

Ms. Mary Marsh South Harrison R-2 4-vear-old AM Preschool

Dear Santa. For Christmas I want a police truck tov with working sirens, a toy cop, and a robber toy to go with it all. I would like to know if you take naps. I'm going to leave you cookies and milk on the coffee table.

Your Friend, Barrett

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a toy baby doll with pink hair, a pink dress and pink shoes. I would like to know how many cookies you eat, Santa. I'm going to leave cookies and milk on the kitchen counter for you.

Love. Elyza

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a power wheel motorcycle. Hotwheels cars, and a Hotwheels car track with a ramp. I would like to know how long your beard is. I'm going to leave out cookies and a cup of milk on the living room table.

Thank you. Brixtyn

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I would like a baby doll that can eat food, colored pencils, and Barbies. Santa, I would like to know how many elves you have at the North Pole. I am going to leave you cookies, a piece of candy, and milk on the TV stand

Love, Elkie

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a Furby, a toy phone, and a play kitchen. I would like to know how you get the presents to everyone. I'm going to leave you milk and cookies right next to the Christmas tree.

Your Friend, Paxton

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I would like colored pencils, a Barbie with long purple hair, and paint. I would like to know if Mrs. Clause goes along on Christmas Eve. I'm going to leave you candy bars on the porch for a snack.

Love, Charley

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a baby Yoda stuffed animal, a Barbie with brown hair, and an American Girl doll. I would like to know if the reindeer ever eat cookies. I'm going to leave you heart shaped cookies and some milk under the Christmas tree.

Love, Harper





Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I would like a Power Ranger sword, and a Bumble Bee Transformer toy. I would like to know how many helpers you have at the North Pole. I am going to leave you cookies and milk and I'm going to hide it in my basement so you have to search for it.

Thank you, Easton

Dear Santa, I would like you to bring me a Princess baby doll. That's all I want. I would like to know where the power comes from that makes Rudolph's nose red. I will leave you milk and cookies in the living room.

Love, Eila

Dear Santa, For Christmas I would like a baby doll. I would also like to know how many elves you have at the North Pole. I want to leave you milk and chocolate chip cookies in the living room on the coffee table.

Thank You, Maclyn

Dear Santa, For Christmas I would like a dinosaur set and a fox family set. I would like to know what you feed your reindeer. I know you love your reindeer. I will leave you some bananas in my bedroom for a snack.

Love, Lydia

Mrs. Takaya Pottorff **South Harrison R-2** Kindergarten

Dear Santa, I would like an orange bike, firefighter costume,m blocks, and a train. Merry Christmas Santa. I have been nice this year

> Merry Christmas, From Gidyon Cotter

Dear Santa, I would like a big doll house to put all my dolls in that will go with my pink Barbie shoes, and a big makeup set, I would also like a big pool to swim in with all my friends, and a trampoline for my sisters, and I would like a big new real house for my mom, dad, and sisters. I have been super nice this year.

Merry Christmas, From Audia Payne

Dear Santa, The first thing I want is a princess bed to sleep in, the second thing I want is princess headphones, and the third thing I would like is a slide to put in my vard. I also want a mermaid barbie with rainbow hair and a computer. I have been very nice this year.

> Merry Christmas, From Jimena Lopez

Dear Santa, What I want for Christmas is a horse, Oculus, and a PS5. Also I would love for Santa to bring me another cowboy shirt to wear. I want a keyboard and mouse for my PS5 and I also want a laptop to use. I really want a new pair of Hey Dudes for my outfit. I have been a nice boy. Thank you Santa.

Merry Christmas, From Ryker Knott

Dear Santa, I love Transformers and all I want for Christmas is Optimus Prime. Not only do I want him but I also want a whole bunch of Transformers like Bumblebee. I also want all the monster trucks, a monster truck race track that has two loops on it. I really hope I get a lot of candy and bubble gum in my stocking too. I was super nice this year.

> Merry Christmas, From Gabe Peak

Dear Santa, The first thing I would like for Christmas is Makeup, Camera with a case, rainbow night light, erasers for pencils, a sled for snow days, cowgirl hat, and cheerleader pom poms. I have been a good girl this year.

Merry Christmas, From Catherine Caley

Dear Santa, I would like a purple mini Fridge, purple nail polish, and a squish Mallow. I think I have been a good girl this year!

> Merry Christmas, From Alyssa Byrd

Dear Santa, I want a good Game board game, an awesome drink, and an awesome sonic shirt with sonic pants to match. I was Good!

> Merry Christmas, From James Polley

Dear Santa, I want a new elf, hot wheels, and a Spider Man doll. I was really Good this year.

> Merry Christmas, From Mason Collins

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want an art easel, a camera, and a charade game. I was a good girl this year, Santa.

> Merry Christmas, From Lyla Foster

Dear Santa, I would like a monster truck, with bull horns on it,a green semi with spikes and a trailer, a green go-kart, and a green remote control crane. I was a really good boy this year.

Merry Christmas, From Boone Kampman.

Dear Santa, I want a bike that has to be purple please, I would like a nice unicorn toy, and a pretty barbie. I will give you some very yummy cookies. I was Good.

> Merry Christmas, From Gabrielle Baker

Mrs. Chelsea Rector **South Harrison R-2** Kindergarten

Dear Santa, For Christmas. I want a Barbie dream house, a computer, and a bunk bed to share with my sisters. I want to know if Santa has rainbow gloves? I would also like to tell him that I will always help even when he's sick and needs help at the workshop. This year I've been nice because even when my sisters are mean, I'm always nice to them.

Love, Lisa Province

Dear Santa. I would like a hello kitty, doll house, and a horsey for Christmas this year. I have been nice because I like to help others and I am smart. I am very excited for you to come and give us pres-

Love, Athena Northern

Dear Santa, This year for Christmas. I would like a motorcycle. Elsa microphone. and a four wheeler. Did you know I like reindeers and Rudolph is my favorite. I do very good at school and I helped Santa before. I love Santa, I think he is kind and gives us so many gifts. I think I'm on the nice list.

Love, Colbie Pottorff

Dear Santa, The three things I want for Christmas are a Baby Yoda lunch box, super fast shoes, and a new book backpack. One thing I want Santa to know is that I like him very much! I think I'm on the nice list because I've been a very good boy.

Love, Jameson Benavides

Dear Santa, This year for Christmas I want a yo-yo, books, and a computer. Does Rudolph really have a red nose? I have been really good at school so I have been nice. I'm very good all of the time. Also, are elves real?

Love, Axel Fry

Dear Santa, I want more stuffed animals like a cat, dog, and a dinosaur. I also want a hamster that comes

with a cage and food. I want a pig that has piglets too. How do you make the toys? I think I'm on the nice list, but sometimes I don't get along with my sister. Oh how do reindeer fly?

Love, Emily Findley

Dear Santa, My name is Carter O. I would like a bumblebee transformer, a spiderman, and a trace-bot. I also want a spiderman robot. I like school too! How are you doing? Are you ready for Christmas?

Love, Carter Osmon

Dear Santa, Do your reindeer make your sled fly? I also wanted to ask how your elves make the toys? I am really helpful like if someone gets hurt, I tell a teacher. I think I have been a really good boy. I would like a batman costume, a bat-mobile, and an I-pad like my sissy.

Love, Shelby Kern

Dear Santa, I would like an I-pad, 3 bunk beds, and rainbow headphones. How do the elves make all the presents for all the little boys and girls? Did you know I have 8 longhorn cows and I have about 200 chickens. I'm a good older sister too.

Love, Stella Starmer

Dear Santa, This year I would like a cat, minecraft, and skis! I would also like Spiderman 2. May I have those things pretty please? I don't have any questions, but could I have those things pretty please?

Love, Jackson Pash

Dear Santa, I would like a computer, a dog, a new bike, and a new pair of skates. How do vou get so many toys in your present bag? I have been very nice this year!

Love, Sadie Moraga

Dear Santa, This year I would like a buzz lightyear, paw patrol, and lighting mcqueen toys! I like Rudolph's red nose!

Love, Matthew Baco



Mrs. Gayla Sunderland South Harrison R-2 **Kids Town Daycare**

I would like Santa to bring me toys, a big, big monster truck, trucks, and tractors.

Colson Hamilton

I would like Santa to bring me two big monster trucks, a tractor and a semi to hold the monster trucks

Cactus Morgan

I would like Santa to bring me a real spiderman car to drive, a John Deere green tractor, Spiderman suit, mask, gloves and real webs. I also want a small rocking chair for my house.

Callen Watson

I would like Santa to bring me a baby doll, a glass of milk, bottle of milk, tea cups, a hair style. I woll also leave Santa a glass of Milk and Cookies.

Kate Watson

I would like Santa to bring me a microwave and a phone. I already have dolls.

Kinslev Hahn

I would like Santa to bring me a microphone and toys. Hadley Mahler

I would like Santa to bring

my toys and a new baby doll. Meila Foster

I would like Santa to bring me a pop-it and a baby doll.

Nova Willis

Miss. Krissi Cox North Harrison R-III Kindergarten

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a Buzz LightYear. I need a dirt bike. I'll wear a shamrock shirt. I'll read cat books. And I really would like you to bring me a basketball.

Love, Abbey Post

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a robot. I need another brother. I'll wear new mittens. I'll read Spongebob books. And I really would like you to bring me a snowman that won't melt.

Love, Axel Lane

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a phone. I need new leggings. I'll wear cowgirl HeyDudes. I'll read cat books. And I really would like you to bring me a case for my phone.

Love, Mya Rinehart

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a new dirt bike. I need a bull set. I'll

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GUIDE YOU

May faith be your guide,

and peace be your constant

companion as together we celebrate

the miracle of Christmas.

wear basketball clothes. I'll read Halloween and Spring books. And I really would like you to bring me a big Hot Wheels set.

Love, Chetty Hoffman

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a polar bear. I need a Christmas star. I'll wear sweatshirts. I'll read rainbow books And I really would like you to bring me rainbow play doh.

Love, Myra Lueken

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a Barbie Dream House. I need new socks. I'll wear a rainbow outfit. I'll read Gabby's Dollhouse books. And I really would like you to bring me a craft set.

Love, Riah Smith

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a walking toy dog. I need yellow shoes. I'll wear all pink and glittery shoes. I'll read Pete the Cat books. And I really would like you to bring me a playhouse.

Love, Amelia Gryder

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a Power Wheel Hot Wheel Racer. I need black dress shoes. I'll wear new socks. I'll read sight word books. And I really would like you to bring me a playhouse.

Love, Austin JacobsDear

Santa, For Christmas this year I want a camo dress. I need a new swimsuit. I'll wear a shamrock shirt. I'll read Moana books. And I really would like you to bring me a Barbie Dreamhouse.

Hadlee Love. Joiner

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want toys. I need black shoes. I'll wear clothes. I'll read Ninja Turtles. And I really would like you to bring me Hot Wheels.

Love, Brantley Young

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want markers. I need watermelon. I'll wear underwear. I'll read Pete the Cat books. And I really would like you to bring me a dirt bike gear.

Love, Axten Grabill

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a hamster Squishmallow. I need a big house. I'll wear rainbow pants. I'll read books about phones. And I really would like you to bring me a squishmallow

Love, Chesney Dale

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want candy. I need Transformers. I'll wear a shirt. I'll read scary books. And I really would like you to bring me toys.

Love, Rhyker Johnson

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want love. I need a new lovey unicorn. I'll wear a soft shirt and pants. I'll read Splat the Cat books. And I really would like you to bring me barbie stuff.

Love, Lexi Steele

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want roller skates. I need farm clothes. I'll wear a new quarter zip. I'll read Spiderman. And I really

would like you to bring me a big farmhouse.

Love, Bowen Smith

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a John Deere Gator. I need a new mop my size. I'll wear a dirt bike shirt. I'll read tractor books. And I really would like you to bring me a nice van.

Love, Gabe Obermeier

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a RC spider. I need new scissors. I'll wear a Mr. Beast shirt. I'll read cat books. And I really would like vou to bring me a Hot Wheels track.

> Love, Remington Stevenson



Mrs. Rachel Jennings South Harrison R-2 Spec. Ed. Early Childhood Ctr.

Dear Santa, My name is Justin and I am three years old. I love fire trucks and would love some for Christmas! I also love paw patrol and basketballs. I've been a good boy at school and at home. I'll be sure to leave you a treat.

Love, Justin

Dear Santa, My name is Waylon and I am three years old. I've been a nice boy this year. For Christmas I'd really like a balance bike and some hot wheels. My sister and I would love some books to read with our mommy. We will leave a special treat for you and your reindeer!

Love, Waylon

Dear Santa, My name is Otto and I'm three years old. I've been a nice boy and a very helpful big brother! For Christmas can I have some rocks and toy shovels, I love scooping things. I'd also like magnatiles to build cool things with my Mom. We will leave a treat for you and the reindeer.

Love, Otto







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Tom Strade

Tom Strade 1614 Main Street Bethany, MO 660-425-6335



Mrs. Jordan Gibson North Harrison R-III 1st Grade

Dear Santa, How are your reindeer? For Christmas I would like a gymnastics bar, a Barbie camper, and a notebook and colors. Thank you for Christmas.

Love, Livvy Rinehart

Dear Santa, How are you doing? This year for Christmas I would like a dragon stuffed animal, a drone, and a nintendo. Thank you for bringing us stuff and teaching us lessons when we get coal.

Love, Maverick Willis

Dear Santa, What is your favorite thing about Christmas? For Christmas I would like a Barbie Dream House, a LOL cat, and a real live kitten. Thank you for bringing me some toys.

Love, Hadley Castleberry

Dear Santa, What reindeer is your favorite? For Christmas I would like an xbox, a hunting toy set, and an electric bike. Thank you for bringing me toys.

Love, Colter Lane

Dear Santa, Is Cookie going to bring his best friend? This year for Christmas I would like a gas powered dirt bike, farming toys, and tractor barns. Thank you for my toys. Love, Carter Hartschen

Dear Santa, How is Chippy doing? This year for Christmas I would like a dirt bike, a four wheeler, and a

golf cart. I am thankful for you because you made this year come.

Love, Jorgensen Craig

Dear Santa, What reindeer is your favorite? For Christmas I would like a drone, police legos, and an electric motorcycle. Thank you for bringing me toys.

Love, Kameron Crossley



Dear Santa, How is Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer? How is Comet? This year I would like a gel blaster, a fortnite bazooka, and a fortnite smg. Thank you for toys.

Love, Daxon Shovick

Dear Santa. How is Mrs. Claus? For Christmas I would like Sonic toys, Sonic legos, and Optimus toys. Thank you, I will be a good boy.

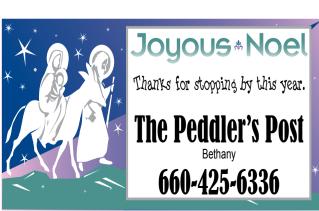
Love, Weston Stevenson

Dear Santa, How is Mrs. Claus? This year for Christmas I would like a writing tablet, an Elsa Pony, and a Barbie food truck. Thank you, I will be a good girl.

Love, Stacie Yetman

Dear Santa, What do the elves do? This year for Christmas I would like American Dolls, jeans, and skin care stuff. I am thankful for Christmas because you made this year come.

Love, Alexis Milligan



Angela...News...Dec. 20, 2023 Ms. Becky Creasey South Harrison R-2 2nd Grade

Dear Santa, How do the reindeer fly? For Christmas I would like a real puppy, German Sheppard to train. I would also like an art set. I have been good this year. I'll set out lots of cookies.

Love Essie F.

Dear Santa, How do you get into all the chimneys? For Christmas I would like a black stuff animal of a dog and an elf stuffed animal. I have been good this year.

Love, Kirkley F.

Santa, How Dear does your sleigh fly? For Christmas I would like a real American Bulldog puppy and a remote control car. I have been good this year.

Love. Malachi G.

Dear Santa, What do your reindeer eat? For Christmas I would like a make-up brushes with make-up and some chapter books, Babysitter Club. I have been good this year. You are so nice.

Love Myah H.

Dear Santa, Can you come in through a backdoor? For Christmas I would like a PS3



and some Legos. I have been good this year.

Love, Caleb L.

Dear Santa, How are the elves doing? For Christmas I would like Legos and a Nerf Gun. I have been good this year. We might bring you cookies and carrots.

Love, Patrick

Dear Santa, What would happen if I put reindeer food out the front of my house? For Christmas I would like a bow and arrow set and fourwheeler. I have been so good this year. Have you ever seen chocolate coal?

Love Jaxson M

Dear Santa, How is Rudolf doing? For Christmas I would

like a real Golden Retriever year. puppy and Nintendo Switch. I have been good this year. I love your beard.

Love, Mason S



AND HAPPY NEW YEAR

Dear Santa, Is being Santa a hard Job? For Christmas I would like a PlayStation 5 and new shoes. I have been good this year.

Love Monroe T

Dear Santa, How many elves do you have? For Christmas I would like some Legos and a stuffy that is a cat. I have been good this

Love, Raylynn T

Dear Santa, How are you Santa? For Christmas I would like a Nerf Gun and Toy cars. I have been good this year.

Love Thomas R.

Dear Santa, Have you been watching me? For Christmas I would like a Playstation 6 and a huge Nerf Gun. I have been good this year.

Love Jett W

Dear Santa, How are the elves doing, are they working hard? For Christmas I would like a spy drone and a RC racer car. I have been good this year, just play fighting with my brothers.

Love Braden M.



December 20, 2023

Letters To Santa

Mrs. Cook and Ms. Tammy Ridgeway R-5 3 & 4 years old AM-PM Preschool

Dear Santa, I want a shovel for Christmas! My little brother Chevy wants a dump truck and my other little brother Wiley wants an airplane for Christmas! One day I am going to want a big giant robot for Christmas!

Thank you! Mason

Dear Santa, I want a stuffed animal Chameleon for Christmas! I would also like a toy owl that lights up! Can I also have some cats for my Barbie house? Maylee wants baby wipes for Christmas! How are your Reindeer and Elves doing? How old is Rudolph, I am five!

Thank you, Maven

Dear Santa, I want a big giant robot for Christmas and a little tiny small controller for my robot! I would also like a baby toy for my little baby brother Greyson!

I love you Santa! Bjorn

Dear Santa, I want a yellow spiderman toy for Christmas! Ace wants a toy trencher, a toy dump truck, and a toy forklift. June wants a squishmallow that flies! I have an elf that lives at my house, his name is Buddy! I have three

Reindeer toys, how are your reindeer?

Merry Christmas Santa! Owen

Dear Santa, I want a Skye Paw Patrol toy and a toy puppy with a leash! I want a helicopter that goes with my new Skye toy too! How are your Reindeer doing?

Merry Christmas! Haven

Dear Santa, I want a Rubble Paw Patrol Toy! Can I also have some barbies?

Thank you Santa and thank you Reindeer! Harper

Dear Santa, I want a rocketship, a toy tractor that is just like my daddy's, a speed race car and a speed semi. I would also like some legos please! Can I also have toy cars? Can I go to the North Pole with you Santa?

Kaelum

Dear Santa, I want a dolly that poops for Christmas! Can I also get a fake reindeer? I want real makeup too! I love beautiful stuff.

Thank you Santa, Emery

Dear Santa, Can I please have a pink hat for Christmas? I also want a big Christmas tree with lights and presents! Can I also have a bear and bunny stuffed animal? Are your Reindeer happy?

Thank you Santa, Kimber

Mrs. Kristy Shock Pattonsburg R-2 1st Grade

Dear Santa Claus, I want a Nintendo Switch and a drone. I would also like a cleaning toy, a mini one. I want 3 Minecraft Lego sets. I want the LankyBox merch. I think that's all.

> Thank you! Huntur Mitchell

Dear Santa, I love you, Santa! I like the presents that you give me! Could I get a basketball hoop and a basketball? I would also like a phone and a Paw Patrol watch. I want a little claw machine that you get toy stuffies out of. I want a book that is about a cat and a dog to read.

Love, Maggie Rogers

Dear Santa, I would like Coco toys. I want Goofy and Mickey stuff. I will leave you some cookies. I want some clothes too, that's right.

Thank you! David Searcy

Dear Santa Claus, I would like fuzzy black boots because I had a pair but I outgrew them. I would like a bracelet kit if I don't get one for my birthday. I would like more John Deere toys and some containers to put them in because our other container is getting full. I am hoping that I can have a nice, quiet

Christmas evening with my parents and my siblings! I am hoping that you have something nice for my Mom and Dad too. We might not put out milk for you, but we will put out some pop for you like Mom did when she was little.

Thank you, Santa Claus! Alison Lupfer



Hi Santa! I want an Xbox Series X and a big panda. I would like a dinosaur Squishmallow and some Minecraft toys. What kind of cookies does Rudolph like? I'm excited to see you, Santa!

Thank you! Lincoln Hughs

Dear Santa, I want an expensive toy but I don't know what it is. You can give me whatever you want to give me. There's a steering wheel thing with buttons and a throttle and 2 pedals on it.

It's for Farming Simulator. My brother needs boots but I don't. Maizee needs a really special rattle.

> Thank you, Santa! Zaxton Leeper

Dear Santa, For Christmas I really want another cowgirl hat! My Dad has one too. I want a cowgirl shirt. One of those button-up ones. I want an axolot! Squishmallow and a light-up unicorn like the one that Mrs. Shock has. I want a disco ball because mine doesn't work. And I want some Christmas books. I will leave you some cookies. We are going to make them at Grandma Sandy's.

Thank you, Santa! Graccie Hill

Dear Santa, I would like a baby doll with clothes, a bottle, and food for her. I would like a brother doll for her too. I would like a book called "My Favorite Book." It's a book that is in my classroom. What kind of cookies do you like? I am going to make you some cookies hopefully. My Mom has a new recipe on her phone. I would also like a cat and a dog book.

Thank you! Renley Coffey

Dear Santa, I want a Barbie Dreamhouse. I love you, dear Santa! I want a bending Ken. I want a Barbie wheelchair in case the Barbie has a broken leg. I also want a Squishmallow and I'm going to name it Strawberry. I would like stuffed animal with a slap bracelet in the arms like my teacher has. I would like a horse puppet that you can put your hand in. And I want a pointer with a little hand on it and some more books. And some bows, hair ties, and hair clips too. I want one of those toy animals that you can color with marker and a pop tube.

Thank you, dear Santa! I love you! Ava Black

Dear Santa, I would like a real pit bull puppy for Christmas. I would like a boy one. And I want a Nerf gun and a real axolotl. I would like a 100 pack of foam bullets for my Nerf gun and a plushie axolotl. I want a big bag of Sour Patch Kids because I really like them! I want a big bag of sour gummy worms too. I love you, Santa!

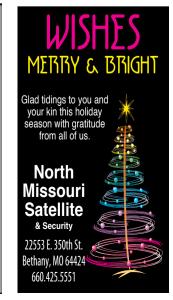
Thank you! Kraygin Allen

Dear Santa, I want some Princess makeup. I want some Elsa books and Olaf books. Olaf is my favorite! I want some toys to play with. I really like baby doll toys. I would like for some kids to come over and play and I would like to go play at my friend's house too. I need some Elsa boots. I would like an Elsa Squishmallow and a big horse Squishmallow. I will leave you some milk and cookies.

Thank you! Georgie Ames







Mrs. Debbie Osborne South Harrison R-2 2nd Grade

Dear Santa, I love Christmas! I am good at helping out. Why do you like cookies so much? How old are you? I would like a new dog. I would also like a squishmellow.

Love, Willa Callaway

Dear Santa, I love Spring. I love Christmas. What is your favorite Color? What color are your reindeer? I want a fake bunny. I want a number line

Love, Guinevere Cotter

Dear Santa, My favorite color is pink. I am nice. When did you meet Mrs. Claus? What is your favorite color? I would like some more bell bottoms. I would like a big mooshmellow.

Love, Paisley Epperson

Dear Santa, I have a cat. I am good at building a snowman. How many elves to you have? How do you give all the kids presents in one night? I want an LOL Surprise and I want a bike.

Love, Scarlett Fitzpatrick

Dear Santa, I love the Fall. I am great at making Ramen Noodles. Who is your favorite elf Do you like the elves better than the reindeer? I would like a Nintendo Switch. I would like a Chromebook.

Love, Miley Hogan

Dear Santa, I got a new puppy. I am good at playing softball. How is Eva, my elf, doing? Do you have kids? I would like a Boomba softball bag. I would like a hoverboard.

Love, Emerson Holloway

Dear Santa, My mom had a baby. I still love Art. How old is Rudolph? How old is Mrs. Claus? I would like a phone. I would like some chapter books.

Love, Adelyn Lisle

Dear Santa, I still love snow. I love school. How

old ar eyou? How old is your sleigh? I want a PS5. I need an electric scooter.

Love, Tanner Mohler

Dear Santa, I went to the trampoline park for my birhtday. I got a ton of presents for my birthday. How old are your reindeer? How long have you been living? I would like a hoverboard. I would like a new skateboard.

Love, Ayden Mullins

Dear Santa, I still love you so much. I am 8 years old. Why do you like cookies? How old are you? I would like an airsoft gun. I would like a Lego set.

Love, Walker Neth

Dear Santa, I am good at putting up ornaments. I am good at making mac and cheese. How is your wife? Which is your favorite reindeer? I would like a doll. I would like a soccer ball.

Love. Austin Padron

Dear Santa, I like juice. I dislike beans. Do you like Art? Who is your favorite kid? I want a dirt bike? I would like an I Phone 15 Pro. Love, James Pittsenbarger

Dear Santa, I'm good at making people smile. My birthday is three days before Christmas. How old are you? How many cookies do you eat every year? I want a free gift card to Air Zone and a PlayStation 5.

Love, Derek Spillman

Dear Santa, I like to build. I don't like Barbie dolls. How many elves do you have? Where were you born? I want

a Nintendo Switch. I want a sled.

Love, Darby Tibbles

Dear Santa, I have a love for Sonic. I have a lot of Sonic plushies. Hoe do you live at the North Pole? How do the elves make toys? I want a PS5. Please and thank you. I want some new Sonic plush-

Love, Masen Webb



May the Beauty of the Season

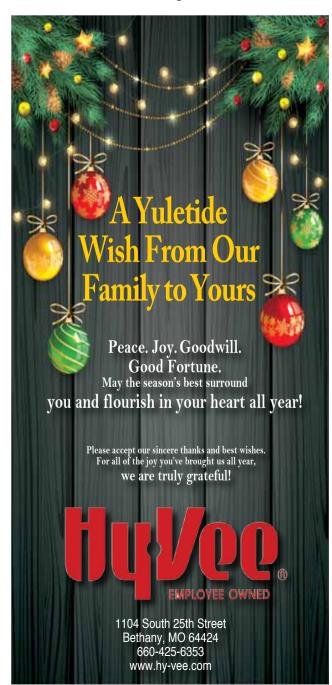
Fill Your Heart and Home With Contentment

As we pause to reflect on the year, we're touched by the many fond memories we've made with our cherished friends and customers here. Your unwavering support reminds us how fortunate we are to be a part of this close-knit community, and we're truly grateful for good neighbors like all of you. Thank you for bringing so much joy to our year with your visits, and for your continued trust in us.

We wish you and yours every bappiness this holiday season and always.

Warm Wishes and Merry Christmas!

From the Mayor,
City Council and Employees
of the City of Bethany



Ms. Sara Fish South Harrison R-2 Kindergarten

Dear Santa, What is your favorite cookie? Do you like milk? For Christmas, I would like a giant stuffed unicorn, a bracelet, a toy Santa and a water bottle. It would be nice to get a toy tent, too. How are your reindeer? My favorite reindeer is Rudolph. I can't wait for Christmas to come. I think I have been nice this year.

Love, Cora Mossburg

Dear Santa, Could I come see you and give you a hug? What are you doing to-day? Some things I want for Christmas are a monster truck and candy. I would also like a dollhouse and dolls to play with. What are some of your favorite toys to make? I like to help my dad at home. I have been a good boy this year.

Love, Antonio Santana

Dear Santa, What is your favorite color? My favorite color is pink. For Christmas, I would

like barbies, a helicopter and a puppy. I have been very nice this year and am on the nice list. My name is Kylee and I am 5 years old and kitties are my favorite. They are so soft.

Love, Kylee Hoover

Dear Santa, What's your favorite cookie? My favorite cookie is chocolate chip. What is your favorite flavor of milk? I like white milk. I want a black punching bag and red boxing gloves. I would also like my moms back to feel better. What's your favorite elf?

Santa, I am 5 years old and I have been a little bit naughty but I am really nice. I also like to exercise a lot.

Love, Sawyer Neth

Dear Santa, Do you like bringing toys to all the boys and girls? For Christmas, I would like a pony with wheels and buttons, a unicorn with a carriage and a full mini-kitchen so I can bake. I love the presents you give me every year. My favorite thing about you is that you come at night and deliver presents to all the boys and girls.

Love, Emmerson O'Neal

Dear Santa, Do you like M&M Cookies? The thing that I want the most for Christmas is Sonic legos. Another toy that I would like is a Nintendo Switch and if you can I would like a Wild Kratts game to play on it. Something that I want to tell you is that my favorite color is silver. Also, if you can, I would like a computer.

Love, Jaiden Phillips

Dear Santa, What's your favorite holiday? For Christmas, I would like a remote control

monster truck with batteries that goes super fast. Could you bring me some cowboy boots and a race car? I really love to play with legos at school.

Love, Tobias Cates

Dear Santa, What is your favorite colors are pink and purple. Do you like those colors? One thing I would like for Christmas is a dollhouse. I love to play with ours in our classroom. Could I also have a Christmas shirt and some dolls? I know I am on the nice list, I have been the best little girl. I can't wait for Christmas!

Love, Reese Woody

Dear Santa, Do you like chocolate chip cookies? I really want a RC car that can drive on the ceiling. I also want a poster with a dinosaur on it. Can you also throw in some hot wheels, that would be awesome. If I could have a new bowtie, I could wear it every Christmas. Can I have some m&ms of my own as I open presents on Christmas morning. Merry Christmas, Santa!

Love, Elijah Byrd

Dear Santa, What is your favorite color? Do you like cookies? I really like hot wheels cars. I also really like RC cars. I love to play video games. I would like some new legos to play with at home. I am five years old and I think I am on the nice list.

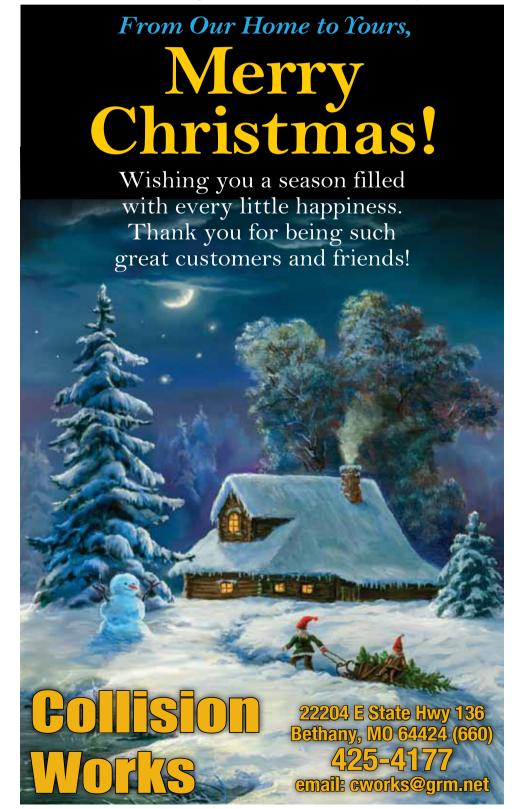
Love, Grayson Miller-Niverson

Dear Santa, What is your favorite color? For Christmas, I want a super big RC car, a remote control helicopter that flies super fast, and I also want a RC transformer because my old one broke. I am six years old, so I want this Christmas to be awesome. I think that I have been nice all year, so I think that I should get all of my presents and no coal.

Love, Abel Reeter

Dear Santa, What's your favorite color? The things I want for Christmas are little people, squishmallows, and a pizza party playset. My favorite color is yellow. I've been super nice because I do everything nice at school. I can't wait for Christmas.

Love, Ellina Bothun





Ms. Keely Waddle Gilman City R-IV 3rd Grade

3rd graders were asked, "What's the funniest thing that has happened to you at Christmas?"

Cora Marshall

The funniest thing that has happened to me at Christmas is when my Elf put eyes all around the house. Our elf also got into the flour and put it all over the kitchen table.

Trevor Scarborough

The funniest thing Santa could do is bring me magnet blocks and build a city around my christmas tree. I would chop down the tree and make my own big house to remember.



Kylieen Robinson

My funniest Christmas was when my mom hugged me and was silly. We played reindeer games and had fun, my family makes me happy.

Keegan Robinson

My funniest Christmas was when I saw Santa. I was nine, he was silly. He gave me the best present.

Ryder Holcomb

The funniest thing that happened to me on Christmas was slipping on the floor. It happened when my mom was mopping the flow and I slipped on the wet floor and my mom giggled. Mom was in a hurry to get the house cleaned for Santa and I was trying to get to my room. That did not happen. I think Santa should bring my mom a wet floor sign.

Dixie Marshall

The funniest thing that has happened to me at Christmas was my elf put

googly eyes everywhere. He put them on our pictures and he drew on our bananas.

Knox Curtis

The funniest thing that has happened to me at Christmas is my elf that goes in my underwear drawer. She also got on my ceiling fan with underwear on her head. She made a toilet paper mess in the bathroom and on the stairs.

Tanner Prindle

The funniest thing that has happened to me on Christmas is when our eld made a toilet paper castle. And when he was bathing in our sink. Also, when I got a very small army suit, and the elf drew a mustache on my school picture.

Raylee Rosenbaum

The funniest thing that has ever happened to me at Christmas was when I opened my present and got nail polish. And I painted my little boy cousins' toenails with it.

Kason Webb

The funniest thing that has happened to me at Christmas was when my elf took a boom boom on the counter. And he did not flush. He also took my moms makeup and wrote Merry Christmas on the mirror in the bathroom. Then he took my clothes and threw them on the ceiling fan.

Kasey Hulet

The funniest thing that has happened to me at Christmas is my elf putting marker on our faces and all over our pictures. I was very mad at my elfs. It was kind of funny to me too. We had to wipe it off all of us, that's the funniest thing that has happened to me.

Gavin Holcomb

The funniest thing that has happened to me at Christmas is the elf wearing my underwear. He also took all of my clothes and put them on the ceiling fan. Then he put toilet paper all over my TV.

Mrs. Samantha Oram Gilman City R-IV 1st Grade

Dear Santa, How many cookies do you eat? I want Minecraft plushes. Will you give me Minecraft merchandise? I'd like to have a Minecraft hat too. I have been good! I also want small legos.

Sincerely, Matthew Cannon

Dear Santa, How tiny are the elves? I want a puppy, a three wheeler, and a remote control monster truck. I have been good. I will leave you

> Sincerely, Rytin Rosenbaum

Dear Santa, Are the reindeer okay? I want a lamborghini, and a monster truck. I have been good. I will leave vou cookies and milk.

> Sincerely, Lincoln Burrows

Dear Santa, How is Rudolph? I want a teddy bear and a toy house. I have been good. I will leave some cookies for you and me.

Sincerely, Aria Andersen

Dear Santa, What does your reindeer do? I want a horse, a trampoline, and dogs. I have been good. I will leave you cookies and milk.

Sincerely, Sadie Webb

Dear Santa, How are you doing, Santa? I want a scooter. I want Legos. I was good. I will give you cookies and carrots.

Sincerely, Creed Wagner

Dear Santa, How are you Santa? I want a Chiefs football set. I have been good. I will leave you milk and cook-

Sincerely, Ty Wagner





Dear Santa, I want to know how you fit down the chimney...? I want a makeup kit and a mini remote control car. I have been kind of good but kind of bad. I will leave cookies and milk for Santa and for the reindeer some carrots.

> Sincerely, Jaycee Bontrager

Dear Santa, How does Rudolph fly? I want a bathtub Lego set, a race car, and a track. I have been good. I am going to leave milk out for you.

Sincerely, Russell Pollard

Dear Santa, What do your elves do for you? I want headphones, barbies, and socks of course. I have been kind of good. I will leave cake for

Sincerely, Baylor Moulin



Dear Santa, How is Rudolph? Is he good or bad? Please can I have a trampoline, gum and a book? I've been kinda good. Santa, I'm going to leave out cookies.

Sincerely, Braxton Wimer

Dear Santa, Do the elves listen? I want barbies, home (new one), Titanic Legos, and toys. I have been so good. I will make reindeer poop.

Sincerely, Kinley Prindle

Dear Santa, How is Rudolph? I want Barbie's dream house, an Ipad, and art supplies. I have been good. I will give you and the reindeer cookies and carrots.

> Sincerely, Samantha Marshall

Dear Santa, How do the elves fly? I want a Barbie dream house, bubbles, and Nike shoes. I have been so good. I am going to leave you cookies and milk.

Sincerely, Kody Hulett

Dear Santa, How are you?

I want a ranger, a robot, and a dog. I have been kind of good. I will leave some cookies for you and I will leave some carrots.

Sincerely, Owen Oram

Dear Santa, How is Rudolph doing? I want a dirt bike and some puppies also. I also want a racing lego set. I have been good. We make reindeer food for the reindeer.

Sincerely, Kole Burrows

Dear Santa, Tell Jingles (our elf) to not mess with my mom's bed. I want a remote control Ninja Turtle, a monster truck, and a race car set. I have been good. I will leave milk, cookies and carrots.

> Sincerely, Brycen McCrary

Dear Santa, I am wondering how is Dasher? Is he okay? I love your movie!! It is sooo good. I really want a go kart, a new bed and a gel blaster. I will leave almond milk and cookies for you.

Sincerely, Ledger Crump





Mrs. Erica Templeton South Harrison R-2 3rd grade

3rd graders were asked, "What's the funniest thing that has happened to you at Christmas?"

It was the 5th night before Christmas. We went to go get stuff for the house we are going to stay in. I got coffee, my sister got Naked Juice, my other sister got a monster, my dad got a monster, my mom got a frappuccino in a cup, and my sister got pink lemonade. The next day we got in the Honda pilot. We got our stuff and prayed. Then we put on a song. I fell asleep. When we were there we got to the house and it's beautiful. I was so excited to go inside. We got food. I don't care what I ate, I told my mom to come on and get the keys. She told me to wait. My cousin's face- plant-

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ed in the snow and I made the biggest snow woman.

Evelynn Payne

One Christmas Eve me, Ashley, and Aubrie were outside sledding, but it was really cold and I was FREEZING so I went inside and got some hot chocolate. I took a sip and I burnt my mouth, it hurt so bad so I went to the freezer and I put like 5 ice cubes in my mouth. It felt really good and it wasn't really cold because I like eating sonic ice. I chewed all the ice and swallowed it. but then I got the chills. After I was done with my hot chocolate I put my coat, gloves and boots back on then I went outside and I grabbed some snow on the porch and I threw it at my sister Ashlev. It was a bad idea obviously so I ran under the pokey tree. It was kinda warm but really cold! I waited and waited and she





and ran so I didn't get hit but that was a stupid idea. When I was going up the porch I saw Ashley. She threw a snowball and I fell down the stairs. It didn't hurt because the snow was soft so I just laughed and she started laughing too.

Jorden Ford

Two years ago in first grade my mom went to Walmart, and got me a ugly sweater and a fall la la llama sweater. I had to wear it in December. That made December fun!

Jesse Mouzakis

It was Christmas Eve and Santa Claus was at my house. Then he was gone. When we woke up we saw presents. Then James and I said, "presents." We woke up our mom and dad. Then my dad ran and fell into the Christmas tree. He knocked down the tree. "Now what did you do!" Mom shouted. "I knocked the tree down," said my dad. "Leave this house now," my mom said. "Fine," my dad said. My dad left and got a new Christmas tree. He came back home with the Christmas tree and Mom, James and I saw him and we hugged him. Finally, we opened presents. I got a skateboard and James got a sonic costume.

Clayton Chamberlin

My funniest Christmas memory is when the elves made a wild west show in my house. We also got two extra elves. Then a friend came to our house and the elves teepeed our house.

Ryder McGee

My elf Sparky threw my socks around the room and I got up and almost caught him. But if I did I would have beat him, but I didn't, so couldn't! Then he got away, this time, but next time I will get him by suprise. But I'm not sure that I will.

Reed Meadows

I went sledding and my sister had finished sledding. She got up and walked down the hill and my cousin sled down the hill and hit my sister. Me and my sister and my cousin all built a snowman and the snowman fell. So we went inside and drank hot cocoa and it was so hot that I spit it out and they all laughed at me.

Wyatt Smith

My mom farted in the snow, I don't know why she farted in the snow.

Also my elf pooped in my sink. I don't know why. But my dad dared me to eat the chocolate chips, but I threw them away. It was disgusting and stinky.

Elijah Lovins

One Christmas I jumped into a pile of snow, another Christmas my brother fell into a pile of snow. I also jumped on our trampoline and fell.

Jace Benavides

When it was Christmas my family and our elf were sitting around our stockings. Emma, Nola and I were opening our stockings. Dad was putting his coffee down and he knocked a glass boot over. Mom and dad had to clean it up. When they were done cleaning, we all sat back down. Then Dad dropped his coffee! It was so funny!

Stella Reger

It was a beautiful morning and I woke up, got dressed and went to grandma's house. At my grandma's we ate food then I had a snowball fight with my cousins. Wesley thought it was funny to put a snowball in my shirt! Then it was time to go home. I had a lot of fun.

Braxton Taff

One Christmas I was playing with my friends and I hurt my leg. I slipped on snow and my friend. I started to laugh because I slid down the hill on my back and I was super cold.

Brenton Loving

One Christmas Eve my family and I went ice skating. First we ate lunch and then we put our coats on. Then

we got in line and it started snowing! But we got inside at the right time. We got our ice skates on. Then they were going over the ice but they missed a few spots but that is ok because no one got hurt.

Oakley Hannah

Christmas morning I was sleeping and I got out of bed. I looked out the door and hot chocolate was ready for me. I opened my present and hoped it was a phone. But it was a camera, so we went to my aunt's house. I opened my present at my aunt's house and I walked to my grandma and I slipped.

Emily Padgett

Snow is so fun this year because me and my cousin built a snowman and she melted. I have had so much fun this year because the fun part about building a snowman is dressing it up. All of the snow melts so fast so then we build a normal snowman and she melted again.

Lettie Ellis

My elf sat on the toilet lid and hid in a pair of underwear on the tree. Then my elf hid in the flower pot and he hid in the cabinet. He also hid on a fake cat and hid in a bag of glitter.

Tamera Benwire

I woke up on Christmas and I woke up my brothers. My brother's and I ran to the living room where the tree was set up. We saw presents with silly wrapping paper on them. I woke up my Mom and Dad and they helped us unwrap the presents. The silly wrapping paper made us laugh. We kept running around the house hitting things. I hit the wall, my older brother hit the tree and my little brother hit the couch.

Brenden Anthony

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Miss Emily Foster South Harrison R-2 3 year preschool PM

Dear Santa, Merry Christmas! Can I please have a unicorn? I love you! Thank you! I will leave carrots for your reindeer and a little circle pie for you Santa. They'll be on top of the roof because you come on top of my roof, but daddy and Jason will be there.

Love, Braelynn Bennett

Dear Santa, Happy Birthday! Me like dragons and horsies and lions. Would you bring me those? Me also like you. I will leave you a toy and a donut in my house.

Love, Jasper Peake

Dear Santa, I love you! I want you to bring me presents. Green and blue and white and brown and gray presents! I will leave you donuts for your mouth.

Love, Tommy Plymell

Dear Santa, Merry Christmas! I would like a green tractor and baler. I want stickers, trucks, legos, blocks, and playdoh too. I will leave you cookies and BBQ Chicken by Papa.

Love, Jacob Lewis

Dear Santa, I want a unicorn present. I want unicorn stickers. Crayons too. I want a bulldog school toy. I will leave you cookies and milk on the couch.

Love, Olivia Neff

Dear Santa, Hi Santa! I would like 5 Christmas present toys. I would like some trains too. I will leave you cookies in the kitchen.

Love, Shivansh Patel

Dear Santa, Happy Birthday! Please can I have candy and candy canes? I want bubble gum and a bumble bee toy too. I will leave you a sparkly treat. It will be by the tree. You know where I live, so you can come get it.

Love, Gracie Johnson



Mrs. Angela Wagner Gilman City R-IV 4 year olds Preschool

Dear Santa, I hope you have been having a great vacation this year! Thank you so much for the presents last year. And now that it's almost Christmas again... This year I want a doll that is La-laloopsy. This Christmas I need a robot mom. Some reasons I have been good are that I help my grandma cook! Some gifts other people should get: Jaxson needs a toy gun and Jarren needs a robot sister that listens to him.

Love, Destiny Fehring

Dear Santa, I hope you have been having a great vacation this year! Thank you so much for the presents last year. And now that it's almost Christmas again... This year I want a bicycle and a fish. This Christmas I need magnets. Some reasons I have been good are for 3 hours I read books. Some gifts other people should get: Lakyn needs a teddy bear and Destiny needs a fish.

Love, Waylen McLain

Dear Santa, I hope you have been having a great vacation this year! Thank you so much for the presents last year. And now that it's almost Christmas again... This year I want a doll camper with a squiggly slide. This Christmas I need a doll house and Barbies. Some reasons I have been good are my dad likes when I play with my toys nicely! Some gifts other people should get: Dad needs a farm hat and Mom needs horse reins.

Love, Lakyn Ward

Dear Santa, I hope you have been having a great vacation this year! Thank you so much for the presents last year. And now that it's almost Christmas again... This year I want Chase toys and toy tools. This Christmas I need a dog stuffy. Some rea-

sons I have been good are that I stay out of stuff like pie! Some gifts other people should get: Luke needs toy tools, Thomas needs Legos and JR needs an RC.

Love, Rachael Steinhurst





Dear Santa, I hope you have been having a great vacation this year! Thank you so much for the presents last year. And now that it's almost Christmas again... This year I want magnets and a Batmobile. This Christmas I need a car that is blue. Some reasons I have been good are that I was quiet and catching a bubble! Some gifts other people should get: Kade and Barren should get a robot Batman.

Love, Brycen Willis

Dear Santa, I hope you have been having a great vacation this year! Thank you so much for the presents last year. And now that it's almost Christmas again... This year I want a new fire truck and toy zebra. This Christmas I need a toy robot. Some reasons I have been good are because I was catching a bubble! Some gifts other people should get: Kasen should get a toy lion,

Kenzie should get a mouse and toy cat and Caden should get a toy fish because he's been mean to me!

Love, Koal Kramer

Dear Santa, I hope you have been having a great vacation this year! Thank you so much for the presents last year. And now that it's almost Christmas again... This year I want a sprayer truck and a Travis Kelce toy. This Christmas I need water for the sprayer truck. Some reasons I have been good are that I criss cross, catch a bubble and put my spoons in my bowl! Some gifts other people should get: Koal needs a blue Travis Kelce and Kade needs a yellow Patrick Mahomes.

Love, Tripp Nail

Dear Santa, I hope you have been having a great vacation this year! Thank you so much for the presents last year. And now that it's almost Christmas again... This year I want a Barbie doll and a fluffy stuffy. This Christmas I need a little tiny dollhouse. I have been good every time so I got a ring! Some gifts other people should get: Rachael needs a race car driver.

Love, Willow Steinhurst

Dear Santa, I hope you have been having a great vacation this year! Thank you so much for the presents last year. And now that it's almost



Christmas again... This year I want a stuffed chicken and duck. This Christmas I need a transformer toy. Some reasons I have been good are that I put my laundry away! Some gifts other people should get: Kole needs a bear.

Love, Kade Burrows

Dear Santa, I hope you have been having a great vacation this year! Thank you so much for the presents last year. And now that it's almost Christmas again... This year I want a remote control robot. This Christmas I need a remote control turkey. Some reasons I have been good are that I clean up! Some gifts other people should get: Lakyn needs a remote control fish and Jaxson needs a remote control dinosaur.

Love, Ryker Wilson

Dear Santa, I hope you have been having a great vacation this year! Thank you so much for the presents last year. And now that it's almost Christmas again... This year I want princess stuff and makeup. This Christmas I need princess stuff. Some reasons I have been good are that I tried to be a good girl at the hospital! Some gifts other people should get: Princess stuff for everyone!

Love, Ava Knipp



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Mrs. Jandy Whitaker Ridgeway 2nd Grade

Dear Santa, I like to play with puppies. I am eight years old. How are the baby reindeer? This year for Christmas, I would like a hoverboard, a computer laptop, a tablet and a new phone case. Thank you for giving me presents.

Love, Lucy W.

Dear Santa, My favorite colors are purple and blue. I am seven years old but almost eight years old. For Christmas this year, I would like a tablet, a hoverboard, a mini refrigerator and a lamp to set by my bed. Thank you for bringing me all these presents.

Love, Lexi M.

Dear Santa, I like to play Fortnite. I also like to play with my friends at their house. Do you like to eat anything else but cookies? How many elves do you have? This year

for Christmas, I would like a hoverboard, a real puppy, V-Bucks for Fortnite and a Roblox gift card for my cousin Waylen. Thank you for bringing Christmas to life.

Love, Riley A.

Dear Santa, My fear is dogs. I like playing Roblox with my friends. How has Elly (my elf) been doing? For Christmas this year, I would like a Roblox gift card and a necklace with my name on it because I lost mine. Thank you for the toys.

Love, Skylen F.

Dear Santa. My favorite color is purple. I am eight years old. Why don't Greenland and Iceland change names? How is Mrs. Claus? This year for Christmas, I would like a \$100 Roblox gift card, science stuff, Solar System project kit and a digital microscope. Thank you Santa for the gifts.

Love, Lincoln C.



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Ms. Linda Woods North Harrison R-III 4 year old Preschool

Dear Santa, Where are the reindeer? I want a real reindeer, a momma with a baby reindeer, and a toy horse. I like Blippi.

Love, Naveli Ochoa

Dear Santa, Could you teach Kevin to fly? He's a boy. I want a baby doll and a baby doll swing. I want a friend for Foxy. I want a dog toy for Lucky and Rocky. Lucky likes blue and Rocky likes black. I like all my toys, but I don't have any toys for my sister.

Love, Myla Hamaker

Santa, How is Mrs. Claus? I want a toy Skye from Paw Patrol and Everest. I like your white beard.

Love, Gemma Estrada

Santa, How old Rudolph? I want two pet turtles, a pet doggy named Clifford that I will paint red, four cats, and a Simba toy. Thanks for all the presents.

Your friend, Holden Willis



Dear Santa, What's it like living at the North Pole? I want a phone, a poppit, a car, and a Toyota that I can ride in. I love you.

Tallen Johnson

Dear Santa, I wonder what I am getting for Christmas. I want a Mermaid Hatchimal that has a fin and babies. I'm leaving cookies out for you and they'll be yummy.

Love, Kaylee Parkhurst



Santa, Where is your house? I'm too shy to come see you. I want a Furby, a remote control Barbie Jeep and Barbie Castle. I want 9 Barbies. I know you have elves. They make the toys.

Love, Kirkley Smith

Santa, Can I go to the North Pole? I want a toy motorbike with a guy and a helmet. I also want a toy bronc and rider, a Lightning McQueen, and electric motorbike. My picture is on the tree in my classroom.

Your friend, Cole Osborn



Dear Santa, I feed Bubbles grain and carrot treats. What do you feed the reindeer? I want a big green tractor that has a twister on top that has a motor on the back that puts smoke out and makes it move super slow. Thank you for my big green tractor.

Your friend, Kaine Smith

Santa, How many elves do you have? How many reindeer? I want a new Skinny Venom because Gage broke it. I want a new dinosaur that moves by itself and makes noises. I want some Legos, a toy cat, and a train. I like to paint my little sister's name.

Love, Kreedance Bradley

Dear Santa, How fast can your reindeer fly? I want a Troll Jeep, some toy kitchen stuff, some puzzles, a Hot Wheels Monster truck and some Hot Wheels race cars. I also want a toy bear. I love vou.

Brody Castleberry

Dear Santa, How are you doing? I want a skateboard for Christmas. Thanks for the presents.

Love, Holdyn Pottorff

May you and your family enjoy a Christ-

mas stuffed with lots of magic, merri-

ment and delight. We know we're filled

Dear Santa, Does your reindeer eat carrots because my dad says they don't. I want a big hot wheel monster truck, my own BB gun, and I want my own toy motorcycle with NO training wheels that's battery proof. I also want my own little combine that rakes grass. Thanks for the Paco toys because he has cute eyes. Love, Declan Irvin

Dear Santa, Are you nice? I want a big Gabby doll and a Barbie Jeep. I am thankful for my house and my family.

Love, Reeve Rinehart

Santa, Can you swim at the North Pole? I want a big blue tractor. I love my family.

> Your friend, **Kyson Stevens**

Dear Santa, I like your hat. I want a Nerf pistol, Lego Minecraft, and a remote control Jeep or Ranger. I am thankful for snow.

Love, Ridge Ledgerwood

Dear Santa, How many toys do you have? I want all the toys on the Christmas book at our house. I was good this year.

Your friend, Cooper Bond

Dear Santa, I love the North Pole. I want a rifle that has orange, black, white and brown and an orange cap so it looks like a toy gun. I would also like a Fortnite Pickaxe and a gum dispenser for Christmas. I love your hat.

Love, Bates Bowen

Mrs. Emily Scobee North Harrison R-III 3 year old Preschool

Dear Santa, I would like a unicorn bottle with wings filled with orange juice. I would also like a doll that laughs.

Love, Caroline

Dear Santa, I would like a green tractor! Green is my favorite color. I would also like a blue tractor with a front scooper with a grabber to grab hay!

Love, Rollan



Dear Santa, I would like a black four wheeler. I would also like a blue tractor with a grabber for hav! A front loader would be nice too!

Love, Koe

Dear Santa, I would like a long slide and lots of candy. My favorite candy is chocolate!

Love, Oaklynn

Dear Santa, I would like a rainbow water bottle filled with orange juice. I would also like a toy Elsa with a nice braid! A toy with a reindeer on top would be nice too!

Love, Kaislynn

Dear Santa, I would like a rainbow, Elsa, a unicorn water bottle filled with grape juice. I would also like a small bracelet with a handprint. A rainbow unicorn keychain would be nice too!

Love, Jera

Dear Santa, I would like a baby shark toy that can take a bath with me!

Love, Sadie

Dear Santa, I would like a rainbow water bottle like Maitlyn's! I would also like books about fish, bats, owls, and crayons. A green box to hold my crayons and an ipad would be nice too!

Love, Delanev

Dear Santa, I would really like an Olaf. Anna and Elsa would be a nice addition to Olaf. Another thing I would like is a star. A yellow puppet is also something I would like.

Love, Tealle

Dear Santa, I would like a spiderman toy and a remote control car.

Love, Pace

Dear Santa, I would like a pink puzzle with my daddy. I would also like a pink puzzle with my mommy. Pink mittens would be nice too!

Love, Rosie

Dear Santa, I would like candy. My favorite candy is watermelon flavored. A bracelet with rainbow beads would be nice. I would also like a new water bottle. I would love it if the water bottle was rainbow!

Love, Maitlyn





Mrs. Cas Derks South Harrison R-2 **Puppy Pound Preschool**

Dear Santa, My name is Scarlett Wilson. I am 3 years old. This year I have been very nice. For Christmas, please bring me a bike, a new bed, and a play kitchen.

Love, Scarlett

Dear Santa, My name is Olivia O'Neal I am 3 years old. This year I have been naughty because I didn't share. For Christmas please bring me a puzzle, a christmas tree, and a doll house.

Love, Olivia

Dear Santa, My name is Barrett Schoning I am 4 years old. This year, I have been very nice. For Christmas, please bring me a football, an Eagle's helmet, and a bicycle. Love, Barrett tiger, an elephant, and a baby

Love, Amelia

Dear Santa,

My name is Jentrie Williams I am 3 years old. This year, I have been very nice. For Christmas, please bring me a makeup table. I want Santa to know to bring a makeup table. I want a couch lime Bemie has.

Love, Jentrie



Dear Santa, My name is Rhett Brooke. I am 4 years old. This year, I have been very nice. For Christmas, please bring me camo stuff

Dear Santa, My name is

Dear Santa, My name is and a toy race car track. Amelia Northern I am 3 years Love, Rhett old. This year, I have been very nice. For Christmas, please bring me an airplane, Stockton Eivins. I am 3 years a T-res, a choo choo train, a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year Thank you for allowing us to serve you. 3406 Miller Street Bethany, MO 64424 **\$ 800-551-1930 \$ \overline{\overl**

old. This year, I have been very nice. For Christmas, please bring me presents. I would like tractors, a truck, and a pumpkin.

Love, Stockton

Dear Santa, My name is Kinsley Hahn I am 3 years old. This year, I have been very nice because I got balloons. For Christmas, please bring me a microwave, a corn box (sensory bin), and I want to sit on your lap.

Love, Kinsley

Dear Santa, My name is David Shain. I am 3 years old. This year I have been very naughty. For Christmas, please bring me Pink Fong, colors, and a police suit.

Love, David

Mrs. Tiffany Herrold **South Harrison R-2** 2nd grade

Dear Santa, I am wishing for kinetic sand, sheets, pillow sheets, clothes, and boots.

From, Journee B.

Dear Santa, I am wishing for blankets, gloves, a new phone, and an Ipad.

From, Gracie M.

Dear Santa, I am wishing for a first aid kit, shoes, a Nintendo Switch, and an Ipad. From, McKenna H.

Dear Santa, I am wishing for tied shoes, a pet dog, a blanket, and a gaming chair.

From, Kane P.

Dear Santa, I am wishing for a Furby, Iphone 15, a blanket, and flair jeans.

From, Kaya C.

Dear Santa, I am wishing for new shoes, gloves, a phone, and a Nintendo Switch. From, Haves C.

Dear Santa, I am wishing for a fluffy, big blanket, an Iphone 15, white Jordans, and a rainbow phone case.

From, Teddy T.

Dear Santa, I am wishing for QC shoes, a gocart, jeans, and an Iphone 14 Max Pro.

From, Asher H.

Dear Santa, I am wishing for an Iphone 13, sneakers. fluffy socks, and a pet turtle. My sister and I are being good.

From, Jensen G.

Dear Santa, I am wishing for a real pet cat, food, money, and a bff necklace that sticks together.

From, Catalina A.

Dear Santa, I am wishing for shoes, a phone case, blankets, and to meet Santa.

From, Avery L.

Dear Santa, I am wishing for socks, an Ipad, shoes, and a Nintendo Switch.

From, Joshua M.

Dear Santa, I am wishing for gloves, hot cocoa, food, and to see Santa.

From, Maya M.

Dear Santa, I am wishing for an Iphone, a phone case, new boots, and a blanket.

From, Zander S.



Ms. Mary Marsh South Harrison R-2 4-year-old PM Preschool

Dear Santa, I would like a doll and a play kitchen. I will leave you cookies and milk in the living room.

Love, Naomi

Dear Santa, Could you please bring me a Squishmallow? I would like a LOL doll too, How many reindeer do you have? I will give you some chocolate chip cookies. They will be in the living room.

Your Friend, Willah

Dear Santa, Could you bring me a baby doll? I also want a stuffed unicorn. What do you look like, Santa? I will

leave you milk and cookies. They will be by the TV.

Love, Abigail

Dear Santa, I would like you to bring me a drone to fly all around the city. I also want a fish that could swim in my bathtub. Why do you wear a hat? I will leave you a donut on the front of my table. I will give you some chocolate milk

Thank You, Xylen

Dear Santa, I would like new baby dolls, new decorations for my tree, and an American Girl Doll. I will leave you chocolate chip cookies and chocolate milk, They will be in the living room by the big door.

Love, Ruby

Dear Santa, I would like a white tablet and a bracelet remote control car. I will leave you a white cake shaped like a stop sign with colored sprinkles. I will put it in a plastic bag on the white counter. I will also give you some chocolate milk and a snowman cookie to dip in your choco-

late milk.

Your Friend, Konnor

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I would like a rainbow Squishmallow, Hello Kitty crocs, and a Hello Kitty Glitter Body Art Pen Set. I will leave you goldfish crackers and milk for a snack under the Christmas tree.

Love, Chloe

Mrs. Jennifer Parsons South Harrison R-2 Headstart preschool

Dear Santa, My name is Prayslee and I am 3yrs old. I have been a very good girl this year.For Christmas, I would like a shopping cart with money to go shopping, and a princess dress.

Love, Prayslee Pruett

Dear Santa, My name is Tanner and I am 4yrs old. I have been a very good boy this year. I would like a Spiderman mask, Spiderman toys, and a Spiderman dinosaur for Christmas.

Love, Tanner Tutt

Dear Santa, My name is

Emma and I am 3yrs old. I have been a very good girl this year. For Christmas, I would like a Minnie Mouse stuffy and Poppy toys.

Love, Emma Myers



Dear Santa, My name is Zoey and I am 3yrs old. I have been a very good girl this year. I would like an Elsa and Anna doll, a Minnie Mouse stove, and a stuffed chair to sit in for Christmas.

Love, Zoey Holloway

Dear Santa, My name is Michael and I am 3yrs old.

I have been a very good boy this year. For Christmas, I would like a playhouse, Mr. Potato Head, a Mickey stuffy, and an Elmo.

Love, Michael B.

Dear Santa, My name is Maizey and I am 4yrs old. I have been working on being a very good girl this year. I would like a Chelsi barbie, an Anna dress, and an Anna doll for Christmas. I hope the reindeer are good!

Love, Maizey Bacon

Dear Santa, My name is Sunni and I am 3yrs old. For Christmas I would like a hula hoop, bubble gum, and lots of presents. I have very good!

Love, Sunni Redmond



Mrs. Shelly Stanley Pattonsburg R-2 4 year old Preschool

Dear Santa, I want to ask for a microphone because I like to sing. And I want some toys to play in the snow too. And I like Polly Pockets too. Love, Clara Hughs

To Santa, I love you Santa. I want a new video game. I already have some so bring me one I don't have. My babysitter, Sis has a fidget spinner but I really want to have my own. And maybe I'll take some candy too.

From, Declan Jones

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want some new crayons and some markers and colored pencils too. And I want a table set with a mirror and make-up too. My elf's name is Sophie.

Love, Hensley Hulet

Dear Santa, I was really really good this year. I want a gun that can fit in one hand. Also, I want the kind of chalk that can write on boards and wood. We probably need presents for my brothers too. Also, we need a new dog because my old one passed away.

Love, Hunter Brown

To Santa, I want a train and I will share with my sisters. And can I have another toy too?

From, Novalyn Fredricks

To Santa, For Christmas I want a watch and a big dinosaur toy. I have a deerstand because we have deer here too. But they don't fly like your reindeers do. And I would never shoot your reindeers.

From, Daxton Goble

To Santa, I want a doll and Barbies and a kitchen set too. From, Brilvnne Lee

Dear Santa, I want a gaming system for the living

room. And I want a Jack-inthe box and I will take a baseball cap too.

Love, Remiah Odom

To Santa, I want to have a remote control tractor and a combine too. Mommy will make you cookies again. I love you.

Love, Jackson Lupfer

To Santa. I want a unicorn and a doll. I wish I could have a sleigh that flies up in the sky

Love, Shay Searcy

Ms. Mindy Martin Cainsville R-1 3rd Grade

3rd graders were asked, "What's the funniest thing that has happened to you at Christmas?"

Dear Santa, How are your reindeer? I like Dasher and Dancer. I love your reindeer, Mrs. Claus, and you Santa. I wish for a switch and hunting toys. I would like a toy semi truck. I will give you chocolate chip cookies and milk. Save some for Mrs. Claus too. I will leave carrots for the reindeer. Merry Christmas.

Love, Mason C.

Dear Santa, How are you? Have you been good? Have I been good? I wish for any toys. Thank you for the presents. You are the best.

Love, Ozzy R.



It's the most wonderful time of the year, and we hope it brings you much joy!

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Miss Robbins Cainsville R-1 Preschool

Dear Santa. I would like to have a truck for Christmas. I would also like to have a army guy if possible.

Love, Seth R.

Dear Santa, I would like to ask for toys to be brought to my house if possible. I love vou Santa!

Love, Abel H.

Dear Santa, I would like to go hunting for Christmas please! If you could bring some presents to my Marley Moo that would be great too! Love, Arlo F.

Dear Santa, I want green Kool-Aid from you this year. I would love to have some green cars and trucks as well. Love Dean W.

Dear Santa, I want a big Barbie dream house with barbies in it and a big door on the front of it. Also, I would like a Fly Guy.

Love Sayre R.

Dear Santa. I want deer antlers! Lots of them! I would also love to have a new truck and a drum set, gator, trailer, and a camping set.

Love, Stone M.

Dear Santa, I want a big and little teddy bear for Christmas. I want Barbie's and a lion. Also, a Barbie



house for my Barbie's and lion.

Love, Maelyn L.

Dear Santa, Please bring some stacking cubes! I would also like to have a toy airplane!

Love Benson P.

Dear Santa, I want a pair of roller skates, and a new Barbie camper to go with all my Barbie dolls! Thanks Santa!

Love Mackenzie B.

Dear Santa, I would live a Gabby's Doll House, also I would love a make up set, and a camera with a unicorn on it. Thank you Santa!

Love, Renlee M.

Dear Santa, Please bring me some new dinosaurs, some tubs of playdough, and a real dinosaur pet!

Love, Boyd C.

Dear Santa, I would like to have a toy spider that is really big! I would also like to have a web for the spider and to have a shirt with buttons that have spiders on them! Thank you, Santa!

Love, Adaline T.

Dear Santa, I would like a paw patrol boat, car, and motorcycles, and all the pups. That's it.

Love, Koen S

Dear Santa, I would



like a big Spider-Man, Big Ironman, the strongest one. The biggest Black Panther man. A Transformers toy, lots of Black Panther stuff and tiniest pillow. Thank you Santa for being Santa and bringing

Love, Kingston H.



Mrs. Shelly Stanley Pattonsburg R-2 3 year old Preschool

To Santa, I want to have a Gabby's doll house and a LOL doll too. And can you bring baby toys because I have a sister? This is my Emma's first Christmas. And I have a Christmas tree with a star on it.

From, Ava Hangley

To Santa, I want Sonic Hedgehog and a Spiderman and a big huge shotgun too.

Love, Matthias Roberts

Dear Santa, I love you. Can I have some clothes for my dolls? And I like rings and necklaces and bracelets and so maybe I can have some jewelry too. I'm glad your reindeer can fly to my house.

Love, Chloe Dale

To Santa, I want Paw Patrol toys and I want a Paw Patrol car.

From, Colt Overholser

To Santa, I already have a Mega Grave Digger monster truck, but I really want to have a Mega El Toro Loco truck too. And can you put it under the big Christmas tree? I have a new tree that has lights that glow in the dark.

From, Rowen Coffey

Santa, I want a octopus toy and a toy horse too.

From, Brynlynne Lee

To Santa, I want Play-Doh and Paw Patrol toys.

Love, Donovan Chrisp

Santa, I want a truck and blocks

From, Kasen Mallot



Mrs. Tanya Norris North Harrison R-III 3rd Grade

3rd graders were asked. "What's the funniest thing that has happened to you at Christmas?"

The Funniest Thing About Christmas

It was Christmas and it was snowing outside. I went sledding on my big hill. When I got there, I got on my sled. I went down the hill and fell off. I went some more times then I went to my house and warmed up and drank some hot chocolate. By Will Richardson

My UncleAbout 1 or 2 vears ago, my uncle wanted to ride our hoverboard but it did not go as planned. He was doing good until he ran into the dog kennel. He stubbed his toe. We all laughed. Even my uncle laughed too. By Emmasue Jacobs

One Christmas

Christmas morn-



ing, I opened my present. It was a BB gun pistol. I went to shoot it but a couple shots later, it was broken. My brother went to shoot it but it just clicked. I went to fix it. By Kashen Hoffman

My Elves

My elves did something funny. My elf Candycane put toilet paper on Peppermint! She made him into a snowman with the toilet paper! It was so funny because she said no snow outside but snow inside! She put a marker on the toilet paper to make a face. It was the best day ever! By Rynlee Cracraft

My Elf and Cat

My elf Scout was on a zipline that he made. He put up all 31 things on a zipline. He made a dumbbell out of marshmallows and lifted it and also drank a smoothie. There are too many to count. It was so funny! Then we opened presents and I didn't know my cat Patrick was in the tree. He jumped off and landed on my head and we all died laughing. It was the funnest thing. By Jackson Briggs

The Sleep Over



Me and the boys were wrestling in the living room. We were playing. The game was easy and hard. The day was almost over and we watched Battle Bots and wrestled Holly one more time and she threw me in the Christmas tree. By Ty Ledgerwood

The Lost Phone

We went sledding and then my aunt lost her phone. We were on a big hill at my grandma's house. Then, we realized that her phone was missing. The reason that she lost her phone is that my grandpa is a CRAZY DRIVER!!! We looked for it. My cousin found it on the hill. It was the funniest thing that ever happened. Tymber Richardson

The Star

My sister tried to put the star on the tree. She is kinda tall. She broke her leg. She cried a lot. It was so annoying. Then it healed. Keegan Parkhurst

Snowboarding

Once for Christmas, I asked for a snowboard and I got it! But the first time I rode on it, I fell off! Then, my big brother tried it and he fell off! Then my little brother tried it and he fell off and got buried in the snow! It was so, so funny. Everyone laughed and laughed and then finally,



we all stopped laughing. We all went inside and had hot cocoa. By Jamesyn Pottorff

My Simple Elf

When my elf visited my house he got a rag, used it for a blanket and got in the freezer. The next day he got a sword and got in our wall decoration. It was so funny because it looked like he was going to hit us with a plastic sword! He also went inside my mom and dad's room, he got a marker and drew on their feet. It was so funny. That is why Christmas is funny. By Kellan Irvin

My Crazy Dog Hoss

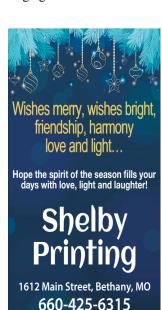
My dog Hoss wrestled my Thomas tent. It was a Christmas gift from someone. It was so funny because he was trampling it. Then he walked away. By Gage Boegli

I Fell In the Snow

It was funny when I fell off my sled. When I was sledding, I was sledding on a bag. My dogs Ray and Max were chasing me. It was a snowy day. Then, I fell off my sled. It was so funny because my face fell in the snow and the sled went over me. By Emma Crowder

Sledding

Once upon a time, I was sledding. I was going down a hill and I went off a ramp. Then I spun out and wrecked. Then I laughed. By Dawson Edgington



Mrs. Megan Joiner North Harrison R-III 2nd Grade

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a doll house. I need a skort. I'll wear a long dress that as a train. I'll read Dog Man. And I really would like you to bring me the Gabby's doll house.

Love, Avery Bond





Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a new game for an old X box 360. I need new socks. I'll wear new shoes. I'll read Goosebumps. And I really would like you to bring me a new Xbox 1.

Love, Brix Bowen

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a 3 pack of Beyblades. I need to lose a tooth. I'll wear orange shorts. I'll read Flat Stanley. And I really would like you to bring me a hoover board.

Love, Charlie Crowder

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a PS 5. I need new socks. I'll wear new Jordan's. I'll read Don't push the button. And I really would like you to bring me a PS 5 game.

Love, Finley Hogan

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want fart slime. I need new socks. I'll wear a cat shirt. I'll read Puppy Place. And I really would like you to bring me a iPhone 15. Love, Temperance Johnson

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a new Xbox. I need a tooth. I'll wear a Chief's shirt. I'll read Bad Guys. And I really would like you to bring me new kittens.

Love, Parker Merritt

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a reborn doll. I need a water bottle. I'll wear new jean shorts. I'll read Flat Stanley. And I really would like you to bring me 2 new kittens.

Love, Kacey Norris

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a skate board. I need a bugs for my bearded dragon. I'll wear new jeans. I'll read Dog Man. And I really would like you to bring me a new bike.

Love, Graycen Offield

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want Barbies. I need shoes. I'll wear Christmas pjs. I'll read a Junie B. Jones. And I really would like you to bring me the Gabby's doll house.

Love, Haylen Williams

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a boy baby doll. I need black leggings. I'll wear jean shorts. I'll read Puppy Place. And I really would like you to bring me an iPhone 14.

Love, Sadie Zerbe

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a Hello Kitty Snuggie. I need new shoes. I'll wear a Hello Kitty shirt. I'll read Magic Puppy. And I really would like you to bring me lots of stuffed animals.

Love, Harley Flowers

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I want a horse for my mom. I need a bone for Trip and Skittles. I'll wear new pants. I'll read Bad Guys. And I really would like you to bring me new flowers.

Love, Addison Hutchison



Mrs. Callie Gardner South Harrison R-2 3rd grade

3rd graders were asked, "What's the funniest thing that has happened to you at Christmas?"

Last year Santa went to my Grandma's house instead of my house. He left the presents in the camper. I found the presents when I went to the camper to get some carrots. I ran to the house to tell everybody about it!

Caroline Calev

One Christmas I was having it with my dad's parents. They were giving me and my family Christmas presents. When they were about to give us our presents, but they gave me and my sister the wrong ones! Now that I think about it, I think it actually sounds pretty funny!

Ellie Baker

One Christmas my Elf on the Shelf made a mess in my house. Even on the tree! It was funny to my mom, brother, and me! We opened presents and had a jolly time. We opened lots and lots of presents. We had a lot of fun. The pets even got presents too!

Karma Carver

One happy Christmas Eve my family and I were baking cookies. My sister made the milk spill. She spilt the milk when she hit her hip on the table. It spilt everywhere; on the carpet and me, too! Then we got the mess cleaned up, we had hot chocolate and watched a movie.

Roxine Hancock

On Christmas Eve, I got a funny present. I got an R/C car! I drove my R/C car into my cat, Tux! He then kept trying to catch the car but he couldn't catch it! I kept picturing this in my mind. It was hard to get Tux off of the Christmas tree.

Kenneth Martin

One Christmas I woke

up and I noticed it was the tree .My angel was on the Christmas! yelled, "Christmas! Christmas! It's Christmas!" So I went down stairs and I fell asleep on the couch. When I woke up I was being hit by my brother Elijah! When I saw the Christmas tree I knew it was Christmas.

Ryder Byrd

One Christmas I went to bed and I could not sleep. I got a lot of Hot Wheels for Christmas. I dropped the bucket of Hot Wheels and it was loud! I did not clean it up and my mom stepped on the Hot Wheels cars and slipped on them.

Jacob Hamilton

My elf was meditating upside down on my christmas tree and he tee peed the tree! He threw toilet paper at me! He took a present and hid it but we found it. He even knocked the Christmas tree over. It was really funny!

Jase Ledgerwood

Last year I was going to my Grandma and Grandpa's house for Christmas. My Grandma went to go get a lot of sleds for us to sled. I was nervous! When I was sledding I was leaning to the side too much and then I fell off and landed on my stomach. I went to go again and this time I landed on my back. The sled was on top of me! When Igot back up I went back and everybody laughed at me! I went inside.I was done sledding for the moment and went in to get a snack and warm up! Luke Lykins

My family had a nuteracker. In fact three nutcrackers! One has a removable hat. The Elf on the Shelf grabbed the hat and climbed away. So one day I went to the kitchen for a snack. I saw the Elf on the Shelf was on a sled and a zebra plush. My elf is so silly!

Jaxon McQuinn

One Christmas my elf swapped with my angel on

shelf then she was on the tree! This kept happening! !My elf is on the tree but is NOT on the top! On one Christmas, the elf disappeared. Santa put an angel back on top of the tree to replace it with the elf. It was really fun that night.

Raelyn Wigal

One time on Christmas Carter and I set a trap for Santa Claus. Then we put flour on the carpet. Our mom got really mad. We ran to our rooms and locked the doors. We waited for like thirty minutes, but we got so bored so we unlocked the doors and mom was waiting there. We got so scared that we slammed the doors shut then she said this never do that ever again or else.

Cooper Deskins

My brothers and I went sledding. There was a big river, and it was around Christmas time. Then we all went to my Grandma we then went to my uncle Kenny's and got caught on the garland we spun around And he fell. We went to the park where I grew up and when we got home it was Christmas Eve. Family and friends came over and we put Christmas lights up and we sang

Christmas carols. My dad fell off the porch and I fell on him.

Aleena Stotler

When I woke up my family surprised me with a cake then my dad shoved my face in the cake. Then everyone was laughing then my face was curved in cake. Then when it was time to open presents I fell on my forehead. Then I fell on the Christmas tree.

Abele Blackburn

One Christmas I went to bed and I could not sleep. I got a lot of Hot Wheels for Christmas. I dropped the bucket of Hot Wheels and it was loud! I did not clean it up and my mom stepped on the Hot Wheels cars and slipped

Jacob Hamilton

I was playing with legos



Mrs. Lea Welsh South Harrison R-2 2nd Grade

Dear Santa, I want a new doll with a Barbie blanket. I will leave you some cookies and milk.

Love, Elaina

Dear Santa, I want a PlayStation. I need some new clothes. How do all the presents fit in the sleigh?

Love, Raymond

Dear Santa, I want a VR with my name on it. I need a toolbox. How do you make magic? I will try to be good.

Love, Carter

Dear Santa, I want some mini Brands. I need some food. How do you fly?

Love, Arabella

Dear Santa, I want a new tablet. I need some hair stuff. How do you fly? I will leave you some cookies and milk.

Love, Rhaylin

and my elf Zeak (who is a really cool elf) got into my dad's pocket and pulled out a lighter. I woke up at 3 AM

on Christmas and went to my dad's room and told him I couldn't sleep.

Nikolas Tyra



Dear Santa, I would like a VR. I need some new pajamas. I will leave some cookies and milk for you.

Dear Santa, I would like a

VR. I need some new shoes.

How much money do you

have? I will leave you some

Dear Santa, I would like a

Grave Digger monster truck. I

would also like a fuzzy blan-

ket. I will leave out milk and

cookies and milk.

cookies for you.

Love, Emmett

Love, Jackson

Love, Henry

Dear Santa, I want a VR Set. I need some clothes. How do you fly? I will leave you some cookies, and milk.

Dear Santa, I want roller

blades. I need some food.

How do you make presents?

Love, Sterling

Love, Jasmine

Dear Santa, I want LoL dolls. Why do your reindeers fly? I will leave some cookies, and carrots for your reindeer.

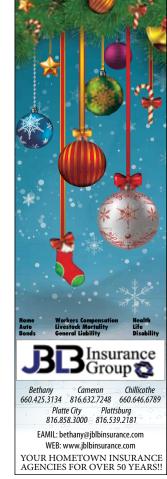
Love, Addy

Dear Santa, I want some mini Brands. I need some new clothes. How do you get in my house? I will leave you some cookies and milk, and some carrots for your reindeer.

Love, Bailea

Dear Santa, I want a new bike. I need some new boots. I will leave some cookies and milk for you.

Love, Emery





Ms. Mindy Martin Cainsville R-V 2nd Grade

Dear Santa, How are you? How is my elf? I would like a friendship bracelet, a teddy bear, and a Lankybox that glows in the dark.

Your friend, Sadie K.

Dear Santa. How are your reindeer? How are you and Mrs. Claus doing? I want hunting toys, pirate ships, lures, bait, fishing toys, and army men. I am going to make a cake for you with a glass of milk.

Your friend, Teagan B.

Dear Santa, How are you? Say hi to the elves for me. I



am happy! I like my gifts from last Christmas. I would like to have Pokemon for Christmas.

Love, Rowdy N.

Dear Santa, How is Pinky? I wish for a ballerina teddy bear, a light up teddy bear, a baby bear with a bottle, and a unicorn snow globe. I will leave carrots for the reindeer. I love you Santa.

Love, Maci D.

Dear Santa, How are you and the elves? I would like to get a kitten for Christmas. A REAL kitten.

Love, Maudy H.

Dear Santa, How is Mrs. Claus? Do you love chocolate chip cookies? I want a toy reindeer, a light up bear, a toy dog named Spot, a new water bottle, and a TV.

Love, Jocelynn B.





Mrs. Julie Lupfer Pattonsburg R-2 Kindergarten

Dear Santa, Thank you for giving me all the presents last year. This year I would like Legos and a robot.

> Love, Cooper Sullinger, Age 5

Dear Santa, Thank you for the Barbie House from last year. This year I would like a robot and a unicorn, a toy one, purple please. Would your reindeer like some carrots?

> Love, Claire Sorrentino, Age 5

Dear Santa. Thank you for all the toys from last year, Xbox games were really cool, Deer Hunting and Race Cars. This year I would like a race car game that we can free ride. I would also like a VR headset. How are you, Santa?

Love, Teagan Roberts, Age 6

Dear Santa, Did you like the cookies we made you last year? Would like a different kind this year? I would like you to bring me a doll with pink hair and a dress like a tooth fairy. I also need a fake board that is holding something to practice my writing. How are your reindeer?

Love, Julia Roberts, Age 5

Dear Santa, I hope you liked the chocolate chip cookies we made vou last vear. Would you like the same kind this year? I would like a green bike and a green skateboard, because I like green. How do you fly?

> Love, Jeremiah Overholser, Age 5

Dear Santa, Thank you for the Monster Truck you brought me last year. I would like a flat bill hat and new Nike shoes this year. How do you fly your sleigh?

> Love, Derreck Mullen, Age 5, almost 6

Dear Santa,

Thank you for bringing me presents last year. I want a Plushie Roxy like my dog that died. I also want a Stitch Squishmallow. Everything is sweet and so are you.

> Love, Kynzie Miller, Age 5

Dear Santa, Thank you for the scooter and hover board you gave me last year. I want a real live reindeer. I want to give a gift to you.

> Love, Dawsyn Guzan, Age 5

Dear Santa, I like you. I want Legos and an Xbox.

Love, Braxton Guy, Age 5

Dear Santa, How has your day been going? I would like a purple lamp and some make-up.

> Love, Dylan Gardner, Age 6

Dear Santa, Thank you for the Barbie last year. It can cook! I would like a make-up kit and Monster High Dolls.

> Love, Izebelle Fredricks, Age 5

Dear Santa, Thank you for the sandbox you brought me last year. I want a guitar and a microphone.

> Love, Rylynn Carter, Age 5

Dear Santa, Thank you for giving me so many gifts last year like the hunting coat and toys. This year I would like a Nintendo Switch and American Farming game. How do your reindeer fly? Do you sprinkle stuff on their head or in their mouth?

Love, Kruze Leeper, Age 6

Dear Santa, I have been a very good boy this year. I hope you are getting rested up for your big trip on Christmas Eve night. Would you please bring me something that lights up and spins. I also like things that rattle. I LOVE Nemo! Mom says I need new shoes and bibs, but I don't really care about those things. Maybe you could bring her some?

> Love, Damon Chrisp, Age 5

Mrs. Fitzpatrick Cainsville R-1 Kindergarten

Dear Santa, I was wondering who your favorite Reindeer is and where do they sleep at night? This year for Christmas I would like Teddy Bears and Candy Canes.

Your Friend, Cora Brown

Dear Santa. I love kitties so much that this year for Christmas I want a robot kitty that can walk. I would also love a little box that comes with a baby kitty in it. I would also like to get a super dinosaur robot.

Your Friend, Jozey Doty

Dear Santa, I was wondering what kind of candy canes do you like best? For Christmas this year I would really like a new real-life puppy. I would also love a kitchen set with a sink and stove just like the one at school. Could you also maybe bring me a new nerf gun and another blue ram truck.

> Your Friend, Kaiser Hickman

Dear Santa, What's your favorite type of cookie? My favorite is Chocolate Chip because they are the best kind! For Christmas this year I would love a toy reindeer with a sleigh and a Santa Clause to drive it. I would also like a new Barbie Doll with a tov horse. Lastly, I would like both a stuffed unicorn and Pegasus.

Your Friend, Madi Doty

Dear Santa, How are you doing this year? I am doing great. This year for Christmas I would really love to get a toy dog. I would also like a stuffed toy cow and a toy noodle that I could pretend to eat. Your Friend,

Scarlett Evans

Dear Santa, What is your favorite food to eat at the North Pole? For Christmas this year I would love to get more dinosaur toys. I would also like to get dragons and

other types of animal toys to play with my dinosaurs. Could you also bring me pretend water, bushes and rocks that I could use to build homes for all my new animals.

Your Friend, Rowan Cain





Mrs. Noe Cainsville R-1 1st Grade

Dear Santa, How are you? For Christmas I would like a PS5, an Xbox, shark & zombie monster trucks and a NERF RC car.

Your Friend, Bentley Whisler

Dear Santa, How are your reindeer? I would like Pokémon cards, a phone, Nintendo switch, pictures of my cats Binks and Mittens, a stuffed animal and a camera.

Your Friend, Cooper Euritt

Dear Santa. How are your elves? For Christmas I want a giant doll camper that you can camp in. I also would like a sandbox, a real-life wiener dog for my mom, fidget toys and a bean bag chair.

Love, Alivia Thompson

Dear Santa, Can I please have a Captain America, Hoverboard and 3 shelves to put my stuff on so that my brother can't reach it. I would also like a punching bag and an alarm clock so I can wake myself up. Thank you for the gifts and I'll be sure to leave you milk and cookies.

Love, Kyerik Harper

Miss Ashley Coleman **South Harrison R-2** 3rd grade

3rd graders were asked, "What's the funniest thing that has happened to you at Christmas?"

Aubrey Wynkoop

The funniest thing that happened to me on Christmas is when my elf got some marshmallows and poured them in a bowl. When I woke up she was laying in them. I always go to my grandma's house on Christmas Eve. It is a tradition I think. Last year I got a watch from Santa.

Maddie Walton

What's the funniest thing that happened to you on Christmas? "Maddie, let's go upstairs and go to bed," said mom. I said, "Okav." We went up the stairs and mom said good night. I went to sleep and then I woke up and it was morning. I went down stairs and I found my elf on the shelf. He was in my Christmas tree and I yelled for mom. "Mom, I found the elf!" I velled. I looked at the tree and I saw that my dirty underwear was on the tree and it had poop stains in them. I laughed. It was the funniest Christmas ever.

Aric Reeter

The funniest Christmas



was one year ago in 2022. It started in my living room and I was drinking some hot chocolate. My dad farted so loud that I had to close my

Connor Miller-Niverson



Christmas funny story was when I grabbed the Christmas tree and dragged it everywhere. My mom did not like that.

Melvin Peake

The funniest thing that happened on Christmas is making a snowman look like it is peeing. I destroyed it so no one would see it. I peed all over the snow. Then my brothers copied me and peed in the snow too. I laughed so hard.

Easton Ownes

One time I was laving in bed and I heard a noise. It sounded like a foot stomping so I said, "What is that noise?" It was my dad and he was sleepwalking and he was unloading the dishwasher. I checked and I was by the stairs and I slipped on something. I fell down the stairs.

Alton Moad

The funniest thing that happened to me was I was praying outside. I fell in the snow and they thought it was funny. It was not funny and they helped me out of the snow. Then I slipped in the snow again and rolled down the hill. It hurt and after I got up I built a snowman.

Mazey York

The funniest thing that happened on Christmas was when I was smashing the smasher dino eggs. One flew and somehow I think 5 months later I found it under the table. Some reason it was under there.

Victor Delgado

I was at my grandma's opening presents. I rolled up some paper balls. I started throwing them. It started becoming a paper war. Then we stopped and I put the paper in the trash bag.

Jaycee King

The funniest thing that happened to me on Christmas was when I was at my grandma's house. I was just talking to my family and I saw my cousin punching the elf. He triple dogged dared me to punch the elf. I got coal for Christmas. So, I am never going to do that again because I do not want coal for Christmas.

Maggie Francis

I was opening my presents and my aunt was putting the ham in the oven. I went into the kitchen and was going to smell it and it fell out of the oven. I fell and slipped on the ham. I got whip cream all over my face and my dog started to kiss me.

RJ Tallen

The funniest thing that happened to me on Christmas was when I was on my Xbox and I just lost on Call of Duty. I was on a chair that you can spin on in the living room. I looked up at the wall and the elf was there and I was like Ahhhh! The elf is here. We named it Snowflake vear before Snowflake and she is a girl.

Sawyer Wilson

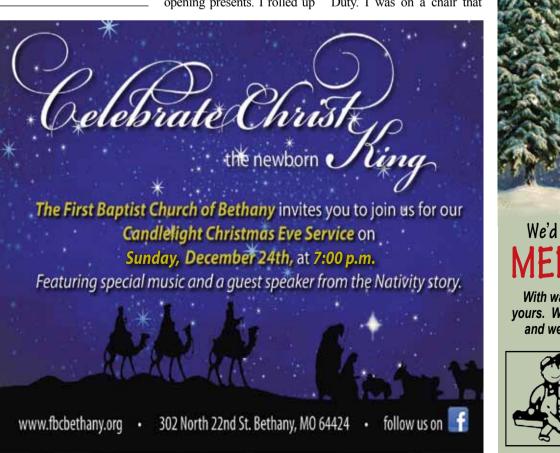
The funniest thing that happened to me on Christmas was when my elf Star made a fort in my fridge and was playing music. Star made a

fort out of ketchup, water and applesauce. My mom was super mad. Star was super chill about it but mom was not.

Josiah Thornton

My funniest Christmas story was one time when I woke up I went to the living room. When I went to the living room I saw the elf put my mom's underwear on the ceiling fan. It was the funniest thing ever.







Mrs. Helena Booth Pattonsburg R-2 3rd Grade

3rd graders were asked, "What's the funniest thing that has happened to you at Christmas?"

The funniest thing that has ever happened to me at Christmas was when we went to church and on the way to our car, our dad fell face first in the snow, it was funny!

Kadie Davis

The funniest thing that happened to me at Christmas was when my brother, Grayson missed a big, big bird with my new bb gun. Also, Grayson and Hagen would not wake up and Hayes kept opening the wrong presents. Last but

not least, I got what I wanted , a big toy semi. After I was done opening gifts, I knew it was time to go to my grandma's and eat.

Ryder Booth

The most exciting thing that happened to me at Christmas was when my sister and I were done opening presents. My parents gave my sister and I one last present. We opened the presents at the same time. They were helmets. My parents told me to guess what they were for, I guessed a dirt bike, My sister guessed a four-wheeler. We were told to close our eves and look outside. We saw two four wheelers! That is the most exciting thing that happened on Christmas to me!

Mason Dinwiddie

The funniest thing that has ever happened to me at Christmas was when we were opening presents. We just finished and mom and dad said there is one more present. While my dad was getting it, mom made us guess what it was. Mason guessed a dirt bike. I said a four-wheeler, that's what it has to be and it

was!

McKenna Dinwiddie

The funniest thing that has ever happened to me at Christmas was when I fell off the porch. My cousin Shelby tried to catch me, but she missed. My mom and dad hid Christmas presents and I fell when I found one. My elf sat on the toilet and my whole family laughed hard. My

family was opening presents then Max the dog pounced on me and ran away. Simba the cat climbed up the tree and knocked it over and he got in big trouble!

Lucas Dixon

The funniest thing that has ever happened to me at Christmas was when I was riding a hoverboard and going into the kitchen. I fell off and bonked my head on the floor. That is the funniest thing that has ever happened to me on Christmas.

Blake Mason

The happiest thing that has ever happened to me on Christmas was on my 7th Christmas and I got a cowboy

Jase Merritt

The most exciting thing that has ever happened to me on Christmas was getting a Polly Pocket house. It was so much fun and fun to play with. I play with it all the time. I love it! My sister plays with me sometimes too.

Zaidee Mullen

The funniest thing that has ever happened to me at Christmas was last Christmas. I woke up, opened my stock-

has ever happened to me at Christmas was getting an ipad! We were getting my brother's birthday present, then my mom asked what I wanted for Christmas. I wanted an ipad. The next day was Christmas and I got an ipad!

ing, there was mostly just

candy and mini chocolate

bars. The same day I got a

gymnastics mat and a tele-

scope. That was the funniest

thing that has ever happened

ed. I always wanted one and

The funniest thing that

my dad plays with me!

to me at Christmas.

Aria Sorrentino

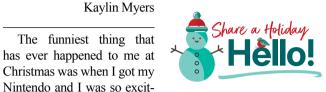
Paislee Roberts

The funniest thing that has ever happened to me at Christmas was when I fell down the stairs. That is the funniest thing that has ever happened to me on Christmas.

Colt Sperry

The most exciting thing that has ever happened to me at Christmas was when I woke up really early and saw my stocking full! I love opening it with my brother. I got my grandpa and grandma gifts too. That is the most exciting thing that has happened to me on Christmas.

Abby Warren



Mrs. Jandy Whitaker Ridgeway 1st Grade

Dear Santa, I have a baby sister Izzy and a baby brother Miles. I am six years old and going to be seven. How are your reindeer? This year for Christmas, I would like a stuffed animal bear, a Marybel doll and barbies. Thank you for giving me presents.

Love, Zerelda D.

Dear Santa, I have four brothers and three sisters. My favorite colors are orange, blue and pink. How are all your reindeer? How is Mrs. Santa Claus? For Christmas this year, I would like a Tom Holland action figure, a Spiderman remote control car, a Sonic the movie toy along with Knuckles and Tails, and a glow in the dark sword. Thank you for my gifts.

Love, Jordyn P.

Dear Santa, I have six sisters and two brothers. I like to color. What does Mrs. Claus look like? This year for Christmas, I would like a Sponge Bob set, a Ninja Turtle set, a Spiderman set and Jurassic Park set. Thank you for the toys.

Love, Maddox P.

Dear Santa, My favorite color is black. I am six years old. How are your elves and reindeer? For Christmas this year, I would like DC toys, Spiderman toys, Superman toys and Star Wars toys. Thank you for everything.

Love, H.C. B.







Mrs. Spurling **South Harrison R-2** 3rd grade

3rd graders were asked, "What's the funniest thing that has happened to you at Christmas?"

One time after a long day of school, I went home, I played video games then it was time for dinner. During dinner, my baby brother chewed up one of my baby sister's papers and then we started laughing. And then I accidentally spilled some of my pop.

Ricky M.

The funniest thing that has happened to me on Christmas was the time I was asleep and I played on my phone and then I fell out of my bed.

Gattlin S.

The funniest thing that has happened to me on Christmas was me and my sister went snowboarding on Christmas and my sister fell off the snowboard. I was laughing and she was laughing. We went home and then we had hot cocoa. Then we made cookies and ended Christmas.

Erika P.

The funniest thing that has happened to me on Christmas was when my sister woke up. Then she went to my room and woke me up. I was so excited. I jumped out of my bed. I ran and my sister was behind me. I tripped. I did not not trip all the way down the stairs but my sister laughed at me. We did not tell our parents and I was ok anyways. I got up and then I ran down the stairs again and I did not fall. My sister was in front of me and I was trying to beat her to our parents.

Ravyn G.

One year it was close to Christmas. Then it was like 2:00 a.m. We got our suitcases and we left to go to Disney World. We got to the airport and I was too tired to walk. We got to Disney World and I fell on the bed and slept in. I

told my mom to wake me up. She said that we were going to the pool. After we swam, then we got ready to go to the Lion Kingdom and we rode a lot of rides and ate dinner. Then we went to bed and the next morning we went to Ocean Kingdom. It was a little scary when we saw the Pirates of the Caribbean. The next day was Christmas at the castle and we were laughing.

Maddi D.

One time last Christmas when we were opening our presents. I had a present with a brown coconut in it. And when I opened my present I found a coconut. My grandma bought the coconut at the store. So it was surprising that I found a coconut in that present. And what a funny present I had that Christmas!

Logan J.

The funniest thing that happened to me on Christmas was my brother Waylon went into my room under my bed and I grabbed his foot. Waylon screamed as loud as he could. This happened the day before Christmas and he was freaking out. That Christmas my dad and I opened the wrong present and then we went outside and played in the snow.

Wesley M.

The funniest thing that has happened to me on Christmas was, when I spooked my mom. Boo! I spooked my mom. I woke up at 4:00 a.m. and I tried to hide in my room and I hid in the bathroom and spooked her.

Gunner D.

The funniest thing that has happened to me on Christmas was... so I was driving my fourwheeler and then I fell off the fourwheeler and then my dog started to lick me. When I fell in the snow my dog came running and started to lick my face.

Tye W.

The funniest thing that has happened to me on Christmas was when my dad got my dogs

BudBud and Luena. Next, my dog. BudBud, iumped on Michael and licked him.

Haydin T.

The funniest thing that happened to me on Christmas was when I fell down the stairs. It hurt really bad and then we got to open presents. I got a toy semi, drone, and truck. I played with them all and I got a bunch of stuff. It was the best Christmas ever. I ate lots of food like ham and mashed potatoes and gravy and biscuits. I built a snowman and it broke and then I was mad.

Sawyer B.

The funniest thing that happened to me on Christmas was when I went ice skating with my family. It was like 2 hours away so it took a little while to get there. Then we got there it was cold and I put on 3 layers of clothes. Then we got our shoes on and then went ice skating. I fell into the splits. It was hard to get up and then everyone started laughing hard. Ha ha ha ha ha!!

Brynlee B.

I fell down the rail and then I fell down the steps. Mom and I shot dad with a water gun. When I was two, I opened up a gift and then fell asleep under the Christmas tree.

Wayland C.

The funniest thing that has happened to me on Christmas was when my big brother got chased by a goat.

Alaynnah P.

The funniest thing that has happened to me on Christmas was when we played the dice game at my Grandma's house. My sister, Kailey got the slime one and then she had to dump it on her head.

Croy F.

The funniest thing that has happened to me on Christmas was throwing a snowball at my mom. It almost hit her.

Mattalyn B.

Mrs. York South Harrison R-2 1st Grade

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old and I am wondering why you ride a sleigh? This year I have been very nice. I was nice by feeding my cat. For Christmas this year, I would really like cat toys, a stuffed horse, and a stuffed unicorn. I promise to leave you milk and cookies. Travel safely!

Love, Sophia



Dear Santa, I am 6 years old and I was wondering how the reindeer are doing? This year I have been very nice. I was nice by helping someone up. For Christmas this year I would like a Nintendo Switch, Camera, and a kitten. I promise to leave you milk and cookies. Travel safely!

Love, Naomi

Dear Santa, I am 7 and I was wondering how does your bag fit all of the toys? This year I have been naughty and nice. I was nice by listening to my mom. For Christmas this year, I would really like a shark lunch box, bunny shoes to make me run really fast, and a camera drone. I promise to leave you cookies and milk. Travel safely!

Love, Jaxson

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old and I was wondering how you get into my house and get back out? This year I have been very nice. I was nice by listening to my mom and dad. For Christmas this year I would like a hoverboard. X-box, and a tractor snow globe. I promise to leave you cookies and milk. Travel safely!

Love, Carter

Dear Santa, I am 7 years old and I was wondering why you have a crystal ball? This vear I have been very nice. I was nice by listening to my mom and dad. For Christmas this year, I would really like legos, shoes, and a camera. I promise to leave you milk and cookies. Travel safely!

Love, Alex

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old and I was wondering what time you will be at my house? This year I have been very nice. I was nice by helping others. For Christmas this year, I would like Pokemon cards, Nintendo Switch, and toy Lamborghini. I promise to leave you cookies and milk. Travel safely!

Love Mateo

Dear Santa, I am 7 years old and I was wondering how do you fit into a chimney? This year I have been very nice. I was nice by sharing with my sister and listening to my mom. For Christmas this year, I would really like a 3D pen, Legos, and Ev Pokemon. I promise to leave you cookies and milk. Travel safely!

Love, Weylen

Dear Santa, I am 7 years old and I was wondering how you can fit into the chimney? This year I have been very nice. I was nice by helping my grandma bake cookies. For Christmas this year, I would really like a new fuzzy, warm blanket, electric Pikachu, and headphones. I promise to leave you milk and cookies. Travel safely!

Love, Ariana

Dear Santa, I am 7 years old and I was wondering if when you get home from delivering presents you are tired? This year I have been very nice. I was nice by helping people up and helping my parents. For Christmas this year, I would really like a pink cowgirl hat, keyboard, and an egg chair. I promise to leave you cookies and milk. Travel safely!

Love, Bryndel

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old and I was wondering if your reindeer are real? This year I have been very nice. I was nice by helping my brother and sister. For Christmas this year, I would really like earrings, a book, and a big Squishmellow. I promise to leave you cookies and milk. Travel safely!

Love Brilvnn

Dear Santa, I am 7 years old and I was wondering how the elves are so good at making toys? This year I have been naughty and nice. I was nice by helping. For Christmas this year, I would really like a linky box fox plush, electric scooter, and a puppy. I promise to leave you cookies and milk. Travel safely!

Love, Hunter

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old and I was wondering how do you fit into my house? This vear I have been very nice. I was nice by listening to my grandma. For Christmas this year, I would really like a rare Pokemon, super sonic toys, and Dinosaur toys. I promise to leave cookies and milk. Travel Safely!

Love, Rhett

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old and I was wondering what do your elves look like? This year I have been very nice. I was nice by listening to my dad. For Christmas this year, I would really like a toy car, a sports car toy to sit on, and a Tyrannosaurus toy. I promise to leave cookies and milk. Travel safely!

Love, Yuvraj

Dear Santa, I am 7 years old and I was wondering if you have real elves? This year I have been very nice. I was nice by helping my sister do the dishes. For Christmas this year, I would really like a foxy plush, freddy plush, and a bonnie plush. I promise to leave you milk and cupcakes. Travel safely!

Love, Matthew

Mrs. Yoder South Harrison R-2 1st Grade

Dear Santa, I am 7 years old. This year I have been naughty and nice. I have been nice by helping my mom. I was wondering...What are your reindeers' names? For Christmas I would really like Barbies, a phone, and baby dolls. I promise to leave you Christmas cookies. Travel safely!

Love, Brinley B.

Dear Santa, I am 5 years old. This year I have been naughty and nice. I was nice by being kind to my friends. I was wondering...Do you have a Christmas delivery map? For Christmas this year, I would really like a bouncing toy from Fisher Price and snowmen. I promise to leave you milk and cookies. Travel safely!

Love, Leo S.

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old. This year I have been very nice. I was nice by helping my friends. I was wondering...What are all your reindeers' names? For Christmas this year, I would really like a toy semi, sprayer, and a toy chopper. I promise to leave you cookies and milk. Travel safely!

Love, Ryker R.

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old. This year I have been very nice. I was nice by helping friends. I was wondering...What's in your sleigh? For Christmas this year, I would really like a different game, candy, and a phone. I promise to leave you cookies and cupcakes. Travel safely!

Love, Noah K.

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old. This year I have been very nice. I was nice by helping my mom with dishes. I was wondering...Are you real? For Christmas this year, I would really like a horse, puppy, and an iphone. I promise to leave you milk and

cookies. Travel safely! Love, Emalyn K.

Dear Santa, I am 7 years old. This year I have been very nice. I was nice by playing with my brother and I helped my mom. I was wondering...Are you real? For Christmas this year, I would really like a pet fish, a pet cat, and a giant stuffed sloth. I promise to leave you cookies and milk. Travel safely!

Love, Chevelle G.

Dear Santa, I am 7 years old. This year I have been very nice. I was nice by playing with my friends and making people happy. I was wondering...Why do you give presents to people? For Christmas this year, I would really like a teddy bear, fairy flyer, and dancing trees. I promise to leave you cookies and milk. Travel safely!

Love, Mandi H.



Dear Santa, I am 6 years old. This year I have been very nice. I was nice by being nice to my peers. I was wondering...Are you real? For Christmas this year, I would like Barbies, a TV, and an XBox. I promise to leave you cookies and milk. Travel safely!

Love, Jette W.

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old. This year I have been very nice. I was nice by helping my friends get up and I helped with dishes. I was wondering...Did you know you can make something in the snow? For Christmas this year, I would really like Christmas cars, robots, and chasing cars and robots. I promise to leave you chocolate milk and toast and butter. Travel safely!

Love, Ethan A.

Dear Santa, I am 7 years old. This year I have been very nice. I was nice by giving my mom a hug. I was wondering...How do you live with the presents? For Christmas this year, I would really like a swing set and four wheeler. I promise to leave you milk and cookies. Travel safely!

Love, Seth C.

Dear Santa, I am 7 years old. This year I have been naughty and nice. I have been nice by sharing with others. I was wondering...Why are you so nice? This year for Christmas I would really like a trampoline, a Barbie dollhouse, and earrings. I promise to leave you milk and cookies. Travel safely!

Love, Makenzie L.

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old. This year I have been very nice. I have been nice by letting people play. I was wondering...Why do you give lots of people presents? This year for Christmas, I would really like candy, a phone, and a watch. I promise to leave you cookies and milk. Travel safely!

Love, Elliot W.

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old. This year I have been very nice. I was nice by helping people. I was wondering...Are you real? For Christmas this year, I would really like an electric scooter, a new pair of boots, and shoes with wheels in them. I promise to leave you cookies and milk. Travel safely!

Love, Wade M.

Dear Santa, I am 7 years old. This year I have been naughty and nice. I was nice by cleaning my room without being asked. I was wondering...How do you eat so much? For Christmas this year, I would really like a big teddy bear, a computer, and a PS5. I promise to leave you a cookie and milk. Travel safely!

Love, Bentley S.

Mrs. Cornett South Harrison R-2 1st grade

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old and I've always wondered if the reindeer actually fly? This year I have been very nice. I was nice by helping my mom to clean and tidy up. For Christmas this year, I would really like a baby doll. an electric scooter, and an ipad with a pen. I promise to leave vou cookies and milk. I will leave carrots for your reindeer too. Travel safely!

Love, Aspen G.

Dear Santa, I am 7 years old and I wonder if I could come to your house? This year I have been very nice. I was nice by helping people at recess. For Christmas this year, I would really like a remote control trencher, a remote control forklift, and a remote control truck and trailer. I promise to leave you milk and brownies. Travel safely!

Love, Ace C.

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old and I'm wondering how you make all of the toys for people? This year I have been very nice and naughty too. I was nice by helping my dad clean my room. For Christmas this year, I would really like an RC car, a nerf gun, and a monster truck. I promise to leave you milk and cookies. Travel safely!

Love, Dexter S.

Dear Santa, I am 7 years old. I am wondering if the elves at my house are magic or if you just move them around my house? This year I have been very nice. I was nice by playing with people that were alone. For Christmas this year, I would really like a baby doll, barbies, and an LOL doll. I promise to leave you milk and cookies. Travel safely!

Love, Catherine L.

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old and I'm wondering what your elves are like? Do you have a favorite elf? This year very nice. I was nice by help-I have been naughty and nice. I've been nice by saving compliments to my Mommy. For Christmas this year, I would really like a flute, a harmonica, and a life sized princess doll. I promise to leave you milk and cookies. Travel safely!

Love, Briley T.

Dear Santa, I am 7 years old and I will go to sleep so you can come to my house. This year I have been very nice. I was nice by being good at home and at school. I have been walking in the hallways. For Christmas this year, I would really like a remote control car, a Minecraft Earth toy, and Minecraft magnets to build with. I promise to leave you milk and cookies. Travel safely!

Love, Marcus M.



Dear Santa, I am 6 years old and I am wondering if you really live at the North Pole? This year I have been very nice. I was nice by helping others, cleaning my room, and helping with the dishes. For Christmas this year, I would really like a black tablet, a bike, and a Transformers car. I promise to leave you cookies and milk. Travel safely!

Love, Charles H.

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old and I want to thank you for giving everybody a chance to get a present. This year I have been very nice. I was nice by helping people when they needed it. For Christmas this year, I would really like a toy gun, video games, and a toy boat. I promise to leave you cookies and milk. Travely safely!

Love, Matthew H.

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old. This year I have been

ing my brother clean his room and playing with him. For Christmas this year, I would really like a Barbie doll, a doll house, and a LOL doll. I promise to leave you brownies and cookies. Travel safely. Love, Ellie M.

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old and I have been wondering if I could come to your house? This year I have been naughty and nice. I was nice by being kind to people. For Christmas this year, I would really like a toy SS-Missouri, Minecraft for Nintendo, and a Mario Maker 2. I promise to leave you milk and cookies. Travel safely!

Love, Cash H.

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old and I was wondering what your address is? This year I have been very nice. I was nice by helping people when they were confused. For Christmas this year, I would really like a remote control monster truck, remote control robot, and a fake \$1000. I promise to leave milk and cookies. Travel safely!

Love, Declan H.

Dear Santa, I am 6 years old and This year I have been very nice. I was nice by helping my peers, not hitting, and working hard. For Christmas this year, I would really like recess, toys, and a big Mario board. I promise to leave you cookies and milk. Travel safely!

Love, Daven V.

Dear Santa, I am 7 years old and I have been wondering if you tell the elves at my house what to do? They do silly things. This year I have been very nice. I was nice by helping people, picking up spills at lunch, and playing nice at recess. For Christmas this year, I would really like some squishmallows, LOL dolls, and Shopkins. I promise to leave you cookies and milk. Travel safely!

Love, Jada J.

Mrs. Kadie Wagner Ridgeway R-5 3rd Grade

3rd graders were asked, "What's the funniest thing that has happened to you at Christmas?"

My family went to the mountains before Christmas last year. It was cold and snowy. Daddy couldn't light the fireplace and brother went to jail in our game. We had so much fun!

Savannah

For Christmas a few years ago one Christmas I got a baby alive. It came with a bottle, powered baby food, diapers and a baby alive. I had to mix the powdered food with water in the bottle to feed her. After I feed her I would have to change her diaper. It was funny that she could pee.

Baylee Booth

Something funny that has happened to me on Christmas would be when I opened a gift Christmas morning. My mom had wrapped my gift in a diaper box! I responded "I got diapers" then it quickly hit me that I didn't wear diapers and velled "MOM!"

Kambrie

One Christmas we were opening presents. When I got to the big present my grandma's dog Buster Brown got in the big box and wouldn't get out.

Lillian

What was the funniest thing that happened to you before Christmas was making snow angels and snowmen!

Matthew

The funniest thing that has happened to me at Christmas was when Santa gave me the wrong Christmas gift. I wanted a tablet but instead I got a mermaid. This was funny because Christmas was very funny!

Bridget

I got makeup and my mom

got mad. She told me "she was going to fire Santa!"

Katy

Knox

The funniest thing that happened to me was when I forgot it was Christmas and my present didn't make it.

The funniest thing that happened to me at Christmas time was when I was sleeping in my bed and fell to the floor. I woke up the next morning laying on the floor and it was Christmas day!

Rhett



Mrs. Holly Preston Gilman City R-IV Kindergarten

Dear Santa, How are the reindeer doing? For Christmas I would like an iphone, toy tools and a big John Deere toy truck. I'll leave you cookies and milk on the counter.

Love, Benson Barlow

Dear Santa, How do the elves make toys? For Christmas I would like My Puppies Home Little Life Pets, Chelsev's little playhouse and a big Ariel doll. I'll leave you cookies and milk on the table.

Love, Olivia Ward

Dear Santa, Is Rudolf's shiny nose real? For Christmas could I have a rainbow unicorn I could ride to school? Could I also have a unicorn rainbow stuffy and a Santa stuffy? I'll leave you cookies and milk and carrots for your reindeer.

Love, Ella Wimer

Santa, How is Dear Rudolf? For Christmas I would like a lot of bath bombs, a stuffy and a Barbie.

Love, Hailey Marshall

Dear Santa, Thank you for the presents. For Christmas I would like kinetic sand, slime and lots of bath bombs. I'll leave you milk and cookies by the fireplace.

Love, Kehlani Carey

Dear Santa, How is Rudolf? For Christmas I would like bath bombs, a new book and Lol dolls. I will leave you cookies and milk on the table.

Love, Anastasia Clutter

Dear Santa, How is Rudolf doing? For Christmas I would like a toy bulldozer, a tractor book and a tractor toy.



Rejoice In the Spirit of Christmas

For unto us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Of the greatness of his government and peace there will be no end.

At Christmas and always, may your heart and faith in God lead you down the road to peace, joy, and contentment. We feel blessed to be a part of this community and we thank you for your friendship and support.



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From Tony, Brenda, and the office gang

Love, Lane Ward

Dear Santa. Is Rudolf alive? For Christmas I would like a train, a book and legos. I'll leave you milk and cookies on the counter.

Love, Jaxton Holcomb

Dear Santa, How does your sleigh fly? For Christmas I would like a motor bike, a camo xbox controller and a camo xbox. I'll leave you cookies and milk in the livingroom.

Love, Kable Moulin

Dear Santa, How are you? For Christmas I would like an ipad, a plug in doorbell and stamps

Love, Luke Steinhurst

Dear Santa, How is Rudolf doing? For Christmas I would like 1 million fake dollars, my two front teeth and 3 Transformers. I'll leave you strawberry milk and oreos on the table.

Love, Maverick McLain

Dear Santa, I like your sleigh and your reindeer. For



Christmas I would like Paw Patrol toys, PJ Mask's house and a word search book. Love, Joseph Bontrager

Mrs. Devon Kilton Ridgeway R-V Kindergarten

Dear Santa, How are the reindeer? Are they good? Santa I want Paw Patrol Aqua Pups for Christmas. I would also like LaLa Loopsy. And that's it.

Zoey Vandiver

Dear Santa, I want to see the reindeer? How do they fly? For Christmas I want a gas powered dirt bike and a dirt bike helmet too.

Coltt Quilty

Dear Santa, Are you doing something or are you resting? Are your elves making toys for everyone? I would like an electric scooter and a big box of all the Paw Patrol stuff.

Please don't forget about some Sonic toys too.

Paxton O'Neal

Dear Santa, I love your Christmas gifts. I love when vou give me cool gifts. I would like a new Gabby doll puzzle, a little four-wheeler because I am only 6 years old, and a computer like my teacher. I'll leave cookies for you.

Danika Corrigan

Dear Santa, I would love a brand new toy kitchen with drying and washing machine. I want a baby bed and a baby that will come with it. I would also love a big t-rex costume for dress up and I want to wear it to school if it is okay with my teacher.

Violet B.



To Our Friends & Neighbors At The Holidays

Without your support, we wouldn't be here... without your friendship, it just wouldn't be Christmas!

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Mrs. Angela Wagner Gilman City R-IV 3 year olds Preschool

Dear Santa, I hope you have been having a great vacation this year! Thank you so much for the presents last year. And now that it's almost Christmas again... This year I want a deer. This Christmas I need a bumper car. Some reasons I have been good are that I talk a lot less! Some gifts other people should get: Mom & Dad need a bike and Willow and Rachel need new bigger bikes.

Love, Warren Wimer

Dear Santa, I hope you have been having a great vacation this year! Thank you so much for the presents last year. And now that it's almost Christmas again... This year I want a big Jackson Storm car. This Christmas I need an RC Grave Digger monster truck. Some reasons I have been good are that I played until it was Christmas! Some gifts other people should get: Landen needs a mini monster truck.

Love, Dreaven Coke

Dear Santa, I hope you have been having a great vacation this year! Thank you so much for the presents last year. And now that it's almost Christmas again... This year I want a crab. This Christmas I need dinosaur toys. Some reasons I have been good are that I don't cry at school! Some gifts other people should get: Mom needs a house and Mimi needs dinosaur toys.

Love, Aspen Davies

Dear Santa, I hope you have been having a great vacation this year! Thank you so much for the presents last year. And now that it's almost Christmas again... This year I want a dinosaur and a toy truck. This Christmas I need some glue sticks. Some reasons I have been good at school are because I have fun! Some gifts other people should get: Tripp needs a dinosaur and Dreaven needs a

Peppa Pig house.

Love, Nash Johnson

Dear Santa, I hope you have been having a great vacation this year! Thank you so much for the presents last year. And now that it's almost Christmas again... This year I want a Buzz Lightyear, Rex, and Bo-Peep. This Christmas I need a Woody toy. Some reasons I have been good are that I play nicely. Some gifts other people should get: Stetson needs Woody and Rex.

Love, Landen Tucker

Dear Santa, I hope you have been having a great vacation this year! Thank you so much for the presents last year. And now that it's almost Christmas again... This year I want a shiny snake. This Christmas I need a rainbow present. Some reasons I have been good are that I played with my mommy! Some gifts other people should get: Koal and Tripp need a robot toy.

Love, Gracelyn Moore

Dear Santa, I hope you have been having a great vacation this year! Thank you so much for the presents last year. And now that it's almost Christmas again... This year I want a Transformer Bumblebee. This Christmas I need a drink. Some reasons I have been good are that I play at recess! Some gifts other people should get: Mom needs a fish and Ryker needs an owl.

Love, Jaxson Starr

Dear Santa, I hope you have been having a great vacation this year! Thank you so much for the presents last year. And now that it's almost Christmas again... This year I want all the dolls that have hair. This Christmas I need a unicorn that is real. Some reasons I have been good are that I didn't cry when I was grounded! Some gifts other people should get: Ella needs a real baby and Kehlani needs a real rainbow unicorn.

Love, Kahlesie Carey

Miss Emily Foster South Harrison R-2 3 year preschool AM

Dear Santa, Hi Santa! Me want a basketball thing for Christmas. Me want a helicopter too. Me want a blue truck too. With a big trailer. I will leave candy for you out in the trailer.

Love, Banks Nighthart

Dear Santa, I love you Mr. Santa! I want a Hulk monster toy. I want a John Cena toy. I want a Bigfoot toy too. He's my favorite. I will leave you donuts on the porch at my store.

Love, Ayden Klingensmith



Dear Santa, Merry Christmas! I really want a gumball machine. I have one at my house, but I already ate all the gumballs. I want a present with slime in it. I just want all of it. I will leave you a rainbow at my home, but I'm going to eat it.

Love, Oaklee Clark

Dear Santa, I love you! I want Legos. I want keys and markers. I will leave you chicken at my mom's house.

Love, Bonnie Abad-Galvez

Dear Santa, I want a car to go in a big semi. That's all I want. We haven't made you a snack yet, but we will. Do you know JJ? He really likes Bluey.

Love, Barrett Schoning

Dear Santa, I love you! I want a little cute baby toy. I want some unicorn babies too. I want a mama baby too. I will leave you some milk and

some cookies and some carrots in the living room.

Love, Mylabelle Cornett

Dear Santa, I want a new airplane, because my other airplane was broken by the lightning. I want you to come over and meet me. That's all I want. I just want a new airplane. I will leave you a cookie at my living room. I don't have a hole at my house, but I have windows you can come in, but my windows are locked. Maybe you could come in my door. I have a door.

Love, Owen Ramey

Dear Santa, Merry Christmas! I want some presents for me. I want a trailer toy. I want a green truck too. I will leave you cookies on the counter.

Love, Hudson Clemmons

Dear Santa, I want an airplane because I don't have one. I want blue presents with snacks in it. That's all. I will leave you blueberries and gummies, and meatballs, and supper, and hot cocoa. We will put it on the couch so you can find them.

Love, Truett Willis

Dear Santa, Merry Christmas! I want some new books. I want toy pizza too in a Santa box. I want a pink pillow and a Santa blanket to take to my school. I will leave you some doggie bones.

Love, Olivia O'Neal

Dear Santa, I love you, and you are in my heart! Can you give me a lot of toys? Can you get me Legos, dinosaurs, cars, trucks, trains? I want all of it Santa! I will leave you milk to drink and cookies to eat, and I'm going to leave you some more cookies, and more, and more. Why do you come in the thing we put fire in?

Love, Rayland Graham



Mrs. Kaitlyn Eoff Gilman City R-IV 2nd Grade

Dear Santa, How did you get your magical powers? I would like a blue bike for Christmas. I would also like a toy drone and a transformer toy. I will leave chocolate chip cookies and milk out for you.

Love, Chase Wimer



Dear Santa, How many elves do you have? I would like boot cut jeans with a matching shirt for Christmas. I would also like a slime kit and skin care stuff.I will leave cookies and milk out for you. I will leave reindeer seeds on the concrete for the reindeer.

Love, Enzlee Smith

Dear Santa, How did you make the huge village at the North Pole? I would like a Barbie set for Christmas. I also would like pink jewelry and a watch. I will leave some carrots out for the reindeer and some cookies for you.

Love, Kayla Scarborough

Dear Santa, Where are the elves from? I would like a wooden toy gun. I also would like a Retro Bowl game for the Nintendo Switch and a computer. I will leave out oreos and milk for you.

Love, Aiden Clark

Dear Santa, How do you get into our house? I would like a hot pink bike for Christmas. I also would like a gift card to Hobby Lobby and a Squishmallow set. I will leave out reindeer oats and carrots for the reindeer.

Love, Scarlet Wimer

Dear Santa, What is your favorite elf's name? Why is he your favorite? I would like skin care stuff and chapter books for Christmas. I would also like stickers and a water bottle for school. I will leave cookies and milk for you. I will also leave carrots out for your reindeer.

Love, Chloe Robertson

Dear Santa, What do you do at the North Pole? I would like remote control cars for Christmas. I would also like Nerf guns and a cell phone. I will leave out cookies and eggnog for you. I will leave carrots out for the reindeer.

Love, Gavin Mathews

Dear Santa, How do you get inside someone's house if they don't have a chimney? I would like a blue camera for Christmas. I would also like a lot of Squishmallow toys and Ugg boots. We will leave cookies and milk out for you.

Love, Kayla VanPatten

Dear Santa, Can I pet your reindeer? I would like a coffee table for Christmas. I would also like a remote control car and a Minion robot. I will leave apple pie out for

Love, JR Steinhurst

Dear Santa, How old are you? I would like socks for Christmas. I would also like Nerf guns and steel toed boots. I will leave carrots and ranch out for your reindeer.

Love, Jaxson Fehring

Dear Santa, How do Elves get to the North Pole? I would like toy dinosaurs for Christmas. I would also like a kitten stuffed animal and a transformer car with a remote control. I would like to leave milk and cookies out for you. I also would like to leave carrots out for your reindeer.

Love, Heather Marshall

Dear Santa, How do you get your reindeer? I really want a phone and I want a pair of headphones. A Hover Board would be cool too and some fishing lures. I will leave milk and cookies out for you

Love, Casen Anderson

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