true point of beginning; thence run North 647 feet along the East boundary line of the Tennessee Pulp and Paper Company property to the South side of a gravel road; thence run North 88 degrees 10 minutes East along the South side of said gravel road 275 feet; thence run South 10 degrees 28 minutes West 662 feet along the West side of a gravel road; thence run West 147.8 feet to the true point of beginning. Containing 3.1 acres, more or less.

Title to the above described property is believed to be good, but I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substitute Trustee.

WITNESS my signature, on this the 15th day of December, 2011.

BRADLEY P. JONES

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE

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LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF

TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

RE: ESTATE OF HAROLD PRICE, DECEASED CAUSE

NO.: CV2011-000426-71

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons having claims against the Estate of Harold Price, Deceased, that Letters Testamentary were granted the undersigned as Administratrix of said Estate by the Chancery Court of said County on the 20th day of December, 2011, and all persons holding claims against said Estate are hereby notified to have same probated and registered, according to law, by the Chancery Clerk within ninety (90) days from date of the first publication of this Notice which occurred on December 22nd, 2011, otherwise such claim, or claims, not so probated, will be forever barred.

THIS the 20th day of December, 2011.

SHANA PRICE HOLLON, Administratrix of the Estate of Harold Price, Deceased

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IUKA, MISSISSIPPI 38852

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Letters to Santa from all the Little Children at Little Crumb Snatchers

Dear Santa, I've been a really good boy this year, so I hope I get lots of presents! For Christmas, I want a football, some toy trucks, and some Elmo movies. Oh, and a lump of coal for my sister as a joke. (PS Don't tell Mom!)

Thanks Santa and Merry Christmas, Dalton White

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy. All I want for Christmas is a guitar, so I can play with my daddy. I want a small broom to help Mommy sweep the kitchen. You can bring me other surprises too!

Love, CamCam

Dear Santa, This year I would like to get a football and basketball, a Woody doll, and a radio flyer coupe car. I will leave you some milk and cookies by the tree. Merry Christmas!

Thanks Santa! Cameron Bray

Dear Santa, Can you please bring me a puppy dog, a little baby kitty and a Minnie Mouse! I have been a good girl this year.

Love, Addi Sloan

Dear Santa, This year for Christmas could you please bring me a Lightning McQueen car, a big truck to ride on and most of all I just want my Mommy.

Thank you, Caleb Robertson

Dear Santa Claus, Could you please send me a kitty cat and a puppy for Christmas. I also want a Spiderman toy! I have been very good all year. Oh, I also want candy.

Love you, Caroline Robinette

Santa, This year for Christmas I want lots of stuff. I want a new teddy bear, a dinosaur, a green and a purple truck that has treasures, and a big 4-wheeler that goes really fast!

Thank you, Caylee Clingan

Dear Santa, For Christmas could you please bring me some new Scooby-Doo movies. They are my favorite to watch. Also, I want a blue 4-wheeler cause blue is my favorite color. I have been very good this year!

Love you, Cullan Strickland

Dear Santa, Can you please bring me some new baby dolls, a 3-wheeler, a truck and a pink pony (not a big one, just a little one).

Thank you, Emilyn Davis

Dear Santa, I would love for you to bring me a big pink pony, a pink princess car, some new crayons, a purse, a new jacket, and new shoes! I have been sweet all year!

Thank you, Gracie Walker

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year could you please bring me some new toys, a blue 4-wheeler, a book about planes, some Christmas music, and one more Christmas tree with a star on top. Most of all can you send some soap for my Mommy's bathtub. I have been a good boy.

Thank you, Luke Nunley

Dear Santa, Here is my Christmas want list: baby dolls, puppy dogs, kitty cats, Elmo toys, Blues Clues, Dora the Explorer. I have been really good and this year please bring me whatever you can.

Love, Bella Gresham

Dear Santa, I've been an extra good boy this year. Could you please bring me some toy cars and some dinosaurs. Please!!

Love, Walker Parsons

Letters* to* Santa*

Dear Santa, My name is Kenlie Wadkins and I am 1 year old and I have been such a good girl this year. I would love to have a baby doll that talks and a lot of things that make loud noises. Also, would you please bring something nice for my big sister Emalie. Thank you Santa.

Love, Kenlie Bug

Dear Santa, I would like any toys that plays music and lights up, especially the Dance and Play Puppy!

Peyton Vick

P.S. And of course...my two front teeth! (to match the bottom two)

Tishomingo Elementary School

Kacey Phifer's 2nd Grade Class

Letters To Santa

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want surprises, an iPhone cover, air brush tattoos, and Radiance perfume by Britney Spears. I have been a good girl. I will leave you milk and goodies. Merry Christmas! Love, Claire-Mann Taylor

Dear Santa, All I want for Christmas is a new ponytail holder, a cash register with food, and money. I have been a good girl. I hope you have a safe trip to my house. Love, Chloe Pounders

Dear Santa, All I want for Christmas is my two teeth beside my two front teeth. Ha! Ha! I have been a pretty good boy this year. I want an iPad, two Xbox 360 controllers, a microphone, a calendar, and a good Christmas. I helped my mawmaw clean her living room last month. I love you, Santa! Love, Aiden Quinn

Dear Santa, All I want for Christmas is toy cars. I've been a good boy this year. I've helped clean around the house. Love, Cade Bishop

Dear Santa, All I want for Christmas is a sliding phone. I have been a good girl this year because I helped my mom do chores. I will leave you milk and cookies. I love you! I hope you have a safe trip to my house. Love, Danielle South

Dear Santa, All I want for Christmas is a guitar and some presents. I love you, Santa! I'm leaving you some cookies and milk. Will you please bring me some toys? Santa, you will be nice, want you? I have been a good boy this year. Love, Tyler Robbins

Dear Santa, All I want for Christmas is Kanani's American Girl world collection, lip gloss, and everybody to be nice. I helped my mom clean the dishes. I love you, Santa! Love, Taylor Foster

Dear Santa, I have been a good girl this year. All I want for Christmas is a DS and a game, some surprises, and some money. I also would like a pet cat. I will name her Princess. I love you, Santa! Love, Dixie Bond

Dear Santa, All I want for Christmas is some games for my DS and some games for my PlayStation. Please! I will leave you cookies and milk. Merry Christmas! Love, Nicholas Paden

Dear Santa, All I want for Christmas is a set of drums, a microphone, some more dolls, a princess crown, candy for my stocking, and movies. I have been a good girl this year. I helped my mama clean the house and I helped my pawpaw pick up leaves. I have some cookies and milk for you and a note. I love you! Love, Anna-Grace Hamm

Dear Santa, I want a black angry bird and a Wii game for Christmas. Also, I would like a toy for my sister. Thank you, Santa! Love, Dylan McKinney

Dear Santa, All I want for Christmas is play food and a toy cash register. I have been a good girl this year. I want to have a good Christmas, too. I also want some fake money, please. Love, Hailie Nichole Sparks

Dear Santa, I hope that I have a wonderful Christmas this year. My sister wants a play house, but you can just get me and my sister a go-cart to share. If that is too big, you can get us a Wii to share. Oh, and I hope you like chocolate chip cookies. Hopefully, we'll have enough carrots for Rudolph. Love, Madison Bennett

Dear Santa, All I want for Christmas is a new black and white soccer ball. I also want a dirt bike and a red bayblade. I am a nice boy. Love, Andrew Lambert

Dear Santa, All I want for Christmas is a bedroom suit. I have been a good girl this year. I also want some Little Pet Shops and their houses. Merry Christmas, Santa! Love, Belle Bishop

Dear Santa, All I want for Christmas is a Barbie Dream Townhouse, an iPod, a TV in my room, and Scooby Doo movies. I will give your reindeer oats for energy. I will leave you milk and cookies. I will love you forever and ever. Oh, yeah, I also want make-up, Moxey on the mic., and a real phone. Love, Daisy Calley

Dear Santa, All I want for Christmas is a dirt bike, a phone, a PlayStation3, a Saint Row 2 game, and a Saint Row 3. I have been a pretty good boy this year. Love, Cole Moss

Dear Santa, All I want for Christmas is a four wheeler. I have been a pretty good boy this year. I would also like a RC car. Please be careful on the way to my house. Love, Isaac Horn

Dear Santa, All I want for Christmas is a Nintendo DS, some games, a bike, and a lava lamp. I have been a real good boy this year. Love, Mason Bramlett

Letters To Santa

Burnsville Elementary

- Mrs. Barnes' 2nd Grade Class

Dear Santa, I have been good this year. Please leave me a Barbie doll, a horse toy, an iPod and a phone. I will leave you some chocolate chip cookies. Your friend, Yaire Ara

Dear Santa, I have been a good girl this year. Please leave me an iPod, racer scooter, the Elf on the Shelf movie, some Barbies and American Girls Emily and Mollie. I will leave you cookies and milk. I will also leave the reindeer some carrots. Your Friend, Sarah Grace Barnes

Dear Santa, I've been a good boy this year. I would like a power wing, a set of cars, the Planet of the Apes movie, a basketball, and an exploder. I will leave you some milk and cookies. Sincerely your friend, Jacob Cutshall

Dear Santa, I have been good this year. I would like an x-box 360,

a Wii, a play horse, and Dr. Seuss books. I will leave you chocolate chip cookies and a glass of milk. I will leave the reindeer some food. Your friend, Kayleigh Grimes

Dear Santa, I've been a good girl this year. Please bring me an x-box 360, GoGo the Walking Dog, a phone, and an iPod. I love you, Santa. I will leave you some chocolate cookies and milk. Your Friend, Raylea Hill

Dear Santa, I have been a good girl this year. Will you bring me Orbees, a new bike, Easy Bake Oven, a dancing baby doll and a basketball. I will leave you chocolate chip cookies and chocolate milk. I will leave reindeer food for the reindeer. Your friend, Katie Horton

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy this year. I would like a real horse. I would also like baby puppies, a big blue truck and a play horse trailer. I will leave you some Oreos and milk. I will give your reindeer some macaroni. Your Friend, Brady Hudson

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy this year. Please bring me an x-box 360, games, pogo stick, and a bike. I will leave you chocolate cookies and milk. Your friend, Jake Johnson

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy this year. I want a Mario Racekart 7. I will leave you some chocolate chip cookies and milk. Your friend, Michael Lovelace

Dear Santa, I have been a good girl this year. I want a Zhu Zhu Pet, books, a Wii, games, dress-up dresses, and matching shoes. I will leave you hot fudge brownies and water. I will leave reindeer food for the reindeer. I want to celebrate the real meaning of Christmas. Your friend, Ali Monroe

I have tried to be a good boy but it is hard. Please bring me a Playstation 3, PSP, spurs, a cowboy hat, a new belt buckle, and a peddle kart. I will leave you chocolate chip cookies and milk. Your friend, Caden Newcomb

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy this year. Will you please bring me a RC truck, a glow-up light saber, an x-box 360, an iPad 2, and R2D2. I will leave you some Oreos and milk. I will leave your reindeer some corn. Your friend, Landon Osborn

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy this year. Please bring me a walkie talkie and a new pair of shoes. I will leave you some candy canes on the tree and milk on the table in the living room. Your friend, Ali Sebah

Dear Santa, I have tried to be a good boy but it is hard for me. Can you please bring me a DS Merry Christmas and have a Happy New Year. Your friend, JoJo Sebah

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Enjoy the Beauty of the Season

May you revel in the splendor of the season and marvel at the miracle of all living things large and small.
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The *Tishomingo County News* thanks our readers for their loyalty through all the years, and our advertisers for making it possible for us to serve Tishomingo County, and all our readers and subscribers with all the news that affects our little corner of Mississippi. Have a happy, blessed Christmas, and a safe and prosperous New Year in 2012.



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Landon Brooks—Monster truck and a bicycle.
Bethany Brown—A baby doll and Cinderella Scooter.
Emmalee Bunns—DS and a game for DS and little ribbons that go in your hair.
Aden Cox—Green Lantern House Toy and a hunting gun.
Eli Deshazier—DS and a game for DS.
Jordan Dixon—Monster Truck and a big BB Gun.
Jordan Glidewell—A train and Iron Man and Batman.
James Daniel Haynes—Toy Story and Toy Story 3.
Hunter Lambert—Helicopter and a guitar.
Gavin Null—A Surprise toy and one story book.
Jonathan Spoon—A surprise toy and a water gun.

Letters* to* Santa*

Mason Stanphill—A computer and a big monster truck.

Dre Troy—A dragon and a wagon.

Jake Tucker—A diesel cho-cho train with a face on it.

Maycie Westbrook—A paint brush set and a baby doll and some clothes.

Burnsville Headstart Unit 3 Mrs. Trish/Mrs. Melonie/Mrs. Peggy

Megan Davis—Horse, bike and a costume.

Sara Beth Twitty—Real baby puppy.

Eva Wallace—Guitar, piano, Barbie doll, blocks, crayons, toy baby doll.

Dylan Rogers—Big monster truck.

Olivia Young—A real computer.

Madeline Wood—Blue high heel shoes, blue earrings, rings, Tinker Bell suite sz. 2.

Sara Hubbard—Pink present, fish.

Haylie Modlin—Cooking set.

Alex Tapp—Bumblebee Transformer, Hot Rod Cars, real water gun.

Patrick Stidham—Train, big truck, and a DS3.

Brooklyn Keller—Bridle, saddle, and saddle blanket for my horse.

Sayben South—Motorcycle, tricycle, boat, bracelet, necklace, toy train.

Ethan Sanders—Mustang car, monster truck dirt bike, wood set.

Tristin Williams—Basketball and a basketball goal.

Eadin Williams—A real horse, reindeer, donkey, cow and a pet rabbit.

David Goforth—Little army men and Power Ranger toys.

Trevor Perry—Kite, fire fighter and cop car.

Kaden Locker—Scarf, new bed spread, bike, little calendar, new socks.

Burnsville Headstart Unit 2—Ms. Brenda/Ms. Darlene

Ally Ambrosio—A doll and doll house.

Luke Baswell—A Triceratops Dinosaur and a car and truck.

Jamie Braddock—A Tinkerbell CD and a skateboard.

Kaden Carter—A big helicopter and candy.

Rickey Emerson—Something for my dirt bike and a Mustang remote control car.

Jordan Hicks—A monster truck, a remote control robot dog.

Autumn Johnston—A princess game, bike and Barbies.

Madeline Kennedy—A baby doll and a high chair.

Rae Ann Killen—Barbies, a Barbie car and baby dolls.

Huston Ligon—A 4-wheeler and truck.

Ainsley Marlar—A doll house and a doll.

Chandler McDowell—A bike and Leggos.

Alexis McQueen—A baby doll and pink DS.

Britney Mock—A baby doll, a doll bed and toys.

McCaden Rhoads—A deer set and bunch of toys.

Macy Richardson—A baby doll and bed and candy.

Angel Voyles—A DS and a Dora bike and backpack.

Elijah Wilhite—A remote control train with wheels and a Doggy Doo.

Season's Greetings

May all your hopes and dreams come true this holiday season and beyond. Many thanks and Merry Christmas.



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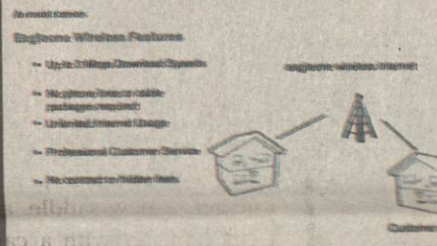
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A Tribute to Soldiers

Warner Rushing of Santa Rosa, CA is sharing this tribute to soldiers with our readers this Christmas season.

By: Lance Corporal James M. Schmidt

Twice the night before Christmas, he lived all alone, in a one bedroom house made of plaster and stone. I had come down the chimney with presents to give, And to see just who in this home did live. I looked all about, a strange sight I did see, No tinsel, no presents, not even a tree. No stocking by mantle, just boots filled with sand, and on the wall pictures of far distant lands. With medals and badges, awards of all kinds, A sobering thought came to my mind. For this house was different, so dark and so dreary, The home of a soldier, now I could see clearly. The soldier lay sleeping, silent, alone, Curled up on the floor in this one bedroom home. The face was so gentle, the room in such disorder, Now how I pictured a United States soldier. Was this the hero of whom I'd just read? Curled up on a poncho, the floor for a bed? I realized the families that I saw this night, Owed their lives to these soldiers who were willing to fight. Soon round the world, the children would play, And grown-ups would celebrate a bright Christmas day. They all enjoyed freedom each month of the year, Because of the soldiers, like the one lying here. I couldn't help wonder how many lay alone, On a cold Christmas eve in a land far from home. The very thought brought a tear to my eye, I dropped to my knees and started to cry. The soldier awakened and I heard a rough voice, "Santa don't cry, this life is my choice; I fight for freedom, I don't ask for more, My life is my God, my country, my corps." The soldier rolled over and soon drifted to sleep, I couldn't control it, I continued to weep. I kept watch for hours, so silent and still, And we both shivered from the cold evening's chill. I didn't want to leave on that cold, dark, night, This guardian of honor so willing to fight. Then the soldier rolled over, with a voice soft and pure, Whispered, "Carry on Santa, it's Christmas day, all is secure." One look at my watch, and I knew he was right. "Merry Christmas my friend, and to all a good night."



Letters to Santa

Mrs. Dawson's Class- 2nd Grade-Burnsville Elementary

Dear Santa,
My name is Christina. I have been very good this year. I would like an iPod, a LeapPad, a DS with lots of girl games and a Moxie girl with a horse set. I'll leave you cookies and milk. I love you! Christina Bobo

Dear Santa,
My name is Regan. I have been good this year. I would like a Nintendo DS, all of the Twilight movies, and an Easy Bake Oven. Love, Regan Alsop

Dear Santa,
My name is Gage. I have been good this year. I would like a new Nintendo game, a new Playstation game, a new Xbox game, the Smurfs movie, basketball cards, and new clothes and shoes. Love, Gage Tackett

Dear Santa,
My name is Ron Riley. I have been very good this year! I would like Dragon Ball Z Ultimate Tenkaichi, new Dragonball toys, a ps3, a tablet, and some new shoes. I'll leave out milk and cookies for you. Love, Ron Riley Waldrop

Dear Santa,
My name is David. I would like either a Wii, a PS3, or a regular Playstation. I'll leave out cupcakes for you and cake and water for the reindeers. I've been very good this year. Merry Christmas! I love you! Love, David Evans

Dear Santa,
My name is Ricky. I have been very good this year. I would like a four-wheeler, a new saddle, and a pet hamster with a cage. Love, Ricky Voyles

Dear Santa,
My name is Seth. I have been kind of good this year. I would like a DS, a DSI, and an Xbox 360. I'll leave out milk and cookies for you. Love, Seth Stidham

Dear Santa,
My name is Eli. I have been very good this year. I would like a Halo Reach game for my Xbox, an iPod, and a real 4g Verizon phone. I'll leave out cookies and milk for you. Love, Eli Garrett

Dear Santa,
My name is Brantley. I have been good this year. I want an iPod touch, a horse, some new boots, a guitar, a game for my Xbox, a 3DS game, and a new saddle. I want my whole family to celebrate Jesus's birthday. Love, Brantley Pulse-Porterfield

Dear Santa,
My name is Braley. I would like an iPad and an iPhone, a flatscreen tv, an MP3 player, and matching clothes for my American Girl doll and me. I want to see you and give you a kiss before you leave! Love, Braley Eaton

Dear Santa,
My name is James. I would like a toy army tank, a new video game, and 100 dollars. Love, James Wilson, Jr.

Dear Santa,
My name is Taylorann. I have been very good this year. I would like a laptop, a DSI, some cowgirl boots, a bike, and an electric scooter for Christmas. I will give you some milk and cookies. I love you! Taylorann Twitty

Dear Santa,
My name is Caleb. I have been kind of good this year. I would like an Xbox 360, some legos, an iPod, a Nerf gun, the movies Elf, Tron, and Despicable Me, and a DSI. I'll leave out milk and cookies. Love, Caleb Bonds

Dear Santa,
My name is Neely. I have been very good this year. I would like a laptop, a DS with games, new earrings, some Wii games, an iPod touch, bunk beds, and a big fish tank. Love, Neely Strickland

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Letters to Santa

Letters To Santa - Burnsville Elementary School Mrs. Kristy Blunt's 1st Grade Class

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a bike like Jake. I want some new boots too.

Love, Luke McDuffy

Dear Santa,
I want a truck, pogo stick, and wall track.

Love, Cole Richardson

Dear Santa,
You are the best Santa. I have been good this year. I would like a Star Wars gun, 3 Beyblades, Cars 2 video game for the Wii, and I would like a dino.

Love, Nicholas Campbell

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. I would really like a new bike, some Barbies, 2 books, and an Easy Bake Oven. I will leave you some milk and cookies.

Love, Audrey Fretwell

Dear Santa,
Please bring me the new Easy Bake Oven, an art case, Barbie doll camper, and Charm School Barbie. I will leave you some cookies and some food for your reindeer.

Love, Alydia Rast

Dear Santa,
My name is Eli Burciaga. I have been good this year so would you please bring me these things for Christmas: Wii, walkie talkies, scooters, MSU stuff, and please bring my brother and sister something too. Thank you, Eli Burciaga

Dear Santa,
My name is Chanler. I would like a DSI, a race car, the Cars 2 movie, some Wii games, set of drums, DVD player, battleship game, and some surprises for Christmas.

Love, Chanler Deshazier

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. Thank you for all the presents that you brought me last year. This year will you please bring me a Strawberry Shortcake babydoll, a cowboy and cowgirl baby doll, an iPad, a fishing rod and reel, and some new clothes. I will leave some Oreos and milk. I will leave your reindeer some too. Please bring my little sister, Autumn some toys and clothes also.

Love, Paisley Barnes

Dear Santa,
I want an iPod and I want shoes and new clothes. I want a phone and a baby doll. I want a DSI and a

new DS game. I love you, dear Santa.

Love, Brooke Wilson
Dear Santa,
I want a sharkship Beyblade, metal fusion Beyblade with controller.

Love, Ethan South
Dear Santa,

How are things in the North Pole? Things are good in Mississippi. I am writing to tell you what I would like for Christmas. I would like a CM Punk wrestler, Chris Jericho wrestler, Stone Cold and the rock wrestlers. I would also like John Cena and a black Spiderman. If you can, please bring me Green Goblin too? Also, you can throw in some Transformers and Decepticons? I would also like Thor, Batman, Joker, and some Power Rangers. Roddy Piper and Iron Man would be nice too. Thank you for all the toys you will bring me. I can't wait until Christmas morning!

Love, Eli Sloan

Dear Santa,
I would like a 4-wheeler for Christmas and a remote control deer hunting truck. Also, a bicycle and a go-cart and Toy Story 3 the movie (3D).

Love, John Michael Wells

Dear Santa,
I would like a Mario 3D land and a Nintendo 3DS and Mario and Sonic for the Wii. Also, a whole set of Mario people (Mario, Luigi, and everyone). I would like Toy Story 3 the movie in Blue Ray. Love, Jesus Conaway

Dear Santa,
I would like a Spiderman, Green Lantern, Iron Man, and Batman. I would like a Wii. Love, Josh Ara

Dear Santa,
I would like a baby doll, a cake and cupcake maker, another baby doll, and an iPod and an iPhone. Love, Lexi Kennedy

Dear Santa,
I want a cookie dog, Barbie, a TV, computer, a backpack, and new earrings. I also want a bunch of surprises. Santa, don't forget my sister. We have been good this year. I will leave you milk and cookies. I love you, Santa! Love, Lily Wilson



Rejoice This Season

Thanks to everyone for a wonderful year. Happy Holidays and a very blessed New Year to each of you.

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The Legend of Santa Claus

The legend of Santa Claus can be traced back hundreds of years to a monk named St. Nicholas. It is believed that Nicholas was born sometime around 280 A.D. in Patara, near Myra in modern-day Turkey.

Much admired for his piety and kindness, St. Nicholas became the subject of many legends. It is said that he gave away all of his inherited wealth and traveled the countryside helping the poor and sick.

One of the best known of the St. Nicholas stories is that he saved three poor sisters from being sold into slavery or prostitution by their father by providing them with a dowry so that they could be married.

Over the course of many years, Nicholas's popularity spread and he became known as the protector of children and sailors. His feast day is celebrated on the anniversary of his death, December 6. This was traditionally considered a lucky day to make large purchases or to get married.

By the Renaissance, St. Nicholas was the most popular saint in Europe. Even after the Protestant Reformation, when the veneration of saints began to be discouraged, St. Nicholas maintained a positive reputation, especially in Holland.

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Here's hoping your holiday season is filled with glad tidings, happiness and joy from beginning to end.

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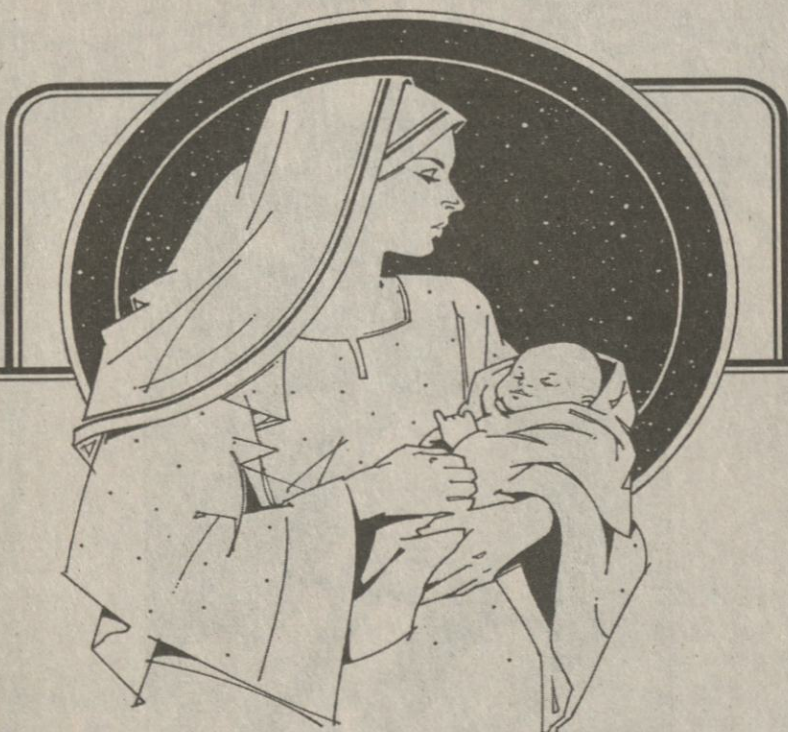
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For unto us a child is born,
unto us a son is given; and the
government shall be upon his
shoulder; and his name shall be
called Wonderful, Counsellor,
The mighty God,
The everlasting Father,
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Isaiah 9:6

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Letters to Santa

Mrs. Marlar's First Grade—Burnsville School

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl all year. Will you please bring me DS games, a sister, clothes, bead maker, and the Barbie doll with the hair strips.

Mackenzie Blakney
Dear Santa,
I want a rabbit. You could also bring me a skating bear like my mom has. I want a baby brother too! I would like a cat and a butterfly.

Alexia Brown
Dear Santa,
My name is Haley Bunn. I have been good all year. I sure hope you come to see me. I would like a Barbie bathtub and a Barbie camping set. I would also like a Lion King stuffed animal, Wii game and a few games for my Nintendo DS would be nice. I'd like a Bratz doll, too. My sister, Emmalee has been okay this year, so please bring her a little present! Thank you. I will leave cookies and milk for you.

Hayley Bunn
Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want, a remote control racecar, Pa-Par Jam guitar.

Anthony Carroll
Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. I want a power ranger, candy, and cars. Thank you!

Daniel Goforth
Dear Santa,
I want a DS game and a Santa suit. I have been a good boy. Thank you!

Keagan Harris
Dear Santa,
Hello! How are you? How is Mrs. Claus and the elves? I hope you all are doing very good. I would like a little mommy doll set.
Julya Lambert

Dear Santa,
I have been good. I would like to have a new

bike and a helmet. I also want a puppy and a computer.

Savannah Lee
Dear Santa,
I want a bunch of Barbie toys, easy bake oven, ice cream maker, pet shops, Justin Bieber perfume, a DS game, Smurf movie, and a puppy dog for Christmas.

Gabby Lovelace
Dear Santa,
I want a computer, helicopter, Wii game, a control blue jet, Lego BoBa Fett, slave T (2000) and scout trooper.

Mcayden Marlar
Dear Santa,
I want a go-cart and pillow pet. I am 6 years old and in 1st grade at Burnsville School. I have been good! I will leave you some cookies and milk.

Jake Reynolds
Dear Santa,
What I want for Christmas is a soccer ball, Wii games, monster trucks, cars for my race track, new helmet for my 4-wheeler. Most of all I want my mom to get better, my family to be healthy, to celebrate the true meaning of Christmas which is the birth of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Zackery Shea
Dear Santa,
I have been good this year. I would like furreal walking puppy, big doll with glasses, and a monster high doll. I would also love some clothes and make-up. Thanks Santa. I love you!

Josie Skinner
Dear Santa,
I want a gun, fish, and deer rifle.

Chase Smith
Dear Santa,
I want a rocket ship and lazer gun. I also would like Sponge Bob toy and a Cars Two phin memissel. I would like a game. I will leave out milk and cookies.
David Tapp.

Dear Santa,
My name is MaKalyn. I am 7 years old. I have been a really good girl this year. I would like for you to bring me a figit Barbie, telescope, microscope, movies, and lots of surprises. I love you Santa! I will leave you some milk and cookies.

MaKalyn Walker
Dear Santa,
I would like a Barbie, dress up doll and clothes for her. I would also like some clothes and lots of surprises.

Lauren Tucker
Dear Santa,
I would like a 4-wheeler, boy kitchen set, laptop, and backhoe.

Silas South
Dear Santa,
I would like some games for my X-box and DS, boys kitchen set, bat mobile, flying shark and a hat.

Hunter Turner
Dear Santa,

My name is Kinslee Inlow. I am five years old. I have been a good girl this year. Please bring me some games, a doll, and pink dress up clothes. I will leave your some milk and cookies. I love you!

Kinslee Inlow
Mrs. Davis' First Grade Class Burnsville School

Dear Santa,
I would like a sled, a computer, a Barbie doll, and a scooter. I would also like a Barbie microphone because I like to sing. I have wanted one for a long time. I have been a really good girl this year. I want some of that slimy stuff you can get at the dollar store. I can not wait to see you.

Love, Mckenzie
Dear Santa,

I have been a good boy this year. I would like some surprises this year. I hope that you have a good trip.

Your pal, Brian
Dear Santa,
I would like a new bike and some surprises. I love you, Santa. I have been a really good girl this year.

Love, Haylee
Dear Santa,

I would like a go-cart, a

motorcycle, and a bike. You are really nice. I have been good most of the time. See you soon.

Your pal, Austin
Dear Santa,
I love you, Santa. I would like to get a DS from you and some DS games. I have been good this year. Have a good trip.

Love your pal,
Ashley
Dear Santa,
I wish I had a football and a 4-wheeler. I am being good. See you later and have a good trip.

I love you, Blayne
Dear Santa,
I would like some roller blades, a helmet, elbow pads, and knee pads. I would also like some earrings. I have been good. See you soon.

Love, Miram
Dear Santa,
I love you, Santa. I would like some surprises. I have been good for you.

Your buddy, Triston
Dear Santa,
I am a good girl. Please bring me lots of toys for me and my brother. My mom and dad have been really good too, so bring them something nice. Also remember my Maw Maws, Paw Paws, my uncles, and my aunts. I love you Santa. I can not wait to see you.

Your buddy, Maggie
Dear Santa,
I would like a bey blade, a dirt bike, and some surprises. I am good. Hope that you have a good trip.

Your buddy,
Bryce
Dear Santa,
I love you, Santa. I would like some presents. I would like a Barbie doll and a real pig. I would call it Brittany. I am a good girl.

Your buddy,
Haley
Dear Santa,
Happy New Years Santa Clause, please bring me surprises so I can have lots of fun. Darren, Baxton, and Lakota would like to have some big presents from you.

Your pal, Siera
Dear Santa,
I love my whole family. I would like some surprises this year. I love you and your elves.

Your friend, Molly
Dear Santa,
I would like a little race car and a truck for Christ-

mas. I have been good this year. I like your elves Santa. I love you, Hunter

Dear Santa,
I would like to have some surprises for Christmas. I want a remote control helicopter that shoots across the sky. The helicopter has a camera in it.

Your buddy, Jeremy
Dear Santa,
I want a X-Box 360 Connect for Christmas. I would also like to have some little wrestlers for Christmas. I have been good.

Love your buddy,
Randel
Dear Santa,
I would like a shotgun for Christmas, a remote

control car, and a spy set. I also would like to get a puppy for Christmas, a play desk, a tool box, and a computer. I would also like a 22 for Christmas. I love you very much Santa and your pals the elves.

Your buddy, Malakai
Dear Santa,
I would like a .410 shotgun. I would love to have a bunch of toys. I have been good this year.

Your buddy, Kam'Rin

Dear Santa,
I would like to get a new puppy and a bike. This is all that I really want this year Santa.

Your buddy Lillie



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Merry Christmas
John's Garage and Staff



Glowing Good Wishes at Christmas

May your season be both merry and bright. Knowing you has been a delight. Thanks!

Ned P. Boston,
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Open Up To Christmas!



As we welcome in yet another holiday season, we'd like to acknowledge all the people who have visited us this year, and wish you all a very joyous and blessed season.

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Be assured that a premium holiday is here. We wish you all good cheer.

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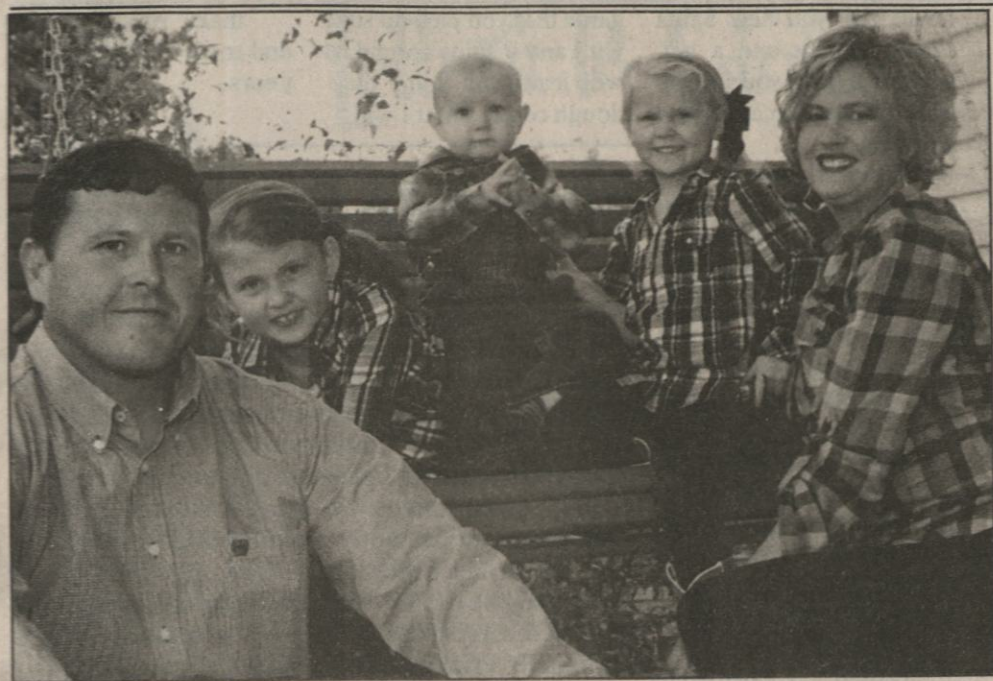
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May faith be your guide during this holy season. We appreciate the good faith you've shown us this year.

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Merry Christmas
from Jeff Holt and Family

The Nativity

In those days a decree went out from Emperor Augustus that all the world should be registered. This was the first registration and was taken while Quirinius was governor of Syria. All went to their own towns to be registered. Joseph also went from the town of Nazareth in Galilee to Judea, to the city of David called Bethlehem, because he was descended from the house and family of David. He went to be registered with Mary, to whom he was engaged and who was expecting a child.

While they were there, the time came for her to deliver her child. And she gave birth to her firstborn son and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger, because there was no place for them in the inn. In that region there were shepherds living in the fields, keeping watch over their flock by night. Then an angel of the Lord stood

before them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid; for see—I am bringing you good news of great joy for all the people: to you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is the Messiah, the Lord. This will be a sign for you: you will find a child wrapped in bands of cloth and lying in a manger." And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host, praising God and saying, "Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace among those whom he favors!"

When the angels had left them and gone into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, "Let us go now to Bethlehem and see this thing that has taken place, which the Lord has made known to us." So they went with haste and found



Mary and Joseph, and the child lying in the manger. When they saw this, they were amazed at what the shepherds told them. But Mary treasured all these words and pondered them in her heart. The shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all they had heard and seen, as it had been told them.

Pinatas

In Mexico, paper mache sculptures called pinatas are filled with candy and coins and hung from the ceiling. Children then take turns hitting the pinata until it breaks, sending a shower of treats to the floor. Children race to gather as much of the loot as they can.



Madison and Mason
Christmas Greetings & Happy New Year
from
Sanchez Chiropractic Center

Merry Christmas & Many Thanks

From all the staff at

Rushing Burnsville Burnsville
Drug Discount Medical
Co. Drugs Clinic



Here's hoping you
and yours enjoy a
really cool holiday!

We're grateful for
your warm
reception this
past year.

Merry Christmas
From

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Iuka, MS



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Letters* to* Santa*

**Tishomingo Head Start
Teacher: Mrs. Vickie
Putnam
Teacher's Assistant:
Mrs. Lacey Crabb**

Briley- I have been a very good boy. I do all the stuff I need to do for my mom when she asks me to. I would like transformers for Christmas like Bumblebee and Optimus Prime. I want a motor cycle, a super fast monster truck with a remote control, and a race car that sticks to the wall. I live in my blue house and I will give you cookies and cold milk.

Danica - I have been a good girl. I be nice to people. I would like a toy mermaid, a princess doll, and some surprises. I will leave you cookies and milk on the table before I go to bed.

Kayle - I have been a good girl. I mind my mommy and my daddy. I would like princess, butterfly, a fairy dress up clothes with a wand and a flower to go with them. I would also like an apple bell like Mrs. Lacey rings in my classroom when it is time

to clean up and a purple telephone like Mrs. Vickie has, and a toy heart. I will leave you cookies, a banana, and milk on a tray by the couch.

Austin - I have been a good boy this year. I mind my mommy and get along with my little sister. I would like a Sheriff Woody toy gun and a Buzz Light-Year with a blue belt. I will leave you cookies and milk. I love you and your deer, Rudolph.

Kassie - I have been a good girl. I play with my brother nice. I would like a Spider-Girl doll and a real puppy to play with and a fuzzy kitten. I will leave you an apple and strawberry juice.

Quinton - I have been a good boy. I would like a fire truck, ambulance, and a police car. I will leave you a peanut butter and jelly sandwich and some milk.

Kylon - I have been a good boy. I would like a dirt bike, a 4-wheeler, a small motor cycle with a remote control, and a gator that you can drive. I will make you cookies and leave

you some juice that me and my mom will get from the store.

Shane - I have been a good boy. I would like a ping pong table, a race car movie and game, a shovel, a small basketball, and a small bicycle that's my size. I will leave you some pancakes and chocolate doughnuts and Sprite to drink.

Lexi - I have been a good girl. I mind mommy and daddy. I would like a dirt bike and a 4-wheeler and some surprises. I will leave you some milk and Cheerios to eat.

Brandon - I have been a good boy. I want 2 fire trucks, a tractor, a dump truck, a bulldozer, and a trailer. I will leave you some grapes and some milk.

Dalton - I have been a good boy. I be good for my mommy and daddy. I want a monster-truck with obstacles and a controller with no cord. I will leave you milk and cookies to eat.

Destini - I have been a good girl. I would like a doll and some surprises. I will leave you some cookies and milk.

Aiden - I've been a good boy all year. I would like a 4-wheeler, a motorcycle, bumblebee and an Optimus prime that opens his eyes. I would also like a man that talks. I will leave you a whole turkey that my Nanny makes and a Pepsi.

Jayden - I have been a good boy. I want batman binoculars and a Batman gun. I want to give you the biggest hug and I love you.

I will give you new Santa Clause clothes and a hat, and I will leave you French fries and ketchup and some sweet tea.

Chris - I have been a good boy this year. I want a dirt bike, a 4-wheeler, a bicycle, a play toy dog, Pop the Pig, and a truck. I always be a big boy. I will leave you some cookies and milk, because they are your favorite.

Aaron - I have been a good boy. I want a bicycle for Christmas. I will leave you a hamburger with mustard, ketchup, mayonnaise, and pickles. You can have water to drink too.

Rayden - I have been a good boy. I haven't lost any clothespins at school. I want a horse, Lightning McQueen, and a lot of paper to draw on and a lot of big colors like the ones at school. I will give you some cookies and milk.

Colton - I have been a good boy this year. I would like a stuffed bunny rabbit, Cars 2 the movie, and Kung Fu Panda the movie for Christmas. I will leave you milk and cookies to eat at my house.

Miesha - I have been a good girl this year. I would like a baby doll with pink clothes. I will leave you round cookies and some juice.

Emily - I have been a good girl this year. I would like a Dora that is a fairy and you get wings with it that spin, a Rapunzel tower to keep at my house, and a

game that you pick up stuff with and it spins around. I will leave you some play-dough cookies that I will make myself for you and some Coke. years.

Christmas Trees

Decorating evergreen trees had always been a part of the German winter solstice tradition. The first "Christmas trees" explicitly decorated and named after the Christian holiday, appeared in Strasbourg, in Alsace in the beginning of the 17th century. After 1750, Christmas trees began showing up in other parts of Germany, and even more so after 1771, when Johann Wolfgang von Goethe visited Strasbourg and promptly included a Christmas tree in his novel, The Suffering of Young Werther.

In the 1820s, the first German immigrants decorated Christmas trees in Pennsylvania. After Germany's Prince Albert married Queen Victoria, he introduced the Christmas tree tradition to England.

In 1848, the first American newspaper carried a picture of a Christmas tree and the custom spread to nearly every home in just a few



Season's Greetings

A special "Thanks" for giving us the opportunity to serve you, and for making our year a successful one. May your holiday season and the coming year be filled with joy and prosperity.

Looking forward to working with you again in 2012.

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Harmony And Joy
At Christmas

From:
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&
Rhonda
Stringer



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Iuka, MS



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THANK YOU FOR
SEEING US!

All signs point to a wonderful season,
And your kind patronage is the reason;
So let us make one thing perfectly clear--
We're grateful for your seeing us this past year!

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Merry Christmas!
From all of us at
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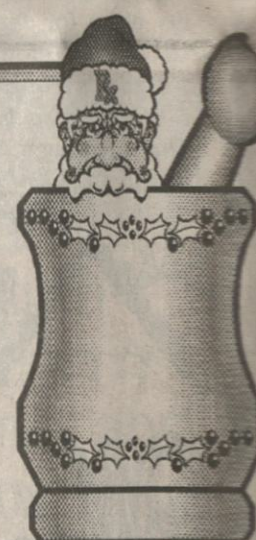
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Our prescription for a happy holiday season includes generous measures of goodwill and cheer along with a healthy dose of gratitude from us. We're really thankful for your confidence and support.

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Tishomingo, MS



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Thank you for allowing us to serve this community for the last 15 years. We look forward to continuing our important role in the industrial development of Tishomingo County.

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Letters* to Santa*

Tishomingo Elementary School - Mrs. Brittney's 2nd Grade Class

Dear Santa,
I want a Wii, MP3 player, Sin Cara toy, PS3, Lion toy, and a Bible. Love, Myles

Dear Santa,
I want a Mario action figure, a limo, a mustang, four wheeler, jeep, a dirt bike, a laptop, an iPod, and a Ben 10 decorations, and my own house. I've been good this year!

Love, Austin S.

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. So here are things I want: new school clothes, new shoes, laptop, iPhone 4, and a merry Christmas. Love, Paris S.

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. I want a puppy this Christmas. I want a phone, toy puppy dog, Xbox 360, squirrel dog, deer dog, some clothes, Play Station 3, hat

and pair of boots. Love, Nichole P.

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year! I deserve this stuff. This is what I want, a phone, a camera, some earrings, and a pet turtle. I want to have a great Christmas. Love, Megan D.

Dear Santa,
This Christmas I've been a really good boy and since you can give all the kids the toys they want I thought you could give me one special wish, a great Christmas! One other thing, I want to meet you in person. Love, Matt S.

Dear Santa,
I want an iPhone 4, WWE 2012, some clothes, a Spiderman web blaster, a gun, and for my dad's knee to get better. Also, I would like an Elf on the Shelf. I've been good this year. Love, Caleb C.

Dear Santa,
I want an iPhone, four wheeler, pet puppy, a big

board, dirt bike, MW3, and a batman toy. I've been a good boy this year. Love, Bryson P.

Dear Santa,
I want a winter toy, race car, iPhone, superhero Batman, and a Ben 10 toy. Love, Dylan D.

Dear Santa,
I want 5 Dagedar balls, 10 Leapster games, Disney Universe game, Cars 2 game, and Go Vacation game. I want these things cause I am nice! Love, Anthony S.

Dear Santa,
I want a Transformer and Paper Jams drums. I would like for my sister to get a baby doll and for my family to come over. I want apples and oranges. I am 7 years old and I have been good this year! Love, Shelby P.

Dear Santa,
What I want for Christmas is my two front teeth, a pink sweater with snow boots, a sparkle outfit with sparkle boots, and some Barbie dolls. I've been good this year! Love, Caty H.

Dear Santa,
I would like a four wheeler, some clothes, hunting clothes, hunting boots, a lot of dresses, skinny jeans, and a lot of toys. Love, Taylor L.

Dear Santa,
Can you get me slime? Because it is slimy and goey. Also, a halo, because it has aliens in it and a Wii with two controllers. I've been a good boy! Love, John W.

Dear Santa,
I want a phone for Christmas. I want a coon dog, an xBox 360, a squirrel dog, and a deer dog. I want

some cowboy boots and a Playstation 2. Love, Kurtis W.

Dear Santa,
Santa, I hope you have a Merry Christmas! My elf is good. I want a scrapbook and a little real puppy. I want some Taylor Swift perfume, Just Dance 3, and some make up. I really want an American Girl doll. Love, Maddyx M.

Dear Santa,
I want a real baby car seat for my baby doll, a watch to tell what time it is, a purse to put my money in, and a pacifier for my baby doll. I want to kick my horse when it won't go. I have been good this year. Love, Elizabeth H.

Dear Santa,
I would like for you to bring me an easy baker and a MP3 player. I have been a really good girl this year! Love, Allison B.

Jingle All The Way!

Wherever you're dashing off to this holiday season, we hope joy and laughter follow all the way. Thanks for including us in your travels this past year. Merry Christmas!

With Appreciation At Christmastime!
Christmas is a time of giving, and we'd like to give our thanks to all of you who have given us so much this past year. Happy Holidays!

Williams Service Center

Issac, Todd, Bob U., Bob L., John, Tony, and Families

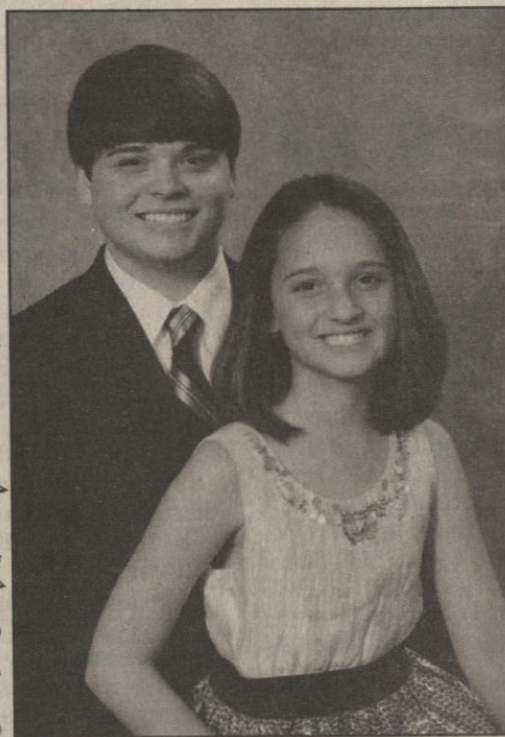


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From every one at
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The Staff at Iuka Discount Drugs



Letters* to* Santa*

Iuka Headstart Unit 2 - Ms. Pam & Mrs. Jennifer's Class

Dear Santa,
My name is Ashlynn T. I am 5 years old. I want a Barbie, one big baby, I need one doll to be a Dora or Hannah Montana, that's what I need. I already got Playdough on my other list, so I just need a pillow pet. I have been a good girl.

Dear Santa,
Happy Thanksgiving, my name is Chiann G. and I have been a good girl. I want a DSI and a computer, a Barbie doll, rain boots, and clothes for Christmas.

Dear Santa,
My name is Kellie-Brooke M. I am 4 years old. I have been a good girl. I want a baby doll, a purple stroller, a baby blanket, and a baby bottle with the baby food.

Dear Santa,
My name is Kyndall L. I am 4 years old. I have been a good girl. I want a Justin Beiber toy, a Barbie doll, a Beauty and the Beast and some slippers, a Cinderella dress and a Justin Beiber shirt. I love you a whole bunch.

Dear Santa,
My name is Averi T. I am 4 years old and I want a stroller and a baby doll, a Justin Beiber record, a Barbie doll and a DS, and a Ariel dress and slippers and a Justin Beiber coloring book and colors.

Dear Santa,
My name is Xander D. and I want all the toys that are in the store but not the girl toys.

Dear Santa,
I want a toy like a man, with a man monster toy with the man. I have been a good boy. My name is Mickey E. and I love you.

Dear Santa,
My name is Sara C. and I have been a good girl. Will you bring me a big

baby, colors, a baby stroller, a baby bottle and baby food. I am 4 years old and I love you very much.

Dear Santa,
My name is Annaston D. I have been really good so can you please bring me a camera, a magnifying glass for you to see bugs and a ball, a big baby and a baseball player and a brand new dog named Oliver.

Dear Santa,
My name is Addie Grace M. I have been so good. Can you bring an I-Phone so I can watch my movies on my I-Phone, and a pink motorcycle that's at Wal-Mart and a 4-wheeler and a Baby Alive that I can feed it, so I need 10 foods and a bottle and a bike with a basket on it so I can put my juice and stuff in it and that's all.

Dear Santa,
My name is Kaley J. I am 4 years old. Can you bring me a baby doll and a pink toy and a green toy. I have been really good and I love you very much.

Dear Santa,
My name is Matthew K. I am 4 years old. I want a computer and a motorcycle. I want a toy kitchen and I want another Christmas tree for my room and some books. I have been really good so can you bring me some roller skates too.

Dear Santa,
My name is Kiley M. and I am 4 years old. I have been a good girl so will you please bring me some presents. I really do want them.

Dear Santa,
My name is Bailly W. I am 4 years old and I have been very good. I was wanting a kitchen that I saw at the Wal-Mart in Tupelo but they was out. Can you find one for me, please.

Dear Santa,
My name is Mason G. I am a very good boy and I am 4 years old. Can you

bring me a computer like Gunner has and some blue roller skates like at school and my own cell phone.

Dear Santa,
My name is Crystal L. I am 4 years old. I have been a very good girl. I want Pot the Pig and that's all. I love you.

Dear Santa,
My name is Aden D. I am a really good girl and can you bring me a lot of good stuff.

Dear Santa,
My name is Justin S. I want to tell you to please bring me some blocks and that's all. I already got one box of blocks but we almost need some more.

Dear Santa,
My name is Macy P. I am really good and want you to bring me some good toys.

Dear Santa,
My name is Dustin S. I am a good boy. I am 4 years old. Will you bring me a lot of toys.

Mrs. Tina Monroe's Kindergarten Class (Burnsville Elementary)

Dear Santa,
I've been a good girl. I wish I had an Easy Bake Oven, a play horse, and a unicorn toy. I will leave some reindeer dust out for the reindeer. I will leave you some chocolate cookies and milk beside the rocking chair. Love, Sonny Butler

Dear Santa,
I've been a really good boy except when I play too rough with my sister. I want a toy four-wheeler, a elf toy for my sister, and some surprises. I will leave you some chocolate chips and some milk. I will leave some reindeer some carrots. I love you, Eli Davis

Dear Santa,
I've been a good girl this year. I would like some new clothes, a bike, and a Barbie doll house. I will

leave you some cookies and milk. I love you,

Angel Doyle
Dear Santa,
I love you! I've been a good girl. I would like a new coloring book and crayons, a new baby doll, a stuffed animal, and some surprises. I will leave you and Rudolph some candy canes. I love you, Bella Fretwell

Dear Santa,
I've been a good girl this year. I would like you to bring me a video game, a crayon book, a toy whistle, and fingernail polish. I will leave you some chocolate chip cookies and some milk. I love you, Mariah Glidewell

Dear Santa,
I've been good this year. I want a space ship, Bay Blades, a rocket, and some surprises. I will leave you some chocolate cookies and some milk on the table. Love, Ashton Hall

Dear Santa,
I've been a good boy this year. I wish I had a long gun, my own books, and a Spiderman toy. I will leave you some chocolate chip cookies and strawberry milk. I love you, Dylan Hicks

Dear Santa,
I've been a good boy. I would like a new bicycle and lots of surprises. I will leave you some donuts and water and some apples for the reindeer. I love you, Cayden Hubbard

Dear Santa,
I've been a very good girl because I've been a Marvelous Mustang. I would like a unicorn rocking chair and some surprises. I will leave you one of my Barbie dolls to give to another girl. I will leave you and the reindeer some food. I love you, Clarissa Knapp

Dear Santa,
I've been a good boy this year. I would like to have a real dirt bike and some toy surprises. I will leave you some chocolate cookies and milk. I love you, Jessie Massengill

Dear Santa,
I've been a good boy. I would like a new lunch box, a Cars II game, wrestling game, and a truck. I will

leave you some chocolate chip cookies and chocolate milk on the table. I love you, Nicholas McQueen

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. I want some princess dolls with dresses, a doll house with a swimming pool, and some surprises. I will leave you some cookies and milk beside the chimney.

I love you,
Jadah Merryman
Dear Santa,
I've been so good. I want a toy dog named Cookie, some make-up, a Hello Kitty bike, and a video game that I can play when I go on trips. I will leave you some chocolate chip cookies and milk in the kitchen. I love Christmas! Love, Kelsie Richardson

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I would like Wall Tracks, doctor stuff, and a Lightn' McQueen Race Track. Love, Warren Shea

Dear Santa,
I've been a good boy. I want a toy jet that really flies with a remote, a cage that catches real tigers, and real bunny trap. I will leave you some cookies and Kit-Kat candies and milk. I will also leave the reindeer some carrots with ranch dressing. I love you, Talon Spoon

Dear Santa,
I've been a very good girl this year. I would like a DS, a new baby doll, and a new Tinker Bell game. I will leave you some chocolate M&M's and chocolate milk. I will leave the reindeer some carrots.

I love you, Madison Tyler

Dear Santa,
I've been a good girl. I want a real four-wheeler, a bicycle, a teddy bear, and real cat. I will leave you and the reindeer a snack. I love you very much,
Nevaeh Walls

Stockings

In the United States and England, children hang stockings on their bedpost or near a fireplace on Christmas Eve, hoping that it will be filled with treats while they sleep. In Scandinavia, similar-minded children leave their shoes on the hearth. This tradition can be traced to legends about Saint Nicholas. One legend tells of three poor sisters who could not marry because they had no money for a dowry. To save them from being sold by their father, St. Nick left each of the three sisters gifts of gold coins. One went down the chimney and landed in a pair of shoes that had been left on the hearth. Another went into a window and into a pair of stockings left hanging by the fire to dry.

Christmas in France

In France, Christmas is called Noel. This comes from the French phrase les bonnes nouvelles," which means "the good news and refers to the gospel.

In southern France, some people burn a log in their homes from Christmas Eve until New Year's Day. This stems from an ancient tradition in which farmers would use part of the log to ensure good luck for the next year's harvest.

Australian Christmas

In Australia, the holiday comes in the middle of summer—it's not unusual for some parts of Australia to hit 100 degrees Fahrenheit on Christmas day. In Sydney, thousands of families prepare their Christmas dinner and take it to Bondi Beach for a picnic. Australians decorate with Christmas Bushes, plants with little red-flowered leaves that are native to Australia.



With Warm Regards

STRAIGHT FROM THE HEARTH,
AND FROM OUR HEARTS, TOO
GO OUR VERY BEST WISHES
TO EACH ONE OF YOU!

HAPPY HOLIDAYS AND MANY THANKS.

Roger's Propane

Joe Walker, Wesley Smith,
Dennis South, Kevin Rogers,
Don Davis, Cindy Davis,
Brian Lambert



Best wishes for a happy and healthy holiday season trimmed with the blessings of peace, love and joy.

We value your trust in us and are grateful to serve you all year long.

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Peace on Earth



May the age-old Christmas story bring its spirit of love and joy to you and your family during this holy season.

With sincere thanks and best wishes from all of us.

Noel!

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TCHS Brave Voices Perform at Barnes

On Thursday, December 8th, the Tishomingo County High School Show Choir, known as the Brave Voices, traveled to the mall at Barnes Crossing in Tupelo to perform Christmas music. Throughout December, the students have given other concerts for various audiences including the public, the TCHS student body, and the Iuka Elementary student body. Their hard work in rehearsal culminated with this performance at the mall. The students are now looking forward to the Spring and their many upcoming events. The Tishomingo County High School Show Choir is under the direction of Mrs. Tara Castile.



Letters* to* Santa*

Tishomingo Elementary Kindergarten

Mrs. Beth Bray's Class

Dear Santa,
I want a dolly. I want a big angel teddy bear. I want a butterfly to color. I want a heart pillow. I want a pink cover. I want a snowman teddy bear. I want a doll house. I want paper for art. Your friend, Nya Jade Reno

Dear Santa,
I would like an xBox 360. Games to go with the system. I would also want a Nintendo DS. Your friend, Jeremy Brock

Dear Santa,
I thank you for last years toys. This year I've been a lot of good at school some and sometimes at home and I want a crane with a bucket and remote control that's yellow, lightning McQueen pad with Mater and lightning McQueen cars that roll on the pad, rescue bot house, the ultimate Optimus Prime, Mega Mind Wii game, Super Mario 3D land for DS, and the Smurfs and Cars 2 DVDs. Thanks! Your friend, Triston Stanford

Dear Santa,
Thanks for my presents last year and I love you and I think you are so sweet. I've been good this year, kind of I think and I want a halo, play house, a canopy for my bed, a Nala stuffed animal from the Lion King, Christmas ornaments, stompies, The Lion King 2 movie, a new house for my guinea pig, and a blue necklace, and black sunglasses. Please and thank you so much! Your friend, Katelyn Stanford

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. For Christmas, I want a Lala Loopsy Nintendo DS game, a Lala Loopsy doll, puzzles, and maybe some Barbie dolls. I love Barbies! I also want a few surprises and a big Hershey kiss. I will leave you some of Mama's fudge and an apple for Rudolph. Your friend, Riley Phifer

Dear Santa,
My name is Landon. I am 6 yrs old. I have tried very hard to be good this year. I would like for you to bring me a Nintendo DS, a race track with cars, and a toy motorcycle. Please bring Randy a gun and bring Kari a book. I will leave you some milk and cookies. Your friend, Landon Burcham

Dear Santa,
I really wish I could go to the North Pole and visit you. How have you been? I've been a really good boy

this year. I even started school and I like it (and my teacher). For Christmas, there are a few toys I'd like to have. Would you bring me Transformers Legos, please. I would also like Skyliner Transformer please. Your friend, Ryan Patterson

Dear Santa,
My name is Nicholas Cage Daniel. I am 6 yrs old. I have been an ok boy this year. So I would like to have a PSP system and games. Also would like to have a Wii console and games and some surprises. Also I would like to add I have 2 sisters. They have been pretty good. Samantha is 13 and wants a cellphone. Maria, she is 11 and would like an Alabama jersey. Thanks Santa and we will leave extra cookies out for you with a big glass of milk. You be safe and tell your reindeer I said hi. Your friend, Nicholas Daniel

Dear Santa,
I would like a big foot, some race cars, star wars things and other surprises please. I have tried so hard to be good this year, but sometimes is easier than others, maybe you can understand. Please be good to my big sister, Gaycee. She likes anything girly or pink. We will leave cookies and milk! Thank you so much and be careful! Wear your seatbelt! Your friend, Andru Ryan

Dear Santa,
My name is Marlee Hill, and I'm 5 years old. I've been a good girl this year! Please bring me a DSi, an iPod and a car. I will leave you some cake and milk. Your friend, Marlee Hill

Dear Santa,
Merry Christmas! My name is Brandon, and I am 6 years old. I have been a good boy this year. Please bring me 3 trucks, a bear, and a Toy Story movie. Your friend, Brandon Arnold

Dear Santa,
I would like to get a babydoll with clothes and a Tinkerbell. A computer and a new phone so I can text, some flip flops so I can wear them to school, some cards so I can play UNO, and some new clothes so I can wear them to church. I'm going to leave you some sausage gravy and biscuits for you to eat. Your friend,

Annabell Watson

Dear Santa,
My name is Makenzie Knecht, and I have been a very good girl this year. I would like a squunkle set, Fijit Friends Sage, and Teacup

Piggies for Christmas. My little brother, James Knecht, has been good too, and he would like some trucks, a tool bench, and lots of surprises for both of us. Oh, please don't forget Minnie Mae our dog. She needs a new toy too. I promise to leave you milk and cookies. Your friend, Makenzie Knecht

Dear Santa,
I would like for Christmas a big knife for Daddy, makeup for Mommy, toy car for Bubby, a baby doll for Sissy, and for me, I would like a purse, sneakers, a baby doll, flip flops, books to read, clothes, toys, and anything else you might want to give me. Your friend, Alexis Scialabba



Letters* to* Santa*

Dear Santa,

My name is Luke and I am 16 months old. I have been a very good boy this year. I would like for you to bring me a Cars 4-wheeler, Cars 2 movie, a guitar and lots of surprises. I will leave you some milk and cookies and something special for the reindeer.

Luke Qualls

Dear Santa,

My name is Mason and I am 6 months old. This is my first Christmas. I have been a really good boy this year. I would like for you to bring me lots of surprises. I will leave you some milk and cookies.

Mason Byrd

Dear Santa,

My name is Eli and I am 8 years old. I want some big things for Christmas this year. Would you please bring me an I-Pad, I-Pod and an I-phone. I will leave you some milk and cookies.

Eli Howell

Dear Santa,

My name is Emalyn and I am 2 years old. I have been a really good girl this year. I would like for you to bring me a dollhouse, a baby doll and a princess. I will leave you some milk and cookies.

Emalyn Marlar

Dear Santa,

My name is Graham and I am 3 years old. I have

been a good boy this year. I am really excited about you coming. Could you please bring me some dinosaur toys, a big TV, 4-wheeler and a dinosaur movie. I will leave you some milk and cookies and carrots for the reindeer.

Graham Oaks

Dear Santa,

My name is Mary Katherine and I am 17 months old. I have been a really good girl this year. I would like for you to bring me a Tinkerbell 4-wheeler, a playhouse, and some baby dolls. I will leave you some milk and cookies and carrots for the reindeer.

Mary Katherine Davis

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Robin Redbreast's Christmas Song

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There was once an old gray Cat, who went for a walk one Christmas morning to see what she could see. As she was walking by a small lake, she saw a Robin hopping about on a branch.

"Good morning, Robin Redbreast," she said, "Where are you going on this cold and frosty morning?"

"I'm going to the King," answered the Robin, "to sing him a Christmas Song."

"Oh, but wait before you go," said the Cat. "Hop down to me a minute and I'll show you the beautiful white ring around my neck."

But Robin looked down on Cat and saw an evil look in his eye.

"Ha! ha! gray Cat," He said, "You can't trick me. I saw you show your white ring to the little gray mouse and you ate him! I'm not coming down to you! I'm flying straight on to the King!"

So he spread his wings and flew away. He flew, and he flew, and he flew, till he came to a fence. There sat a greedy old Hawk who was looking about for his breakfast.

"Good morning, Robin Redbreast," cried the greedy old Hawk, "where are you going on this cold and frosty morning?"

"I'm going to the King," answered the wee Robin, "to sing him a Christmas Song."

"Oh, but wait before you go," said the greedy old Hawk, come close and see my magic green feather.

But the wee Robin did not like the look in the eye of the greedy old Hawk.

"Ha! ha! old Hawk," he said, "I saw you peck at the tiny birds, and you'll not peck at me. I'm going straight on to the King!"

So he spread his wings and flew away. He flew, and he flew, and he flew, till he came to a hillside where he saw a sly old fox looking out of his hole.

"Good morning, Robin Redbreast," said the sly old Fox. "Where are you going on this cold and frosty morning?"

"I'm going to the King," answered the wee Robin, "to sing him a Christmas Song."

"Oh, but wait before you go," said the sly old Fox, "let me show you the black spot I have on the end of my tail."

"Ha! ha! sly Fox," said

the Robin, "I saw chase a small lamb, I'm not interested in the spot on your tail. I'm going straight on to the King."

So the Robin Flew away once more, and never rested till he came to a rosy-cheeked boy, who sat on a log and eating a big piece of bread and butter. The tired Robin sat on a high branch and watched boy.

"Good morning, Robin Redbreast," said the boy. "Where are you going on this cold and frosty morning?"

"I'm going to sing a Christmas Song to the King," answered the Robin.

"Come a bit nearer," said the boy, "and I'll give you some crumbs from my bread."

"No way rosy-cheeked boy," I saw you catch a goldfinch with your crumbs. I am not interested in your crumbs. I'm flying straight on to the King."

So, no matter who begged him to stop and wait the Robin flew straight on to the King. And he lit on the window-sill of the palace.

There he sat and sang

the sweetest Christmas song he knew. He was so happy because it was Christmas Time that he wanted the whole wide world to be as happy as he. And he sang, and he sang, and he sang.

The King and Queen sat at the window, and they were so pleased with his joyful song that they asked each other what they could do to pay him for his loving thought in coming so far to sing to them.

"I know what we can do," said the Queen, "we can find him a friend." Then the King clapped his hands and asked his servants to find a friend for Robin Redbreast. One servant knew a bird named Jenny Wren who lived in the kitchen courtyard.

"Bring her to me," said the King. Jenny Wren and Robin Redbreast, when introduced, liked each other very much. They sat side by side on the window-sill, and they sang, and they sang. And they sang on that merry Christmas morning and many Christmas mornings there after.

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Kurtis Franks

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