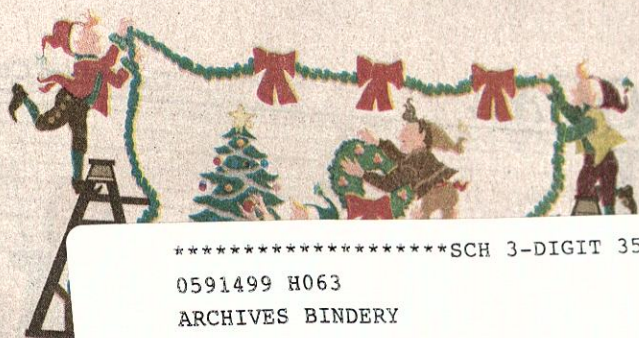


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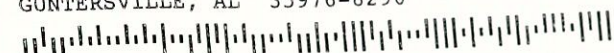
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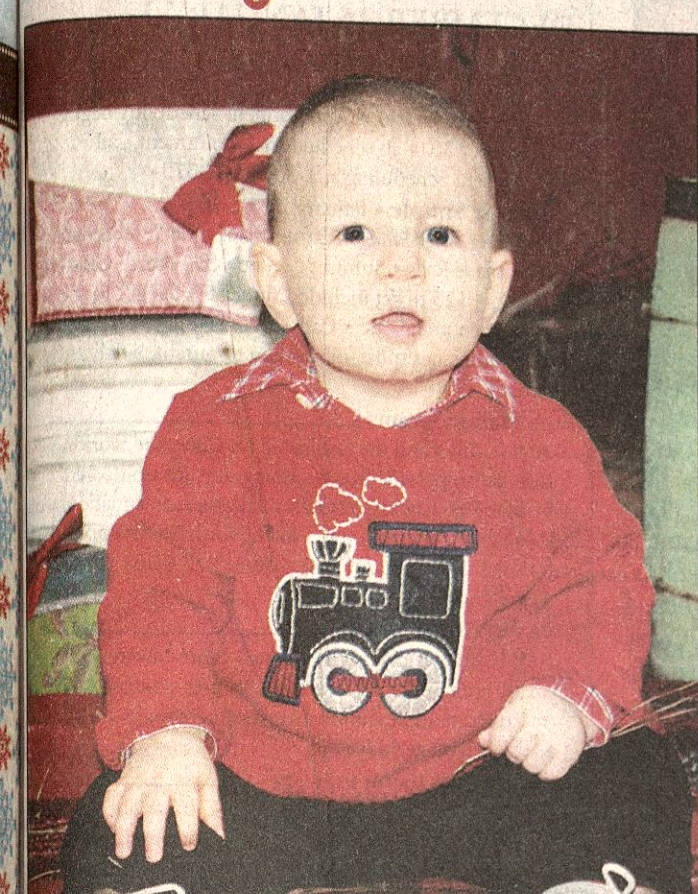
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Merry Christmas



Charles Clinton "Tripp" Harper celebrated his first birthday December 4th, and he's excited to enjoy everything this Christmas season will bring! He has really been enjoying re-decorating the Christmas tree! The lights have proved to be the favorite of all the decorations this far. Trip is looking forward to

spending the Christmas holidays with his family... especially his big sister Lily Jewel.

Tripp is the son of Clint and Sherry Harper of Burnsville. he is the grandson of Brenda Meeks of Burnsville and the late Charles Ray and Billie Jean Harper of Jackson, Mississippi.

ICC Baseball Player Dies in Single Car Crash

An Itawamba Community College baseball player died in a car crash early Saturday morning.

Zack Carpenter, 19, of Belmont, died in a one-car crash on John Rankin Highway about 1:50 a.m. Saturday, according to Itawamba County Sheriff Chris Dickinson.

Dickinson said it appears Carpenter lost control of his vehicle and was the only one in the car. The crash is still under investigation.

Zackary Levi Carpenter, 19, died Saturday, December 21, as the result of an automobile accident. Zack graduated from Belmont High School in 2012 and was currently pursuing a degree in secondary education and coaching from ICC where he was a member of the baseball team. Zack was full of life always making people laugh and he possessed the prettiest smile

ever seen.

The celebration of Zack's life was Monday, December 23, at 2 p.m. at Fairview Holy Church of Christ, Belmont, with his great uncle Rev. Kevin Rogers officiating. Burial was in Joel Cemetery, Dennis, Mississippi. Deaton Funeral Home, Belmont will be in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include his parents Gary and Kim Carpenter; his awesome brother, Austin "Weeble" Carpenter; special sister, Samantha Carpenter; nephew Luke and niece Ella, whom he adored; grandparents, Marsha Keeton and Thomas and Maybell Carpenter.

He was preceded in death by his great grandparents-Lamar and Evelyn Rogers.

Pallbearers will be Weeble Carpenter, Barry Rogers, Kyle Schoeder, Dustin Carpenter, Dallas Carpenter and Reggie

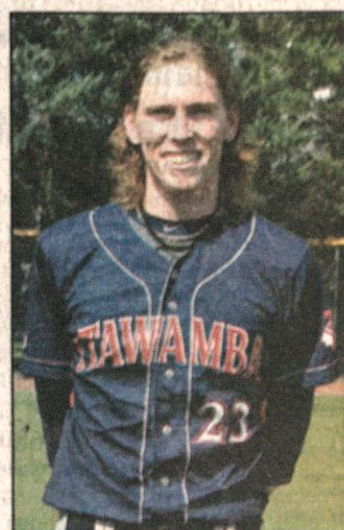


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Zack Carpenter

Reece. Honorary Pallbearers will be the ICC baseball team.

Visitation will be tonight beginning at 6 p.m. and will continue until service time Monday at Fairview Holy Church of Christ.

Christmas Around the County

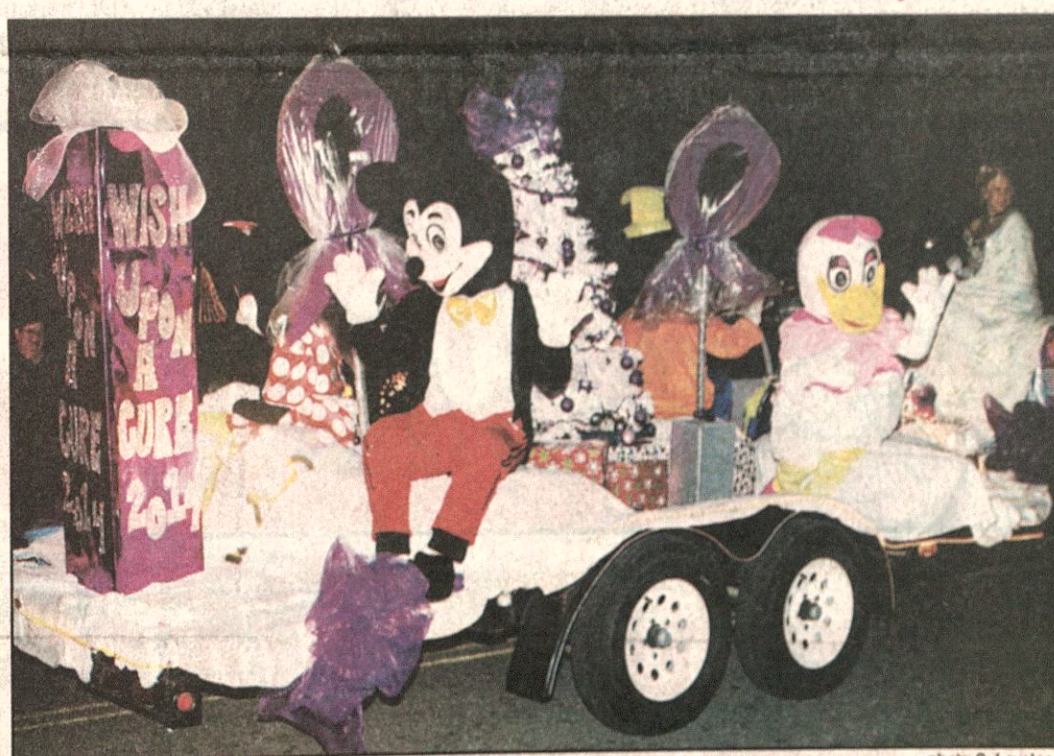


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Relay Float Wins

The Iuka Relay for Life team won first place in the Civic category at the recent Iuka Christmas Parade. The parade was rescheduled due to bad weather, but still had a good turnout Tuesday evening, December 10th.

Donation to Benefit Library

A & B Distributing made a \$3,000 donation Monday to the City of Iuka that will help the city pay for improvements at the Iuka Library.

The city will use the money to allow for the replacement of a heating unit that was not in the city budget, explained Mayor Castleberry.

"As the designated wholesaler to sell and deliver Budweiser products in the area, our

company grows and strengthens with its communities," said General Manager James Lunsford. A&B was also a major sponsor of the Battle of Iuka, to which it has already committed for 2014.

Pictured above are Joan Lunsford, Territory Manager and Corporate Social Responsibility for A&B Distributing, Iuka Mayor John Castleberry, and Librarian Gwen Spain.



The Last Winner

Sports Plus would like to congratulate Charlene Johnson on winning the \$1,000 grand prize!! Saturday was the final Christmas drawing at Sports Plus, after many years of offering the year end contest. Sports Plus has announced it is closing after the first of the year.

It's Time for You to FLY!

The second grade chorus sings to Santa's reluctant reindeer that its time to get flying in time for their Christmas Eve task. Some pictured are Riley Phifer, Garrett Embrey, Avery Poole and Katelyn Stanford. They were performing in "The Reindeer Whisperer," a musical production of the Tishomingo Middle School Chorus, and the second grade classes. The students performed it last Thursday night. The chorus and second graders were directed by Mrs. Faith Robinson.



\$100 Cash winners at Sports Plus were: Andy Aday, Rachel Jones, Doris Yarbrough, Claire Williams, Melanie Torres, also pictured: Grant Solomon, Earl Solomon, Donna Solomon.



\$50 Gift Certificate Winners at Sports Plus - Alicia Brock, Linda Ballard, Jim McDonald, and Kelli Hood. Also Pictured: Grant Solomon, Earl Solomon, Donna Solomon

Merry Christmas!

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Pet of the Week

Congratulations to Little Bit Joyner-Carns!! This cutie is our Pet of the Week at Iuka Animal Clinic. This is what his owner wrote about him: "Hello, my name is Little Bit Joyner-Carns. I am a 7 year old Chihuahua. My human Mom is Elsie Joyner. We moved to Iuka, 4 years ago and live with my other human, Donna Carns and her four-legged son named, Cookie. I love just taking care of my two humans, especially my Mom, Elsie. She is sick and we stay mostly in her hospital bed. I love car rides with Mom, Donna and Cookie. We bark at the dogs, fox, deer, and squirrels. I also love giving my Mom lots of sugar. She calls me her 'sugar baby'. I had my first professional bath recently. Cookie was being groomed by Heidi at Iuka Animal Clinic, so my Mom let her bathe me. Dr. Perkins and all his staff are so good to us. We love them. I hope Santa Paws is good to everyone!"

Call Iuka Animal Clinic, (Dr. Perkins & Staff) at 662-423-3470 for all your pet needs where "Pets Are Family, Too". HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL!

Upcoming

Live Well Events

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- **Mobile Mammography** • January 6-7 • NMMC-Iuka 1777 Curtis Drive • \$247 (includes screening, education and radiologist fee). • Appointment scheduling begins December 30. • To schedule an appointment, call Outpatient Scheduling at 1-800-843-3375.
- **Pure & Simple** • January 23 • 6:30 p.m. Featuring Sister Schubert Bakes, founder of Sister Schubert's Homemade Rolls • Summit Center • 852 North Gloster Tupelo • \$25 ticket includes dinner. • Free gift for Spirit of Women members. • Call 1-800-THE DESK or visit www.nmhs.net/spirit_of_women to purchase tickets by January 17.

Free Mammograms

NMMC-Iuka and the Segars/Glynn Clinic are working together to provide free mammograms for uninsured Tishomingo County residents. This service is made possible through a grant from the Komen North Mississippi Affiliate for the Cure. For more information, call Kathy Patrick at 423-4044.

Free Education Sessions

NMMC-Iuka is offering free breast cancer awareness and breast health education sessions for area groups. Any group interested in these informative sessions should contact Kathy Patrick at 423-4044.

Ready to quit using tobacco?

Sign up for the ACT Center at NMMC-Iuka. The six-week program uses an evidence-based approach and free medication if needed to help you quit. For more information, call 423-4675.



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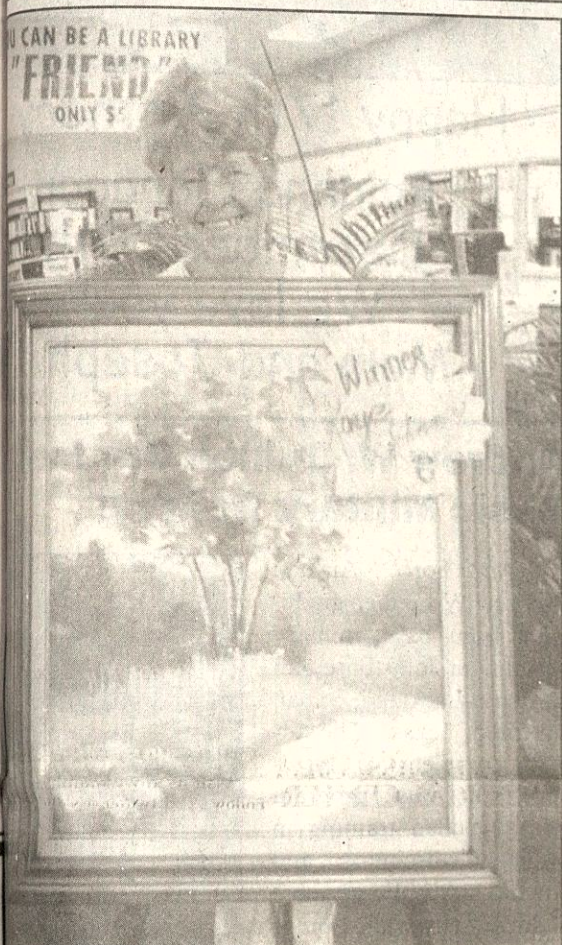


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Mary Bonds Wins Rifle

Mary Bonds is the winner of the .22 rifle raffle off by the Tishomingo County 4-H Shooting Sports Club. Danny Bonds, County Extension Director, is shown presenting Mary with the rifle. The rifle was donated by the Outdoor in Gold Tishomingo County 4-H Shooting Sports program. The 4-H Shooting Sports Program is youth development. Through participation in firearm safety training and shooting sports activities, young men and women are given the opportunity to learn responsibility, sportsmanship, self-discipline, and other qualities critical to the development of productive citizens. If you would like more information about this program, please contact the Tishomingo County Extension Office at 423-7016.

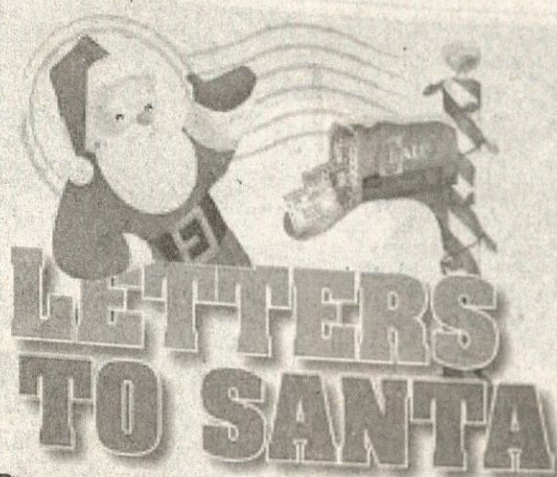


Lucky Raffle Winner

Kaye Johnson was the winner of the raffle at Iuka Public Library, taking home the original painting by local artist Lila Ham. The Friends of the Library group wants to thank Ms. Ham and all those who purchased tickets. All proceeds will be supporting programs of the Library.

American Legion Post 15 Breakfast/Meeting

There will be no American Legion Post 15 breakfast meeting in the month of December. Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. See you in 2014.



Burnsville Elementary, Mrs. Glover's Kindergarten Class

Chris - I want a Stuffie, a Dream Lites, a Flip-flop hat, and some surprises. I'll leave chocolate chip cookies and milk for you and apples for the reindeer. I've been plain good this year.

Brayden - I want Dusty the Plane, an orange bike, 2 blue cars, and some surprises. I'll leave you chocolate chip cookies and milk and carrots for the reindeer. I've been plain good this year.

Chance - I want a toy laser gun, a gun with a scope and cylinder with bullets, and a gun that the barrel arranges and is long and some surprises. I'll leave you some chocolate chip cookies and milk and carrots for the reindeer. I've been super good this year!

Autumn - I want a bunk-bed, an art easel, a teacher's desk and some surprises. I'll leave you Christmas cookies and chocolate milk and carrots for the reindeer. I've been really good this year.

Kaden - I want a Duck Dynasty airplane, a real motorcycle and 4-wheeler and a Woody & Buzz Lightyear dolls that talk. I'll leave some vanilla ice cream and chocolate cookies with milk for you and some cookie dough for the reindeer. I've been super good this year.

Dillon - I want a soccer ball, some black and white Converse tennis shoes, a new Alabama jersey and some surprises. I will leave you chocolate chip cookies and milk and carrots for the reindeer. I've been super-duper good this year!

Aden - I want a big wrestling set, a wrestler doll that talks, a Lego Hot-Wheels motorcycle set

and some surprises. I'll leave you some gingerbread cookies and original milk. I'll leave carrots for the reindeer. I've been super-duper good this year!

Olivia - I want a La La Loopsie doll, a Doc McStuffins doll, a Christmas tree bear, some surprises. I'll leave you Christmas tree cookies and chocolate milk and corn for the reindeer. I've been super-duper good this year!

Landon - I want a motorcycle set, a Christmas teddy bear, a 4-wheeler set and some surprises. I'll leave you some chocolate chip cookies and white milk and carrots for the reindeer. I've been super-duper good this year!

Gevan - I want a remote-control Dusty airplane, an Ole Miss football, an Under Armor Ole Miss backpack, and some surprises. I'll leave you some chocolate chip

cookies and milk and carrots for the reindeer. I've been super-duper good this year.

Rylan - I want a Skylanders Switching Forces game, a Lion Stuffie, a Wii U game, and some surprises. I'll leave you homemade chocolate chip cookies and hot chocolate and reindeer food that I don't know what it is. I've been super good this year.

Kayla - I want a blanket with a pillow made on it, an elf to watch my brother and me, a Stuffie and some surprises. I'll leave you 6 chocolate chip cookies and white milk and 9 carrots and 9 bowls of reindeer food for your reindeer. I've been super good this year.

Miley - I want a Doc McStuffins Check-Up Board, Flutterby Fairy, a Stuffie and some surprises. I'll leave you chocolate chip cookies and chocolate milk and apples for the reindeer. I've been super-duper good this year!

Kristina - I want a real phone, some toy Play-Dough, a toy dog, and some surprises. I'll leave you a peanut butter and jelly sandwich and tea and cookies for the reindeer. I've been super good this year!

Ashton - I want a remote-control helicopter, a Lightning McQueen race car, a remote-control go-cart, and some surprises. I'll leave you M&M cookies and milk and carrots for the reindeer. I've been kinda good this year.

Bryson - I want a green bike, a Dusty the Plane that's remote-control, 5 cool cars and some surprises. I'll leave you Oreos and milk and carrots for the reindeer. I've been super good this year!

Kelsey - I want a Cat Stuffie, an iPod, a baby doll, an iPad, and some surprises. I'll leave you chocolate chip cookies and white milk and carrots for the reindeer. I've been pretty good this year.

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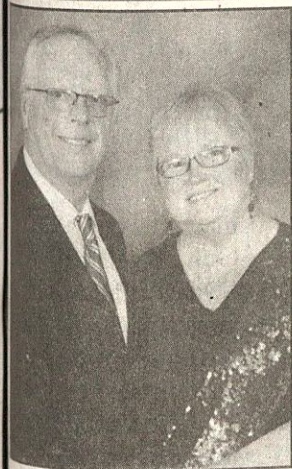
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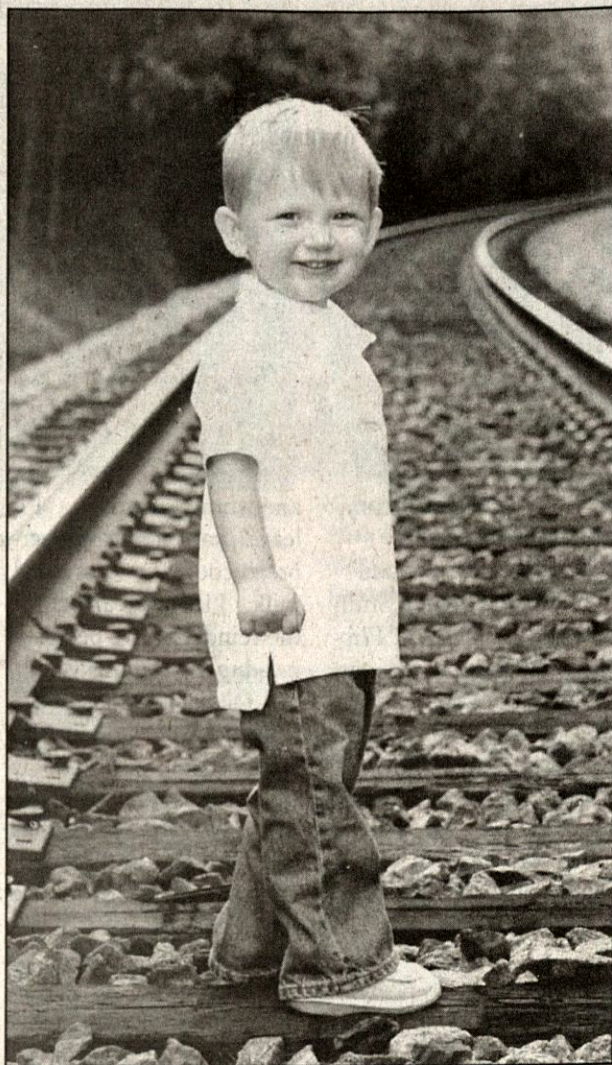
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December 20th
We love you!
Mom and Joseph

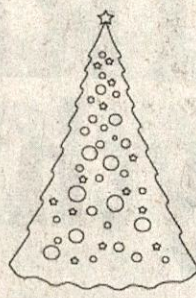


Burnsville
Kindergarten, Mrs.
Vandiver's Class

Dear Santa,
 I've been kind of good this year. I think I'm on the "nice" list. Please bring me a toy truck, trailer, 4-wheeler, orange dirt bike and a Crotch Rocket Motorcycle. I would like to see your reindeer.
 Love, Ricky Emerson
 Dear Santa,
 I've been sort of good this year. Please bring me a Playstation, football game, bow and arrow set, fake sword, water gun, and a real shotgun. Are the elves good at making toys? I hope that you come soon. I'm waiting.
 Love, Landon Brooks
 Dear Santa,
 I've been mostly good this year. Sometimes I do get spankings. Please bring me an American Doll, Easy-Bake Oven (purple one), Doc McStuffins and cooking mitts. My Elf's name is Markle. Do you know him? I would also like a Tinkerbell that I can fly. Love, Maycie Westbrook
 Dear Santa,
 I've been good this year. Please bring me a Dora doll, Tinkerbell doll and a penguin toy to play with. I've also been nice to my brothers. I will be waiting for you on Christmas Eve. I love you,
 Love, Jade Gray
 Dear Santa,
 I've been good this year. I would like an ice cream machine, Ninja Turtle boat, lion 4-wheeler, swing set, boxing gloves, big wings so I can fly like a bird and a baby dog. I like you. Would you be my best friend?
 Love, Isaac Snodgrass
 Dear Santa,
 I've been a really good girl this year. Please bring

me a hamster, a drum set, sleigh and a blue ball. I will wait for you on Christmas Eve. I will leave you some chocolate chip cookies and chocolate milk. I love junk food!
 Love, Aislyn Harris
 Dear Santa,
 I've been really good this year. I would like a real penguin, motorcycle, baby doll and a Tinkerbell doll. I love you, Santa. I want an elf, too! I can't wait for you to come on Christmas Eve! I'll leave you some cookies.
 Love, Lillian Doyle
 Dear Santa,
 I've been good this year. I don't know about my brother - he choked someone at school. I would like a lot of art stuff, little big Barbie house, Buzz Lightyear and Woody for my brother, a new phone and an iPad for Mama, socks, shirt, and pants for Daddy and lots of clothes for my baby sister. You're as sweet as candy. I will wait for you on Christmas Eve. I'll leave you some milk and cookies under the tree.
 Love, Sterling Durham
 Dear Santa,
 I've been very good this year. Please have your elves make me Barbie dolls and baby dolls in your toy factory. Do your elves fly? I will wait for you on Christmas Eve. I can't wait! I'll leave you some cookies.
 Love, Bethany Brown
 Dear Santa, I've been kind of good this year. Please bring me a dancing duck, a super hero, gumball machine, baby reindeer, "lightening up" pillow, and Nintendo DS with any games. I will be waiting for you on Christmas Eve. Love, Carson McKinney

Dear Santa,
 I've been really good this year. Please bring me paper, crayons, pencils, coloring book and a ball. I will be waiting for you on Christmas Eve. I can't wait! Tell the elves "Hi" for me. Love, Kennedy Butler
 Dear Santa, I've been really good this year. Please bring me a trampoline, swing-set, and a bigger set of golf clubs. I will be waiting for you on Christmas Eve. What are all of your reindeer's names? Love, Camden Lambert
 Dear Santa, I've been pretty good, this year. Please bring me a flower swing-set, dolly house, rocking horse, bike, toy school bus that I can ride, pink fire truck, a beautiful angel with yellow wings and a doll that cries and opens and shuts her eyes. I can't wait for Christmas to get here! Love, Ashley Hallmon
 Dear Santa, I've been a really good girl this year. Please have your elves make me a baby doll, a toy penguin and a sleigh in your toy factory. I will wait for you on Christmas Eve. I will leave out some cookies and milk for you. Love, Serenity Massengill
 Dear Santa, I've been a really good girl this year. Please have your elves make me a Doc McStuffins, dollhouse and a slide in your toy factory. I would also like a real live pig. I will be waiting for you on Christmas Eve. I'm excited. Love, Addie Tyson
 Dear Santa, I've been pretty good this year. Please have your elves make me super hero costumes in your toy factory. I like Batman, Superman, Flash, Plastic Man and Hawk Guy. I would like to see your reindeer. Love, Dallas Armendariz
 Dear Sana, I've been a very good girl this year. I would like a new dress - black with white polka dots, lots of new clothes, Barbie dolls, toy Santa Claus and a toy sleigh. I will wait for you on Christmas Eve. I love you. Love, Miley Hunt
 Dear Santa, I've been really good this year. Please make me an iPod and toy trucks in your toy factory. I will be waiting for you on Christmas Eve. I love you. Love, John Wesley Kennedy

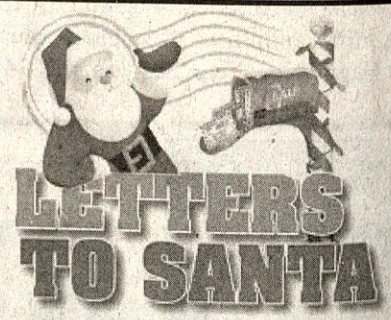


Andrew W. Quillen Graduates Basic Military Training

Air Force Airman Andrew W. Quillen graduated from basic military training at Joint Base San Antonio-Lackland, San Antonio, Texas. The airman completed an intensive, eight-week program that included training in military discipline and studies, Air Force core values, physical fitness, and basic warfare principles and skills. Airmen who complete basic training earn four credits toward an associate in applied science degree through the Community College of the Air Force. Andrew is the son of Vicki Malone of Glen and Jacky



Quillen of Walnut. He is 2010 graduate of Tishomingo County High School, Iuka.



Dear Santa,
 I want cowboy square-toe boots, and a western blue shirt.
 Your friend, Slade
 Dear Santa,
 I would like a pink shirt and new cowboy boots.
 Your friend, Maddox, 2 yrs. Old
 Dear Santa,
 This is what I want for Christmas: John Deere boots; Bee Bee Gun, pump atten.; impe three player; computer; all of the 'Diary of a Wimpy Kid'; iPhone Touch; toy guns; robot dog.
 Sincerely, Conner Staton
 P.S. I have been real good!
 Dear Santa,
 Would you please bring me a Playstation 3 and some games. I also would like some Hot-Wheels, and lots of surprises. I will leave you some hot chocolate and cookies.
 Love, Jake Grissom
 Dear Santa,
 My name is Mason Staton. I hope I am on the 'nice list'. For Christ-

mas, I would like a Bay Gun, Bayblades, a Dynasty Pillow, and toy guns and cars. I will have plenty of cookies and milk waiting on you.
 P.S. My brother, Conner, has been good too.
 Sincerely, Mason Staton
 Dear Santa,
 How are you? I've been sometimes good this year. For Christmas, I want a tablet, MLB batting helmets, one for each team and some surprises. I'll leave you some cookies and milk.
 From, Caleb
 Dear Santa,
 I am the perfect little baby girl. For Christmas, I want a doll and surprises.
 Love, Ruth Ellen Case
 Dear Santa,
 Hello. How are you? I've been good all year. I am 4 years old. I want a Ninja Turtle Hide-Out for Christmas. I want a Leap Pad and a Bat Cave, too.
 Merry Christmas, Santa Clause.
 Your Friend, Cohen Castile

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My Grandmother's Most Memorable Christmas: The Special Gifts from the Train Crew

Written By the late
Angela Pyle Lambert,
former staff writer at the
Tishomingo County News

Childhood memories of Christmas are often our most treasured memories. I am fortunate to have many wonderful Christmas memories from my younger days; however, growing up, a special story told by my grandmother, Judgar Patrick Cummings, has always stuck in my mind.

As I heard her recall this Christmas memory of her past – what she said was her most memorable Christmas – I'd try hard to picture in my mind the details as she described them and the special magic and lasting impression this has had on her adult life. You see, it is a story of giving and receiving in its simplest form from a past generation – generation without computers or even television. A time when the reality of life was sometimes hard on even the youngest children.

My grandmother's Christmas story starts with a railroad, a train and some thoughtful acts by some men operating that train that touched a little girl's life.

When my grandmother was about 6 years old and her parents, Henry and Mary Patrick, her sisters, Burchia, Delma, and brother, L.B., lived in a small, wood-frame house on a ridge just outside Iuka at what was known as "the section". They rented the house and land from Mr. Jeff Foote, and her daddy, Henry, raised cotton there. She recalled that the fields he worked were where the apartment complex, Hiatt Circle, is located now on Whitehouse Road, near the Iuka Elementary School and the house which has been torn down, was near the Southern Railroad tracks at a place where the road now dead-ends and an industrial building has been built, off of Paul Edmondson Drive.

She had not yet started

school, like her siblings. She spent her days playing and swinging in a home-made swing from a big tree in their yard. Since they lived so near the railroad, one of her past-times became a daily ritual – when she would hear the long, whining whistle of the freight train coming up the hill, she would run out by the tracks and wait so that when the train slowed as it climbed the ridge, she could wave at the engineer and other train crew.

She recalls that after a while, the men on the train would drop off coins – nickels, dimes, or sometimes just a penny – wrapped in paper for her. She said as the train would slow as it climbed the hill, one of the men would go down to the bottom step of the engine and set off the presents near the tracks. She said she would wait until the train had passed and then run out to the track and pick up her surprise. She said she would wave and throw kisses to the men on the train and they would do the same in return. She said they would leave something almost every day and on days when they didn't they would turn their pockets inside-out to show her that they didn't have anything to leave that day.

This was an era when times were very hard and her family didn't have much, she recalls. These gifts from the men on the train were very special to her. She said that at that time, a penny would buy a small chocolate bar and unlike today, a candy bar was a rare treat for kids.

When Thanksgiving time came, my grandmother said she went out to the railroad tracks to wave at her friends on the train, but on this occasion, they left something special. She said they slowed down the train and she watched as one of the men in the engine set off a sack. The sack contained apples and oranges. She said she was so excited and took the fruit to show



Mrs. Judgar
Cummings

her family.

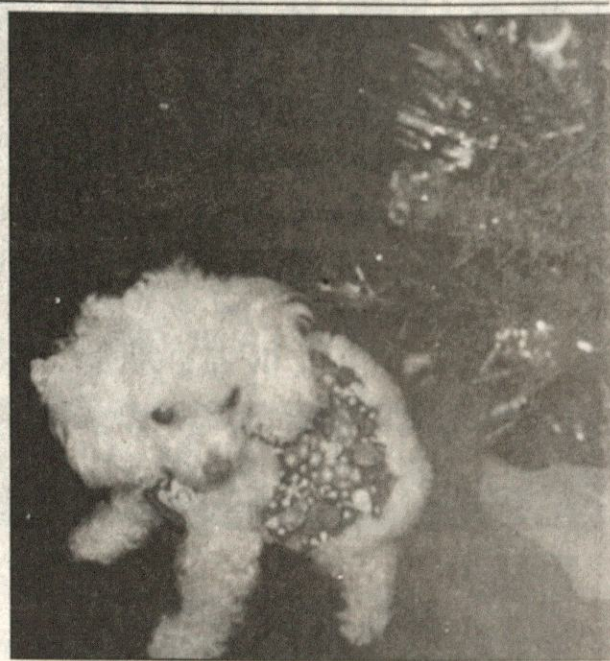
When Christmas time came, my grandmother said she received her largest and most special surprise from the men on the train. She said at Christmas, she went to wave at the train as usual. This day, the train slowed down and one of the men stepped off the train and set a box near the tracks and then climbed back aboard. Inside that box were apples, oranges, candy, a rubber ball and a doll! This was the first doll my grandmother ever had. She said it was made of rubber and was about 12 in. tall. She said, "you talk about throwing kisses and waving – I really did that day!"

I've heard my grandmother say how she can still see, so plainly in her mind, how that place where they lived looked, with the swing in the big tree out back of the house. She said she can imagine that distant sound of that low-lonesome whine of the train, with clouds of big, black smoke from its coal-burning engine billowing out into the sky. When she has had occasion in later years to see and hear one of those old trains come through, she said it makes her have cold chills. And she said that so many times she wished she knew who those kind men were who had left her those special gifts and if any of them are still alive today. If they were, she said she would let them know how much their kindness had meant to her.

These men who took

time from their everyday work routine to give such small tokens – by today's standards – to this little girl made a life-long impression on her. I say this because when she grew up, she has continued this tradition of thoughtful giving by taking gifts to others all through the years, whether it be a bouquet of flowers from her garden to a sick friend or relative, or to someone in the nursing home, or a homemade pie to someone. And when she gets a new calendar each year, she makes sure to copy everyone's birthday off onto the new calendar so that she can send cards to them on their special days or carry them a present.

This tradition of giving – not for recognition, but only because you love people – is what Christmas is supposed to be about. Somehow, we have gotten that meaning confused and instead mistakenly think that it's all about getting what we want from someone or the hassles of shopping, or fighting the traffic and crowds. Christmas should only be an extension of the way we live our lives from day-to-day – always giving of ourselves or others and always remembering those around us, no matter how small, how young or old, or how insignificant they may seem to others. Sometimes, just the smallest acts of kindness can have an affect on the rest of someone's life.



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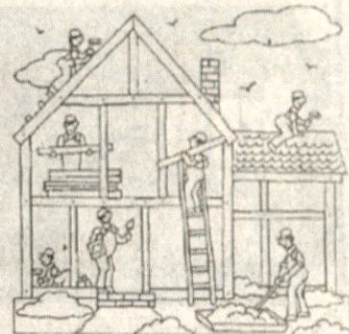
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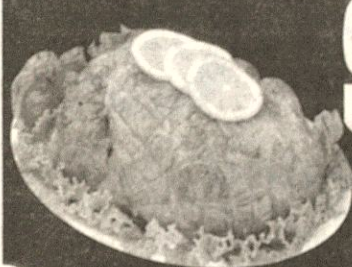
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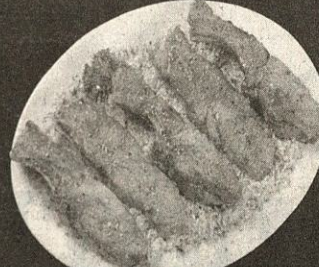
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Susie Arnett

Susie Arnett, 76, of Iuka, died Friday, December 20th, 2013, at the Tishomingo Community Living Center in Iuka. Cutshall Funeral Home of Iuka was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include one brother, Richard Brown and wife, Carolyn of Iuka; and six sisters, Louise Kingen and husband, Billy of Cherokee, AL, Clara Cook and husband, John of San Diego, CA, Pauline Herman and husband, Tommy of Iuka, Faye Cooper and husband, Jackie of Iuka, Linda Patterson and husband, Danny of Hattiesburg, MS, and Judy Cassell of Petal, MS.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Charlie and Ida Rowin Brown; two brothers, O'Neal Brown and Jimmy Lee Brown; and a sister, Mary Ann Arnold.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals by calling 1-800-628-0028, or online at www.aspc.org.

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

5th Sunday Night Singing At Unity

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Pam Clark

Pamela Annette Clark, 47, of Iuka, Mississippi, died Friday, December 20, 2013, at her residence. Pam worked most of her life as a certified nursing assistant, and loved her nursing home patients.

Funeral services were at 1:00 p.m., Monday, December 23, at Cutshall Funeral Home Chapel in Iuka, officiated by Bro. Tony Curtis. Interment was in Oak Grove Cemetery. Pallbearers were Cliff Johnson, Deron Clark, Paul Crowe, Phillip Crowe, Dustin Dick, and Brandon Dick. Cutshall Funeral Home of Iuka, MS was entrusted with arrangements.

Survivors include her mother, Phyllis Clark; two brothers, Donald Clark and wife Connie and Sam Clark; one sister, Sherry Johnson and husband Robert; and several nieces and nephews; all of Iuka. She was preceded in death by her father, Donald "Gene" Clark. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Memorial and Honor Program, by phone (901) 578-2805, or online at www.stjude.org/donate, or to LeBonheur Children's Medical Center, by calling (901) 287-6308, or online at www.lebonheur.org. An online guestbook can be accessed at www.cutshallfuneralhome.com.

Tommie J. Watson

Tommie Jean Watson, 79, of Tishomingo, died Friday, December 20th, 2013, at the North Mississippi Medical Center in Tupelo. She was formerly employed at McCune's Restaurant, which was owned by her family. She later worked for Boeing at Cape Canaveral, and then in the banking industry where she was a loan officer and retired as a vice-president.

Services were held at 11 a.m. on Monday, December 23rd, at Tishomingo Baptist Church with Bro. Robbie Crane officiating. Cutshall Funeral Home of Iuka was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include one brother, Sam McCune and wife, Fredda of Tishomingo; and two sisters, Mary McSwain of Center, TX, and Frances Church and husband, Dean of Rio Vista, CA.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Thomas Ray and Alloys Davis McCune.

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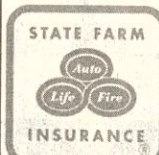
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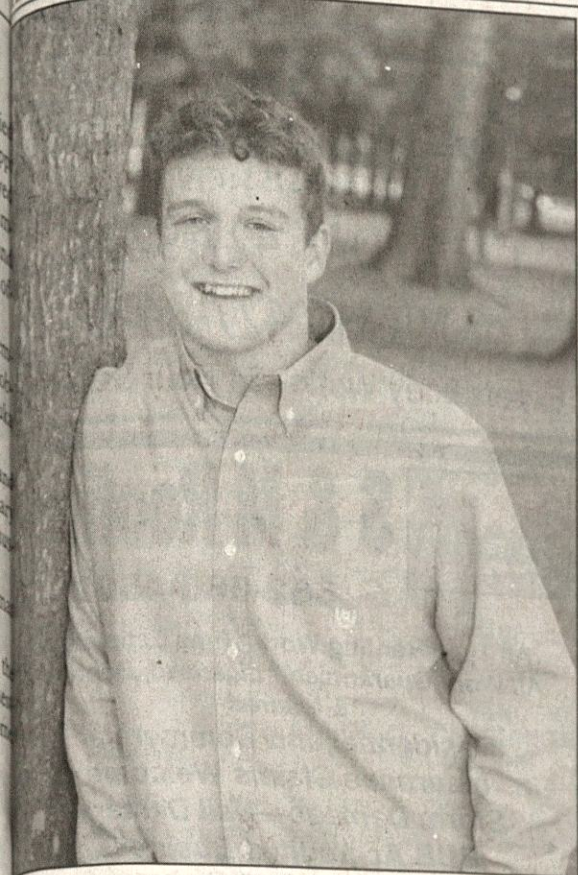
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Iuka Post Office Christmas Coloring Contest Winners - Katie Labbe, age 6. 1st place in 4-6 age group.



Iuka Post Office Christmas Coloring Contest Winners - Melanie Wilson, winner in 7-9 age group.



Iuka Post Office Christmas Coloring Contest Winners - Hunter Stuart, age 6. 2nd place in 4-6 age group.



Iuka Post Office Christmas Coloring Contest Winners - Kelsey Waldrep, age 5. 3rd place in 4-6 age group.

New Year's Eve Service At Boggs Chapel

There will be a New Year's Eve Service at the Boggs Chapel United Methodist Church on Tuesday night starting at 7 p.m. and going until 11 p.m. There will be singing, then a devotion by the pastor, Bro. Charles McGill, a time of refreshments, and then back to singing. The singing will be from the church books and the Mull books.

Bro. McGill and the congregation invite everyone to come join us as we worship, fellowship, and sing praises to the Lord and welcome in 2014. All singers and piano players have a special invitation.

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BIBLE QUESTION OF THE WEEK: By Claude Wilemon

40. Who said? "I am the least of the Apostles."

39. What did Jesus do with a piece of bread at a table in Emmaus?

Answer: Blessed it, broke it and gave it to them—
Luke 24:30



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SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on October 2012, Robert D. Field, married person, executed deed of trust to J. Patrick Howell, Trustee for the benefit of BancorpSouth Bank, which deed of trust recorded as Instrument No. 2012003781 and re-recorded as Instrument No. 2012003983 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of the County of Tishomingo, State of Mississippi; and WHEREAS, the aforesaid, BancorpSouth Bank, the lender of said deed of trust and the note secured there-substituted Underwood Law Firm PLLC, as Trustee herein, as authorized by the terms thereof, by instrument dated November 6, 2013 and recorded in the Office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk as Instrument No. 2013003857; and WHEREAS, default have 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, BancorpSouth 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 hereunder, together with attorney's fees, Substituted Trustee's fees and expense sale;

NOW, THEREFORE, WE, Underwood Law Firm PLLC, substituted Trustee in said deed of trust, will on the 8th day of January, 2014, offer for sale at public outcry for cash to the highest bidder, and sell within legal hours (between the hours of 11:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M.) the Main front door of the County Courthouse at luka, County of Tishomingo, State of Mississippi, the following described property situated in the County of Tishomingo, State of Mississippi, to-wit: 1/25 of Phase III of Pickwick Pines Resort, as per plat thereof on file of record in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi.

WE WILL CONVEY only such title as is vested in Underwood Law Firm PLLC as substituted Trustee.

WITNESS OUR SIGNATURE, this the 4th day of December, 2013.

Underwood Law Firm PLLC
SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE
John C. Unaderwood,
Managing Member
Control #13101340
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Legal Notice

The Tishomingo County Special Municipal Separate School District Board of Trustees, luka, Mississippi, will receive sealed bids for the purchase of Cafeteria equipment.

Bids will be received at the Superintendent's Office, 200 Paul Edmondson, luka, MS 38852 no later than

Wednesday, January 8, 2014, 10:00 am

Specs may be requested by phone at 662-423-3206 or by emailing tstanford@tishomingo.k12.ms.us.

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THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI**CONFIRMATION OF DEED****SCHAROLETTE MONROE**

CAUSE NO.: CV2013-000222-71MM

YOU, Daniel Clint Carman, whose address is unknown, have diligent search and inquiry, and any heirs known or unknown of Daniel Clint Carman.

You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in the Court by Scharolette Monroe, Plaintiff, seeking, among other things, confirmation of a tax deed.

You are summoned to appear and defend against the complaint or petition filed in this action at 9:00 o'clock A.M. on the 17th day of January, 2014, in the courtroom of the Tishomingo County Courthouse located in luka, Mississippi,

and in case of your failure to appear and defend, you forfeit your right to challenge the confirmation of the tax deed.

You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but you may do so if you desire.

Issued under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 4th day of December, 2013.
Peyton Cummings
CHANCERY CLERK OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
1008 Battleground Drive
Tishomingo County Courthouse
luka, Mississippi 38852
Kelly Prather
Deputy Clerk
d-12-19-26-chg

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF G.C. SCRUGGS CAUSE NO.: 12,441****NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY**

Pursuant to an Order of this Court in the above styled and numbered cause dated the 12th day of December, 2013, I, Peyton Cummings, Administrator of the Estate of G.C. Scruggs, will offer for sale by the way of Sealed Bids to the highest bidder on Friday, January 10, 2014, at 9:00 a.m., the following described real property:

76 acres, more or less, of real property known as the "Sugar Farm" property. The property is more particularly described as follows:

"All of the Southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of Section thirty one (31) township Two (2) Range Eleven (11) East. Except four acres located in the southwest part of said quarter which is owned by R.O. Ramsey. The above described lands are no part of the homestead of the grantor. Above lands sold subject to oil and gas lease held by Levan and Akers."

The said land will be sold as required by the Order aforesaid. On confirmation of sale and approval of the Court I Peyton Cummings, Administrator of the Estate will provide at closing an Administrator's Deed with-in 30 days of the bid opening.

Title to the above described property is believed to be good, but I will sell and convey only such title as I possess. Such conveyance shall be subject to any existing taxes, liens or other encumbrances.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this 12th day of December, 2013.

PEYTON CUMMINGS,
ADMINISTRATOR
d-19-26-j-2-chg

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI**TISHOMINGO COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, BY**

MARGIE SHELTON, AND ALLIE MARIE WHITE, ABYGAIL R. KELLER AND LILYONA ZANE KELLER, MINORS, BY AND THROUGH THEIR NEXT FRIEND, MARGIE SHELTON

PETITIONERS
VS. CIVIL ACTION, FILE NO. CV2013-000222-71MM

PAMELA SHEA WHITE, TROY LEE KELLER AND UNKNOWN

PUTATIVE FATHER RESPONDENTS
CHANCERY COURT SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO: Troy Lee Keller and Unknown Putative Father, who are not to be found in the State of Mississippi on diligent inquiry and whose post office addresses are not known to the Petitioners after diligent inquiry made by said Petitioners.

You have been made a Respondent in the suit filed in this Court by the Tishomingo County Department of Human Services by Margie Shelton, Social Services Regional Director, and Allie Marie White, Abygail R. Keller and Lilyona Zane Keller, minors, seeking to terminate your parental rights as those rights relate to said minors and demanding that the full custody, control and authority to act on behalf of said minors be placed with the Tishomingo County Department of Human Services. Respondents other than you in this action are Pamela Shea White A.K.A. Pamela Shea Keller.

YOU ARE SUMMONED TO APPEAR AND DEFEND AGAINST THE PETITION FILED AGAINST YOU IN THIS ACTION AT 9 O'CLOCK A.M. ON

THE 21ST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2014, IN THE COURTROOM OF THE ALCORN COUNTY CHANCERY COURTHOUSE AT CORINTH, MISSISSIPPI, AND IN CASE OF YOUR FAILURE TO APPEAR AND DEFEND, A JUDGMENT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE PETITION.

You are not required to file an answer or other pleading, but you may do so if you desire.

ISSUED under my hand and seal of said Court, this 16th day of December 2014.

PEYTON CUMMINGS,
CHANCERY CLERK
TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
LUKA, MISSISSIPPI 38852
BY: Kelly Prather
Deputy Clerk
d-19-26-j-2-chg

LEGAL NOTICE**NOTICE OF AUCTION FOR THE SALE OF USED EQUIPMENT BELONGING TO TISHOMINGO COUNTY IN TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI**

The Board of Supervisors of Tishomingo County, Mississippi will on Saturday January 11, 2014 at 10:00 AM at the Old Tishomingo County Jail at 111 Maria Lane in the city of luka, Mississippi have an auction for the sale of used equipment belonging to Tishomingo County in Tishomingo County, Mississippi for the benefit of Tishomingo County, Mississippi. A list of items to be auctioned can be obtained at the Tishomingo County Chancery Clerk's office or from Hodge Auction. Registration for bidding will start at 9:00 AM. Bidder will be required to pay same day as auction or have a line of credit letter from bank or lending company. The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any and all bids. This the 16th day of December, 2013.

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SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on August 23, 2002 Estene Reynolds Comer, a single person, executed a certain Deed of Trust to Bobby R. Wood, Trustee for Countrywide Home Loans, Inc., beneficiary, which Deed of Trust was recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County Mississippi in Book 295 at Page 436; and,

WHEREAS, subject deed of trust was assigned to Bank of America, N.A., successor by merger to BAC Home Loan Servicing LP, fka Countrywide Home Loans Servicing LP by virtue of an Assignment of Deed of Trust and recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk of said County by Instrument No. 2012002760; and,

WHEREAS, subject deed of trust was assigned to Green Tree Servicing LLC by virtue of an Assignment of Deed of Trust and recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk of said County by Instrument No. 2013001972 and 2013001782; and,

WHEREAS, Green Tree Servicing LLC the present owner of the indebtedness and holder of the above described Deed of Trust, appointed Jeff D. Rawlings in the place in stead of Bobby R. Wood or any subsequently appointed substituted trustee, said Substitution of Trustee, being recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk of said County by Instrument No. 2013004209; 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, Green Tree Servicing LLC, the legal holder of said indebtedness, 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 and for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees, trustee's fees and expenses of sale.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jeff D. Rawlings, Substituted Trustee in said Deed of Trust, will on the 17th day of January, 2014, offer for sale at public outcry (being sell within legal hours (between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.), at the Front Door of the Tishomingo County Courthouse, located at 1008 Battleground Drive, luka, Mississippi to

the highest and best bidder for cash the following described property situated in Tishomingo County, State of Mississippi, to-wit:

Situated in the County of Tishomingo, State of Mississippi, to-wit:

A part of the Northwest Quarter of Section 18, Township 2 South, Range 10 East and a part of the Southwest Quarter of Section 18, Township 2 South, Range 10 East, Tishomingo County, Mississippi, described as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of said Southwest Quarter, thence run South 88 degrees 33 minutes East along the North line of said Southwest Quarter 771.84 feet to the South side of a paved road and the true point of beginning; thence run North 40 degrees 07 minutes East along the South side of said road 108.74 feet; thence run South 26 degrees 15 minutes East along a ditch 95.90 feet; thence run South 18 degrees 42 minutes East along said ditch 65.20 feet to the North right of way line of Hwy. 365; thence run South 61 degrees 14 minutes West along said right of way, 160.85 feet to a ditch; thence run North 65 degrees 32 minutes West along said ditch 39.22 feet; thence run North 15 degrees 12 minutes West along said ditch 62.81 feet to the South side of a paved road; thence run North 42 degrees 32 minutes East, along the South side of said road 88.40 feet to the point of beginning, containing 0.53 acres.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this the 18th day of December, 2013.

Jeff D. Rawlings, Substituted Trustee for Green Tree Servicing LLC
Dates of Publication: December 26, 2013, January 2, 9, 16, 2014
Jeff Rawlings
Rawlings & Macinnis
P.O. Box 1789
Madison, Ms. 39130
601-898-1180
d-26-j-2-9-16-chg

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, on April 9, 2009, Jason Cole, executed and delivered to William H. Davis, Jr., as trustee, a deed of trust on the property hereinafter described to secure payment of an indebtedness therein mentioned owing to Commerce National Bank, Corinth, Mississippi, beneficiary, which deed of trust is recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, as Instrument Number 2009001283, which Deed of Trust was renewed and extended by Deed of Trust recorded in said office as Instrument Number 2012001338; and

WHEREAS, said indebtedness has matured in its entirety and is now past due, unpaid and in default, the provisions of said deed of trust have been broken by said grantor and have not been cured and the said beneficiary, the present holder of said indebtedness, has requested the undersigned to foreclose said deed of trust pursuant to the provisions thereof to enforce payment of said debt;

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned trustee, on January 17, 2014, at the front doors of the county courthouse of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, in the City of luka, Mississippi, within legal hours for such sale, will offer for sale and sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash the said property conveyed to me by said deed of trust described as follows:

Situated in the County of Tishomingo, State of Mississippi, to-wit:

Part of the NE 1/4 and part of the SE 1/4 of Section 1, Township 4, Range 9 East, described as starting at a pine tree and an iron stake located on east side of road, known as the new farm to market Mt. Gilead public road; run thence North 64 1/2 degrees East 432 feet to rock; thence South 18 degrees East 1010 feet to corner of this tract; thence West 634 feet to east side of said road; thence northwest with said road 817 feet to point of beginning, containing 10 acres, more or less.

I will sell and convey only such title as is vested in me by said deed of trust.

Signed, posted and published this 26th day of December, 2013.

/s/ William H. Davis, Jr.,
WILLIAM H. DAVIS, JR.,
Trustee
d-26-j-2-9-16-chg

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Your friend,
Kaison Allen
Dear Santa,

My name is Katelyn Colley. I have been very good this year. So when you come, here are things on my list: Ipad, Teenage Mutant Ninja turtles and turtle van, 3 ds, and one more thing a furby boom. I will have cookies and milk waiting for you.

Your friend,
Katelyn Colley
Dear Santa,

I have been nice. I would like DS, Barbie, purse.

Your friend,
Hailey Dawson
Dear Santa,

I would like a Xbox and all the games, a wii like my dad's and his games, a lot of cat food, 3 turkey pictures to color, a bunny, mirror, and Hot Wheels spinners.

Your friend,
Shane Martinez
Dear Santa,

I would like Ninja Turtle legos and a Big Red Ninja Turtle for Christmas.

Your friend,
J.J. Bowling
Dear Santa,

I have been a good girl for the most part. I would like some baby dolls with a carrier and stroller. We will leave you milk and cookies.

Your friend,
Elexis Messengill
Dear Santa,

I have been good this year. I would like these things for Christmas, a basketball game, a big football, a Superman shirt, a new snuggle with Ironman on it, a big coloring book, some candy, and some surprises. I will leave some cookies and milk for you and some carrots for the reindeer. P.S. Please bring my sisters and brother some presents too. Thank you.

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Logan McQueen

Dear Santa,
My name is Colton McVay. I have been a good boy so far. For Christmas, I would like to have a skateboard - connect launcher - Glen dragon castle. I will leave you some cookies and milk. I hope everyone has a blessing every day. Ho Ho Ho.

Your friend,
Colton McVay
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I want clothes, and I want all the Monster High dolls, more paper for my folder.

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Ava Page
Dear Santa,

My name is Aiden Pounders. For Christmas, I would like a black 3 DS with Spongesbob, Mario cart 7, Mario Run games, some hunting boots, and a toy shotgun. I will leave milk and cookie for you and lots of carrots for the reindeer.

Your friend,
Aiden Pounders
Dear Santa,

I've been good this year. I've been working helping Meme around the house. What I really want for Christmas is a Doc McStuffin Doll, Baby Dolls, Barbie Dolls, and one of the Barbie's new dream house for my bedroom. I love you and hope you and the reindeer have a safe trip to Tishomingo.

Your friend,
Miley Browning
Dear Santa,

For Christmas, I want a dinosaur, Spiderman fun house, wrestling men and a racecar track.

Your friend,
Quinton Johnson
Dear Santa,

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Your friend,
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Fond Memories of Toys at Christmastime at the Local Hardware Store

by Nicholas Phillips

"My fondest childhood memory of the Christmas season is not of one year in particular but of many I spent in the family hardware store. This is not to say that we did not have family time together on Christmas Day. It is just that the days and weeks leading up to Christmas Eve were spent in the store at one of the busiest times of the year.

"Ours was the kind of hardware store that many people now dream about: oiled wooden floors, high ceilings, and merchandise that was sold by the unit rather than by a package of ten. Not only did we carry a full line of the traditional hardware inventory, we also sold toys and gift items.

"Thus, from the day after Thanksgiving until Christmas Eve, the demand for stove pipe, nails, electric wiring, and the various other "hardware" items were matched by the Christmas shopping for tricycles, basketballs, dolls, and train sets, to say nothing of toasters, coffee pots, and blenders.

"Many of the larger toys had to be assembled. Additionally, since we did not charge to gift wrap, we spent a good bit of time wrapping much of what we sold. Our "lay-away" plan allowed toys to be stored on the second floor of the building until shortly before Christmas. This, of course, meant



The old safe and account register from Phillips Hardware.

that in addition to waiting on customers, we had to take boxes of gift items up a flight of stairs, knowing that in a short time, we would be making the trip again.

"The experience I had of growing up in this environment was one I will always cherish because it was meaningful in so many different ways. We worked together as a family, which I have since realized is as important as doing anything else together

because it instilled values that remain with me. Our customers were from all walks of life, some financially secure and many not. From a fairly early age, I learned that the parents of many children could not afford to provide them with the level of giving I had once thought was universal. One family in particular, had a large number of children, and I remember several Christmases in which the parents spent a good bit of time agonizing over how to stretch their resources so that each child got at least one present.

"Along with the gift shopping, we continued to sell paint, plumbing supplies, and stove bolts, which was—and is—a reminder that amidst the glitter of the season, life still goes on with blown fuses and frozen pipes. The convergence of the "practical" with the holiday provided some interesting sales: one lady bought an ax as her husband's Christmas present and then asked us to wrap it. Although the finished product was festive in appearance, there was no

doubt to the experienced eye what the package contained.

"Since the sale of our store in 1977 when my parents retired, observance of the holiday has become a bit more conventional for

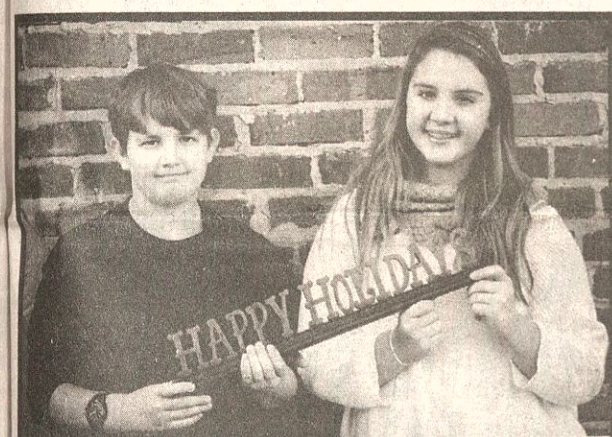
me. My decision to become a lawyer rather than to run the family business ensured some relaxation that retailers cannot enjoy in December. With some predictability, I can plan to spend time with family

and friends. But I suspect there will always be somewhere within me a little boy who misses the hustle and bustle of Christmas-time in a hardware store."

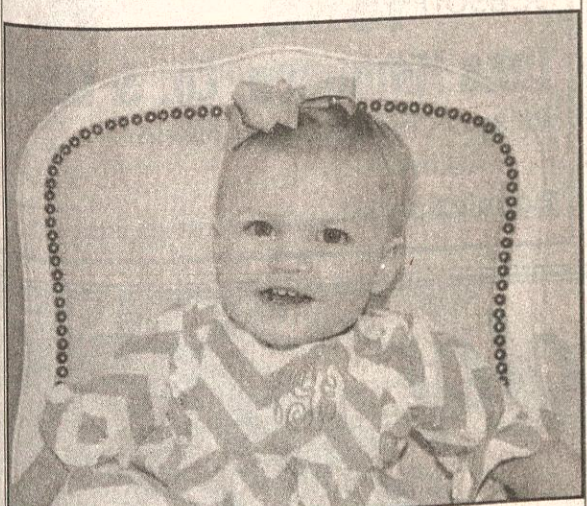


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Dear Santa

I would like a phone, an iPad and a camera. I would like for you to bring my friend, Evalyn, some surprises. I like princess dresses and pretty books, too. I am getting a reindeer tattoo soon. I will leave you some chicken to eat.

Love,
Brooklyn Lambert

Dear Santa:

I want a dump truck. I like paint, too. I would also like a dozer. Thank you.

Keagan Hill-Menshy

Dear Santa:

I want a dog for

Christmas. Airplanes would be good. I want my mama and my daddy to have some clothes. A dress for mama and that other thing for daddy. I want a power ranger costume and a power ranger toothbrush. I am leaving you cookies and chocolate milk. I like painting stuff too.

Love, Kaegan Stout

Dear Santa:

Roll tide! I want presents for Christmas please. I like cars and princess stuff. I love love love make-up. I like food too. I saw a picture where you were holding me on your lap.

Love, Joclyn Lovette

Dear Santa:

I want a ladder for Christmas. I like big trucks. Bring my sister some little toys.

Love, Ty Crawford

Dear Santa:

I want toys. Bubba wants a big old truck. My daddy wants toys, too. And my mama wants toys, too.

I have tea if you want to drink some.

Love, Erica Allred

Dear Santa:

I want some ninjas for Christmas. I like Spiderman, Batman, Superman and wrestling men. I am going to cook you some french fries. Do you know Superman? My brother wants Batman toys. Thank you.

Love, Noah Sloan

Dear Santa:

I want surprises and toys. I am a princess, so I need princess stuff. Can you bring toys for everybody in my class, please? I also need a pretty dress with some pink high heels.

Madison Turner

Dear Santa:

I have tried very hard to be good this year. Can I please have some toys, trucks and legos? Waylon wants some toys, too. I love pens, scissors and drawing paper because I love office work.

Timmy Brown

Dear Santa:

I have been a good boy this year. I would like some toys, legos and games. I need lots of surprises. I am very good a puzzles, so can I have

some of those?

Love, Joe Laue

Dear Santa:

I have been a nice girl this year. I would like some toys and surprises. Can you bring presents for my family, too? I like to play Monopoly with my mom. I like make-up and anything purple.

Love, Libby Frost

Dear Santa:

I have tried very hard to be a good girl this year. For Christmas, I would like make-up, a baby doll, a snowman, some new boots, playdough and a play snake. Thank you. I will leave you some homemade cookies and milk.

Love, Addy McKee

Dear Santa:

I would like some legos, a Nobi tablet, and a police car that drives. I like Thomas and Percy toys, too. I really like riding tricycles.

Love, Kylan Rutland

Dear Santa:

I would like cars, video games and movies, I like Spiderman and Batman. My whole family wants surprises. Thank you.

Love, Gabe Roach

Dear Santa:

I am a very nice girl. Can you bring all my brothers and sisters some presents? I like toys and movies. I would like some dresses and make-up. I love Mickey Mouse and Minnie Mouse. I like you reindeer.

Love, Caitlyn Lester

Dear Santa:

I am on your nice list. I would like some legos and surprises for Christmas. Can I have some markers, a notepad and an art easel, too? I love Charlie Brown cartoons. Tell Ms. Claus thank you.

Love, Killian Russell

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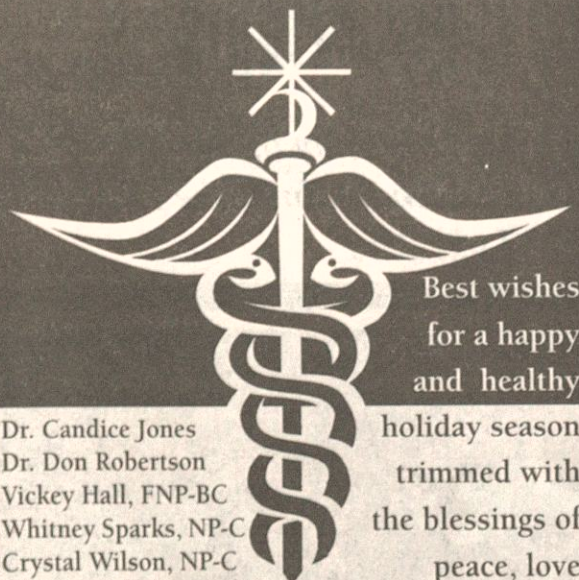
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Knowing you has been a delight.
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Season!

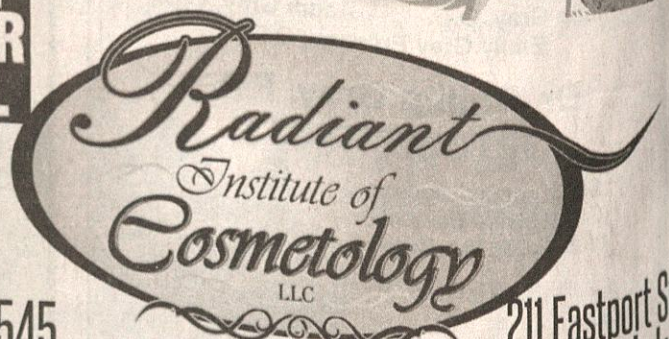
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Burnsville School Mrs. Davis' 1st Grade Class

Dear Santa,
I would like a baby
and \$100. I have been
good girl this year. Your

Angel Doyle

Dear Santa,
I would like a DS and
a doll. I love you, Santa!
I would also like one of
those bears that talks. I
have been a little bad but
mostly good. One more
thing that I really liked
was a flipping and skating
tag at Wal-Mart. The
tag was out of them, so
maybe you can find one.

Natalie Kennedy

Dear Santa,
I have been a good
boy this year. I would like
a PlayStation. Your Bud-
dy, Jessie Massengill

Dear Santa, I would
like the Caroline Ameri-
can Girl Doll. I would
also like a Barbie House
and a Barbie Life in the
Dream House. It would
also be nice to get a few
new Barbies. That is all
that I would like.

Love, Ava Newsom

Dear Santa,
I love you. Santa, you
are nice. You always give
presents to kids who are
not naughty. I have been
good this year. I would

like two new controls for
my Xbox and a BB gun.
You're my friend,

Gavin Null

Dear Santa,

Have I been good this
year? I have tried a lot
to be good. I would like
some money for Christ-
mas. I would like to help
pick out the games that I
want if that is ok. I would
also like one or two BB
guns. I would also like to
go to Hawaii for Christ-
mas. That is all I want for
Christmas.

Love, Darius Spence

Dear Santa,

I would like a Princess
Barbie Dollhouse. I have
been a good girl this year.
I would also like a doll
that looks like you and
one that looks like an elf
with a skirt. I would also
like a doll that looks like
Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Meeks,
and Mrs. Breon. I want
these dolls, so that I can
always have them with
me. I Love You, Santa,

Azlyn Davis

Dear Santa,

There are two things
I want. I want everyone
to have a good Christ-
mas. The 2nd thing is
for some new things for
my 4-wheeler. Love, your
friend,

Patrick Stidham

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I
would like a Monster
Truck. Are you going to
be able to come this year?
I sure hope so. I hope that
you bring me and my sis-
ter a bunch of presents. I
would also like a building
set. I have been good.

Hunter Talley

Dear Santa,

I have been good this
year. I would like a tablet
and a phone. I would also
like a toy race car. I would
like a new dog. Your pal,
Alex Tapp

Dear Santa,

I love you! What I
would like for Christmas
is an Alabama football.
I would also like an Ala-
bama blanket. I have tried
to be good.

Ashton Tyson



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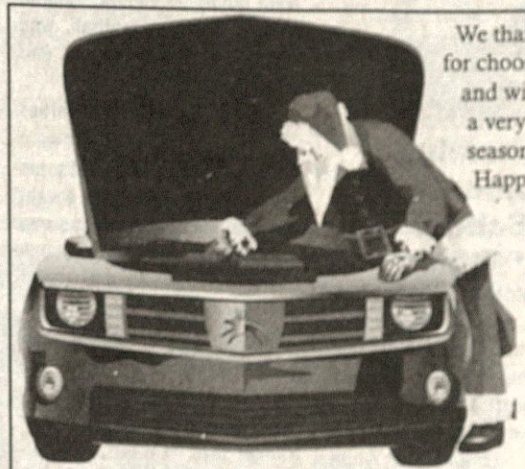
I would like a Mon-
ster High jacket and two
Monster High dolls. I
would also like a Rudolph
stuffed animal to sleep
with. I have been a good
girl. I would also like
some surprises. Please
bring my brothers some-
thing even if they have
been bad. Also, remem-
ber my Aunt, I really do
love her.

Love, your friend,
Angel Voyles

Dear Santa,

I would like a stuffed
animal that is Zoey and
Rudolph. I want them to
walk. I would also like a
dancer. I would also like
a signed picture of Mrs.
Claus and you. I have
been a good girl. Thank
you, Santa.

Eadin Williams



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a very merry
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Happy New
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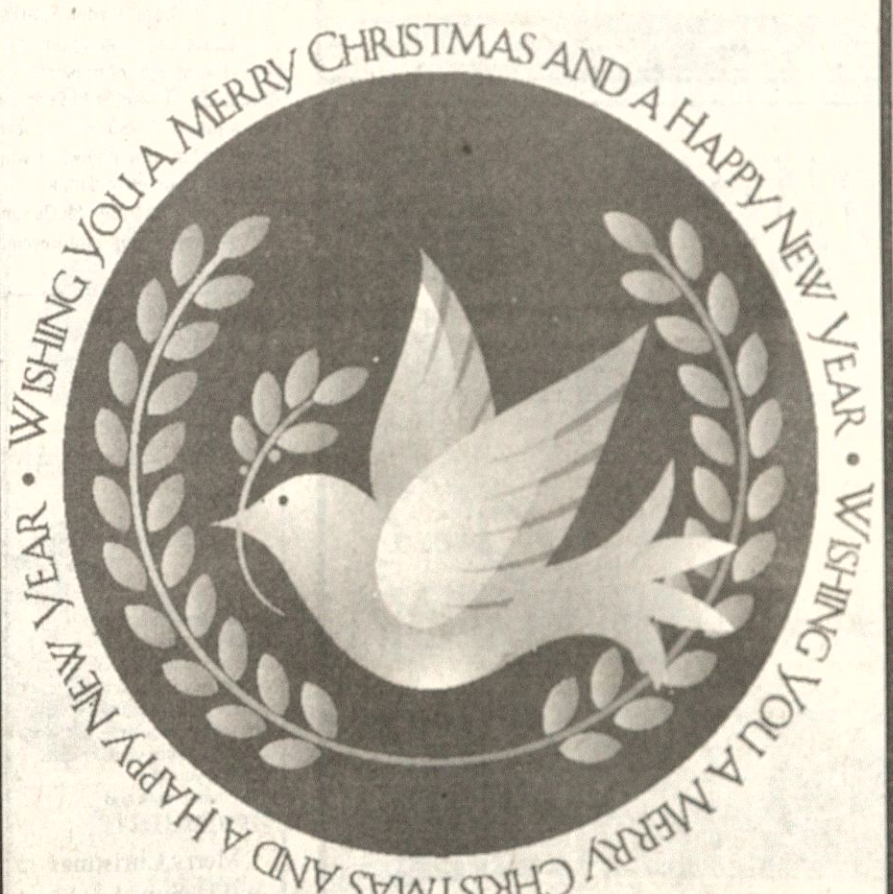
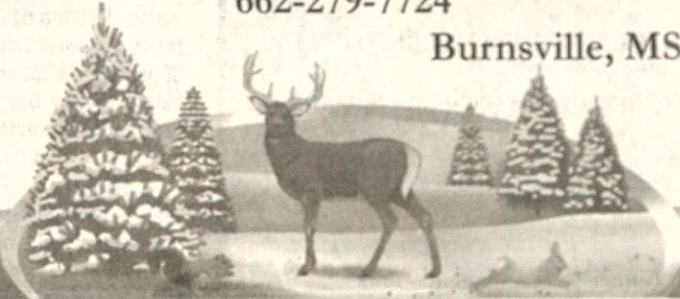
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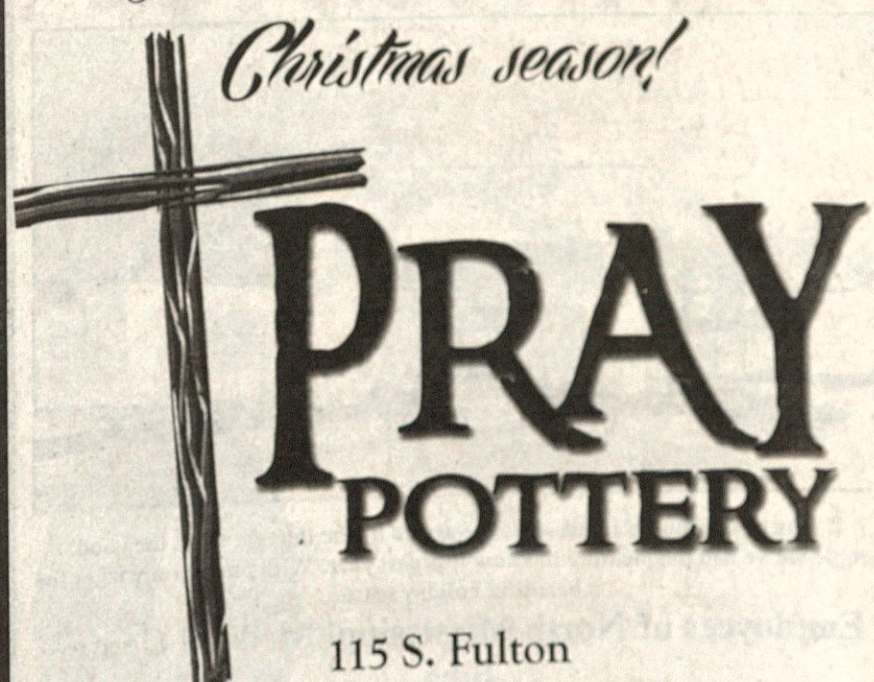
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Tishomingo Elementary School
1st Grade

I would like Stompies Light-Up Pillow and Blanket, Barbie Dream House, and a stamper for nails, stamp art nails and real puppy, Heart-Shake Art, nail brush, candy cane, and unicorn.

Love, LilaAna White
I love Christmas, and I want you to give all the people that do not have any toys atleast one or two toys!!! But, I would like a Monster Truck.

Love, Austin Sparks
I have been a good boy this year. I want a Wii, and a tablet. I also want a Fireman Lego Set and a Switch and Go Dino. I will leave you out some milk and cookies.

Love, Aiden Sparks
I been good. I want a dirt-bike, video games, a pair of Nikes, a 4-wheeler, and an xBox.

Love, Alijan Crosby
I was a good boy this year. I would like Legos, Hot-Wheels, Nabi Tablet, an electric scooter, color-by-number, football, wall track, basketball, baseball, and a metal detector.

John Thomas Barnes
I want some clothes. I want some cowgirl boots. I want some shirts. I want some iPad. I want some Bable Tub. I want some computer. I want a new lunch box, it is going to be pink. I want a press. I want a keyboard.

Love, Miesha A.J.
I want Mine Craft (the game). I want LEFT 4 DEAD. I want Ninja toys. I want Power Ranger toys. I want a basketball and goal. I want Iron Man 3 (the game). I will leave milk and cookies.

Love, Briley Garn
I wish for a Fat Baby and a pair of boots, a styling Barbie, a pink guitar, DVD player, a Flash-Light Friend, "Teen Beach" movie and soundtrack, and a BB gun.

Love, Bindi Brown
I want another "Junie B." book and mini table.

Love, Danica Calley
I would like an American Girl, Firie with pink hearts

and purple ears and blue skin, Zoomer, but purple.

Love, Hallie Cat
Dear Santa,
I want a Jedx and a basketball and basketball goal. I want some surprises. I'll leave you some cookies and milk on the table.

Love, Kalli Bray
I want a toy Monster Car. I want a real dirt-bike. I want a SpongeBob toy. I want a 4-wheeler. I want a toy rocket.

Love, Bodhi Isbell
I want a Barbie nail dryer set, and a Baby Alive Make-Me-Better Doll. I also want a doll bed. Santa, I want a Pop-The-Pig Game and a Goody-Louie Game. I want the One Direction dolls and a Flutter Bye. Can you bring me a Orbees Luxury Spa and EZ Bake Refill Recipes? Santa, please bring a Dipping Dots Frozen Dot Maker.

Destini Simmons
My name is Colin Allen. I am 6 years old. I have tried to be a very good boy. I hope you will have a good Christmas and please bring some toys to my friends and me. I would like some Legos and some new books to read. One of the Legos I want is called "Ewok Village". I like books about Crocodiles and also Zombies. Thank you very much, Santa. Be careful on your trip.

Love, Colin Allen
My name is Maylie Holt. I have been a pretty good girl. So if you can, I would like to have a play horse, bracelet, lots of clothes, dolls and a new necklace. Don't forget my big sister, Sadie and my little brother, Bentley.

Love, Maylie Holt
How are you? I hope you and Mrs. Claus are doing good? I would like a 3 DS and a 2DS and a new DSI. Thank you.

Love, Wyatt Sanchez
I want a iPad, and pop music. I want a DS. I want my family to have a 'Happy Day' on Christmas. I want my friends to have a 'Happy Day' on Christmas, and my school too.

Ashleigh Wilson
I have been a good boy this year. I want a Police-Lego Set. I also want a tablet and a Wii. I would also like some DS games and DVD's. I will leave milk and cookies out for you.

Love, Jayden Sparks
I have been a good boy this year. I want a lot of presents for Christmas. I want a helicopter and a plane. I also want a new cover and a new pillow. I will leave you cookies and milk.

Rayden McQueen
I want a play motorcycle,

a blue race car, an RC police car, a new kick ball, a Mario DS game, Glow Pet, Dream Light, a Batman game, a skateboard, a swing-set, 4-wheeler, and a teddy bear.

Love, Alex Rivers
What I want for Christmas is a play-house and a table and chairs, and a kitchen for it. I want a Seat-Belt Buddy. Thank you.

Love, Kayle Dai Klutts
I have been a good girl this year. I want a Flash-Light Friend for Christmas, please. I love you, Santa, and thank you.

Love, Emily Gills
I have been a good boy all year. I would like a rock climbing truck and a Monster Truck. Also, a few Matchbox Cars, and if it's not too much to ask, could you bring my sister a North Face jacket, since she's been good too.

Love, Aaron
For Christmas, I would like a 4-wheeler, clothes, Ninja Turtle toys, Smurfs 2 (the movie), and a remote control truck.

Love, Kylon
I want Monster High dolls, a Diary that only responds to your voice, a Barbie Live In The Dream House, and a Happy Family Show Doll House. I have been very good this year. I will have cookies for you and corn for your reindeer.

Love, Lydia Wimbish
What I want for Christmas is Lego Marvel Super Heroes Video Game, an xBox, a Thor Hammer. I want to spend time with my family, Call Of Duty, Ghosts, Nerf Guns, Army Of Two, play with my cousins, and a stocking full of Kit-Kats!!!

Love, Joshua Swann
If you want to give me some presents, I would like some ear-phones, an iPad, and an iPhone-3. Thank you so much! I will leave you some treats and some punch. Love, Annabell Rose Watson

What I want for Christmas is blue shoes, and a blue hat, and a flying ball.

Love, Jesse

Dear Santa,
I love you. How is the weather there? Do you have people on the 'good list'? Santa, I would like an iPad for Christmas, please? I would like a 4-wheeler too.

Love, Carlie Brock
My name is Nicholas Daniel. I have been a good boy this year. What I'd like for Christmas is boots, a bike, and lots of surprises. Please don't forget about my baby sister, Aubree

and my 2 older sisters, Samantha and Maria. We will leave milk and cookies for you.

Love, Nicholas
I want toys that are Thomas and Trains. I want Ole Miss bed covers. I want cowboy boots. I want new tennis shoes and clothes. I want some new xBox games. I want new DS games.

Love, Justin Lovelace
I have been good this year. I want a flying helicopter with remote control, pogo stick, green

bicycle, Call Of Duty 5 for my xBox 360, jungle gym, and Lego City 2 for my xBox 360. Thank you a bunch.

Love, Dalton
I would like a new PS 3 game, Grand Theft Auto 1 game, and a teddy bear. God Bless Everyone! And I hope all the kids have a good Christmas.

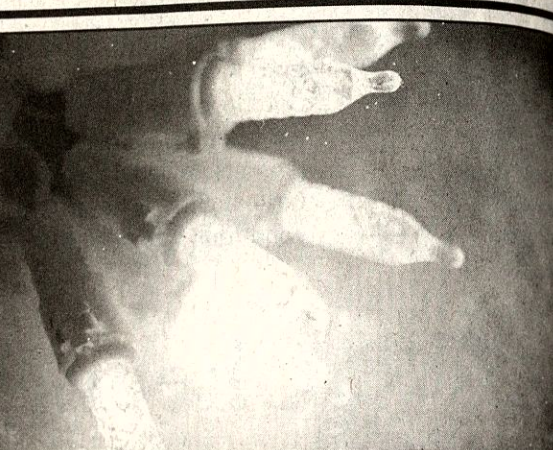
Love, Cayden Blair

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At Christmastime, we're all aglow,
When we think of the good folks that we know
So before the candles all burn out,
We'd like to say without a doubt -
That for your goodwill and friendship too,
We're really thankful for each one of you!

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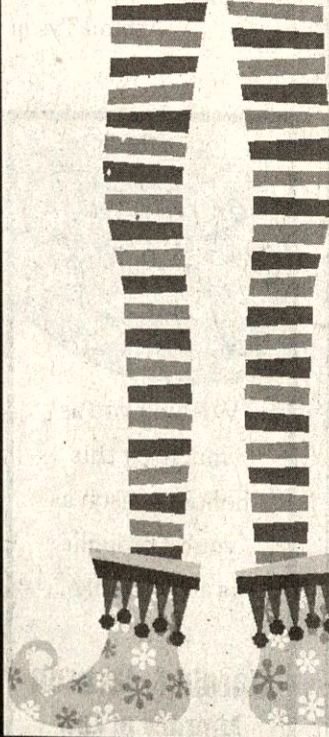
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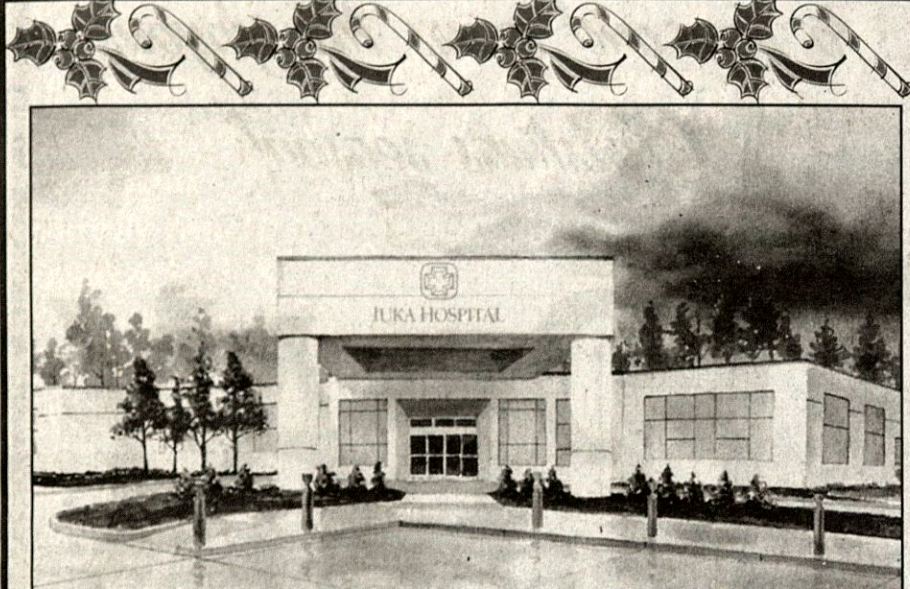


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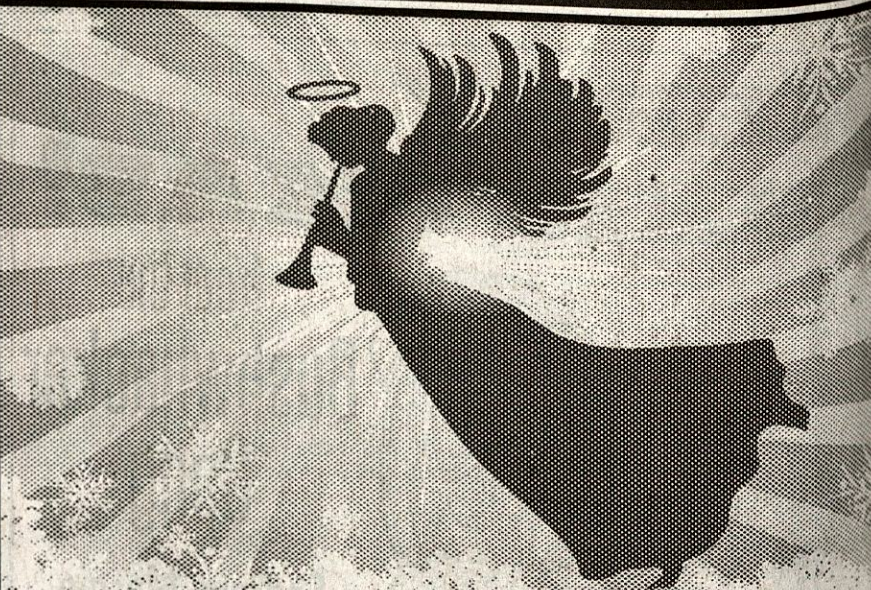
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Merry Christmas
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LETTERS TO SANTA

Burnsville Head Start Unit II, Ms. Brenda, Ms. Darlene, & Ms. Jessica's Class

Barbie Doll, clothes, shoes.
Batman, Superman stuff, & Wolverine.
A big, red, 4-wheeler.
Buzz Lightyear and all his friends.
Zummer, the girl and boy robot.
Buzz Lightyear stuff and Bullseye.
Monster High doll, and a Barbie House.
A big Monster Truck.
4-wheeler, and hunting stuff.
A baby doll, earrings, a TV with a remote.
Power Wheel and a baby doll.
A baby doll, LaLa Loopsy Backpack.
A Barbie Doll, clothes.
A robot that walks away.
Stuffed animals,

books and trucks.
Jacob - A bike and hunting clothes.
Sydney - Make-up game, Monster High doll, a Barbie, and some movies.
Burnsville Headstart Unit I Leigh Anne and Ms. Angie's Class
Emily Baswell—Baby doll and cooking set.
Landon Brooks—Monster truck and a bicycle.
Bethany Brown—A baby doll and Cinderella Scooter.
Emmalee Bunn—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.
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.

Most Popular Christmas Songs

Decorations and shopping are integral parts of the holiday season, but very often it is the music being played over the airwaves that sets the tone for the festivities to come. Christmas music has been enjoyed for decades and certain compositions are widely loved and played year after year. The American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers, who compiles lists of the most popular songs, lists "Santa Claus Is Coming to Town" and "Winter Wonderland," both of which were written in 1934, as the oldest and most popular tunes. The newest popular song is "Wonderful Christmastime," composed in 1979. Though personal preference often determines a holiday playlist, the following tunes are of the more popular Christmas songs:

- * "The Christmas Song (Chestnuts Roasting on an Open Fire)" - Mel Torme, Robert Wells
- * "Santa Claus Is Coming to Town" - Fred Coots, Haven Gillespie
- * "Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas" - Ralph Blane, Hugh Martin
- * "Winter Wonderland" - Felix Bernard, Richard B. Smith
- * "White Christmas" - Irving Berlin
- * "Let It Snow! Let It Snow! Let It Snow!" - Sammy Cahn, Jule Styne
- * "Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer" - Johnny Marks
- * "Jingle Bell Rock" - Joseph Carleton Beal, James Ross Boothe
- * "I'll Be Home for Christmas" - Walter Kent, Kim Gannon, Buck Ram
- * "Little Drummer Boy" - Katherine K. Davis, Henry V. Onorati, Harry

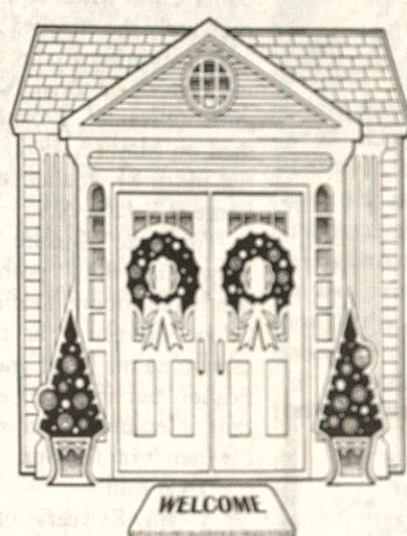
- Simeone
- * "Sleigh Ride" - Leroy Anderson, Mitchell Parish
- * "It's the Most Wonderful Time of the Year" - Edward Pola, George Wyle
- * "Silver Bells" - Jay Livingston, Ray Evans

- * "Rockin' Around the Christmas Tree" - Johnny Marks
- * "Feliz Navidad" - Jose Feliciano
- * "Blue Christmas" - Billy Hayes, Jay W. Johnson
- * "Frosty the Snowman" - Steve Nelson, Walter E. Rollins

- * "A Holly Jolly Christmas" - Johnny Marks
- * "I Saw Mommy Kissing Santa Claus" - Tommie Connor
- * "Here Comes Santa Claus" - Gene Autry, Oakley Haldeman



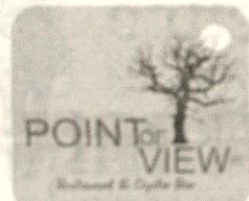
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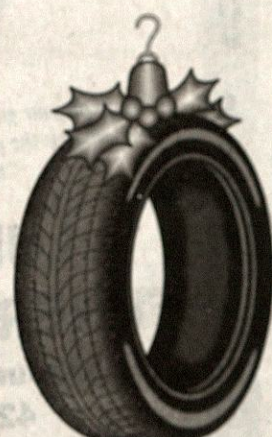
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Yes Virginia, There is a Santa Claus

Francis P. Church's editorial, "Yes Virginia, There is a Santa Claus" was an immediate sensation, and became one of the most famous editorials ever written. It first appeared in the The New York Sun in 1897, almost a hundred years ago, and was reprinted annually until 1949 when the paper went out of business.

Thirty-six years after her letter was printed, Virginia O'Hanlon recalled the events that prompted her letter:

"Quite naturally I believed in Santa Claus, for he had never disappointed me. But when less fortunate little boys and girls said there wasn't any Santa Claus, I was filled with doubts. I asked my father, and he was a little evasive on the subject.

"It was a habit in our family that whenever any doubts came up as to how to pronounce a word or some question of historical fact was in doubt, we wrote to the Question and Answer column in The Sun. Father would always say, 'If you see it in the The Sun, it's so,' and that settled the matter.

"Well, I'm just going to write The Sun and find out the real truth," I said to father.

"He said, 'Go ahead,

Virginia. I'm sure The Sun will give you the right answer, as it always does.' "

And so Virginia sat down and wrote her parents' favorite newspaper.

Her letter found its way into the hands of a veteran editor, Francis P. Church. Son of a Baptist minister, Church had covered the Civil War for The New York Times and had worked on the The New York Sun for 20 years, more recently as an anonymous editorial writer. Church, a sardonic man, had for his personal motto, "Endeavour to clear your mind of cant." When controversial subjects had to be tackled on the editorial page, especially those dealing with theology, the assignments were usually given to Church.

Now, he had in his hands a little girl's letter on a most controversial matter, and he was burdened with the responsibility of answering it.

"Is there a Santa Claus?" the childish scrawl in the letter asked. At once, Church knew that there was no avoiding the question. He must answer, and he must answer truthfully. And so he turned to his desk, and he began his reply which was to become one of the most memorable editorials in



newspaper history.

Church married shortly after the editorial appeared. He died in April, 1906, leaving no children.

Virginia O'Hanlon went on to graduate from Hunter College with a Bachelor of Arts degree at age 21. The following year she received her Master's from Columbia, and in 1912 she began teaching in the New York City school system, later becoming a principal. After 47 years, she retired as an educator. Throughout her life she received a steady stream of mail about her Santa Claus letter, and to each reply she attached an attractive printed copy of the Church editorial. Virginia O'Hanlon Douglas died on May 13, 1971, at the age of 81, in a nursing home in Valatie, N.Y.

We take pleasure in answering thus prominently the communication below, expressing at the same time our great gratification that its faithful author is numbered among the friends of The Sun:

Dear Editor

I am 8 years old. Some of my little friends say there is no Santa Claus. Papa says, "If you

see it in The Sun, it's so." Please tell me the truth, is there a Santa Claus?

- Virginia O'Hanlon

Virginia, your little friends are wrong. They have been affected by the skepticism of a skeptical age. They do not believe except they see. They think that nothing can be which is not comprehensible by their little minds. All minds, Virginia, whether they be men's or children's, are little. In this great universe of ours, man is a mere insect, an ant, in his intellect as compared with the boundless world about him, as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole of truth and knowledge.

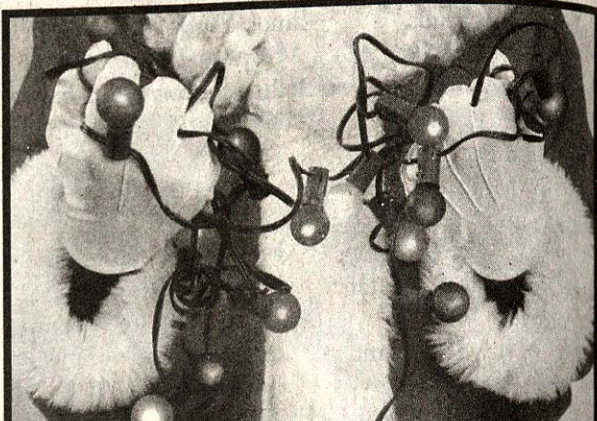
Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist, and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy. Alas! how dreary would be the world if there were no Santa Claus! It would be as dreary as if there were no Virginias. There would be no child-like faith then, no poetry, no romance to make tolerable this existence. We should have no enjoyment, except in sense and sight. The external light with which childhood fills the world would be extinguished.

Not believe in Santa Claus! You might as well not believe in fairies. You might get your papa to hire men to watch in all the chimneys on Christ-

mas eve to catch Santa Claus, but even if you did not see Santa Claus coming down, what would that prove? Nobody sees Santa Claus, but that is no sign that there is no Santa Claus. The most real things in the world are those that neither children nor men can see. Did you ever see fairies dancing on the lawn? Of course not, but that's no proof that they are not there. Nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders there are unseen and unseeable in the world.

You tear apart the baby's rattle and see what makes the noise inside,

but there is a veil covering the unseen world which not the strongest man, nor even the strongest men that ever lived could tear apart. Only faith, poetry, love, romance, can push aside that curtain and view and picture the supernal beauty and glory beyond. Is it all real? Ah, Virginia, in all this world there is nothing else real and abiding. No Santa Claus! Thank God! he lives and lives forever. A thousand years from now, Virginia, nay 10 times 10,000 years from now, he will continue to make glad the heart of childhood.



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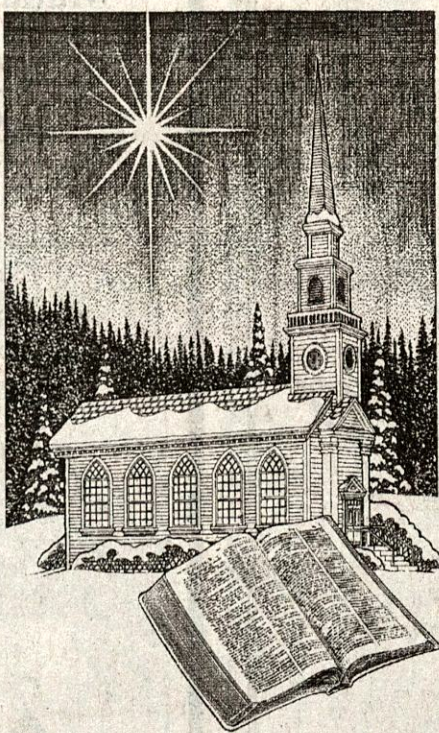
He's Checking It TWICE!

We know you're on the list of people we'd like to thank this holiday season. Your kind patronage has made it all worthwhile.

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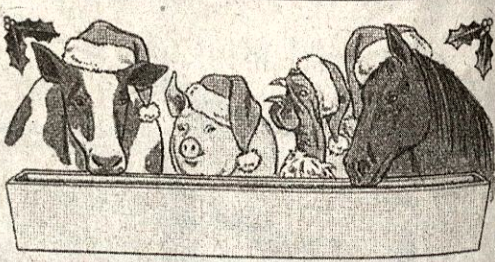
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May faith be your guide during this holy season. We appreciate the good faith you've shown us this year.

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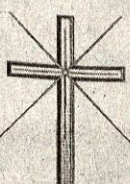


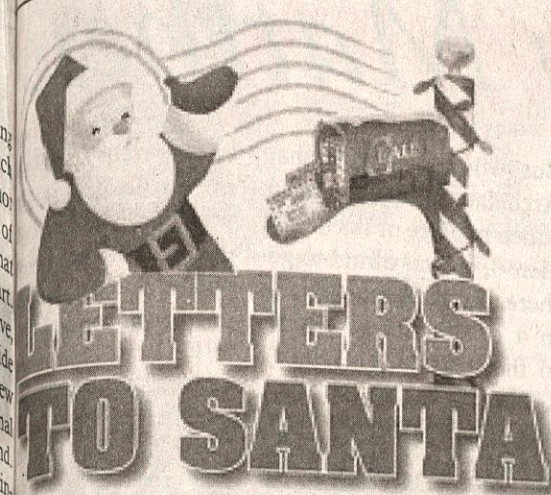
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Merry Christmas
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Dear Santa, I have a good girl. I want a toy castle, a toy train, a toy Aurora. They are good. I will leave you cookies and milk. Love, Brooklyn

Dear Santa, I would like a soft elephant, a Barbie doll, a toy train, and a computer. I will leave you chocolate chip cookies and orange juice. Love, Adleigh

Dear Santa, I would like a Minnie Mouse that has pom-poms. That's my favorite. I want to leave you some food. I will leave you more cookies and grape juice. Love, Joe

Dear Santa, Please give me the new Baby Doll, the new Kitchen with 30 accessories, doll house, a table with two chairs and a bicycle. I will leave you under my Christmas

Dear Santa, I would like some Monster Trucks, Legos, some Hot-Wheels cars, and some games for my Leap Pad. But most of all, I want a remote control airplane. My sister really wants a Barbie doll. P.S. I'm going to leave you KoolAid and some strawberry cake. Love, Gavin P.

Dear Santa, I have been pretty good this year. Can I please get lots of Barbie stuff, and I am going to leave you a tall glass of milk and a cookie. Love, Clarissa F.

Dear Santa, I want a Doc. McStuffin table and chair and baby dolls, baby clothes for my babies and diapers, pink cowgirl boots, a real deer like my PaPaw has, Nintendo DS with games, Doc. McStuffin movie and Minnie Mouse movie, make-up, baby doll house, Doc. McStuffin PJ's and Minnie Mouse PJ's, play doctor set of Doc. McStuffin and

cookies and leave your reindeer some carrots. Love, Jayden G.

Dear Santa, I want a pair of cowgirl boots, clothes, toys, and an iPad, a talking bird named Polly. I want a pretty cowgirl dress to match my cowgirl boots. I want a keyboard and computer. Love, Tonisha J.

Dear Santa, I'm a good boy. I would like a big truck with a trailer, 8 Hot-Wheels Monster Trucks, and a motorcycle with a helicopter and airplane. I will leave you a cheeseburger and a Mountain Dew. Love, Kamron

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a fire truck, Thomas and Friend Track, Dusty Airplane, Lighting McQueen toys, and Turtle toys. Love, Jeremiah J.

Dear Santa, I have been a good girl this year and for Christmas, I would like a play kitchen, some Barbies, and a baby doll. I will leave you some milk and cookies under the tree. Love, Kaylon U.

Dear Santa, I want some Barbie toys. I want an iPad. I want DS games. I want some cowgirl boots. I want new shoes. I want some cars. I want a Barbie doll house. I want some new coloring books. I want some Playdough. Love, Sasha T.

Dear Santa, I would like a remote controlled crane, a claw toy, a baby bear, a Zpad, a Lego Star Wars with Jabba the Hut and Luke Skywalker. Please bring Jonas a toy train, a bear, and a Christmas tree toy. I will leave you one cookie and a milk. I will leave the reindeer some carrots and apples. I've been good, so I can get toys. Love, Gabe C.

Dear Santa, I want a Princess costume and

PINK. I also would like a crown please. And please, if you can, send to my sister a fun toy. She is 2 years old. Thank you, Santa. Love, Spirit H.

P.S. SOME CANDY!!!

Dear Santa, I am 5 years old. I have been a pretty good girl this year. Can you please bring me a pink 4-wheeler like Paw-Paw's, some Hot-Wheels to play with Daddy, some Barbies and Barbie car, and some surprises. I will leave you milk and cookies under the tree. I pray that you have a safe trip. I love you, Santa Claus. Love, Josie S.

Dear Santa, I have been a very good boy this year. Can you please bring me lots and lots of Leggos and some Ninja Turtle toys. I really like Dinosaurs and Angry Bird toys too. Bring me some new movies too, please. My brothers have been good this year too, so bring them some stuff too, if you want. We're going to leave you some of PawPaw Bill's cookies on our table on Christmas Eve. Hope you like them. Love, Josh B.

Dear Santa, I would like cane, deer wheat, a new gun, a real scooter, a real orange gun with a scope, and hunting movies. Love, Ayden B.

Dear Santa, I want a Monster High Doll House, and a Cheering Minnie. I also want a Doc. McStuffin's Check-Up Center. I'm gonna leave you some chocolate chip cookies and milk. Love, Hannah H.



Merry Christmas!



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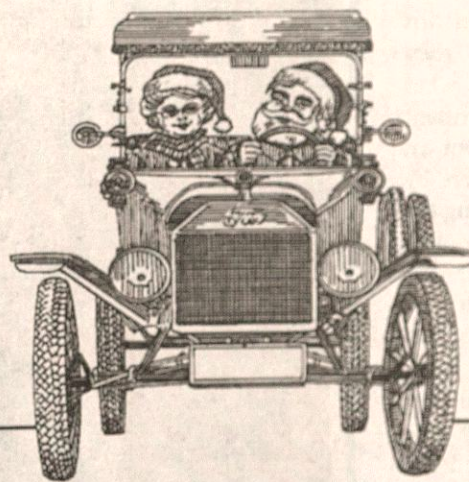
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*Fidings
Of Comfort & Joy*

**David N. Nichols, CPA
& Staff**



The Nativity as told by Matthew

This is how the birth of Jesus Christ came about: His mother Mary was pledged to be married to Joseph, but before they came together, she was found to be with child through the Holy Spirit. Because Joseph her husband was a righteous man and did not want to expose her to public disgrace, he had in mind to divorce her quietly.

But after he had considered this, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, "Joseph son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary home as your wife, because what is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins."

All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had said through the prophet: "The virgin will be with child and will give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel"—which means, "God with us."

When Joseph woke up, he did what the angel of the Lord had commanded him and took Mary home as his wife. But he had no union with her until she gave birth to a son. And he gave him the name Jesus.

After Jesus was born in Bethlehem in Judea, during the time of King Herod, Magi from the east came to Jerusalem and asked, "Where is the one who has been born king of the Jews? We saw his star in the east and have come to worship him."

When King Herod heard this he was disturbed, and all Jerusalem with him. When he had called together all the people's chief priests and teachers of the law, he asked them where the Christ was to be born. "In Bethlehem in Judea," they replied, "for this is what the prophet has written: "'But you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; for out of you will come a ruler who will be the shepherd of my people Israel.'" Then Herod called the Magi secretly and found out from them the exact time the star had appeared. He sent them to Bethlehem and said, "Go and make a careful search for the child. As soon as you find him, report to me, so that I too may go and worship him."

After they had heard the king, they went on their way, and the star they had seen in the east went ahead of them until it stopped over the place where the child was. When they saw the star, they were overjoyed.

On coming to the house, they saw the child

with his mother Mary, and they bowed down and worshiped him. Then they opened their treasures and presented him with gifts of gold and of incense and of myrrh. And having been warned in a dream not to go back to Herod, they returned to their country by another route.

When they had gone, an angel of the Lord appeared to Joseph in a dream. "Get up," he said, "take the child and his mother and escape to Egypt. Stay there until I tell you, for Herod is going to search for the child to kill him."

So he got up, took the child and his mother during the night and left for Egypt, where he stayed until the death of Herod. And so was fulfilled what the Lord had said through the prophet: "Out of Egypt I called my son."

When Herod realized that he had been out-



witted by the Magi, he was furious, and he gave orders to kill all the boys in Bethlehem and its vicinity who were two years old and under, in accordance with the time he had learned from the Magi. Then what was said through the prophet Jeremiah was fulfilled: "A voice is heard in Ramah,

weeping and great mourning, Rachel weeping for her children and refusing to be comforted, because they are no more."

After Herod died, an angel of the Lord appeared in a dream to Joseph in Egypt and said, "Get up, take the child and his mother and go to the land of Israel, for those who were trying to take the child's life are dead."

So he got up, took the child and his mother and went to the land of Israel.

But when he heard that Archelaus was reigning in Judea in place of his father Herod, he was afraid to go there. Having been warned in a dream, he withdrew to the district of Galilee,

and he went and lived in a town called Nazareth. This was fulfilled what was said through the prophets: "He will be called a Nazarene."
—Matthew 1:18–23
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