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Local trash collection, recycling changes coming

BY JEFF OSBORNE
Senior Writer & Editor

Big changes are coming in garbage collection and recycling for Gatesville residents which are aimed at helping to enhance the cleanliness of the community and also improve convenience.

The Gatesville City Council approved a new contract with Waste Management which takes effect in 2023. The old way of putting out self-provided trash cans will be replaced, and the frequency of garbage collection will also change. Gatesville residents will receive one 96-gallon cart for trash and another 96-gallon cart for recycling. Trash collection

will be once per week with recycling service provided every other week. When the trash carts are delivered to homes, an information packet with details about garbage collection, recycling, and household hazardous waste collection will provide details - including the designated collection days.

“Over the past year or so, based on your guidance, I have been working with Paul Daugereau (the public sector solutions manager for Waste Management in Central Texas) on a new contract,” City Manager Bill Parry told the Council.

“Change is always hard - we’ve had an evergreen contract with Waste Management

for 36 years, but technology and reality are changing that.”

Gatesville is among the last communities served by Waste Management that are converting from the old-style garbage collection with men or women riding on the backs of trucks and picking up cans individually to an automated system in which carts are picked up mechanically.

“You have had this contract since 1986 and the contract has rolled over every four years, and we’ve had guys on the back of a truck picking up your waste,” Daugereau said. “It’s tough these days to find people who are willing to do that. Guys can get an

easier job for more money.”

Morgan’s Point Resort was the most recent community served by Waste Management to switch to the automated service, and before that, Belton, Robinson, Harker Heights and Bellmead have all made the change.

In addition to once-a-week trash collection and every other week recycling, once per month bulk collection will be offered, along with an optional household hazardous waste collection at residents’ doors.

Items such as chemicals, electronics, pesticides and herbicides, sharp items, old

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Christmas lights brighten the night



A train made of Christmas lights adds to the holiday atmosphere just off the Coryell County Courthouse Square on Leon Street in Gatesville.

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Condition of houses raises concerns

BY JEFF OSBORNE
Senior Writer & Editor

While offering his appreciation for a recent upgrade to Pidcoke Street, Gatesville resident Steve Roling told the Gatesville City Council that he is concerned about the impact of two dilapidated houses on nearby Lutterloh Street.

Roling made the comments during the visitor’s forum portion of the December meeting of the Council.

“I am thankful for you overlaying the road on Pidcoke and a couple of other nearby streets,” Roling told the Council. “The work went real smoothly, and with several houses on the street being completely renovated, it’s appreciated.”

The two houses of concern that Roling referenced are at 409 Lutterloh.

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GISD teacher honored for making strong impact

BY JEFF OSBORNE
Senior Writer & Editor

Recognition by grandparents who saw a significant positive in their grandson and credited the improvement to Gatesville Elementary School Teacher Brittany Crosby earned Crosby the Gatesville Independent School District Board of Trustees’ Staff Spotlight for December.

“Brittany has been a faithful employee to GISD for many years,” said Superintendent Barrett Pollard. “She has been a fourth-grade teacher, instructional coach and now a third-grade teacher. Not only is Brittany a highly effective teacher, but she is hard working and has a great attitude. Mrs. Crosby cares deeply for her students and wants them to be successful.”

Earlier in the fall semester, a student’s grandparents came to the GISD central office to praise Crosby for the impact she had made on



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GISD Superintendent Barrett Pollard with Brittany Crosby.

their grandson’s life.

“The grandparents described Brittany using terms

such as ‘miracle worker,’ ‘amazing,’ and ‘awesome,’ Pollard said. He added that

they showed GISD employees a picture of their grandson standing comfortably and confidently in front of the class.

“He had just read his poem in front of the other students and was beaming with pride,” Pollard said. “The grandparents described how this is a complete turnaround from their grandson’s (previous) behavior.” Pollard said they explained that Crosby “was responsible for getting their grandson out of his shell and she is the reason he loves coming to school this year. The grandparents explained that their grandson has not always wanted to come to school. They were emphatic that we honor and recognize Brittany in some small way for the great work that she is doing with the children of GISD.”

“We appreciate her efforts and the positive impact she has in students’ lives.”

GISD audit gives clean bill of financial health

BY JEFF OSBORNE
Senior Writer & Editor

The Gatesville Independent School District has received an audit from Lott, Vernon & Company of Temple that affirms that the district is in good financial standing and is complying with standard accounting principles.

The audit, which cost \$27,500 to prepare, was presented by Dane Legg, a partner with the accounting firm, at the Dec. 12 school board meeting and covers the fiscal year that ended Aug. 31, 2022.

Legg said the GISD balance sheet as of Aug. 31 shows total assets of \$17.6 million. That is down about \$2.3 million from the previous fiscal year, “and the biggest decrease is that there was no COVID receivable (from the federal government) for the fiscal year.”

While the fund balance was down about \$2.5 million from the previous budget year, that was in large part due to the district paying for capital improvements (related to school campuses) from available reserves rather than incurring additional debt to cover those expenses.

The district’s unrestricted fund balance is enough to cover about 4.5 months’ worth of operational expenses, Legg said.

The state requires a school district’s fund balance to

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Merry Christmas

Wishing you and yours peace, joy and hope this holiday.



Finding peace, joy and contentment at Christmas

I am sitting down with Lu and writing what may or may not be our last version of Jeff's Reflections and Lu's Views for 2022. It's been so long since we have written one of these, but with the holiday season upon us - Christmas in just a few days and New Year's Eve only 10 days away - it seems appropriate to stop and reflect - and offer some of Lu's views, too.

It's that wild, hectic time of year in which many of us work hard to make sure we have the perfect gifts purchased, or the perfect gathering or parties planned, or any number of other things that distract or hammer away at us until the joy of the season seems an elusive dream that we will only realize at the end - like a classic Christmas movie.

I found myself becoming frustrated on a recent evening that the selections I had to look through at a store were definitely not close to what I wanted to purchase for family members on Christmas. I remember thinking that so many of the things on display seemed like the leftovers that no one wanted - and maybe that was the case.

After all, there were reports

earlier this year that many retail chains were cutting back on their purchases of items because they were anticipating a less than stellar Christmas shopping season. I can remember in the not-too-distant past - or even back in the 1990s when I would sometimes wait until Christmas Eve to go on a last-minute shopping spree - the selection of goods and the sales seemed to be so much better.

I guess I should have gotten with the program and started ordering most of my gifts online - the week after Thanksgiving at the latest - to avoid putting myself in this situation. Old habits can die hard, but the frustration of spending time seeking and not finding can certainly give you a jumpstart in creating new habits.

After further reflection, I realized that the hectic hustle and bustle, the frantic shopping, are not really what I want to focus on this Christmas. Just being able to spend time with family and friends, to be thankful for the birth of a Savior who changed the world and offers an everlasting and priceless gift and slowing down to focus on the good things -

Jeff's Reflections & Lu's Views

By Jeff Osborne & Tallulah
Jeff Osborne is senior staff writer and editor for the Gatesville Messenger and Tallulah is his trusted border collie-Jack Russell terrier mix.



that's what I want to highlight this Christmas.

What about you, Lu?

Tallulah: I am really thankful that I don't have to worry about all the things you people worry about. I can just sit back and enjoy life as it unfolds - snacking, taking walks, growling at cats that have the audacity to saunter into my yard - those are the things that I enjoy.

I am also really looking forward to seeing our family in South Texas - people, dogs and yes, I suppose even Sassy cat. I am glad you are the one who has to worry about all that shopping, driving and the stress that goes with it.

I am also thankful that you want to focus more on the good stuff instead of letting the stress of the season get to you. You may or may not realize it, but that affects me, too. When you are happy and carefree - or as carefree as possible - I enjoy life more, too. Your mood and what you allow yourself to focus on has a big impact on me - and others, too.

Jeff: That's a great point, Tallulah. It can become so easy to be narrowly focused that you don't really see or understand the impact you are having on those that you care about - and those who care about you.

Tallulah: That's OK. It's better to realize it now than not at all. There are so many things I am looking forward to. I don't really understand all the hustle and bustle, but it seems that it has to be a part of Christmas - at least for people.

I am not looking forward to the

four-hour car rides, but I am happy when we visit our family and also once we get back home.

Jeff: Is there anything in particular you want for Christmas, Lu?

Lu: How about a box of T-bone steaks and a dinosaur sized bone to nibble on?

Jeff: Uhhh ...

Lu: I am kidding! Whatever you want to give me is always great with me. I just like spending time with you and enjoying the snacks you give me.

Jeff: You are actually one of the easier ones on my list to shop for.

Lu: Well, while you're at it you can buy something you enjoy and say that it's from me.

Jeff: Thanks, Lu, but that's silly! Just being able to spend time with you is nice. I am looking forward to a great Christmas when all the pre-holiday scrambling is finished.

Lu: Me too!

Jeff: To all our readers, Merry Christmas, and we hope that 2023 is a great year for each of you.

Lu: And don't forget to spend a little extra time with your favorite dog, cat or other pet. We enjoy Christmas togetherness, too!

Holiday Flair on the Courthouse Square



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A holiday light display on the lawn of the Coryell County Courthouse in Gatesville adds festivity to the Christmas season.

TRASH

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batteries and even old electronics will be collected. The resident wanting that service would either call Waste Management or access the website to schedule the hazardous waste collection.

"The good thing about this is that over 90% (of the hazardous materials) are recycled," Daugereau said. "That helps to keep these items from going into the landfill or ending up in a ditch somewhere."

"With curbside recycling, you'll have one of the best recycling services in the area. Belton and Robinson love it."

Although one trash cart and one recycling cart will be provided as part of the standard monthly fee, additional carts will be available for \$5 each per month.

Many of the items which would otherwise be placed in the trash, such as most cardboard, paper and plastic containers, can be placed in the recycling bin, which frees up additional space in trash cans for waste that is not recyclable.

"There's no doubt this is a big change, but it's much cleaner - rodents can't get in and deer can't knock the containers over," Daugereau said. "Going to the new service made a big change in that community, making things much cleaner and getting a lot of trash off the streets. This type of service really improves the way the community looks."

Delivery of the new carts will be

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City Manager Bill Parry

made in January, and the automated trash and recycling service is scheduled to begin Feb. 6.

"I have talked to people and recycling is not a part of their process," said Councilwoman Barbara Burrow. "Will there be a list of what can and can't be recycled?"

Daugereau said a list will be provided once the carts are delivered, and it is also imprinted on the lids of the carts themselves.

"People will learn quickly that if they put cardboard and plastics in the recycling bin, they'll free up a lot of space in the trash cart," Parry said. "Some will resist and say, 'You can't make me do it' - but as a City Council, for public health and safety you can."

City Manager Greg Casey said he has lived in other communities which had

the recycling carts, and it was a quick and easy process that quickly became routine.

"The city will be much cleaner and you'll see less trash on the street," Daugereau said. "Any major city that does their own trash collection also does this. It's the modern way to do this, it's cleaner, looks better and improves home values. It helps a lot."

City Councilman Claude Williams asked if Waste Management will accept tires.

"We don't take tires," Daugereau said. "They take up too much space in the landfill and nobody wants them."

Parry said the city may consider taking tires during a collection event once a year, but added that when people purchase new tires, they pay a fee to the business where the purchase is made that covers taking and recycling tires.

Casey asked what residents can do with their old trash cans if they do not want them.

"About three weeks into the change, people will be able to put out their old trash cans with a note asking them to be collected," Daugereau said.

Councilman John Westbrook said his 89-year-old father lives in Robinson and that he loves the automated service Waste Management provides.

"It's so much cleaner and nicer," Daugereau said. "It really does make a city better."

Parry said the city's utility yard, located near the fire station, will remain open on the second and fourth Saturday of the month to accept bulk materials.

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Records from the Coryell County Central Appraisal District show that the homes are owned by Thomas Dean Edwards, who has several other properties on the city's list of substandard properties, including 2301 Bridge St.

Rolfing said the houses on Lutterloh "are right around the corner" from Pidcoke Street and are "badly dilapidated."

He asked the city to keep those houses in mind when taking action on substandard houses.

AUDIT

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be able to cover at least two months' worth of expenses, and the district's own policy requires that at least three months of expenses be covered "so you are in compliance with both," Legg said.

Revenues for GISD are \$34.5 million, an increase of about .9% - or \$300,000. Expenses were \$35.7 million, the biggest of which - 17% were related to capital expenses.

"Overall, it is a balanced budget, but you had some

"I know the city has some 60 houses on its substandard list, but I want to put those two forward," Rolfing said.

He said at least one of those houses at 409 Lutterloh are full of rats, and that a neighbor "has spent quite a bit of money getting rid of rats at his house" because of the infestation at the dilapidated Lutterloh Street homes.

Although the Council cannot take any action related to items that are not on the official agenda, Mayor Gary Chumley thanked Rolfing for the information he provided.

"Overall it is a balanced budget, but you had some capital projects which made it negative."

Dane Legg, auditor

capital projects which made it negative," Legg said.

He credited Darrell Frazier, the district's chief financial officer, for doing excellent work on behalf of GISD.



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Holiday closings during Christmas weekend

In observance of the Christmas holiday, many local businesses and governmental offices will be observing special hours. Closings and special hours in the immediate area include:

SCHOOLS

Gatesville ISD will be closed Dec. 19 through Jan. 2, and classes will resume on Tuesday, Jan. 3.
Jonesboro ISD will be closed Dec. 20 through Jan. 3, and classes will resume on Wednesday, Jan. 4.
Oglesby ISD will be closed on Dec. 22 through Jan. 4, and classes will resume on Thursday, Jan. 5.
Evant ISD will be closed on Dec. 22 through Jan. 9, and classes will resume on Tuesday, Dec. 10.

GOVERNMENT

The City of Gatesville, Evant, and Oglesby will be closed Friday, Dec. 23 through Monday, Dec. 26.
The Coryell County Courthouse will be closed Friday, Dec. 23 through Monday, Dec. 26.
The Farm Service Agency will be open on Friday, Dec. 23, weather permitting. The agency will be closed Dec. 24, 25, and 26.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Extraco Bank will be open Friday, Dec. 23 and will be closed Saturday, Dec. 24 through Monday, Dec. 26.

Cadence Bank will be open Dec. 23 and 26. The drive thru will stay open on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, and will be closed on Sunday, Dec. 25.

Educators Credit Union will be open Friday, Dec. 23 and will be closed Dec. 24, 25, and 26.

The First National Bank of Gatesville, Evant, and Oglesby will be open on Friday, Dec. 23 and will be closed Dec. 24, 25, and 26.

POST OFFICES

All post offices will be open Dec. 23 and 24 and will close Dec. 25 and 26.

LIBRARY

The Gatesville Public Library will be closed on Friday, Dec. 23 and will remain closed through Monday, Dec. 26.

SENIOR CENTER

The Gatesville Senior Multi-Service Center will be closed Thursday, Dec. 22 and will remain closed until Monday, Dec. 26.

MUSEUM

The Coryell Museum and Historical Center will be closed on Saturday, Dec. 24 and will remain closed through Monday, Dec. 26.

NEWSPAPER

The Gatesville Messenger will be closed Monday, Dec. 26 and will open on Tuesday, Dec. 27.

FROM MY FRONT PORCH

Here a deer, there a deer, everywhere a deer — so be careful out there

SAM HOUSTON

Sam Houston is a newspaper publisher, an actor, author, playwright, performer and entertainment producer/promoter.

In the past couple of weeks, there was a window of time where five people I know had the misfortune of having their vehicle collide with a deer. It must have been the very peak of the “rut” to make so many animals be on the move in one short period of time. Fortunately, no person was injured, but the damage to the vehicles was significant.

I was lucky. I had taken our new Managing Editor Claudia Rivas on a trip to Lipan to see a basketball game. I wanted her to experience her first look at the community and to see the skill and power of the Lipan basketball teams.

We rode to Lipan, took a seat in the gym, and Claudia proceeded to take some photos to be used in the sports section of the newspaper, while I watched Lipan maul yet another opponent. By the time we had reached the halfway mark of the game, it was clear the contest would be a runaway victory for Lipan, so we decided to head home. When we got in the car, I mentioned to Claudia I was going to drive a little slower because it was the time of night when deer travel, and I explained to her the number of friends who had recently had a “deer event.”

We drove the turns and

curves of the rural highway, and no more than five minutes passed when a doe came into my sightline, bounding from the right. Fortunately for us, it stopped at the roadside and turned back into the pasture from which it came. We were not close to having an accident, but the event made me glad I had been on my guard.

My friend Tammy Dooley has not been so lucky. Recently a huge buck jumped in front of her vehicle as she was heading home. Fortunately, Tammy was not hurt but the damage to her beloved BMW was more than significant. The entire front was crushed, and the repair bill shall be significant.

When Tammy’s car was taken into the shop, her insurance company was obligated to provide her with a rental car to use for the two weeks or more her car would be in for repairs. The

rental was an SUV, and in the ensuing days, Tammy drove the vehicle in the normal course of her business. A few nights after taking possession of the rental, on the way home from work, a deer ran into the side of the car! Yes, a deer ran into the back panel of the car, causing significant damage to the deer and to the rear quarter panel of the SUV. Poor Tammy had to call the insurance company and explain she was somehow a “deer magnet” and now needed an additional rental car. What are the odds of that happening? Who has two deer “incidents” in two weeks?

I do not know how many of you readers are deer hunters, nor do I know how many filled your tag this year, but I am beginning to think the deer are in control of the roadways instead of us humans! You hunters should be having a field day,



Houston

especially if you hunt near a roadway.

Be careful out there when you are on the road. The rut has most likely passed, but I am beginning to think there may be a group of deer who are part of a cult or extreme political group that advocate suicide by car.

Tammy, you are my sweet friend, but if you ask to borrow my car, I may have to turn you down. Bad luck seems to run in threes.

Thought for the day: You never know what “worse” luck your “bad” luck has saved you from.

Until next time.

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DISPATCH

The following is a breakdown of activity reported through dispatchers during the period of December 15 - 16. While there were many calls to the dispatcher, this is a partial list of more significant activity. Persons are reminded that only emergency calls should be made to 9-1-1, while all other calls to the police department should be made to 865-2226 or to the Sheriff’s office at 865-7201.

City of Gatesville Police Department Dec. 15

12:29 p.m., an accident was reported in the 1400 block of State School Road.
1:58 p.m., a burglary was reported in the 3300 block of E. Main Street.
2:26 p.m., a welfare concern was reported in the 4500 block of S. State Hwy. 36.
4:03 p.m., an accident was reported in the 100 block of N. State Hwy. 36 Bypass.
6:17 p.m., a theft was reported in the 300 block of E. Leon Street.
9:42 p.m., suspicious activity was reported in the 100 block of Mulberry Avenue.
Dec. 16
5:52 a.m., a vehicle fire was reported in the 1200 block of E. Leon Street.
2:49 p.m., an accident was reported in the 1300 block of CR 338.
4:35 p.m., criminal trespass was reported in the 300 block of S. 34th Street.
6:00 p.m., criminal mischief was reported in the 1800 block of E. Leon Street.
11:15 p.m., a burglary was

reported in the 500 block of Stoneridge.
11:39 p.m., a disturbance was reported in the 3100 block of S. State Hwy. 36.

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Coryell County Sheriff’s Office Dec. 15

9:28 a.m., an animal complaint was reported in the 100 block of Camino Del Rio.
1:52 p.m., a livestock complaint was reported on CR 100.
2:15 p.m., deadly conduct was reported in the 400 block of Nathan Lane.
4:33 p.m., mailbox damage was reported in the 700

block of Cactus Lane.
11:23 p.m., a reckless driver was reported on N. Hwy. 36 at Moccasin Bend Road.
11:27 p.m., a welfare concern was reported in the 1100 block of Cedar Mountain Road.
Dec. 16
8:31 a.m., a livestock complaint was reported on Warren Road.
10:58 a.m., a major ac-

cident was reported on W. Hwy. 84 and FM 2412.
2:38 p.m., a scam was reported in the 400 block of Rocky Road.
2:50 p.m., a minor accident was reported on CR 338.
4:17 p.m., stalking was reported on Coryell Memorial Drive.
5:30 p.m., a suspicious person was reported on CR 341.

Cover2cover ministries to host Christmas meal

Cover2cover ministries held a Thanksgiving meal last month, and since it was a success, the church decided to provide a Christmas meal as well.

A traditional Christmas meal will be held on Thursday, Dec. 22 at 5:30 p.m. and will be served with all the fixings.

Cover2cover ministries will provide dine-in, pickup, and delivery in Gatesville.

Santa will be in attendance, so guests are reminded to bring a camera/phone to take photos. Hot chocolate and cookies will be served as well.

For more information, or if anyone is interested in receiving a Christmas meal by delivery, contact 254-392-9472 by phone or text message.

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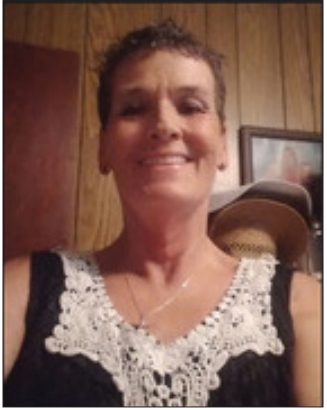
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OBITUARIES

MARY ELLA DANIELS

Aug. 14, 1961 - Dec. 11, 2022



Mary Ella Daniels, age 61, of Palestine, formerly of Purmela, passed away December 10, 2022, peacefully at her home. Funeral services will be held January 7, 2023, at

Pearl Country Church near Gatesville with Rev. David Booth officiating. Arrangements have been entrusted to Bailey & Foster Funeral Home.

Mary was born on August 14, 1961, to Alfred Wayne and Daisy Mae (Jones) Hamilton. She grew up and went to school in Oglesby. She graduated from high school in 1979. She went on to get a Bachelor of Science in business administration from Kaplan University at the age of 57 and was very proud of this accomplishment. She married Roy (Red) Cleveland Daniels II on January 13, 1997. She loved her children and grandchildren very much and considered her mom her best friend. She loved gardening, fishing, and canning.

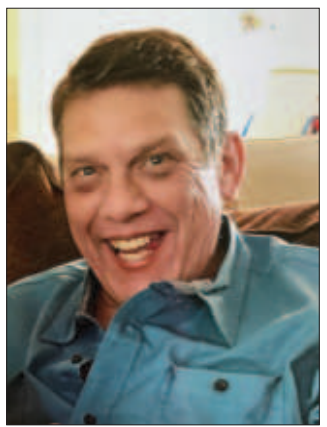
She was preceded in death

by her parents, grandparents, Louis Hamilton and Emma Harvel and Odel and Violet Jones, and a brother Michael Clarke.

She is survived by her husband of 25 years, Red Daniels; daughters, Susan Blaser, Kristy Stockman and Alison Bryant; sons, Justin Estredge and wife, Stephanie, and Eric Klecka and wife, Barbie; grandchildren, Austin, Aryannah, Isabelle, Alex, Gracie, Jacob, Aaron, Travis, Zachary, Ethan, Nathan, Hank, Gavin and Gracie; sisters, Deborah Hamilton and spouse, Larry Locke, Brenda Watson and husband, Joe, Kimberly West and husband, Curtis; brothers, David Hamilton and wife, Karen, Jimmy Hamilton and wife, Liz; and many nieces and nephews.

MICHAEL GEORGE NORMAN STEVENS

May 14, 1959 - Dec. 9, 2022



Michael George Norman Stevens passed away, De-

ember 9, 2022, in Gatesville. He was born in Killeen on May 14, 1959, to the late Ronald and Anita Stevens. He grew up in Gatesville and graduated from Gatesville High School.

Mike was preceded in death by his parents, Ronald and Anita Stevens, and brothers, Ronald and Richard Stevens. He leaves behind his brother Steven Stevens; three daughters, Mallory Chelette-Stevens, Ashleigh Stevens, Johnna Najera and husband, Daniel Najera; as well as his grandchildren, Elleigh and Elijah Chelette, Olivia Stevens, Luca, Noah, and Remington Najera.

Mike was a man of all trades in multiple areas ranging from the oil fields in Odessa to residing in Marble Falls for a short time. He

finished his career at Baylor Scott and White in Temple. Mike loved all things hunting, fishing, and spending time with his family. He had an infectious laugh and always found a way to crack a joke. He will be missed dearly by his children, grandchildren, brother, and friends.

A celebration of life will be held on Wednesday, December 28th from 2 - 3 p.m. at Faunt Le Roy Park - 609 S. 7th St., in Gatesville. In lieu of flowers, we ask that you donate to the American Heart Association in memory of Michael Stevens.



COURTESY PHOTO

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH: Students selected for November and December include, from left, Thiele Alvarado, Lucas Garcia, Helen Munday (Exchange Club member), Kallyn Moreland and Ty Warren.

Exchange Club of Gatesville names students of the month

The Exchange Club of Gatesville recently named their students of the month chosen for November and December 2022.

Students of the month are seniors and are nominated by a teacher for their outstanding qualities as young people. This recognition is not based solely on academics, but also on character, school and community involvement and leadership abilities that make a well-rounded individual. Exchange Club members receive the nominations and score each one on merit.

Two students are selected each month from September to February. The 12 students that are selected during the year will be recognized again at the Golden Deeds banquet in April. After another round of scoring by club members, the two students with the highest scores will receive \$1,000 scholarships from the Exchange Club.

The students of the month chosen for November and December are Ty Warren, Lucas Garcia, Thiele Alvarado and Kallyn Moreland.

Ty Warren was nominated by teacher Lisa Truss who described him as being "one of the top students in his class." Truss said that Warren likes to take classes that challenge him to be the best that he can be academically. She also said that he is very respectful to teachers, coaches, administrators and his peers. He was also nominated by teacher Bonnie Latham, who described him as a very extraordinary young man who has a "calm and steady demeanor who can create a sense of refuge for students who struggle, and he can be a beacon of hope and consistency for them."

Warren has been involved

in Varsity Tennis where he has reached 4A Academic All District, 2019-2022 4A singles and doubles, and 1st team All District in 2020 and 2021.

He has also received several academic awards and has been involved in the National Honor Society and the PALS program at Gatesville High School.

Warren's GPA is 4.43 and his class rank is 2 out of 195.

Lucas Garcia was nominated by teacher Michele Fast. She described him as being smart, involved and doing good by everyone. "He forces me to look at how I treat others and re-evaluate how I am acting," Fast said. "I have been blessed by this young man and his family in more ways than I can explain."

Garcia has been honored in the UIL sweepstakes in varsity for two years, as well as being Varsity Captain. He also participated in track during his senior year and is a member of the Junior Varsity Tennis team.

Additional school related activities include him being recognized in UIL current events and spelling. He has served football varsity captain since the ninth grade. Garcia was also involved in Debate at Gatesville High School during ninth grade.

Garcia has been working throughout the summer and during the school term at Walmart.

Thiele Alvarado was nominated by teacher Morgan Smart. She described him as being the "most charismatic individual you will ever meet; he is passionate, kind, friendly, and understanding." Smart also commented that "he has been chosen time and time again to serve as a leader, not just in athletics, but also in 4-H." Smart continued by saying that

"His ability to balance the demands of school, family, athletics, 4-H, and FFA is outstanding."

In addition to his academic qualities, Alvarado has been a football Unity Council member in the 10th and 11th grades and a Varsity Captain in the 12th grade.

During his participation with FFA, he was a finalist at the State FFA talent competition. Additional school related activities include being voted "class favorite" in the 9th through the 11th grades.

His volunteer activities have included being the Council Vice Chair for 4-H as well as being a 4-H Ambassador and club president.

Kallyn Moreland was nominated by teacher Bonnie Latham. She described Moreland as having a strong work ethic and a sense of responsibility. "Kallyn loves to help others and truly has a servant's heart," Latham said. "She has received multiple accolades showcasing her ability to balance academic and extracurricular demands."

During her junior year, Moreland served as secretary of the GHS Student Council and, during her senior year, as vice-president. Moreland has also served as the captain of the cheer-leading squad.

Her academic awards include being Academic All District for four years in addition to being on the "A" Honor Roll.

Moreland's volunteer activities have included being a Gatesville Junior Ambassador, Cattle Drive 4-H, and a member of the Texas Junior Brahman Association. She has also served on the career development team in veterinary science and was awarded the 2019 Miss Shivaree Princess.



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RehabLiving to host Cowboy Christmas party Dec. 21

The RehabLiving at the Meadows will have their annual Christmas party on Wednesday, Dec. 21.

This year's theme is Cowboy Christmas. Residents' families will need to bring two presents for their loved one. One gift will be for the Cowboy Christmas party, and the other will be

for Christmas day. RehabLiving asks that all presents are delivered to the business office.

The Memory Care Christmas party will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 21 at 10 a.m., and the RehabLiving's Christmas party will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 21, beginning at 2 p.m. All

Christmas gifts donations are welcomed and appreciated.

The RehabLiving at the Meadows is located at 110 Chicktown Road in Gatesville. For any further information contact Kami Williams at 254-404-2500, extension number 2352.

Clerk office hours changing

The Coryell County Clerk's and District Clerk's offices will change their hours of operation beginning Tuesday, Jan. 3.

The County Clerk's of-

fice, normally closed for lunch 12-1 p.m., will now remain open. The office will close at 4:30 p.m. each weekday. After-hours appointments can be made

for those needing to come in between 4:30 and 5 p.m. The District Clerk's Office will remain open during their lunch hour and will close daily at 4 p.m.

DYERS TO CELEBRATE 60TH ANNIVERSARY



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Eugene and Janis Dyer of Gatesville will soon celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary. Eugene Dyer and the former Janis Hollingsworth were married on December 26, 1962. Both are retired. They are the parents of two sons, Keith Dyer of Round Rock and Curtis Dyer of Gatesville. They have three grandchildren.

RECIPE

This recipe appeared in the "Methodist Best" cookbook in 2008. The Gatesville Messenger plans to run a series of recipes from that cookbook. If your church has a cookbook or if you would like to submit your own recipe of a favorite dish for possible publication, please email it to editor@gatesvill messenger.com.

PEPPERMINT HOT CHOCOLATE




Briana Martin

- 1 1/2 c. heavy cream
- 3 drops of peppermint oil
- 1 1/2 c. milk
- sweetened whipped cream for garnish
- 1/4 c. sugar
- chocolate shavings for garnish
- 1/8 tsp. salt
- 6 oz. bittersweet chocolate, chopped

In a saucepan, combine the cream, milk, sugar and salt and heat over medium-low heat. When the cream mixture just begins to steam, add the chopped chocolate and stir until melted. Stir in the peppermint oil. Divide the hot chocolate among mugs and top with whipped cream and chocolate shavings.



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SYMBOL OF FREEDOM: Bald Eagles were recently spotted in Coryell County near Purmela.

Bald Eagles sited in Coryell County

A Gatesville Messenger subscriber recently stopped by the office to share some photos of a bald eagle that was spotted near Purmela. The winged symbol of our country soared along the countryside around Purmela and eventually landed on a fence.

Generally, bald eagles are spotted in Central Texas from October through April. According to Texas Parks & Wildlife, the bird was placed on the endangered list in 1967 and eventually down-listed to threatened in 1995.

According to Texas Parks and Wildlife, "The bald eagles are one of nature's most impressive birds of prey. Males generally measure 3 feet from head to tail, weigh 7 to 10 pounds, and have a wingspan of 6 to 7 feet. Females are larger, some reaching 14 pounds with a wingspan of up to 8 feet. Adults have a white head, neck, and tail and a large yellow bill."

In Texas, bald eagles nest from October to July each year. Nests are constructed by the female bird with the

male assisting. A typical nest would be constructed of large sticks combined with softer materials such as leaves, grass and Spanish moss, which would be used for the nest lining.

Texas Parks and Wildlife reports that the greatest challenge for the bald eagles in the future will be to prevent further destruction of habitat and the retention of sufficient creek and river flows to support a food base for the breeding and wintering eagles.

PEARL NEWS

Linda Ray paid tribute to the ladies of the Pleasure and Profit Club in book form

BETSY CLARK

Pearl News Correspondent

Reminder: The Pearl Baptist Church will be hosting a Candlelight Service at 6 p.m. on Christmas Eve. Everyone is invited to attend. Be sure and see the manger scene in front of the Pearl Church of Christ tabernacle while you're there!



Clark

The Pearl Cottage Bookstore has reported that there are several items still for sale from the Self estate, which benefit the Scholarship Fund. There are two sewing machines, a dining room table and eight chairs, a China cabinet, a cedar chest, several miscellaneous curio tables, miscellaneous chairs, old farm equipment, a garage full of tools and two tubs of double-knit quilt tops. There are also two refrigerators that can be taken as is for free. Call Linda Ray at 254-865-9282 or 254-206-1999 for more information.

I was recently perusing my copy of the Pleasure and Profit Club, which is a compilation of the minutes of this organization from 1931 until 2005. Linda Ray found the original minutes several years ago and painstakingly copied every entry. She published copies of the notes in book form as a tribute to the wonderful ladies who formed this club to quilt together and raise money for the benefit of the Pearl School, community interests and the Pearl Cemetery. Linda wanted to especially pay tribute to her mother Faye Gartman, who had served as president and vice president many times through the years, knowing that the Pleasure and Profit Club was a meaningful part

of Faye's life. The club had actually met for the first time in 1917, but minutes were not kept until years later. I was looking for a Christmas entry when I found one for Dec. 17, 1952. The ladies enjoyed a turkey and dressing feast complete with all the traditional trimmings. Listed was the cost of the turkey, \$7.70, and \$1.27 for bread and coffee. (The ladies of the club brought the side dishes and desserts from home. I can only imagine how wonderful these homemade treats tasted!) The entry denoted these amounts paid from the treasury, which contained \$47.48 to date. Don't you know that the highlight of the week for these hardworking, dedicated ladies was the Pleasure and Profit Club meeting! However, the ladies did not meet just to gab; oh no, they accomplished difficult sewing tasks and made sure their time was useful to benefit the community. The pleasure of getting together, leaving their difficult work at home for a few hours, was just a beautiful side effect of the purpose of this sweet club. Funny, I miss those days, even though I was born a bit too late to have been a part of this precious group known as the Pleasure and Profit Club. However, you can read all

about it if you purchase the book from the Pearl Cottage Bookstore. Contact Linda Ray for more information at 254-865-9282. By the way, there are other equally interesting books about Pearl at the book cottage! Go by and check them out in person the next time they're open: Saturday, Jan. 7, 2023, from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. It's the friendliest place in the county!

This week's Bible verse: "(Luke 2:10, 11) "Then the angels said to them, 'Do not be afraid, for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy which will be to all people. For there is born to you this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. (Luke 2:14) Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, goodwill toward men.'" Merry Christmas and blessed New Year to all from Pearl (and the Piney Woods)!

Be sure and like the Pearl Community Center, Texas, Facebook page and the Pearl Cottage Bookstore and Resale Shop Facebook page. Please send any Pearl news to betsyclarck47@yahoo.com.

How to make Christmas Eve special for kids

Christmas Eve is viewed differently by different people, even those who live under the same Santa-ready roof. Adults may see Christmas Eve as crunch time when they must prepare food for the next day or set up presents for their children to open in the morning. Children, on the other hand, are focused on Santa's visit and little else.

Parents naturally want to make Christmastime as special as possible for their children, and that may involve ensuring that Christmas Eve is just as memorable as Christmas Day. The following are some ways to impart more magic into Christmas Eve celebrations.

ATTEND MASS AT MIDNIGHT

Practicing Christians celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ on Christmas. On Christmas Eve, churches often hold celebrations that



COURTESY PHOTO

Baking cookies on Christmas Eve.

may include late-evening or midnight masses that celebrate the birth of Christ when the calendar switches over to December 25. While it does make for a late night, it can be thought-provoking for kids and a unique experience unlike any other.

BAKE FRESH COOKIES

Children like to leave out

a plate of cookies and a glass of milk for Santa. That makes Christmas Eve a perfect time to whip up a fresh batch of cookies. Explore different recipes to come up with a unique offering each year.

READ A CHRISTMAS STORY

Watching television or looking at a tablet or mobile phone before bed can be too stimulating when it's time for children to wind down for bed. Choose a holiday tale or tales that can be read as a Christmas Eve bedtime story. Reciting the poem "A Visit from St. Nicholas ("Twas the Night Before Christmas)" is a great way to set the Christmas Eve mood.

MAKE A BATCH OF 'REINDEER DUST'

Why should Santa's reindeer be left out when it comes to receiving treats? Reindeer dust, made from a combination of oatmeal, rice cereal, dried fruits, and glitter (if desired), is purported to attract Santa's reindeer and provide them a nibble at the same time. Plus, it's generally safe for other animals in the yard to eat.

GO CAROLING

Caroling may not be the norm, but some families may want to revive it. Close-knit communities can organize family-centric caroling opportunities and roam the cul-de-sacs and other pedestrian-friendly areas singing popular songs.

Christmas Eve is a great time to embrace various traditions that help to make the season even more special.

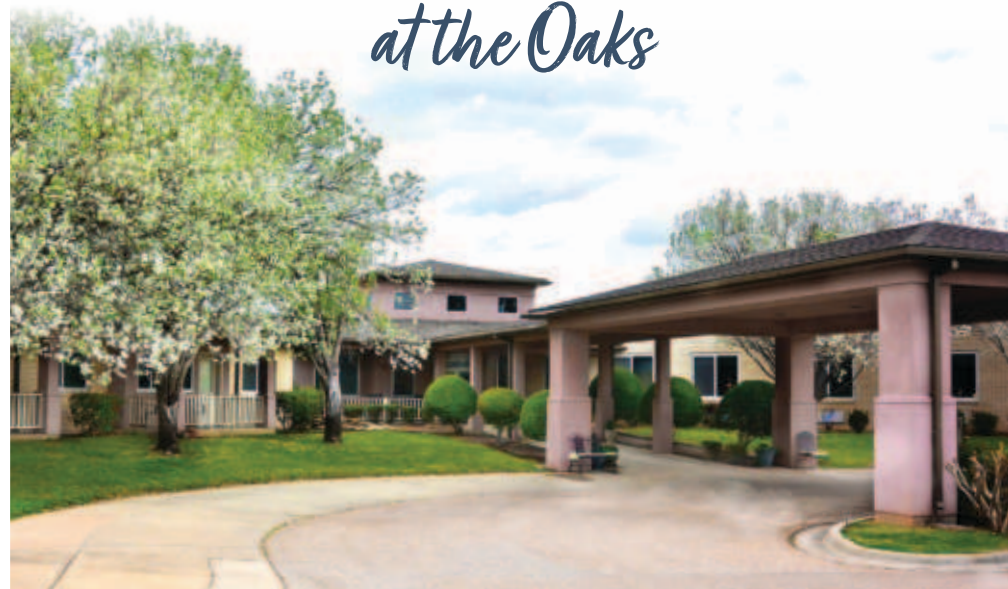


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A WINTER WONDERLAND

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A Winter Wonderland recently attracted children of all ages to visit with Santa Claus, Mrs. Claus and even the Grinch. The walkthrough was decorated with hundreds of Christmas lights, trees, inflatables and many Christmas and holiday decorations. To most, the highlight of the evening was the chance to sit down and have a visit with Santa.



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Tarleton improved to 5-0 at home with a 67-46 triumph over Northwestern State University.

Defense leads way in 21-point home win over Northwestern State

Tarleton Sports Information

STEPHENVILLE — There was a long stretch Tarleton's opponent couldn't buy a bucket, and the Texans turned a close game into a comfortable win to remain perfect at Wisdom Gym.

The Texans (6-3, 0-0 WAC) are 5-0 at home to start the season for the first time since 2013-14 after beating Northwestern State on Dec. 14 in Stephenville 67-46. The Lady Demons (4-5, 0-0 SLC) had their two-game winning stretch snapped, falling to 0-4 on the road.

Although Northwestern State entered the game with one of the lower shooting percentages in the country,

Tarleton still limited them to one of their worst shooting nights of the year. The Lady Demons made just 16-of-58 (.276) from the field, including 5-of-22 (.227) from distance, scoring no more than 12 points in any quarter. That included a 6:36 stretch of not scoring a single point, turning a 25-23 Tarleton lead at the 5:28 mark in the second quarter to a 37-23 Texan lead over a minute into the

third quarter.

Tarleton's big push grew to a 31-7 run that ended near the end of the third quarter, building their lead to 26 that eventually became 27 in the fourth.

Teresa Da Silva had a game-high 17 points (3-8 3PT), adding four assists, two rebounds and five steals in 35 minutes. Elise Turrubiates powered Tarleton's big bench advantage (23-6) with 13 points on 5-of-8 shooting, to go with five rebounds in 21 minutes. Tyler Jackson finished with 11 points, three rebounds and two assists, while Mayra Caicedo and Nyajah Mitchels each pitched in eight points. Caicedo added

eight rebounds and two assists, with Mitchels adding five rebounds.

Tarleton made 23-of-57 (.404) on the night with an 8-of-12 (.667) clip in the third quarter, a frame they won 22-11. The Texans forced 21 turnovers to their forced low shooting percentage, and over their two games against Northwestern State over the past two seasons, they've allowed just five total three-point makes.

The Texans are 2-0 in the all-time series and are 14-6 (.700) in non-conference play overall since last season.

Tarleton started Wednesday with the first four points, followed by a Lady Demons' five-point

push to take their first and only lead. On the benefit of an 8-0 run, Tarleton eventually grew their first quarter lead to 17-9 before finishing the first frame up 17-12.

The second quarter was neck-and-neck until Tarleton simply stopped Northwestern State from scoring anything. At 25-23 with 5:28 left, the Texans scored the quarter's last 10 points to lead 35-23 at halftime.

In the third quarter, Tarleton essentially put the game out of reach by forcing a 3-of-13 (.231) clip from the field, ending the frame up 57-34.

The Texans struggled offensively in the fourth quar-

ter, shooting 4-of-16 (.250), but they still barely lost the quarter (12-10) and cruised to the 21-point victory.

Northwestern State was paced by Candice Parramore's 15 points (4-16 FG, 0-6 3PT, 7-8 FT). Sharna Ayres also scored in double figures with 12 points, six rebounds and three steals.

The Texans are off to Puerto Rico next for the Puerto Rico Clasico in San Juan. Tarleton will play their last two non-conference games against Ball State on Monday at 1 p.m. CT, followed by a meeting with Richmond on Wednesday, Dec. 21, at 1 p.m. CT.

TSU women's shooting goes cold in road loss at Eastern Washington

Tarleton Sports Information

CHENEY, Wash. — The Texans went into their Dec. 10 game on a record pace shooting the ball, but they couldn't find that same rhythm in Cheney, Washington, in their 65-45 loss at Eastern Washington.

The Texans (5-3, 0-0 WAC)

shot just 25.5 percent from the field (13-of-51) and 17.6 percent from distance (3-of-17) at Reese Court, a far drop from their 26 made three-pointers on 45.6 percent shooting over the previous two games.

The Eagles improved to 5-2 overall and 4-1 at home this season with the win.

Despite the shooting woes for Tarleton, the Texans remained competitive, with the boost coming in the third quarter. After falling behind by 18 in the frame, Tarleton went on a 13-1 run to get within six at the 3:06 mark. That was the closest they'd get, however, plagued by a seven-point fourth quarter

to make the score appear more lopsided than it was.

EWU didn't shoot it much better than Tarleton, going 23-of-54 (.426) from the field and 5-of-20 (.250) from downtown, but they out-rebounded the Texans 42-30 and outscored them in the paint 34-18.

Tarleton didn't have a dou-

ble-digit scorer on Saturday, with two nine-point outings by Tyler Jackson and Nyajah Mitchels. Elise Turrubiates led the bench with seven points on 3-of-5 shooting and five rebounds in 19 minutes.

Eastern Washington's Jaleesa Lawrence had the game's lone double-double

off the bench with 10 points and 10 rebounds. Aaliyah Alexander had a game-high 14 points, adding five rebounds and two steals, while Jamie Loera finished with 13 points, eight rebounds, three assists and five steals.

Tarleton Texans men's team falls to 12th-ranked Baylor Bears, 80-57

Tarleton Sports Information

WACO — Tarleton fought until the final buzzer on Dec. 6, but ultimately fell short to 12th-ranked Baylor, 80-57, at the Ferrell Center.

In a game that had nine different lead changes, the Texans couldn't maintain the lead they needed to secure the win. Shakur Daniel energized the team early, picking up a steal that led to the first basket of the game. Daniel played in all 40 minutes of the game and led the team in points (13), rebounds (8), assists (3) and steals (3). Tiger Booker also helped keep the Texans' tempo high with 11 points, two assists and two steals.

In the first half, the Texans battled back and forth with the Bears leading to nine lead changes. From the huge fastbreak dunk by Javontae

Hopkins to the six straight points from KiAndre Gaddy with under two minutes left in the half, the Texans looked as though they might take the Bears down to the wire. Tarleton began the second half down by nine points and quickly reduced the Baylor lead down to three after just three and a half minutes thanks to scoring efforts from Daniel and Hopkins. It was the closest Tarleton would get to tying the game from that point on.

Baylor spent the next 13 minutes building multiple scoring runs, ultimately outscoring Tarleton 14-31 in that timespan. Despite valiant efforts from Tiger Booker, who finished with 11 points and two assists and steals, and Lue Williams (five points, three rebounds), the Texans found themselves in too great a deficit

to recover. An injury to the hand of Freddy Hicks in the first half cut his playing time short and finishing with six points and two rebounds.

Hopkins finished with seven points, three rebounds and two high-flying blocks. Gaddy scored eight and grabbed three boards. Tarleton forwards Rod Brown and Garry Clark picked up four and three points respectively. Brown also contributed two steals to the Texan stat line.

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Tarleton traveled to Waco Dec. 6 to take on 12th-ranked Baylor, but fell short by an 80-57 count at the Ferrell Center.





The origin of Blue Bell Homemade Vanilla

TUMBLEWEED SMITH

Tumbleweed Smith is a newspaper columnist and producer of The Sound of Texas radio series.



Smith

It's the happiest food in the world," says Howard Kruse, former President and CEO of Blue Bell Creameries in Brenham, "because when you're eating ice cream, you're feeling good."

He developed the home-made vanilla flavor of Blue Bell Ice Cream. He determined the recipe, the process and everything involved in creating it.

"It was developed in 1969. We wanted a product that had the taste of vanilla ice cream that you made in your back yard or on your back porch. We wanted the taste of what people considered homemade ice cream. So, we went to work on that.

"It was different from the normal commercial vanilla ice cream, and we were concerned because we didn't really know how the customer would accept it. We were hesitant to go forward with it too quick. We had our in-house taste teams and that type of thing.

"We decided what we would do was order the minimum number of cartons that we could order from the carton manufacturer. That was 5,000 half-gallon cartons. So, we took a thousand of those and put them out in the marketplace and people liked it. So, we decided to make another thousand.

Well, it went on up and we used all 5,000 cartons. Everybody liked it. That was enough of a taste test to say it's a go."

"We ordered another 5,000. The next order was 10,000. Then it was 25,000. Then it was truckloads then trailer loads of cartons as the product grew. It was well received and became the number one vanilla brand of ice cream in America. If you can imagine. From a little creamery in Brenham, Texas. It has just been a sensational success in the ice cream industry."

Howard retired at age 74 after working at Blue Bell 50 years.

"My entire work experience was with Blue Bell. I started there as a child making ice cream sandwiches, fudge bars and popsicles at 10 cents an hour. I, my brother, and another boy worked 6 days a week, 8 hours a day. That's \$4.80 a week. My dad was manager and wanted his sons to develop a work ethic, learn how to relate to people and realize the value of an earned dollar. We just

worked in the summers when ice cream demand was highest. Winter was for school.

"My dad was one of seven children, the only one to go to college. He was born in 1895 here in Washington County and graduated from Southwest Texas Normal School at San Marcos (today Southwest Texas State). He taught for a year, then went to World War I. He came back home in 1919 and was asked to be the manager of Blue Bell. The creamery started in 1907 and had never turned a profit until my dad got there. He wanted it to be in the black and didn't cash his paychecks (\$60 a month) for 6 months or it would have been in the red. It was the Brenham Creamery then. Dad changed the name to Blue Bell in 1930 because most ice cream companies were named for a flower. The bluebell was a common flower on the Washington County farm where he grew up."

Gatesville Adaptive Sports to offer soccer league

Gatesville Adaptive Sports recently announced that registration for their Adaptive Soccer League is now available online starting Monday, Dec. 5.

Gatesville Adaptive Sports is an organization

which helps children and adults with special needs ages 5 to 22.

The soccer league will begin in February and will be free of charge. To sign up for the soccer league, visit

http://www.teamsideline.com/sites/GatesvilleTx/current-programs. Volunteers are always needed and can register on the same site as well.

For more information, call the Gatesville Fitness Center at 254-865-4012.

Today is deadline for Dec. 28 issue of The Messenger

The Gatesville Messenger would like to remind readers that news and advertising deadlines will change for some upcoming issues.

Deadline for the Wednesday, Dec. 28 paper will be Wednesday, Dec. 21 at 10

a.m. The Gatesville Messenger office will be closed Monday, Dec. 26.

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Habari Gani?

Do you know what that means? **Habari Gani** is how you say **What's the News?** in Swahili. One day you may hear this holiday message as often as you hear Merry Christmas, Happy Hanukkah, or Happy New Year. **Habari Gani?** is the ritual greeting of Kwanzaa.

A Seven Day Celebration

This year, millions of people are expected to celebrate Kwanzaa, a non-religious event honoring African-American culture and community. The holiday is celebrated for seven days, starting on December 26 and ending on January 1.

The holiday was created in 1966 by Maulana Ron Karenga, an African-American scholar. Karenga created this special holiday to honor African-American heritage in a celebration of family and community.

The word **Kwanzaa** means **first fruits** in Swahili, an East African language.

Symbols of Kwanzaa

Christmas symbols are the wreath, tree, holly, and more. Hanukkah symbols include the menorah, latkes and gelt. Follow each of the seven mazes below to find the meaning of the seven Kwanzaa symbols.

- MISHUMAA**: The seven candles
- KINARA**: The candleholder represents the stalk of corn from which the family grows
- MKEKA**: An ear of corn for each child represents the child's potential
- VIBUNZI**: A straw placemat
- MAZAO**: The cup of unity
- KIKOMBE CHA UMOJA**: Modest gifts to encourage creativity
- ZAWADI**: A variety of fruits represent the harvest

Karamu

On the last day of Kwanzaa, friends and relatives gather for a feast. People come to honor ancestors, review the past year and make plans for the new year. There is lots of good food, dancing and music.

How many differences can you find between these two pictures?

Standards Link: Social Studies: Compare the beliefs, customs, ceremonies, traditions, and social practices of varied cultures.

Kwanzaa Scavenger Hunt

Look through the newspaper for pictures, articles or phrases that show the seven principles of Kwanzaa.

Standards Link: Language Arts/Research: Use the newspaper to locate information.

Kid Scoop Puzzler

Each night of Kwanzaa, a candle is lit in the kinara. There are seven candles, one for each night. The candles are called the **mishumaa**. It is said that the kinara holds the light of tomorrow.

Do the math. Color each candle that equals 14 **red**. Color each candle that equals 15 **black**, and each candle that equals 16 **green**.

Black is for Africa, the continent African-Americans came from. **Red** is for blood, not shed in vain. **Green** is for hope and knowledge.

Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Follow simple written directions.

Double Double Word Search

Find the words in the puzzle. How many of them can you find on this page?

KWANZAA	SWAHILI	AFRICAN	AMERICAN	CULTURE	CANDLE	KINARA	ZAWADI	IMANI	DANCING	HABARI	UJIMAA	GANI	MKEKA																																																																											
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Standards Link: Letter sequencing. Recognize identical words. Skim and scan reading. Recall spelling patterns.

FROM THE Kid Scoop LESSON LIBRARY

Give the World a Gift

If you could give one gift to the world, what would it be? Write a letter to the editor telling about the gift you would give.

Standards Link: Language Arts/Writing Applications: Write formal letters.

Write On!

Holidays at Your House

Which holidays do you celebrate during December? How do you and your family celebrate?

GET THE SCOOP

Read today's *Kid Scoop* page and see if you can find the answer to each of these questions.

- What does Habari Gani mean?
- How many symbols are there for Kwanzaa?
- When was Kwanzaa created?
- The Kwanzaa candleholder is called a _____.
- The tradition in Kwanzaa is to give gifts that encourage what?
- What does the word Kwanzaa mean?

Kid Scoop-doku™

Complete the grid by using all the letters in the word **CARING** in each vertical and horizontal row. Each letter should only be used once in each row. Some spaces have been filled in for you.

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Hornets upend Mineral Wells



Taylor Coward, shown here in action earlier this season, scored late free throws against Mineral Wells in action Dec. 16 that led the Hornets to a come-from-behind victory. GHS won 36-32. **SE'VETTE EARLY | THE GATESVILLE MESSENGER**



Laura Trejo and Taylor Sanderson team up to keep the ball away from an opposing defender. **SE'VETTE EARLY | THE GATESVILLE MESSENGER**

Area Fishing Report

BELTON

GOOD. Water lightly stained; 60 degrees; 13.08 feet below pool. The water temperature has been stable over the last week, and the fishing has risen and fallen with the cycle of cold fronts and warming trends. As the fronts come in, the fishing spikes until winds reach peak velocity, then the fishing plateaus as the winds do likewise. The fishing then drops off as the wind speed declines off. Fishing is very tough under the clear, calm, cold, post-frontal conditions, then returns to average with returning south winds and the resulting warm up until the next front moves in and the cycle repeats itself. Fishing under birds is productive, but the birds have mainly been focused on highly active, highly mobile fish. Finding large concentrations of bottom-oriented white bass and hybrid bass will likely produce more fish, more consistently. Go-to bait now is the Bladed Hazy Eye Slab in white color and either 5/8 or 3/4 ounce.

WACO

FAIR. Water stained; 64 degrees; 11.24 feet below pool. Crappie are good in 20-25 feet of water on minnows. Report by Zach Minnix, JigNjerk Guide Service. Crappie are very good with the fish feeding up and aggressive. This week the water warmed up 10 degrees from the previous week which

scattered the fish, so we spent the majority of our time fishing standing timber in 15-20 feet of water or lay downs in 4 feet of water or less. Two extremes, but the more aggressive fish have been in the shallow water. Snacky lures FS200 paired with eye hole jig in 1/16 ounce have been a staple the entire year. Switching between a snacky flash and black and chartreuse throughout the day.

WHITNEY

GOOD. Water lightly stained; 63 degrees; 7.02 feet below pool. Crappie are very good with the fish feeding up and aggressive. This week the water warmed up 10 degrees from the previous week which scattered the fish, so we spent the majority of our time fishing standing timber in 15-20 feet of water or lay downs in 4 feet of water or less. Two extremes, but the more aggressive fish have been in the shallow water. Snacky lures FS200 paired with eye hole jig in 1/16 ounce have been a staple the entire year. Switching between a snacky flash and black and chartreuse throughout the day. Report by Robert Stover, Workingman Crappie Guide. Striped bass are good in deep water using slabs and swimbaits. Look for large schools of birds with fish feeding underneath. Report by James Moore, North Texas Bass Fishing and Cmoore Striper Guide Services. Striped bass are great

using umbrella-rigs, swimbaits or flukes throughout the reservoir. White, chartreuse, bubble gum and orange colors are the best colors. Fish along channel edges or flats. Look for diving birds. Before casting, park away outside of the birds, moving closer with your trolling motor. Lake Whitney striped bass limits are common most days, look under the birds for active schools. Crappie action in the river near Kimball Bend is producing good catches. Report by Michael Acosta, Unfair Advantage Charters.

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SE'VETTE EARLY | THE GATESVILLE MESSENGER

Banner Allman, shown here in action earlier this season, scored a career high 35 points in the Hornets' victory over the McGregor Bulldogs on Dec. 16.

Hornets muzzle Bulldogs, improve to 15-1

BY CHRIS ALLMAN
Sports Correspondent

Banner Allman poured in a career-high 35 points and No. 23 Gatesville held McGregor to 13 first half points on their way to an 82-66 road win on Friday night.

Allman got his first bucket just three seconds into the game and never looked back en route to his career night. He had 21 points at the half as the Hornets led 42-13 at the break. Allman converted 10 field goals, hit 15 of 18 from the free throw line, and added 11 rebounds.

The Hornets were without stellar senior Carter Williams and his 11 points per game but Allman said he didn't set out to have a career night or try to make up for Williams absence. "It just kind of came naturally," Allman said. "I kind of just felt the game better than I normally do."

Allman had 12 in the first quarter, nine in the second, five in the third, and nine in the fourth.

The Bulldogs came in riding a three-game winning streak

and it was obvious from the tip that they had a season-defining upset in mind. After Allman's game-opening layup, the fired-up Bulldogs hung tight in the early going and led 6-4 before the Hornets put any hopes of an upset to rest.

Banner Allman converted a three-point play to give the Hornets a 7-6 lead that was stretched to 13-8 midway through the first. Allman then scored seven straight to make it 20-8 before West Allman buried a three-pointer for a 23-8 lead after the first.

The second was a snapshot of what makes the Hornets so dangerous as they held the Bulldogs to five points - the result of an unrelenting pressure led by Trae Miller.

The junior guard's stat line was anything but gaudy - two points, two assists, and two rebounds - but he held McGregor's leading scorer Roderick Miller to just eight points - half of his season average. A deeper look reveals only three were scored against Trae Miller.

It was just another night for Miller, often tasked with

guarding the opponent's best player.

"I just had a mindset of winning. I knew how good of a player he really is but I was very focused on holding him to as few points as possible," Miller said. "I watch film and listen to Coach Campbell's advice. Overall when I guard someone, that's what I do."

Allman said Miller's nightly contributions are immeasurable.

"It's awesome walking out on the court with Trae knowing he's going to do something nobody else wants to do," he said. "It brings tons of energy and freedom to the rest of the team. Trae's definitely one of the guys you want on your team."

McGregor's frustration was evident after halftime as they committed 20 fouls in the second half and sent the Hornets to the free throw line 26 times in the second half. For the game the Hornets shot 37 free throws, converting 26.



SE'VETTE EARLY | THE GATESVILLE MESSENGER

Junior Trae Miller has been a standout for Gatesville this season, and his defensive pressure was a major factor in the Hornets' win over McGregor.



THE GATESVILLE MESSENGER

A SPECIAL CHRISTMAS GREETING

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 21, 2022

Dear Santa

SANTA'S MADE HIS LIST AND CHECKED IT TWICE

Have you been naughty or nice?

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Students through third grade sent letters for Santa to the Gatesville

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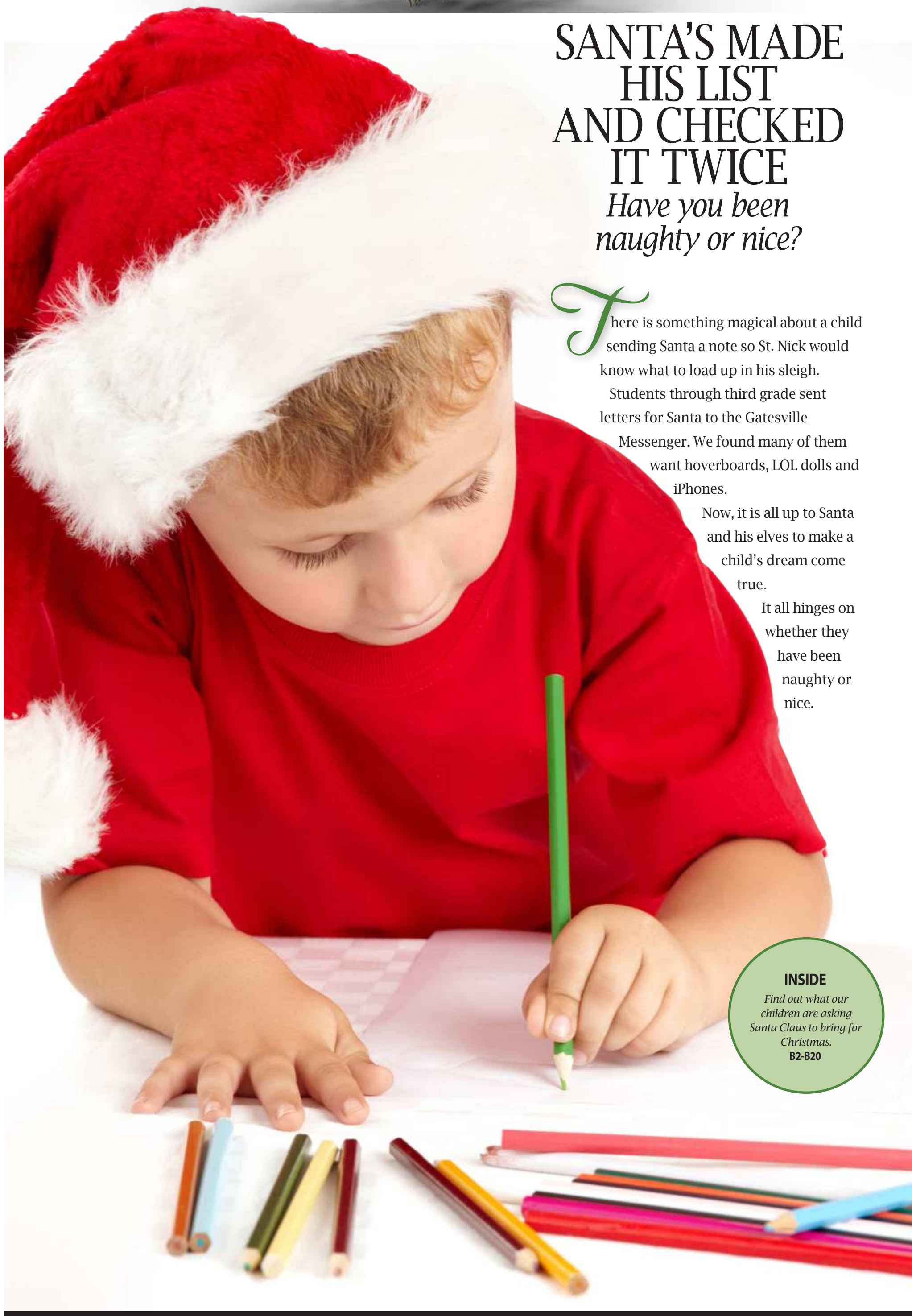
Now, it is all up to Santa and his elves to make a child's dream come true.

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INSIDE

Find out what our children are asking Santa Claus to bring for Christmas.

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Clothes
Love, Mayah Arzate

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Go Cart
A fake dirt bike
Four wheeler
Fake airplane
RC car that goes in water
Love, Emmett George

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Cars
Trucks
Paw Patrol
Blippi toys
Cow
Love, Henry

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Super heros
Trucks
Cars
Trains
Ball
Love, Xander

Makeup
Barbies
Cup with my name on it
Clothes
Shoes
Love, Laney

A Kitty
Barbies
Books
Love, Jolee

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A new bakugan toy
Wrestling boss
Lava Godzilla
Big dinosaur
Some books
Love, Amos Bovee

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Unicorn stuffed animal
Mermaid stuffed animal
Sleeping beauty stuffed
Big squish mellow
Bounce house
Love, Adlee Chumley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Kitten
Play Kitchen
Baby Dolls
Barbies
Make up
Love, Haddie

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Trucks
Cars
Cow
Puppy
Mickey Mouse
Love, Judd

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Dinosaurs
Blippi
Trucks
Mr. Rachel
Doggie
Love, Hudson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A Puppy
Books
Monster Trucks
A bike
Toy Story Toys
Love, Mav

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
BB Gun
Tractors
Cat
Pig
Cow
Love, Weston Brown

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Unicorn
Toy turkey
A real horse
Some books
A clock to hang in my room
Love, Olivia Long

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Puppy
Barbies
Baby Dolls
Clothes
Doll House
Love, Delanie

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Puppy
Baby Doll
Princess
Doll house
Bluey
Love, Parker

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A Horse
A Puppy
Fidget toys
Babydolls
A Bike
Love, Hallie

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Babydolls
A kitty
Cocomelon toys
Books
A princess tea set
Love, Collins

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Cat
Umbrella
LOL doll
Bat girl book
Apples
Love, Joanie Shoaf

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Baby Dolls
Barbies
Doll House
Play kitchen
Puppy
Love, Stella

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Barbies
Doll house
Puppy
Play kitchen
Baby Dolls
Love, Leah

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Trucks
Bike
Super Heros
Cow
Puppy
Love, Eli

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A Donkey
A Puppy
A Cow
Trucks
Train Set
Love, Jack

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Trucks
Tractors
A horse
Batman & Spiderman toys
Dinosaurs
Love, Benjamin

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Red bowling ball
Pet fishy
Toy santa claus
Classroom timer
A real ball
Love, Charli Land

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Barbies
Cow
Doll House
Baby Dolls
Baby Brother
Love, Lenna

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Barbies
Cow
Doll House
Make up
Baby Dolls
Love, Hattie

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Cars
Trucks
Dinosaur
Trains
Boots
Love, Lorenzo

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Mickey Mouse toys
Truck
A puppy
Building block toys
Little People
Love, Jonathan

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Minnie Mouse Toys
Building blocks
Kitchen Set
Babydolls & a stroller
Dollhouse
Love, Konlee

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...

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A puppy
A tea set
Little people toys
A Kitchen set
Love, Lily

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like to...
Minnie Mouse
Paw Patrol toys
Peppa pig toys
A Kitchen Set
Jewelry & hair bows
Love, Hattie

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Earrings
A Kitty Cat
Toy horses
Babydolls
Minnie Mouse
Love, Blakelyn

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Train Set
Farm Animals
Cows
A Bike
Cowboys
Love, Kohen

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Tablet
PS5
Pet Puppy
Bunny
Harley
Love, Harley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Medium stuffed white tiger.
Big stuffed giraffe.
Toy baby beer.
Set Jurassik Park.
Toy Lemur.
Love, Elizabeth Bedell

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, for Christmas I would like...
Family
iPhone 14
Love, Journey

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
phone
computer
cherry pie
umbrella
tarHe
Love, Taelynn

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
barbie
bunny rabbit
iPhone 12
tablet
laptop
Love, Presley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Skateboard
Tablet
Love, Ashton

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Pokemon Charzard
Ninja turtles
Love, Kayjon

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
X Box
Hedd phones
Fist toy
iPhone 12
laptop
Love, Geoffrey

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Phone
Tablet
Cup
Apple Pie
Car for mommy
Love, Mercedes

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Barbie
Sigishy
Play Foodowe
iPhil
highlighter
Love, Kyler

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A pet
A teddy
Glove soft ball
A watch charger-for-my-cousin
Mug flashlit gun stuffed animals
Love, Clara

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Toy reindeer
Sayihy
Raccoon
Snow
Sleep
Love, Eden

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Hamster with babies.

Baby horse.
Baby Kittens.
My dogs to see me againg.
My mom to get the house done.
Love, Madelyn

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Brontosauous
Fox seto
Phone
Camera.
Junassiese set
Love, Barrett

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Jet Pack
Wolf
Walkie Talkie
Apple Phone
Mommy and Daddy to be rich/ so rich
Love, Journee

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Shake gun
Dirt bike
Computer
Phone
Shoes
Robot to do my homework
Love, Kip

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Dinosaurs
Iron Man-Robot
Bakugan
Minecraft Lego's
Dinosaur Lego's
Love, Jameson Featherston

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A Toy tractor
Wooden toy
TOY HOUSE
A big Tractor
A tag
Love, Lock

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
PJ mask toy
Robot
Dinosaur
Hot Wheels
Go Kart
Love, Your Buddy Noah

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Air pods
Train (real one)
Phone
Unicorn

Love, Keagan
Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Transformer (the blue one)
A Big Batman Robot
A Big Ginormous Eyeball Machine
A Sweep Monster
Alexa
Love, Fielding Gann

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Elsa microphone
Dolls DOLLS
Barbies-22
Drawing/ scratch paper & pens
Candy CANDY
Love, Gracie

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Doll house
Roller skates
Cotton candy
Robot cat
Hoody
Love, Z

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
New bike
Robot puppy
Trampoline
Halloween book
Notebook
Love, Leighton

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Laptop
A Marcehdol Dol
Scates
Noos clos and shooz
My on fone
Love, Brennen Hill

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Huverboorde
Graffrit Jalin
Hititoe
Ifanoonin 14 Pro.
Muney 100,00000000
Love, Ranger Jeffcoat

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Foxy
PS5
Poblox acant
Popy play time chaptry
Screech toy
Love, Max Martinez

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I'd like...
A PS5

A PS4
A Rute nit in Dosien
A PS3
To be a BLt
Love, Brazos Regan

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
PS5
X BOX
Huver Burdbu
Sled
Tikis to a mashnmwe
Love, Freddy Vandiverr

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Minee motrozieckl
PS5
Dintintouzwicn
PS6
\$10,000
Love, Xander Goff

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Barbe dolhos
Tablet
Hors
Monstrkor
Bigfoh
Love, Karen

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I wut a werwuf
And a crenotoris binosr
And a Roblox gifcfd
And a spidermen shos
Love, Chad Kastling

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Remote control car
Dinosaur
Bokfar
Flag
Remotcon
Love, Christian

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I wood like lols
I wood like a lizrd
I wood like books
I wood like a gray bady Kidey
Christmas
I wood like outfit
Love, Jaylynn Itzel Taylor

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Noo pants
A mackup fone
A PS5
And a serizze
Love, Saylor

Dear Santa,

For Christmas, I would like...
Achnismos Hut
Lots Big Siders
Amrkan Doll
PS 5
Swick
Love, Dixon Bond

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
8 LOL Dolls
6 squish mel
4 Dolls
A hut
A big prise
Love, Crystal Mejia

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Shos.
Brbes.
Mrmad Brbes
A mackup fone
A brbe mackup set
Love, Blayze Alambar

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Batedon
Pokemaon
Videogams
Pokeman crds
Batedon crds
Love, Lucas Licea

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I'd like...
Babbe yoda
Pocemom Stuff
Huvrbrd
PS5
VBuck
Love, Brody Smith

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Pockemom
Wake talks
Nrf guns
Candys
Pockemom violet
Love, Grayson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A bumper car
A coloring set
And Popits
A new bed set
A tedy ber
Love, Harleigh



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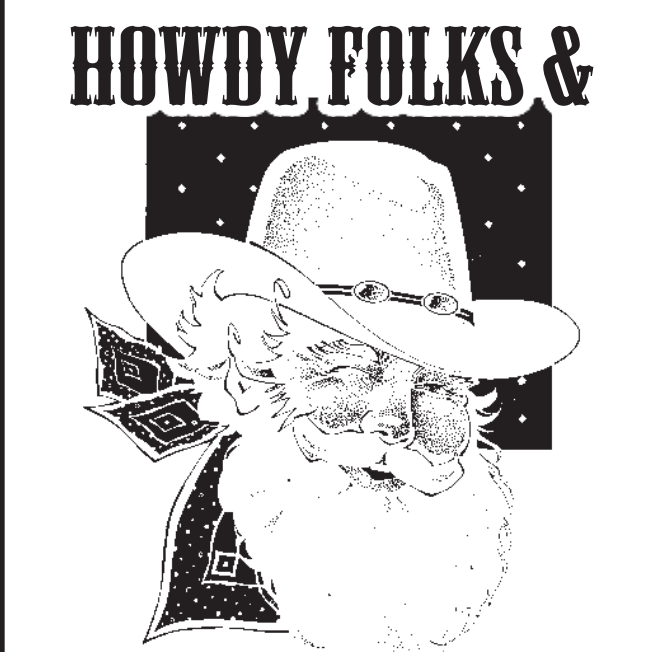


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I would like to see my grand-paw again.
I would like to have a computer and PC please.
I would like a battery powered kid size lambergeny.
I would like a table.
I would like if you could make Mrs. Onials finger feal better. I don't even know if you can do it. But if you can please do it.
Love, Judd

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
X BOX
Dog
PS4
Phone
My gampa
Love, Dylan

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
PC/ Bluetooth Ear Buds
Red bikel cars
Motcuntrall helicopter
Bumper cart
Gravity Romote
Love, Hudson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A signed patrick mahomes jersey.
My papa.
A pug.
Football calos with a rinder
A football signed.
Love, Caden

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Pokemon not fake God health up 500
Blue Basketball
Science kit
Spy kit nindal
To fix my grandmas shoulder
Love, Bentley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Pokemon
Hover board
Rc car
Fidgets
Sowing set
Love, Allie

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A Rkayd
Pokeymon- I want a charsan and mouto and a card in the three hundred
Dogy
Some foot ball cards
And all my family members a nerf guns
Love, B. Andrew

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Pokemon.
A Golden Charsard card.
A muetwo vmax card.
100 Dollars.
To see maverick agin
Love, Abram

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Super smash bros uitimate
Fit bit
A black switch control

Arcade
Boeit
Love, Jayden

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Dinos
Hot Wheels
Sharks
Monster Trucks
Cookies
Love, Haize

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Dino
Nerf gun
Madden
Santa Doll
Bike
Love, B.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Bounce House
Jurassic Park Game
Toy monster truck
Toy robot
Real life playhouse you can sleep in
Love, Noah Crell

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Barbie moma Dog
Toy car
Building Blocks
Robot
Unicorn
Love, Jenno Ewino

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...

Unicorn plushie
Magic mixies Crystal Ball
Shopkins
Real Kitchen
Nintendo Switch
Love, Jordan

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Binoculars
YOYO
Vanity
Love, Harper

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
RC Car
Video Game PS5
Backpack
Tv
iPhone 13
Love, Jon Key

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
LOL
Magic Elf
Magic HLT
Soft House Shoes
EEVEE Pokemon Costume
Love, Madison

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Unicorn book
Squishmello
French bulldogs
Tigeret
Sebrasey
Love, Maya

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Monster Truck Garage
Carsoino
T rex
Jurassic Park Legos
Love, Brooks

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Babyopap 22
Rinbow spoon
Bolls
Basketball
Robt reinbeer
Love, Annaya

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Pet Gecko
BIG Jack Skeleton
Toy Grinch
Santa toy
Play station
Love, Lincoln

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Remote Control Red Boat
Scooter
Watch
Walkie talkie
Love, Liam

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Rudolf
MERMAID
LOL doLLS
SANTA Stuffie

SNOWGLOBE
Love, Paisley Wisehart

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Big gigantasaurus
Big coraoras
Indomasrex
Santa turkey
Stuffed Bear
Love, AJ

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Barbie dream house
Wake up
Girl toys
Phone
Barbies
Love, Karter Robinson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
iPhone 14.
Tesla model S.
Four wheeler.
Shock toy.
To see Santa.
Love, Braxton

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A hover-bord
Squosh-malow
Careokey
Googlee pixui 6.
Guche
Love, Oakley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Spy hija kit that has a laser mask
Five mini squish meloe
Makeup besk with makeup
Tiara and hay hill
A barby car for kids
Love, Kimberly

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Phone iPhone 14
Stuffed animal
Car
Vag toy
Baby stuffed
Love, Melly

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I-phone
Desk
Fluffy pens
Horses
Shoes
Love, Kinzlee

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I-phone-13
Apple wach
Slime
A pet animal
A makeup deask
Love, Briley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I Phone 13
Vetstoys
Ai papes
A baby cat-dog-hamstr
A baby dolls

Love, Caymbri

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Loles.
A purse with a map.
Zalsa dalls
And preses stuf
A baby cat.
Love, Madilyan

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
iPhone 14
Lambow
Tasl
4 wheeler
Love, Seattle

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Tiaras
Hihiles
Makeup
Carriage
I-Phone-11
Love, Kynnidee

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A baby puppy-cat
Beef Jurkey
Lots of candy not hard kind
For it to snow on Chistmas
And a skwish ball
Love, Maddie Chapmann

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Phone
4-Wheeler
See Santa
Stuff animal Dog
A Dog
Love, Maverick

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A ntento swich.
A PSS.
A tent a little one.
Same lego sest.
And a game cat Minecraft on ntendo.
Love, Thomas

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A Big poly poket.
A berded dragren
A toy
Love, Elizabeth

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A lot of fly tying
Baseball cards
Rc car
Rc boat
APS5
Love, Graham

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Apple pen
IPS increses
IPS food
IPS
99000,000 Robux
Love, Mary

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For Christmas, I'd like...
A hoverbord and
Some makeup and
A vanity and a
Seakret room to
And a toy rainbeer.
Love, Teagan

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A hoverd bord
A phon 14
A vr
A barby dolls
And klos for baby dols
Love, Kinsley

An elf on the shelf
A tree house for my elf
My own small Christmas tree
A bathtub for my elf
Toys for my elf
Love, Dayton

For Christmas, I would like...
Boomrang
13,500 V Bucks
Lego
I want Hunter to come to my
house
Computer
Love, Tristan

Love, Avery Weaver
Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Coloerful hoodies
A New phone samsung
A Bow
A New water bottle
A New BasketBall
Love, Lia Castille

Love, Layneeh Torres
Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Nintendo game.
And a scooter. And new
shoes.
And baseball cards.
And orbes gun. And a poster.
Ottaites. And I want a ham-
ster.
Love, Ethan Robles

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A big ben bag chair
Baseball packs
Football packs
Basketball
Batting gloves
Love, Blake

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Football glovs
Chain
Dog
Elf
Big Pool
Love, Dayvion

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Nintendo swich
Elf on the shelf name holly
A powful nerf gun
A new pistil
Real hand gun
Love, Gordon

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Clothes my name
Neckles earring
LOL omg House
My sister neckless
Coloring Book.
Love, Taylin Thompson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Play cichen food
A new phon
A nuther elf
A colring table.
A lot of mini brands
Love, Rayleigh Davenport

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Mini brands
Stitch shoes
Stitch stickers
New markers
Stitch calendar
Love, Alexa Mata

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Qush meloos
Love, Lane

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
1,000 giff cards
Plushy
LOL omg dolls
Love, Ally

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
iPhone 16
Amiracan boydoll
Snow
Makeup kit
Braclet kit
Love, Kenley Brawn

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Beyblade stuff
Power rangers
Hover board
Dirt bike and gear for it
Baby yoda blanket and pil-
low
Love, Caleb Buss

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A momy long legos toy.
Huggy Wuggy toy.
Kissy Missy.
P.J. a piller toy
Buso Buny toy.
Love, Bailey Baldwin

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Gingerbread Stuff
Mini claw Machine
Squishmellows
Animal crossing bed set
Stuffed Animal
Love, Katlyn Morgan

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Bearded dragon and stuf
for it
A LOT of roubux
Pokemon good Pokemon
Mini squishies
Squishmelows. Please
Love, Presley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Watch
Pokemon Stufed Animal
My hole family together
Scateingling
Puppy
Love, Jake Watts

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Pokemon Voilet
Pokemon cards
Pokemon card binder
Love, Jaxon Pesch

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Beyblades stuff
Nintindoe and game cips
Noudo doll
Huver Bord
A byby pup
Love, Lily Meier

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
X box one games
PS5
Laptop
X box
Apple phone 14
**Love, Aymden Kilgore
Coalston**

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Dog tres
Naruto costume
X Box
New skate bord
iPhone
Love, Dreasyn Lewis

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Fotball gillus
Dron
Elf
Dog
Basdall
Love, Ben

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I'd like...
Pokemon cards
Pokemom Binder
A Xbox
Love, Klein

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Dirt bike
No more school
To see the North Pole
Elf on a shelf
Nerf gun
Love, Cory Tabors

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A New Herry Potterger hme
A New HoverBoard
A New colerBoolt
A New Neckles
A New Cupcake maker

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Mac Book
Aphmau Plushy
Elf on the shelf
Cachers gear for softball
Clothes for my dog

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Hoverboard
Puppy
Apple watch
Beard dragon
Love, Gypsie

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Toys
A new pencile bag
Youteber piushes
A toy car
Pop it braclet
Love, Aiden Rexes

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Lock'n'4 keys
A Pc personal computer
Stickers for my Pc
A skate board
Stencils for drawing, pain
tings by list or figures
Love, Jett Thornton

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Tablit
Car toy
Magits
A doll
Leter
Love, Bri

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A submasheen nerf gun
A new phone
Triston to come to my house
Vbucks
Have a great Christmas
Love, Hunter Corp

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
iPhone
TV
A prss scctot grsey.
A naw football
A ulechreck scoter
Love, Vance Sawyer

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Hoverboard
Squishmallows
Who was books
Robux
Hair extensions
Love, Savannah Wells

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Bath bombs
Canto set
An Elf
Makeup for my elf
A coloring table for my elf
Love, Kaydense Wilson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A BriaSlat meaning set
Love, Sofia

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Sonic Sihgam
Love, Wyatt

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Slime!
Robux cards!
For the people homeless to
get a home!
For EVERYONE to be in a
good mood!
Another elf!
Love, Jasey Pickle

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Nintindoe switch
Nintindoe game chips
Ameracan girl Doll
Camera
Skate board.
Love, Natalie Gore

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
PS5
X-BOX X
Chain
Pen-camo
Love, Slater

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...

Dear Santa,

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For Christmas, I would like...
Magic Box
Mini Brands
Mini Camras
Dolls for my sisster's
Real makeup
Love, Everleigh Rose Hunter

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Some cunedic sand
Bubble gun mushen
4 mini dog house's for my cats
Claw mushen for my gum
A squash mellow
Love, Emma Tull

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Iphone
Areil Stilts
Squshmellos
Hed wig with a cage or stand
Dog toys and treats
Love, Kora Wise

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A Hover Board
Guitar strings
A Xbox
A Pet duck
A iPhone
Love, Crason Taylor

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Watch
Squishmallows
Bracelet Making Kit
Cat Nip
Cat Tent
Love, Kelsey Johnson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Punching bag
Piano
PS5
Caliver King Charles CDog
Wallet
Love, Conrad Coffman

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
PS5.
Nintindow.
iPhone 14.
X BOX X.
3,000 V Bux
Love, Gunner Forrester

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Money gun with

\$150,000,000,000,000
Trampalen
Jet pack and appl wach
Rabit and island
\$3000,000,000,000,000,000,000,000,000,010
Love, Kamdyn Jackson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A money gun level 30,000.
Mor yu-gi-oh cards
An nara to xbox and noruto catholer
And Gokuxox and ago ku cacholer
A iPhone 13and a eye lins
Love, Juan Rodriguez

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Mac Book PIS
The whole apple store
2 treat bags for dogs
New air Pods cases
2 dogs one big one small
Love, Ximena Dela Torre

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Same Slime
Some gum
Some hey dudes
Some presins and cars
A jet pak
Love, Payton Seager

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Makeup.
Camera.
Phone.
Trolls Karaoke Machine.
Toy computer.
Love, Lilyanne

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Coloring Boook
Crayons
Scooter
Headphones
Presents
Love, Conner

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Train Set
Big Lego blocks
Cars from Movie Cars
And that everyone
Have a wonderful Christmas
Love, Dominic Moore

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A camera
Connect 4 game

Playhouse
Train set
Flashlight
Love, Cash Herring

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Toys
Presents
Colored Pencils
Crayons
Candy
Love, Jayden

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Mickey mouse toy
Pet life toys
Love, Quinn Moody

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A Monkey
Nintendo Switch
Robot
Captain America toy
A Train
Love, David Kruger

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Bumblebee
Spiderman
Godzilla
Wrestlers
Army toys
Love, Jonathan Deleon

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Legos
Piano
Swing Set
Tent
Bendy toys
Love, Josiah Walker

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Blippi toy
Kitchen toy
Stuffed animal
Ipad
Learning games
Love, Levi

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Big one, Big Christmas
Barbar Big one Same
Another Christmas to his School
Incredibles
Cars3, 1, 2, and home alone
Love, Layne

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...

Electric Scooter
Remote control ambulance
Remote control firetruck
Remote control cop car
\$1,000
Love, David M.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Orbeez balls
Bubble blower machine
Brown bear book
Fish tank
Love, Wesley Miller

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
PS5 with call of duty
And Madden 23
And fornite
And a Iphone
14.
Love, Cooper B.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
1. Dog Pug
Watch
X box
Money
Puppy pug
Love, Abigail

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A pogo stick,
A basketball hoop,
A tech deck skateboard with small shoes with a half pipe,
A mini peano thot works.
Love, Noah Foreman

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
PS5
Football gloves
iPhone 14 pro max
football cleats
PS5 games
Love, Kashton Stretton

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Kitten
X box
Rc car
ATV
Ice cream Sunday
Love, Levi Wilson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Pokemon cards charsair
upcb
PS5 and mandden 23
Phone 14
1,000,000,000,000,000 dollrs
Gameing setup
Love, Kyson Snyder

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
5 Dog
Phoown
Cat
Dolls
For my mom to be happee
Love, Emily Delegado

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I'd like...
Bunny
Cat
iPhone 14 Pro max
Miny car
Figit pack and a new puppy
Love, Kalleigh Rae Pearce

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Boots
Pug
Shoes
I Phownie
Woch
Love, Zuri Barnwell

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Rabbit.
Pokemon cards.
Candy.
I Phone 14, tablite, TV
A 1,000,000,000,000,000,00
0,000,000,000,000,000,000
reale dollrs

Love, Remleigh Buttry

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
New Books
Nail Polish
New Blankets
A New cup
A Squishy
Love, Aubriella Franks

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Shoes
Jojo stuff
Colorful hairclips
A watch
Shirts
Love, Kiara Covarrubias

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Go kart
Gokus
DOGS
Godzilla
PS5
Love, Gael Jimenes

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A phone not a toy
A smart whotch
A mickrphone to singe
And a Laptop
And PS5 thak you
Love, Giovanni Vega

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Duch
A kitin
Ficsh
Dog
Cat
Love, Joseph L.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Books
Shoes
Squishmelos
Puppy
Watch
Love, Alina Ledet

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I-pad
A tablet computer
A bunny
A puppy
Party tomagotchy pix
Love, Genesis Soria

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Toy hors
Copoter
Apply woch
Apply iPhone
Live hors black and with
Love, Katalexa Gonzalez

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Come book
Stuff animal roudof
Pheowk
Hote book and pinsl
Elf on the shelf book
Love, Sophia Kaye Holland

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Techo fese
Golden ranjn sord
Bash
Burning fere
Savor from dino fere
Love, Lincoln

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Ropes
Gloves ropes
Love, Rodie Lee

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Tadbear.
Crayola.
Journal.
Hat.
Jacket.

Love, Yarely Bolanos

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
\$1000,000,000,000
Lego Titanic
Pop it Game
Gold
Punching Bag
Love, Hutchison Prosser

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Bascitball
Jmascet Set
New elf
A elf dog a elf randter
Love, Adee

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Camera
Art supplies
Socer ball
New chapter books
Bunny or hamster
Love, Emersyn Taylor

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
PS4
Games
Book
Chapter book
Love, Josiah Deleon

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A Doll house
Amareukin Doll
To see my mom
A Phone
A haf unicon haf kittin Doll
\$8,000 9,000 cent
Love, Elexa Stubblefield

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Jeans
Cabn
Bait Caster
Wooden But
Zz50
Love, Jaxon Melton

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Lego's RC dirt bike that I can acshle ridin
Poke'mon cards to Kagan
A bike dalis cowboy's
Jersey's dimn 2250
Love, Mason Williams

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
IPHONE
Elf Chrck scoder to Fixed
Baskik ball hope an a mini ball
Toy O.M.G. doll baby
6 Boxes of legos
Love, Amelia Dickinson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Shing Chrzard
RC. Chrackter
Phon
Foty Plush
Diamuund
Love, Ryvan Burks

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Wooden art stand an frame.
Mini cristl lights.
Puppy pilow.
Puppy bed.
Desk char.
Love, Aza Hourihan-Johnson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A dog for Christmas
A Elf for Christmas
My big momma for Christmas
A soft ball
A doll
Love, Emma Sheperd

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Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A puppy
A Roblox toy
A Tornado in water
A camra
A tablet
Love, Cameron

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A ball
Pet dog
Chewn
Litng
Hat
Love, Anthony

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I want a lechlic scoodr
A noo huver board
A noob ick
Love, Easton George

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
10 Hot wheel car sets
15 gembe drums
2 pianos
20 mega hot wheels mon-
ster trucks
18 Stuffed animals
Love, Brock Hill

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Lol ball hos
A Kitin
A rope
A pfron 14
A apolwach
Love, Peyton

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Football gear
Balls
Lego Football Set
Lego Set
Play Set 5
Love, Thomas Aguirre

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A 100 \$ Lot retacet.
A 100 pcs pokimon pacs.
A dog man dook.
A ps5.
Love, Radlee Nichols

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Dear Santa
Wath For
Crimsis a
Ete now swich
Game
Love, Case

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I want a kitty
I want a baby yoda
I want a puppy corn
I want a kitten corn
I want a Flip Phone
Love, Mai Lei Schnepf

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...

Sum Skatse
A toy phon
A toy fish and toy fish frod
A toy kinpu
A toy robot
Love, Kam

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I want scats
I want a scatbord
I want a puppy
I want a citin
I want hat taces
Love, Taiya Carter

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I want a dog toys
I want a bag of takes.
I want a bag of candy coun.
I want a phone.
I want a phone case.
Love, Alejandra Patino

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
3 millein robucks
1,000 dollars
A manchin
Lo pupes
A phone
Love, Conner

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Birbie
Amaricin girl dool
Esey back ufmr
Hors.
Love, Isabella

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I want a neff gun
An eraser
An cat dall
A Robot
And a classroom
Love, Ashton

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Blad blayd
Hot wheels
Nitg timelap
Hot wheels track
Slippers
Love, Carson S.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
2 billeon
350,000 V bucks
A nurf gun
Hot chetos
Pug
Love, Jaxon

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Slime
Birbie
Amaricin girl dool
Esey backuren
Amaricin girl locker set
Love, Landry

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Nintendo

X-box
Dirt bike
Dog
X-boxes
Love, Carson P.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A pet kiting
N2 bablad's
Nvr Hedset
Hubl babl
Baonse Hoase
Love, Emma

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A skrafuluf
A swish melo
Alive pet
Wobo bobol
Cute revilsophris barby
Love, Lyric

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
OMG dolls/ LOLs
Headphones
Laptop
Chrars
Babey Aliv Crismis set
Love, Riley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A foxy
A wolf
A bull dog
A fox
A huskey
Love, Brynleigh

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a football back plate
a football viser
X Box a madden
A nerf gun
A secret tank
Love, Kaison

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A iPhone 12
Love
A Pony
To help my mom and dad
Coflmints
**Love, Cassandra Fore-
man**

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
\$20
Kid Lameehe
Rodot Dog
Foding Ball
VR Head Set
Love, Eternity Vest

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
VR
A noow chan
A reade
A PS5
9S6
Love, Jayden

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Collection of anumae
Desk
Compeauter
Bay Blade Phone
Pokemon Cacb
Love, Oaklay

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Punching gloves
One punchman
Legos with Lego Men
Punching bag
A real puppy
Love, Levi

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
iPhon 14 Pro max for my
sister.
iPad apple 14 Pro Max.
KitKat 1.
Reeses 1.
Lollipop 1.
Love, Sofia Olvera

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Reborn babygirl-search up
on google
Air pods galexcas
Dash The Robot from stem
lab
Cats toy for cats please
Elf on the shelf
Love, Kennedy

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Elf costume
New puppy
I phone 14 pro

New heart necklace for my
friend
A picture of you and 1,000
KitKats
Love, Calli Cooper

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
iPhone 13
army man
kitty
doggy
100 dollars
Love, Harer Scott

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Blopop 60
Candee 20,000
Pee s 5
Citih 2 and puppy
Plkull seed
Love, Muria Gonzalez

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Iguana
More barbies
Desk
Computer
Glitch bedding and stitch
plushys and stitch pajamas
Love, Emma Miller

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Snow
4 set's of Minecraft lego
Call of duty black ops
Have a elf on the shelf
And to meet Santa
Love, Cameron Oliver

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...

One wheeler
X box 1
Pokemon cards
Puzze
5 PS5
Love, Kyson Salada

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
The toys form the plans
moivz
Books
Best cismes
More BlayBas
Lion King toys
Love, Ryken Hall

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Books
Colrd pincls
Puppy
Toy house
Shoes
Love, azelynn hendrson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Stitch Cloce
Stitch blaclit
Dash Plese
Elf on the Shalf
Notendo swich
Love, Ashley W.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Entendo swich
Arc car
A toy tanck
Lego tanck
And a iPhone 14
Love, Julian Olvera



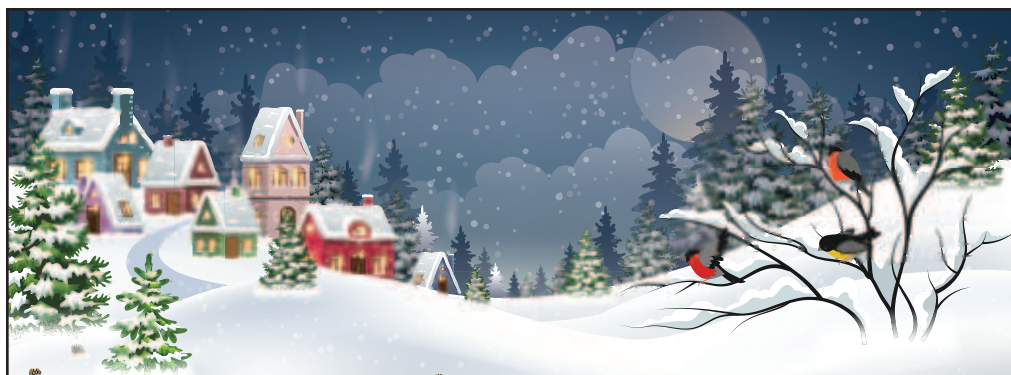
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Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
PS5
Switch
Call of duty
Elfe
60 Blow Pop and 10,000 peices of candy
Love, Aubrey Bryant

A gaming setup
A snake.
Love, Karlie

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Moe pad. Moe pads
RV new bring Chevrolet
X Box
IPAD!
IPHONE 14 Pro Max!
Love, Olivia Presas

Love, Elijah

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Toy
New nerf guns
Toy ormee stuf
2 welbs bikes
Toy cat
Love, Harmon

Chicks
Love, Simara

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Love
Clos
Soocr ball
Bicke
Play set
Love, Martin Alvarez

A pink soccer ball
Love, Alondra Feregrino

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I Phone 14
Myant taptho
Dash
Chpatrs
Alabrgeny
Love, Ashlynn

Love, Leighan

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
XMAX
PS5
iPhone 14 Pro Max
a Stuff annal
Chrombook
Love, Hayden

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Hover board
iPhone X
X box 5
Normally scotter
Ipade. And a puppy
Love, Lucas Jackson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Exodron
A archry bow
Play staishon 14
The Game Huter callor The Wild
A batecaster.
Love, Rayce Lee Kizer

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Watter Bottle
Softball gluf and softball
Puppy
Art
Rings
Love, Mckinley Lamb

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Applewach
Squshmallow
Perfume
Crocs and charms
Catcher bag
Love, Remington Bates

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Hocus Pocus 12345
Locket loo
Knight
Lemon
House
Love, Adelynn

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A PSS and the Game God of Wroe
2,0000000\$
1,000 Sodels
A Shake
Tablit
Love, Chance Davis

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Real horses
Toy horses
A Phone
Best Christmas
More friends
Love, Zoey Dahl

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Pink camera
Pink phone
Pink Tablet
Pink tv
Pink Jacit
Love, Austin

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
RiaeBow tlie w ball
SkcaB Book
Hode
Soed
Paes
Love, Olivia B.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Sqishmallows
Hoverboard
Crocss
Popits
Love, Fynlee Brown

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Ouija bord
Gameing chrombook
Gost hunting gear
Xbox one
Love, Austin

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A new Ipad.
A mattress.
A nerf gunrifel.
A kid four wheeler
Call of duty modern warfare poster
Love, Zip

Dear Santa,
Sime 10
Knedic sand 2
Little doll accorys
Doll close
Glavs
Love, Eleanor

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
R/C newbright Chevrolet
Notepad and pen
Robot dog
Tennis ball and racket
A real horse
Love, Violet

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Bonnie plushy Bonnie
Toy Bonnie Backpack
Bonnie headphones bonnie
Fone bonnie bag bonnie
Tablit bonnie jacket
Love, Michael

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Tree House
Fashin Studio
Art Studio
To be a beter singer
Mr. topHat song
Love, Kallie

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
PC
Gameing chier
Desk
Money x 3,000
How's
Love, Kyler

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Borbys
Puppy Books
Clogs for the Borbys
Shos for Borbys
Knew shos
Love, Serenity

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Rainbow friend plushes. NOT PURPLE
Drawing tablet w/ pen
Kirby Figure
Sylveon Phonecase
Pokemon cards
Love, Hazel

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I'd like...
Rainbow Pokeymon Cards
Huver Bord
More Pokemon cards
Dron
Dirt Bike
Love, Carter

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Holy bibble
Poster god family
Drum set
Dirt bike
Gatare
Love, Kye

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I phone 14
X box
PS5
Electric soctra
Phasa
Love, Colton Burch

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Nintendow
Apple watch
Apple pen
Apple tabit
Hovvord and some stuff
Love, Kylie C.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I'd like...
A PS5 Set
A milyin dols
My dog to come back to life
A nuther puppy
And spris me with a lot of stuf
Love, Amelia

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
PS5 Ponikmon cards
Go kart eilthec
Scooter dirt
Bike antino
Brown jersey
Love, Brody Ruiz

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A new blaie blade
A new riper
A new meglebon R/C
A new grave bigger
A new hot wheel
Love, Colton

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Holy bibble
Bike
Dirt Bike
Ball
Classis
Love, Judith

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Sonic foresters
Sonic dash
Sonic colors
Tanjiro Kantona
Gameing pc
Love, Talon Mullings

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Dirt bike
Real golden chaine
Loo figets
PC gaming
A piece bats for baseball
Love, Brye Lee Manning

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Ariel bres
Bres shos
Stuft pilo
Stufe
Huvrbord
Love, Emma

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A iPad Macbook New hood-ies
A Pet ferret and
Sketch book, ripped jeans
Stitch things, a iPhone 13
Art things, get toys T-Shirts
XL and medium
Love, Omjeema

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Pokemon Stack
Rockship
No school
Love, Ronzo

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
VR Set
PS5
IPhone 14
My Dad back
PC
Love, Rhyder

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
PS5
Xbox
Elelittic car
I Phone 13
Foot Ball
Love, Sauiyah

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Nintindo swich
Xbox
I pohne
Dash robot
PS 101
Love, Wyatt Vanbuskirk

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Fish
2 LOLs
Buny
Pose unkle
Love, Jaliyen

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
X box
A dog
A cow

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
PS5
Pokemon Booster packs
A Pokemon Stuffy

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
iPhone
Kinedic sand
Stuufed fox
Stuffed wolf

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A iPhone 14
Jumbo popits
Figets
Makeup set

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A Lol hoas.
A Formoith gam.
A art stuf.
A JOJO seawall bus.
A LOL dolls.

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Jennifer Newton
Coryell County Clerk

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Coryell County
Commissioner, Pct. 1

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Coryell County
Commissioner, Pct. 3

Randi McFarlin
Coryell County Treasurer

Dusty Boyd
District Attorney

Scott Williams
Coryell County Sheriff

Roger Miller
Coryell County Judge

Jennifer Newton
Coryell County Clerk



Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I want a scplgset
I want a Doll
I want a noo backpack
I want a purse
I want a Dog
Love, Raven

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Bongn.
And 9999 ballrs.
999bog.
Lame.
Hotupt.
Love, Wayne

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A Tablit
And playdo
Stickers to
And a dress
Barbes with dress
Love, Charitie

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I wut a pees for.
I wut 5 dollar.
I wut a cidcor.
I wut a jin that you can wrat.
I wut 100 dollrs.
Love, Raphael

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
2,0000 Hamstre whith splis
Pixl phon
Stachyou of a cat
Stachyou of Karaleena
Love, Sabrina

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A mini potatoe loncher
And my stocking filled with
Pokemon cards
And some pokemon in my
moms stocking
Bockuegons and akaeldoe
And transformers and in the
fucher me and my friends to
have ading that is rele
Love, Brantley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I wat a dert bik.
I wat a sof blacint.
I wat a pocthif.
I wat a loo dolls.
I wat drish to ca over.
Love, Robert S.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Me and my brother not to
fight.
A Alechrek scooter
2 trampleens
Tree house and
Family reunin please
Love, Adaleigh MariMay

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Fack nels
A buckrheg
A ubnkon
A rocking
To phone.
Love, Kynzi

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A flip phone w/ case

Huvrdord set
Ipad perplu case
Big trاملen
An choger and rod
Love, Brystol

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Book
Huggy Wuggy
Nintendo swich
Chick nugget
Pig nugget
Love, Aiden

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I need a play station 2.
And I need a play station.
Love, Thomas

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Barby bike
Barby doll mermaid
Barby phone
Barby doll house
Barby princess horse
Love, Madison

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A apha parhe
A fox puzzle
A bag pazhe
A weum gif
A Xbox Eze
Love, Max

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Xdox 1
Nintendo games
Xdox games
Pawcagers gord
Stuft anaml Dog
Love, David

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Stuffed fox
Stuffed apha wolf
Aphmu plush
Axelotl plush
Pink pop it.
Love, Bella

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A ifone
A Doly for Emle
A laptop
A mixes
A pupe kit
Love, Harmony

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Belley Jremite
Glow in the darck yo yo
Rambo night doll
Baby yot ye
Skrcy dinoe
Love, Emily

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Dert bike
Figts
Moonpod
Fishing poll
6 pone
Love, Danioo

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would

like...
Happy naper
Huver bord
A glow up yo yo
My life doll
Banbran
Love, Khloe

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I wish I get a rodot burk that
swims
A puppy!
A computr
Intendoswich
You
Love, Auzyton

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Nintndo swich
A wach like that
Blue and teal wan
Pappy
I Phone 13
Love, Etta

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Fack nels 2
New brbes
A phone
Puppy
A popremy phone
Love, Sofia Love

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Pokeomn cards and a Span-
ish book
Nerf gun & Drawing kit
Magikmite
Wood crafting kit
Love, Cyrus Crosby

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Iphone 14 pro
A football
Earpods
AT-rex & Godzilla toy
Love, Hez Boyd

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Hover board
A puppy & a hampster
A snow globe
A clock
Love, Ahmad

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A new xbox the new one
iPhone 14 Pro
red and black headset
markers

The famous soccer ball.
Love, Deklen Grundy

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Unspeakable merch
A squish hall
A new dog
To see my dad
To have fun.
Love, Joslin Duncan,
P.S. I want a new dog Be-
cause my other dog died.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
iPad
Violin
Fake nails red and green
Green gum
Squishmellows
Love, Ava Olivia Tobias

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Dioroma soliter armor set
Desktop computer and pc
Red dead redemption.
Dioroma cactus and cow-
boys.
P-52 mustang modle
Love, Sandy

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Phone/ a cat phone case
Slime/with fom neds
A tiny Christmas tree
A bunny to show for for h
Squishmellows/ and a elf
named Emily
Love, Angela

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Rainbow phone case
Rainbow slim
Rainbow fake neles
Phone
Rainbow fake hiar
Love, RyLeigh

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Magec mixy
Robotek bird
A elf
A bell
And a baby Goat
Love, Sterlynn

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A loos
Robux

Sonw
Dron
A Christmas Tree
Love, Emily Cox

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
To see my cousin paden
Pokemon cards.
To meet a you to uderjacks
To see my cousin Jacks
For my family to have a great
Christmas.
Love, Ace Latham

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Menta quest2
Robux
PSI and PSP
iPad
A PS5 Hand Held
Love, Login, P.S. you ar the best.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I need a \$100 dollar bill
Pokemon
PS5
Drone
I need a football
Love, Latrell

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
New books
Note books
Work books
Pencils and erasers
Phonics board
Love, Kennedy

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I'd like...
A stuffed wennie dog,
A Star belly dream light
A phone
A New shoes
A New coat
Love, Aryn Gollihar

Dear Santa,

For Christmas, I would like...
A apple watch
And airpods
And jumbo popit
And a new softball Glovs
And a cow print phone case
Love, Breatlyn

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Tomagochies
Cowgirl boots
Mini backpack
Mini journal
Pingun sqush mellow
Love, Ceaire Hunter

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A drum set
Some earpods
A basketball
Some Dallas Cowboy clothes
And some baseball stuff
Love, Bae Fulton

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Earpod pro
Game seup
Football
Love, Lucas

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
PS5
A new Xbox
Legos
A game
Toys
Love, Colt W.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I want on cha club
I want chismes shert
I want hello kitty
I want skats.
Love, Rachel

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Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Gle
Lima bstenb
Log
Horns toe
My Famle
Love, Zayley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Yo-Yo
E-scooter
Barbie dreamhouse
Tablet
Legos barbie cheerleader
Love, Briley Sims Ann

Dear Santa,
From Christmas, I would like...
Lava lamp
Yo-yo
iPad Tablet
Parrot
Love, Isabella Turgeon

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
big spider
Blue Rainbow friends
Bune
Yo-yo & Parrot
Love, Jeremiah Campos

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Tesla Toys
Scope (no Gun)
Mini gun
Maverick Toy
BB Gun
Love, James Antilley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Weston
Para chrte
Knife & Mushedede
Modisiklle
Love, Samuel Nichols

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Yo-Yo
Switch
Red copt
Phone
Fidget bell
Love, Roklin Wolls

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Cat & dog
Stuffed animal
My 2 front teeth
Legos
Love, Aubrey Kellerman

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Rocketship big from Ryan
Mega blaster shoots
Lava lamp rainbow
Rainbow comuetr
Gamer rainbow
Love, Leevi McHalfey

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Stuffed huggy wuggy
Iron rainbow guys
Switch
Computer
iPhone & desk and bunk bed
Love, Stone Stafford

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I wot a rabbit
I wot tablet
I wot a yo-yo
I wot a globe
I wot a to new bed.
Love, Hurley Gregory

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Big Nerf gun
Huverbord Yo-Yo
Lava lamp Ipad
Phone tablet swich
E-scooter computer and
snow globe
Love, Kelilah Brown

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Stuffed elf lava lamp
Tablet yo-yo
E-scooter scope
Snow globe
Coloring books
Love, Jocelyn Bolano

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Can you please make the
ginepig.
Can you please get a citin.
BB Gun.
Kaj and a parit.
Love, Addison Ann Tatum

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Switch
Stuffed elf
Mini gun
Nerf gun & Phone
Love, Alex Romero

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Rabbit
Switch
Phone
Yo-yo & Lava lamp
Love, Savannah Austin

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I wot a car
Godzilla
I wot Godzilla to fite kin kong
I wot a bus
I wot a tramprelene
Love, Gage Myers

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Game uno
Switch
Play stashun
Tv
X box
Love, Raymond Mackay

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I whish I hed x-box
Tow snak
Z million dollars
Love, Eli Kennedy

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Pokemon swich and scorlit
Vilit pokemon game
Uhurid ten dolrs
Pee s fif
Pokemon arekeis game
Love, Harrison Redding

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A pet cat
I wot 200
And I wot a big pokemon
card
Love, Ryder Dorman

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Phonn
Cat
Cwub
10,000,000,000,000 bols
Pokemon GX
Love, Tavin Scott

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Rainbow hi dolls
Bike
Bspens dolls
Nut cracker
A pone
Love, Ariana Ortega

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I wat a dog
I wut a small cat
I wut a small check
I a 2,000 race cars
I wut duk
Love, Elias Jo Hernandez

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Two huvr bord
Teslu hot will
A nuthr Elf
13,500, 500 v bucks
200 Millyin dolrs
Love, Kaydence Leyva

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...

A magnit tia glas
A unicorn scootr
A math grnl
A nut cracr
Box of craoons
Love, Lila Russell

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A ps5.
A X BOX.
A A cats
Skats
A hapstr
Love, Jaciee Lynnn Carison

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A hfvgnd brd
A xbox & 4 cites
41 boxes of isc cream
A pone.
Love, Olives Westbrook

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Snace
Citin
Pupye
Chetuec cub
Beretta Dubay
Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I wot a hawepot.
I wot 900
I wot a cor.
I wot a bus.
I wot a store.
Love, Serenity Mae Penny

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I will like to cat pet
I will like to hav a puppie
Love, Ember Nashif

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Swich
VR headset
I wut a gam
I wut a toy
I wunt 200
Love, Jaison Dove

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A toy that flies
Mack up
A lol dol
Bastenda
Big dol and dol hous
Love, Kaylee Simpson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Magnits
Big legos
Sticky notes
Dry erase markers
Yras board
Love, Evangeline Henson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A ukalale & Popits
A iPhone. 12
A appletwatch
A colering book
Love, Mariska F.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Vr headset
Minecraft fovr.
Nintendo
A drone with a camera
iPhone 13
Love, Josh

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
iPhone 14
Spin osaurus
Minecraft BOOK
Knife
Stuft Minecraft
Love, Colby

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Elf & Snow
Corntnes bed
Games
Barbie dream house
Love, Klalayah B.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I love hore
I love elf
I love dog
I love cat
I love Budy de elf
Love, Meloy

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
PS5
Nintendo Swich
GAME BOY
Bey blades
VR headset and fortnite
hoodie
Love, Grayson A.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Bag
Cat
Cog
Bunny
Dirt bike
Love, Ethan Isaacks

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Lady bug and projector.
A big white board.
Fraction Tables & iPhone 14
Barbie doll Manciton
Apple watch & apple pencil
I would like to see my dead
dog for a year.
Love, Zoe

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A hoody & a elf
To see my real brother Jeol
To see lawarn my best friend
Desk
Love, Ellianna S.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Tamagotchi pix
Snow globe
Makeup kit
Cat headphones
Phone
Love, Arabella P.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I want a horse
And a house and
A amcan girl dolls and
A elf on the self
And a flip phone
Love, Addie B.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A Musical Key board
A Hoverboard

Headphones w/ the key
board
Fraction tiles tol2
Janga
Love, Isabel Michaelis

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A drum set
A gift card
A snow machine
Some new clothes
A new jacket
Love, Kase K.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A elf pj.
A candy cane onez.
A puzzle elf.
A santa shirt.
A candy machine.
Love, Kaylene H.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Phone 13
A real dog
Pony
A brbe home
A rel cat
Love, Bella M.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Thanose, Hulk & Thor
Elf
Cars
Love, Preston F.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Snow
Corntnes bed
Feracten tiles
Elf puzzel
A duck real
Love, Kynzlie Caldwell

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Fraction tiles
New phone
Puzzle's
Horse & House
Love, Barrett B.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Phone
Makeup set
Nail set
Face set
Tablet
Love, Gracie B.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A new video game.
VR headset.
VR controllers.
Robots.
Jenga.
Love, Caleb Klinessmith

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
BIKE & CLOTHES
T-REX
Monster truck
Monster garage
Love, Daniel

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Makeup
Tablet, Toys, & Teddy bear
Love, Citlali Bohikia

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Toy zoo
Bicycle
Rainbow van
Rocket
Math game

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Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A new makeup
A rainbow hairband
A pumpkin cup
A big snowflake
A sparkly bedroom
Love, Tyler

Rainbow castle
Rainbow lipstick
A Santa toy
A rainbow doll
Love, Tyler

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Ninja turtles
Barbie
Blippi
Sonic the hedgehog
Blippi again
Love, Axel

Superhero toys
Toy animals
Toy cars
Love, Westland

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A cake
A horse
A dinosaur
A pizza
A toy
Love, Savannah

Slime
Squishy dinosaur
Love, Caden Smith

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Sled with Santa and
Reindeer
Mickey
A new doll
A big stuffed mammoth
Love, Morgan

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A game
Barbie Dreamhouse
Toy makeup
Toy dishes
Clothes for me and for baby
doll
Love, Everliegh

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Santa toy
A bird
Blocks
A donkey
A circle light for my room
Love, Kooper

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Buzz light year
Car
Bike
Puzzle
Treasure chest
Love, Austin

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Remote Control Car
BB Gun
Fishing Pole
Binoculars
Baseball Bat
Love, Kipton

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Big Tractor with a bucket
Front End Loader
Excavator
Bull Dozer
Tractor Blanket
Love, Lawson Wallace

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Bounce house
My own nail polish
Baby Alive/ Shopkins
My own lemonade stand
Doll clothes
Love, Cora

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like...
Dinosaur toy for brother
Unicorn chair
Bicycle
Paints
Barbie dream camper
Love, Gracyn

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
The grinch
Toys for sister
Superhero toys
Baby dolls
Cars
Love, Brooks

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Buzz Lightyear
Bike
Car
Treasure chest
Puzzle
Love, Tyler

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Barbies
Mermaids
Make up
My brother a toy
Candy canes
Love, Raynlie Mighell

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Barbie house
Puppy
Elsa & Anna toys
Barbie's
Makeup
Love, Arizona

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Red Dragon Brea Brea
A Dragon
A basketball game
Pokemons
Soccer ball
Love, Coleman

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like...
Green dinosaur that opens
tummy
Dollhouse
A monster
A chair
Magnatiles
Love, Jonah

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Paw patrol
Barbie dolls
Vacuum cleaner for kids
Dog house
Swimming pool for barbies
Love, Jemma

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Barbie Dreamhouse
Barbie Hatch & Gather Egg
Farm
Peppa Pig
Squishmallow
Dress up trunk
Love, Gemma

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Dog
More Paw Patrol toys
A snowman
A wubble bubble
A friend for olaf
Love, Evelyn Collins

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like...
Princess Bike
Pepa Pig Play Kitchen
Make up set
Play house
Gaby doll house
Love, Livi (Livi Mendez)

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Blade Blades
Lots of snow
Hot chocolate
Building things... block
A big Nerf Gun
Love, Ollie

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Polar express with remote
control
Ghost buster toy with re-
mote control
Dinosaurs
Santa toy
Spiderman toys
Love, Liam

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Play Doh
T rex dinosaur
Choo choo train with tracks
Magnatiles
Something for my mom
Love, Lincoln

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Sandbox
Spidey stuff
Excavator
Sonic stuffy
Spidey blanket
Love, Landon

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Basketball
Barbies
Car
Play doh
Baby doll
Love, Raylie Ellison

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A kitty (real)
A dog (real)
A bunny (real)
A toy bear
Barbies
Love, Mia

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A motorcycle
A remote control car
Policecar (blue)
Football
A game
Love, Bentley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Baby dolls
Barbie dolls
Kitty cat toy
Blocks
Ball
Love, Josie

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Barbie toy
Makeup
Something for daddy
Small Christmas tree
Something for mommy
Love, Emma

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Big Green Truck
Race track
Big boy bike
Play-doh
Bow and arrow
Love, Graham Pruitt

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
T-Rex
Ghost buster toy
Puzzles

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Some dolls for my doll house
Clothes
Some books
Stuffed animals
Love, Livi Kate Williams

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Toy horsey
Sharky bath toy
A big T-Rex toy
A toy fish
Paw Patrol house with pup-
pies.
Love, Elena

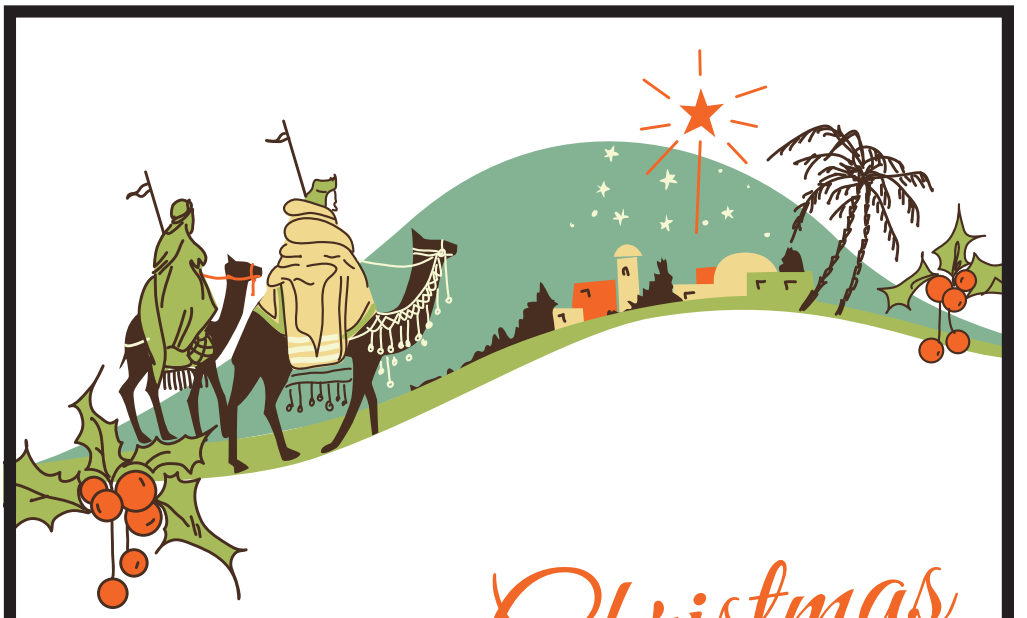
Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Baby dolls
Stroller for baby dolls
Present for dad
Toy santa
Airplane toy
Love, Jeanette

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would
like...
Same truck like my dad
Tools



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Letters to Santa

Love, Micah Riley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
LEGO star wars
Max Explore 48 piece Microscope Set-Beginner STEM kit
Lite Brite ultimate classic
T-Rex Dinosaur.
Seenda shooting game toy
Love, Austin Carren

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Toy Santa
Toy cookies
Toy caterpillar
Legos
Toy Peacock
Love, Frejo

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Encanto Play set
Barbies
Bike
Bluey Puzzle
Puppy toy
Love, Jaylynn Voss

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Elsa high heels
Big Elsa doll
Big kitchen
Toys 4 kitchen
Car toy
Love, Faith

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Racet tacks
Legos
Pokemon cards
"hot dog" dog
Candy
Love, Harlan

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Little horses and cowboys
Dinosaurs
Yellow wagon with cowboys
Guns and swords
Trucks and trailers
Love, Jacob Firebaugh

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A mean looking dinosaur
Candy
Paw Patrol toys
A train set
A Christmas tree
Love, Mason

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A remote dinosaur
A remote airplane
A remote tiger
A remote monster truck
A remote Hippo
Love, Tres

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A Barbie house
A doll playset
A kitty cat
A puppy
Ms. Collette
Love, Kendall

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I Love You
A Christmas playset
Some Barbies
A new baby doll
A tiger
Love, Oaklee

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A Barbie House
A Barbie pool
Some Barbies
Building magnets
And I love you!

Love, Jonesy

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Power Ranger toys
Curious George toy
Farm toys
A Barbie toy for Nayvee
Some helmets
Love, Briggs

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A doll house with family
A doll shopping store
A real shopping store
Hello Kitty playset
My own painting set
Love, Skylar

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A Elsa doll
New baby dolls
Books
Kitty cat
A puppy
Love, Chloe

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A jeep
A rocket ship
A go cart & a truck
A garbage truck
Love, Christopher

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Some cars
A bear
Cards
Farm toys
A bike
Love, Tucker

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Some balloons
A ball
A kite
A chicken
A train
Love, Jeremiah

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A Belle dress for my baby
CoCo Melon toys
Barbies
A credit card
A princess toy
Love, Evie

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Choo-choo train
Monkey toy
Polar bear
Truck
A baby
Love, Colton

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A climber for a space ship
A toy play kitchen set
A donkey
Tigers
A red present
Love, Harley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Food
Super-man
A big bed
A jumper
A huge Dinosaur
Love, Julian

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Puppy & Kitty
A monster friend
A crab
A bear
Love, Amara

Dear Santa,

For Christmas, I would like...
A big barbie
A real pig
A stuffed puppy
Books
A new cup
Love, Heidi

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Blue present
Big car
Bycicle
Magnetic blocks
Spider-man truck
Love, Jaxon

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
LOL Dolls
Presents
Stuffed trees
Christmas trees
Braclet
Love, Ava

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Soggy Doggie
Robot
Choo-Choo- train
Play cars
Windy mouse
Love, Aiden

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Tractor
Presents
Big truck
Cows with a barn
Dinosaur
Love, July

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A Elsa Bobble head
A heart hoodie
A Elsa hoodie
A pet doggie
Love, Scarlett C.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Matching doll clothes
A blue wand
A pink wand
A yellow star
A baby doll
Love, Claire S.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Frozen stuff
Rapunzel Stuff
Cindarella Stuff
Belle Stuff
Princess Stuff
Love, Raylin H.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A Rainbow High girl.
Rainbow toys.
Barbies & real Make-up.
A Make-up table
Love, Kinsley T.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A dinosaur.
A dino saur truck.
A green remote control snake.
Something big I don't know!
Love, Tucker S.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A big giant spaceship.
A robot guy.
A spongebob figurine.
A rainbow toy.
Love, Parker A.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A mommy guinea pig with 3 babies in its tummy.

New Barbie Dream House
New Stuff for my Dream House.
Love, Payton T.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Lego Jeep
Lego Jet Ski
A spike wheel dirt bike
A spiderman toy.
Love, Casen S.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
New markers for my teacher
LOL dolls
A new dog for me... a real one that's small
A collar for my dog
Dog toys
Love, Blakely R.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Big truck pups HQ
Bike rc firetruck
A real lif raptr
A bb gun buzz lityear
Jet pack
Love, Myler Williams

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Camera
Bluetooth headphones (aqua)
Bath Bombs
Squishmellows
LOL Stuff
Love, Laren

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Hoverboard
Tractor
Super heroes
Tractor
Hulk
Love, Gabriel

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Unicorn watch.
Pink Mini Fridge.
Little Christmas Tree pink.
Gel pens.
Cat ear headphones.
Love, Torri Breanne Lee

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Orbies say
Playdo
Toy car KEYS
TOYTROLLS
PLASTIC FLOWERS
Love, Kelsie

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Walkie Talkies
Gumball Machine
Jewelry Box
Finger Nail Polish
Makeup Kit
Love, Hallie Kouns

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Bex Blade
Nerf GUN
BOW
BABY yoDA
THOR
Love, Dylan Buss

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Titanic
Army Lego
Nintendo switch
Train
Tank
Love, Lane Nolte

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Magic Pixie
Unicorn Stuffed animal

Horse Barbie Set
Hatchimal
Catapiller Set
Love, Laramie Jones

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Car
Video game
Car speakers
Headphones
Play Doh
Love, Jonathan Campas

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Rainbowdash
Blue Stegosaurus
Baby shark
Giraffe
Juno my baby Elephant
Love, Eloise Hebner

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A Barbie Dreamhouse
Gabby Dollhouse
Books
New Jeans
Art supplies
Love, Harper

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Moana Toy
Dinosaur
SONIC Toy
Monster Truck
BoBot SONIC
Love, Nolan Hopson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Doll house
Headphones
Kitchen toys
Barbies
Unicorn
Love, Valeria

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Money
Super Heros
Balance Bike
Binoculars
Puppy
Love, Newt Peveto

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Frozen table
Frozen castle
New P.J's
Baby dolls
Frozen makeup table
Love, Mckenzie S.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Gabby Doll House
JoJo Siwa Car
Boots
JoJo Siwa doll
Clothes
Love, Braelynn Carter

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A tickle machine
A puppy
A koala
A tablet
A MAP
Love, Persephone

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Monster truck
POC Car
Nintendo Switch
Hot Wheel Track
Legos
Love, Beaux

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Camper for my family
Mermaid barbie
Swimmer barbie that trains

puppies
New cute clothes
Barbie malibu house
Love, Kendall Pruitt

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Pokemon
PS4
Lego
Tablet
Garyes
Love, Dawson

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
A new makeup
A rainbow hairband
A pumpkin cup
a big snowflake
a sparkly bedroom.
Love, Tyler

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Sled with santa and reindeer
Mickey
A new doll
A big stuffed mammoth
Love, Morgan

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Bounce house
My own nail polish
Baby alive/shopkins
My own lemonade stand
Doll clothes
Love, Cora

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Red dragon Brea Brea
A dragon
A basketball game
Pokemons
Soccer ball
Love, Camden

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Blade blades
Lots of snow
Hot chocolate
Building things...blocks
A big nerf gun
Love, Ollie

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
A motorcycle
A remote control car
Police car
Football
A game
Love, Bentley

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like... Toy horsey
Sharky bath toy
A big trex toy
A toy fish
Paw partrol house with pup-pies.
Love, Elena

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Stickers
A soft blanket
A toy dog
A soft pillow
A huge stuffed animal
Love, Kelsey

Dear Santa, I would like...
A game
A camera for my mom
A monster truck for dad
A santa toy
A camera for me
Love, Velkyrie

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Snow white dress
Rainbow castle
Rainbow lipstick
A santa toy
A rainbow doll
Love, Tyler



Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like... A game
Barbie dream house
Toy dishes
Clothes for me and baby doll
Love, Everliegh

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Dinosaur for brother
Unicorn chair
Bicycle
Barbie dream camper
Love, Gracy

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Green dinosaur that opens tummy
A dollhouse
A monster
A chair
Magatiles
Love, Jonah

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Polar express with remote control
Ghost buster toy with remote control
Dinosaurs
Santa toy
Spiderman toys
Love, Liam

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Baby dolls
Barbie dolls
Kitty cat toy
Blocks
Ball
Love, Josie

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Baby dolls
Stroller for baby dolls
Toy santa
Airplane toy
Love, Jeanette

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
A robot
Dinosaur
Snake
Blocks
Dinosaur shoes
Love, Kolbi

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Barbie doll
Makeup
Pool for barbies
Toy vacuum
Baby dolls
Love, Journee

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
1.Ninja turtles
2.Barbie
3.Blippi
4.Sonic the hedgehog
5.Blippi again
Love, Axel

Dear Santa for Christmas, I

would like...
Santa toy
A bird
Blocks
A donkey
A circle light for my room
Love, Kooper

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
The grinch
Toys for sister
Superhero toys
Baby dolls
Cars
Love, Brooks

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Paw patrol
Barbie dolls
Vacuum for kids
Dog house
Swimming pool for barbie
Love, Jemma

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Playdoh
T rex
Choo choo train with tracks
Magnatiles
Something for my mom
Love, Licolin

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Barbie toy
Makeup
Something for daddy
Small Christmas tree
Something for mommy
Love, Emma

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Same truck like my dad
Superhero toys
Toy animals
Toy cars
Love, westland

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Buzz light year
Car
Bike
Puzzle
Treasure chest
Love, Austin

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Play house
Books
Chucky doll
Tiffany doll
Camera
Love, Harleigh

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Mickey game
Blippi toy
Santa toy
Splatoon
Hamster
Love, Colt Wells

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
A new phone

A dog
Wigs, black and white
A bible
Head phones or ear pods
Love, Heavenly Ferch

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Books
Barbie
Toy foods
Face mask
Paint stuff
Love, Emma

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Shoes
Socks
Superman action figure
Flash action figure
Riding jeep
Love, Max Smith

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Gabbys dollhouse
Minnie mouse robot
Love, Scarlett Smith

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Big bulldozer
Big four wheeler
Giant volcano
Big police car
Giant jet
Love, Kenneth Miller

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Star for the tree
Sand toys
A cop car and officer
Deer toy
A big toy boat
Baby toys for my brother
Love, Berkley Coalston

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
I would like 5 squishmowls
Lego marrio and luigi
A ABCD book
A baby sonic
A nerf gun
Love, Enrique

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Racing car
Soccer goal
Soccer ball
Puppy
Cube
Love, Luke

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
A lot of toys and elf
Love, Malani

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Polly pocket
Barbie
Doll pj's
Rc barbie car
Love, Claire

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...

Transformers
Trip to great wolf lodge
Lyle Lyle crocodile toys
Blue squishy dog
Green little squishy crocodile
Love, Gus Doyle

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Real 100 dollar
Lol doll Minnie
Amazon kids ipad
Figet doll set 100
Dr. suess books
Love, Laem

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Shopkins
Pete the cat
Bear
Hatchimals
Cat
Love, Priscilla

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Lol camper
Barbie doll
Clothes {7-8 medium}
Fancy unicorn cup
Frozen watch
Love, Adaline McGough

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Paw patrol
Buzz
Batman
Love, Stetson

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Sonic the hedgehog clothes

A hat
Gloves
Slot cars
Love, Milo Dunmire

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Car
Boots
Game
Plano
Ball
Love, August

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Dinosaur with golden teeth and a Saddle
Rock hunting supplies
Trampoline
Outdoor toys
Art supplies
Love, Noah Hopson

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Toy hunter with gadgets
Tackle box with fishing stuff
Military helicopter toy
Monster truck
Boots, spurs, and belt
Love, Colton Gore

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
A dragon toy
Who would win books
A new hat
Nerf gun
A lego set
Love, Luke Dye

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...

Four wheeler
A barbie
Unicorn stuff
Necklace
Bracelet
Love, Presley

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Lites
Jewelry
Hors hat
Cow
Love, Rylee

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Pony
Koala
Sparkly kitty
Pretty things
Ballerina dress
Love, Kylie Floyd

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Puppy
Hamster
Pony
Teddy
Love, Averi

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Magnixie
Makeup
Puzzle
Doctor set
Love, Addielta

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
1.bulldozer
Love, Brennan

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Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Hoverboard & Nerf gun
Trampoline
Board games
Superheroes
Love, Jaxon

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
PS5
White shoes
Lot of toys
Fuzzy dress
Baby cat, dog
Love, Lilly Rodriguez

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Coloring stuff
Werewolves & Dinosaurs
Hulk, thor, captain America
Transformers
Love, Jaxson Shands

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Big truck ruble
Transformer
Remote helicopter
Control
Train
Love, Caleb Lamar

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Four wheeler for my dad
RC car for my mom
Mr beast socks
Arrowhead charm for necklace
Drone

Love, Avery Pierce
Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
BB gun
Bow and arrow
Rifle
Toy robot
Robuck cards
Love, Jett Pickle

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
A little white puppy
A girls doll
A princess bag
A vampire
A blue bird that tweets
Love, Addalyn

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like... GUITAR
MAKEUP CABOODLE
GO KART
JUNGLE GYM
PLAYHOUSE
Love, LANDY CALLAN

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Ghost buster proton pack
Real spidey suit
Ghost buster suit
A nerf gun
Love, Noah

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Card
Sonic
Spaiderman
Batman
Love, Raz

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Dinos
Ejector
Dino world
Robot
Love, Jackson

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Barn for animals
Army house
Spinning sleepy dart blaster
Love, ZC Noriega

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Purple yo yo
Purple flashlight
New colors
Crown
Real makeup
Love, Avie Anne

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
1.hoverboard
2.Dino
3.Gym
4.Bike
5.Skateboard
Love, Leon

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Paw patrol
Paw patrol cup
Pogo stick
Balerena toy
Minnie mose toy
Love, Alxxis Brown

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...

Baby doll
Toy spider
Santa clause
Ball
Kitchen set
Love, Emily G

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Ring, expensive
Big poofy dress
Barbies
Lol camp set
Chelsea camper
Love, Raby Gail Hill

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Chainsaw
Kayak
Trolling motor
Crossbow
Horse
Love, Case Jones

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Dirt bike
One wheel
Jackets
New shoes
Football
Love, Brantley

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Gabby dollhouse
Lol
Barbie
Nerf gun
Lip gloss
Love, Willow

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Anna doll
Toy pony
Toy puppy
Toy kitten
Love, Minnie Cole

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Hospital
Barbie truck
Barbie
Beo
Butterfly popit
Love, Madelyn Meyer

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...

Nintendo
Go cart
Legos
Big tang
Remote control
Love, Grant Sullins

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Hello kitty
Barbie flowers
Color board
Ipad
Phone
Love, Courtney Buss

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Stuffed Rudolph
Ornamak of family
Crcs
Hornet hat
Barbie house
Love, Lexi

Dear Santa, I would like...
Legos
Markers
Pet
Bracelet
Car
Love, Veer Patel

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Paint set
Coloring desk
Work bench
Toy box
Love, Helena

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Dino
Tubling tower game
Spiderman
Teddy bear
Love, Adam Correa

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
A horse
Tablet
A barbie & barbie house
Slime
Love, Chloe

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
A car
Card
Husky

Dinosaur
Love, Luis
Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Tablet
Dinosaur
Video games
Basketball
Dragon
Love, Logan Ogden

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Nintendo switch
Rock tumbler
Army guy
Mini toys
Love, Ledoer

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Bluey
Robot dino
Paw patrol
Love, Ben Moody

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
No one to be homeless
Honyhger
Stitch stuff
Love, Brynllie

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Boy baby doll
Makeup
Chapstick
Art paper
Barbie backpack
Love, Kynlee

Dear Santa for Christmas, I would like...
Video games
Barbie
Dinosaur
Rainbow
Nail polish
Love, Lydia

Dear Santa, For Christmas, I'd like...
babysitters club grafic book
13
a fuzzy wated blanket
mal's spell book
bath and body works gift card
fidgets
Love, Tingleigh

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Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
\$5
red carpet
oceles
Ps5 + 2 controllers
Love, Brayden

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
toy car
vr head set
magnetic toy
Love, Dax

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
grow up baby alive
slime
Tamagotchi
tablit
rilistic baby dall
Love, Gracelyn Henderson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Kamru
gie pig
puzl
pulgrboz
sarez
Love, Chloe Sheets

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Dog
LOL
gum
famle
cabey
Love, Savannah Panb

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
loooll levev gum
infnet gas
god & jusus
pimpnd lambo
and more
Love, Beau Suggs

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
tv
skateboard
playstation 5
the Nintendo game
lego hybrids
Love, Jackson Vermillion

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Pokemom
a pug
psa 10 pokemom
mt. Best mrch
Love, Katt

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
phone
10,000\$
Pooopies
my life dolls
squishmellow
Love, Ariana Bradley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Black pink plushys.
10,00000 rbx gift card
smart wach.
squishmellows.
slime.
Love, Samantha Area Mcqueen

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Pokmon
puggy
iphon 14
itablit
ps5
Love, Dexter Morgan Jackson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
horse
hitelight
bike with chranning wills
beared dragon
arantxa to come to my house
Love, Eva Joy Presas

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I want a pig
I want a minebre
3. I want a amircin Dol
I want a slim basnram
I want a dirdgin
Love, Awaii Zenli Bailey

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
my family
a bearded dragon
a cat
a axalotoe
Love, Kalley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Drone
Pokex Bone
figits
computer
beared dragon
Love, Jacoby B Jones

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I wut a pupez
and a sunglass

and a my on clen stuf
and a jres
and a my sisis to go hom
with you
Love, May Ellis

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a ps5
a natindo
a panda
a phone
a bearded dragon
Love, Addy

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
trainer box allot
a 150\$ pokemon pack
bireded gragin
a base ball signed by ken
griffy
unspeakable merch stef kere
merch
Love, Holten

Dear Santa,
pls For Christmas, I would like...
a piano
2 robuxs
a panits
1 caller
1 lesh
Love, Arantxa Segura

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I want a figfen
Litll ckrkis
the noo ckldoody
I wunt frestins
my hamly
Love, Conner Mcgehee

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
cat with kitnens
prinsess.
LOL.
cute doll.
1 candy
Love, Phoebe

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
gold
toys
iPhon 14
ps5
pokemeon
Love, James Manning

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...

a Phone
a taplet
a T.v
a dog areol
a cat amuhchcat reol
Love, Audrey Diaz

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
XBox
fon
T. Rex
mozusri
intrnet
Love, Tommy Davis

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
books
laptop
Ipad
Tadl
chins
Love, Emersyn Gras Land

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
droleg paper
markrs
tape
shoes
tabet
Love, Alejandra Mata

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Xbox 12
cat
power ranger
scwishmelos
lisvr
Love, Rayden Deleon

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
laptop
fon
rasar
baby pupy
barby camp
Love, Harper

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
kitn
barbie
kornsnake
cat
I wot mi friend sleepover
Love, Madison Clemente

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
NiNtendo swick game
phon
sonic toy
black pather toy
Love, Khalil Knight

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
mitindo swich
hot whels
dinosmaurs
dinusers
legos
Love, Mason Walter

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Laptop
Nintindo
Sonic controller toy
toy snow ball
toy dino
Love, Jager

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Nerf gun
plushiee
puppy
tablit
small motorcar
Love, Gael Ibaar

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
crayons
Bick
XBox II
Olkyinfigyr
Sonic 2
Love, Liam

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
laptop
fon
esbox
mimeels
brbe car
Love, Jaymi Synak

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
cintin plees
real fon plees
brbe cra
crismis clos
snedix sand
Love, Eleanor

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
football
Xbox 10
fon
latop
dinaros
Love, Julian Vazques

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Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
scwishmelos
lol dall house
two little lol dall
two big lol dall
slime
Love, Jolee Adair

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
bre
skushball
fon
kand kane
brbe
Love, Aurora Ivy

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
laptop
NiNtendo swich
fon
dinosmaurs
toy dino
Love, Jahael Jimenez

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
xoxo toy boxrs
brbe campr
toy puppe
toy truck
toy santa
Love, Emily Chism

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
poles vest
real wrck stuff
wotch
pipes ofileaks
polescar
Love, Colt Tombaugh

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I'd like...
Lamp
TV
wallet
glow clock
game
Love, Levi Baker,

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
An Alexa
TV
Jewelry Box w/mirror
squishy maker
100 Dr Peppers
Love, Audrey Barron

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
robot
Legos
hot wils

any of the re
Pet rock
Love, Logan Bates, age 6

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
baby clothes
Mashems
squishmallows
MiniBrands
earrings
Love, Myla Blanchard

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I wanta BB gun
I want a pokemon
I want a batmoun log
I want a riain
I want a spirdman
Love, Waden Brown

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
drum set
bat bag
slinky and microphone
camera
doorables
Love, Brynn, age 6

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
chocolate coin
1000 robux
500\$ vebux
fortnite
Farcry 6
Love, Brack Ford, age 6

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Dolr
microphone
drums
unicorn necklace
LLO Doll
Love, Emma Forrester

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
mini gumball machine
poopALots
AmericAn girl clothes
Junie B Jones books
Christmas sweaters
Love, Dallas Gauden

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Lego treehouse
Hydroflask
A big cat squishy
safari blocks
bead pets
Love, Tate Haines, age 7

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Pikachu stff
Nintendo switch
Pikachu shirts
big ryan egg
cow boy hat
Love, Ayden Jenkins

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
go cart
Best toy boa at cabelas
football ornament
basketball
nfl football
Love, Grady Jones, age 6

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I want a Barbib set.
I want a teddy bear
I want a hors set with cow-
girls.
I want a little stuffed cat.
I want a ril rander.
Love, Aubree Long

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Bacpak
stuf anumle
ipand
munke bars
gymnastics
Love, Kaisley Nichols

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Easle/vanity
clothes and jact
more barbie stuff
yoga mat
tangled bedding
Love, Claire Ruffin, age 6

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
10 Roblox Gift cards
blue game chair
Spiderman doll
Nerf gun & a watch
Love, Liam Sinyard, age 7

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
crayons
markers
color pencils
book
toys
Love, Jordan Truong

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a rock and roll guitar
toy sword
Love, Victor Vega, age 7

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
bebe gun
pokemom kords
cholklit bune
Love, Braxton Young

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
chedeck sand
plado
sopces
a speckr forces
scushmelos
Love, Addyson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A gaming bland
Christmas pejays
a kulring book
a pin
a mug
Love, Gideon

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Mageicmixy
LOL
starbellydreamlinte
stuffy buny
stuf animul hamster
Love, Beth

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a chruck
garmeg toy
aeroter molcor
Ifone 13
a Notindo
Love, Luis

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
iPod
close
stuff animal
books
gift card
Love, Ava

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Ipad
skat brad
cat toys
dog toys
book
Love, Blake

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
3ds nitind motrikl game
xbox hed set
pocyman
Dr. ston sinkwfigur
Dr. Stone suksesufidr
Love, Beau

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Xbox
tendow swich
Ifone
ps5
huting gams for my dad
Love, Izayah Knox

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a eevee plushy
and a tablit
also more munny for my
mom just 200 cents
and a notebook
and for the end I would a
been bag cher
Love, Sofia

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I wut tue crs
Tasca bud
lbog
lcros
I wut a bat
Love, Ryker

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
LOL dolls
Rambo the dolls
new pone case
magik mixe
hochi mos
Love, Ella

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Pokemon
fishing rod
hot wells track meag
rock climer rc
snow gear
Love, Jayce

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Brid mcaw
phaon
dall
pickel chips
dimin groun
Love, Mckenzie Meyer

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
cars
cand
top
big bebe thar
prim
Love, Apie

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Big popit
pankac ball
backpack hachamol chan
crismis hat
magnits
Love, Kenna

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a pet snake
a reboren ballgril
sum cat toys
a calindre
a crid
Love, Kendall

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
OMG doll
iPod
pop rock candy
iphone 14
rianbow high dolls
Love, Jacelynn

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
LOL dalls
bike
clock that tickes
crayons
ranebow Hie dolls
Love, Estrella or Lily

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Hubord
sckats
pokemon
stufey
makup
Love, Raileigh

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Polly pocket toy
board game
LOL Dolls
slime
kite
Love, Madison

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
puppy
anairican girl doll
shoes
cloths
bell lego set
Love, Hazel

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
gaming mic
ps5
kebode and mase
Love, from Tyler

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
mini brans
acadiapy
bows
a stuff animal
oragnisers
Love, Hannah

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
pokemon cards
a binder
baseball cards
Love, Tripp Winkler

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I want a cozmoe
andamegg 20dinmge
and a rc car
and also a godzilu
a toy cran
Love, Jett

Dear Santa,
I really want a waterproof I re-
ally don't know just one that
I can swim with. I also wan
a call of duty coloring book,
fortnite coloring book, and a
how to draw fortnite color-
ing book. I also want marvel
action figures. A remote
control boat and jetski. I also
want a gaming pc, gam-
ing mouse and monitor. A
new control with wireless
black red and blue box xs the
newest one. I want a shark
tank top, shark tattoos and
stickers, shark pen, shark hat,
and shark hat. a 50\$ amazon
giftcard. fornite vbucks a
fortnite exclusive fortnite skin.
**Love, Bryson Kyle Walker-
Bennett**

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
olereks presset
hugey wugey plush
phon
toy skull
stuf chichn
Love, August

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
basetball
new polroid
bag of jolly ranchers
markers
Love, Emma Jovel

MERRY CHRISTMAS
TO OUR DEAR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS!

Thanks for calling us this year. With gratitude in our hearts, we wish you and yours a wonderful Christmas season.



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Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a books of culrd pisl and a
culring book
tin ellowell dolls and a litte
bag of litte Christmas toys for
my ellowell's
and things I can put on my
bed
a new backpack and pisle
bag
**Love, Raelynn Hankins-
Bowyer**

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
among us lit
a santa tede with a bloat
a santa jackit
a adidas shos
a blak and wite sochr dall
Love, Andres

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Hey Dudes
scrungies
new water bottle
new pencle-bag
julrey
Love, Patience Lynch

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I wut makup
I wut list ro my rom
I wut a teeaj bed
a nowu kputr
I wut a stokeing
Love, Avery Smith

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
hover bored
nerf gun
iphone 12
hand watch
slime kid
**Love, Raelynn Brecken-
ridge**

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
huvrbod
a gint cat
a gint dog for Hannah
ball pit balls
a gint ball
Love, Ray derk

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
hover Borb
tadlit
qhon
Legos
candy
Love, Esme Longoria

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a class pet
a hot wheels
a iPhone
a macbook compuer
30,000 fortnite vbucks
Love, Stephen Farmer

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a ouclas
a nintindo
a trampoline
a bag of hesheys bars
a bunk bed with no be on
the bottom
**Love, Ann Corriere Wood-
son**

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
camera
mik & ike
sqooshmelo santa
sport cards
kittin
Love, Harper Hitt

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
headphones
a light pink camra
sqooshmelo piggy
santa hat
REAL! kitten
Love, Emily Salinas

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
dog
vr hed set
PC
had fons
ifon apl woch
Love, Corban Pratt

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a haphone
candy
candy cane
cand corn
phone
Love, Vincent Neuhauser

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
house
tenashose/ adias
new dirt Bike
Belt
100,000 BuzBucks and dolers
Love, Jase Colt Wiley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
airpods wireless
a desk for my bedroom
a chair that spins
a whater bottle
gift cards/money
Love, Layla W.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A huge hoscale
musetput
green lbosc7othomoshostpie
random trains
hoscale Edward henry rosie
Love, Adam Tucker

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Laptop
skech pensos
skech paper
makup brush
13 canfis
Love, Leila Altamirano

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
wireless headpones
keybord and mour set
oclaulse VR
PC
gameing chair and table set
Love, Jackson Smith

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
new bike
pretend machine gun
pretend map
spaceship
little nutcracker
Love, Christian Coulter

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
huge giant ninja set
Woody toy
Buzz
Jesse
Rex
Love, Jacob Tucker

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
electric scooter
PS5
nocolus
narto action figure
dragon ball z action figure
Love, Noah Romero

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Big LOL doll
dog toys
Love, Breelee Isaacks

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
LOL/ Big LOL
2 younucrms
cuputr
3 popits
Love, Catalina Uribe

Dear Santa,

For Christmas, I would like...
magic pixie
music journal
glow in the dark paints
poff stickers
disco ball
Love, Kenzie Campbell

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
orbies to refill
teacher desk
conuputer
magic pixie
figits
Love, Brylie Young

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
lego box
ranbo frens
plushes
figit
ball
Love, Mason Lewis

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
phone
nutcracr
tanc
toy cismis tre
toy brd
Love, Crasin Sherburne

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
football lonchr
rmot cuchl truk with a bot
dimen set
basketball
Love, Jax Stevens

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
glow in the dork fobrik pant
ifown
stufe anumall
ball
2 popit
Love, Joy

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Magce mixie
My own chrome book
Apple phone
My own 100 Buzz Bucks
I don't for git any thang
Love, Joli Kelley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a gun with a scope
chrome books
grone up sizrz
dominoes
a pet snake
Love, Monty Chiaverini

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
box of Lego
100 coins
car set
100 papr
OB mon
Love, Carson Chandler

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
snow cone mushen
cotin candy mushen
ring
rainbow high dolls
iPhone 13
Love, Khloe Taylor

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
magic mixie
a cry baby doll
computer
iPhone & puppy
Love, Kynlee Kowlok

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
sno con mushen
Rainbow High Dall
Magck Book
figgit Box
Magck pixee
Love, Dylan Mitchell

Dear Santa,

For Christmas, I would like...
Slushe mackr
Dog fon cas
glo in the drck moon
pockemon ckrds
ribns
Love, Betty Claire Latham

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Icecreimmushin.
sonwcon mushin.
cuichin sett toy
Brbe campr
Babe fary coletrs
Love, Penny Blanchard

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
doll hous
Brbe campr
skootr sckats
rolr skater
rainbow hi doll
Love, Kyler Wade

Dear Santa,
My name is Fabian and I am
6 years old. This year, I have
been very naughty and nice.
For Christmas, please bring
me: Holkbustr gostbustr
popeplaytime babyyodu pj
maskk thanos goblin orman
goblin mimjusot umungus
lagos trolls.
Love, Fabian Feregrino

Dear Santa,
my name is Anthony and I
am six years old. This year, I
have been very. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: toy car
and dog.
Love, Anthony Rodriguez

Dear Santa,
My name is ANGEL and I
am 6 years old. This year, I
have been very nice. For
Christmas, please bring me:
Nintendo switch, football,
irl spidr-man, vemo, car that
sticks upside down.
Love, Angel Mendez

Dear Santa,
My name is Jax and I am 6
years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: I wut a
nrf gun an a toy baby yoda, a
toy robot, a elf.
Love, Jax Harper

Dear Santa,
My name is Kam and I am
6 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: Lol
doll, Barbe doll, reindeer that
is it.
Love, Kamdyn Redford

Dear Santa,
My name is Remi and I am
6 years old. For Christmas,
please bring me: Babey hos,
xbox switch
Love, Remi Davis

Dear Santa,
My name is Kyani and I am
6 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: a
phone, a remote control ro-
bot, a car that goes on tracks.
Love, Kyani Hunt

Dear Santa,
My name is Rivaul and I am
six years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, I went a neow tablet,
a nerf gun and I went yoy
strexoys asow I went a nrf
gun and I went a ifan.
Love, Rivaul

Dear Santa,
My name is Mr Donovan and
I am 6 years old. This year
I have been very nice. For
Christmas, please bring me:
wunuv the cheprs. Moreo

heelz, ipad and hedfons.
plush toy, morkrs.
Love, Mr Donovan Moore

Dear Santa,
My name is Anlea Kellerman
and I am 7 years old. This year,
I have been very nice. For
Christmas, please bring me:
a Lol doll and stuffy bunny.
and stuff baby yoda.
Love, Anlea Kellerman

Dear Santa,
My name is Norah and I am
six years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: doll.
stuffed animal bear. tooy
bird. tooy loma. art stuff.
stuffed animal dir.
Love, Norah Fulton

Dear Santa,
My name is Aaron and I am
6 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: drone,
camera car, batteries for my
truck.
Love, Aaron Sanchez

Dear Santa,
My name is Zade and I am
6 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me toy car
and a toy monster car and a
toy modersicklle.
Love, Zade Davis

Dear Santa,
My name is Taylor and I am
6 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: iron
spiDerman and Black-pan-
ther and vemo toys.
Love, Taylor Mayes

Dear Santa,
My name is Korey and I am
6 years old. This year, I have
been very naughty and nice.
For Christmas, please bring
me: A toy kid plushy and a
toy nife. And a toy sata and
a toy mom and a real dog.
And a buble machine. PLS!
Love, Korey Pafford

Dear Santa,
My name is Emma and I am
6 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: A pack
of slime, stuffy dog and stuffy
Baby Yoda.
Love, Emma Cantara

Dear Santa,
My name is Bethaney and
I am 6 years old. This year,
I have been very nice. For
Christmas, please bring me:
I would like a dog. I want a
teddy bear. I want makeup
and earrings.
Love, Bethaney Hull

Dear Santa,
My name is Anea and I am
7 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: LOL
doll. I want a toy bear. And a
baby yoda. I want a mackup
set. I want a lamp.
Love, Anea Lajqi

Dear Santa,
My name is Owen and I am
27 years old. This year, I have
been very naughty and nice.
For Christmas, please bring
me mom dad a moterycle,
an elf. For my baby a baby
vacuum.
**Love, I love mislIf Owen
Perez**

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Xbox controller
Art supplies
call of duty soap costume

Fortnite Nerf gun
a notebook
Love, Brody Zacha

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
an iphone 13
a Nintendo Switch
a PS5
a go-kart
an inflatable bounce house
Love, Abel Shands

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a Barbie house
2 LOLs
toy kittens
squishmellow
magic mixies
Love, Ella Massingill

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
pokemon, ipad, car, kittens,
squishmallows, x-box, squir-
rel, turtle
**Love, Delilah, Jean, Stan-
field**

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a puppy.
hover board
squishmellow4
aVR
iphone 14
o kids watch
Love, Zoe Vega

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
OMG fashin sho meg runway
OMG house
snow dalls
4 squishmallows
iPad
Love, Gentry Brock

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Batman Mag on foot
a tablet
some rock candy (red)
Nintendo Switch games
rock candy for my brothers
(blue and green)
Love, Elijah Breed

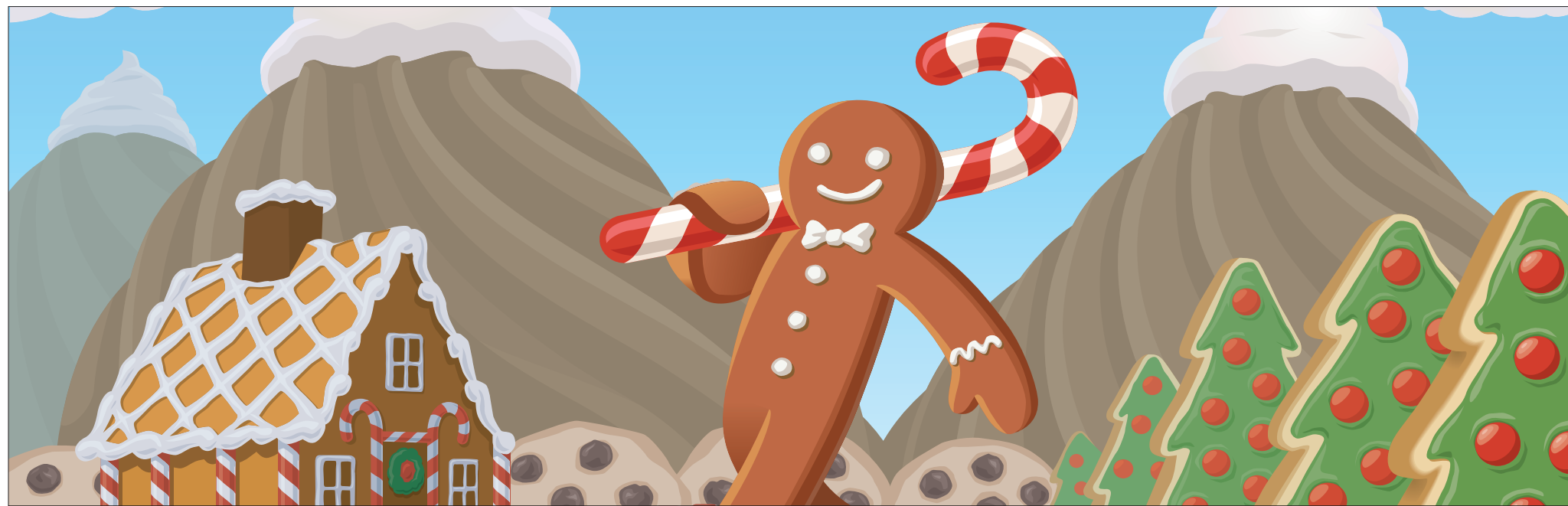
Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
puppy clothes
OMG LOL doll
squishmellow 2
iphone 14
hover board
Love, Birttany Moilan

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
pokemon cards
pokemon sword
lego chermander controller
a Nintendo swich
a basket ball hoop
Love, Liam Lewis

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I want a dog
20 squishmallows
a computer
a iphone 14
a among u toy 20
a doll house
Love, Emily Limon

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
makeup...
a kitten...
6000 oreos...
To be older...
Miss Myers not to leave
Love, Christina Willhite

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A iPad, A TV, VR games a apple
watch, some pokemon
cards, A Big squish mellow
Love, Jagger Newman



Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
20 iPhone's
30 Hoverboards
a kitten
a card for Miss Myers
a elf
Love, Brantlee Hauck

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
VR pokemon cacd
ping pong table
Among us
Hover board iPod
BaseBall bag
Love, Cooper Floyd

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A kitten
A Phone
A big jingle bell
nuts
A new microuave
Love, Braylon Stone

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
to go to the championship
a puppy
a softball ring
Love, Lakota Browning

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a ps5
a new black cat
a new vr controller
a foot ball
a new iPhone 14
Love, Vladimir Snell

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a puppy
20 squishmellow's
maic mixing's
a doll house
stuff for my elf
iphone 14
Love, Harley Hutchinson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a hover board
11 squishmellows
iPhone 14 a VR
head phones
computer
Love, Victoria Velazquez

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a real puppy and kitten
a scooter
a earrings
a squishmellow
2 ipads
Love, Alexis Temeyosu

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
puppy.
hover board seat.
a big squishmellow.
stuff to make slime.
ipad.
Love, Addisyn Rae Mangum

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
100! things for football
100! popits
apple watch
phone 14 a blue crafty
hoode. a larjsh
Love, Caina Porter

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
kitty cmary
mommy long leg doll
daddy long leg doll
real mony
huggy wuggy doll and kissy
missy doll
Love, Laynie

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
two genepepigs. and a
crmra and a. fon to and
mackup. a knew puppe. and
a erpodts.
Love, N/A

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a soxegkit
nedoes to sox
a snow glove
a elf on the shef
and a pate kit
Love, Israel

Dear Santa,

For Christmas, I would like...
LOL dos.
Pichr fodos
a no pagack
and mackup
and stich clothe
Love, Lacey

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
skirt
dress
Santa doll
lots of candy
toys
Love, Kyra Ballard

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Xbox
VR
a big nerf gun
lava lamp
computer
Love, Weston Lea

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
stuffed elf
fishing pole
canoe & boat
snow globe
Love, Jace Watts

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I wot a ipad.
I wot a lava lamp.
I wot a yo-yo!
I wot a cuoch
I wot a skapbrd
Love, Eleanora Guerrero

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
purple jeep
computer & tabler
Barbie dream house
Barbie legos cheerleader
Love, Elizabeth Michelle Quiroga

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Xbox
P.S. five
long sox
laptop
l fon
Love, Bryden Schaaaf

Dear Santa,
My name is Kaison and I am
6 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: a tab-
let, a cat.
Love, Kaison Karnes.

Dear Santa,
My name is Adalynn and I am
7 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: a nerf
toy and a toy hamsters and
cog. And a Hatchables. and a
Barbie. unicorn sleeping bag.
Love, Adalynn Gregory

Dear Santa,
My name is Ryann and I am
6 years old. This year I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: a nerf
toy and a toy hamsters and
cog. And a Hatchables. and a
Barbie. unicorn sleeping bag.
Love, Adalynn Gregory

Dear Santa,
My name is Everlynn and I am
6 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: I want
a Hatchables, unicorn
sleeping bag, toy hamsters
and cage. Squishmellows,
rollerskates.
Love, Everlynn Margason

Dear Santa,
My name is Kaizeer and I am
7 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: I whet
a x-box. I whet a ps5. I whet
a play stashin. I whet a dog. I
whet a cat.
Love, Kaizer Norris

Dear Santa,
My name is Garrison and I am
6 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: I want
a ps5. I want nadoos. I want
nod er bass.

Love, Garrison Herring

Dear Santa,
My name is Ayden and I am
6 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: rain-
bow friends set.
Love, Ayden Albin

Dear Santa,
My name is Magnolia and
I am 7 years old. This year,
I have been very nice. For
Christmas, please bring me:
hatchables.
**Love, Magnolia Street-
man**

Dear Santa,
My name is Korbin and I am
6 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: a rain-
bow friends set.
Love, Korbin Gilson

Dear Santa,
My name is Camilla and I am
6 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: I wan
squishmellows and nerf toy.
Lol dolls 5 an hatchables and
rollerskates and a barbie.
Love, Camilla Moore

Dear Santa,
My name is Valerie and I am
6 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: doll
like Barbie, doll house, I wot
a tablet and xbox and I want
a squishmelo.
Love, Valerie Hoffman

Dear Santa,
My name is Bailey and I am
6 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: I want
roller skates.
Love, Bailey Campbell

Dear Santa,
My name is Hannah and I am
6 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: a LOL
doll 5 a squishmellows, a rle
cat, a rle dog, a Nerf toy.
Love, Hannah Berridge

Dear Santa,
My name is Donovan and
I am 7 years old. This year,
I have been very nice. For
Christmas, please bring me
ps5, a fon, a Hedrons, a dog.
Love, Donovan Arjon

Dear Santa,
My name is Isabelle and I
am 6 years old. This year, I
have been very nice. For
Christmas, please bring me:
unicorn sleeping bag and a
squish mellow and a stufys.
Love, Isabelle Schmidt

Dear Santa,
My name is Logan Rhymes
and I am 7 years old. This
year, I have been very nice.
For Christmas, please bring
me: Ps5, rainbow friends set,
x-box.
Love, Logan Rhymes

Dear Santa,
My name is Hunter and I am
6 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me a 1000
lego pieces titanic.
Love, Hunter Barker

Dear Santa,
My name is Emma-Jo and
I am 7 years old. This year,
I have been very nice. For
Christmas, please bring
me: roller-skates, LOL-dolls,
squishmellows, Qni-corn-
sleeping-bag, toy hamsters
and cage.
Love, Emma-Jo Tieben

Dear Santa,
My name is Arturo and I am
7 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: a x-box
and I want a headphones.
Love, Arturo Hernandez

Dear Santa,

My name is Judson and I am
6 years old. This year, I have
been very nice. For Christ-
mas, please bring me: a
woch and a rec car. xdox
with blue cunchrellr.
Love, Judson Kelley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
apple computer with a
mows.
robote terdell.
robote bird
dinosaur plushy.
Bird plusy.
Love, Bear

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
baby that looks ril
manequin head with hiar
giant stuff animal llama
a neclis
a iphone 14 for my sis
Love, Haddey

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
white cat
earrings
robot dash
Art stuff & book's
Love, Linliee

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
ps5 halo
xbox ppoelu & vbucks
infinity \$ dollars
infinity nite
Love, Aaron

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
phone
a big jinnte tetolber
a big jinttee hors
melpolesh set
babe bodel
Love, Rhyder

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A \$100000000
toys-LOL, and barbie
carrots for Santas reindeer
for Dad a nutcracker
for mom earrings
Love, Allison

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
xbox with call of duty
Best Nerf gone evr
dirtbike
a big box that me and my
brothrs to fit in
phone
Love, Micah

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
ps5 halo
xbox 360 iPhone 14
infinity vbucks fortnigt
for ps5 pokemon
moqxs 6,000\$
Love, Van

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A New dress.
a new makeup set.
a new LOL dall.
a new baby live dall and a Girl
And A forever blancit.
For my baby sister.
**Love, Chloe-Noelle
Campbell**

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would
like...
vr2
halo2
ps5
50 vbuck
dirt bicke tires.
Love, Bradley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would
like...
vr headset
drone
toy elf
books
pokemon stuffy
Love, Bryker

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would
like...
mermaid tall
xbox
Art stuf

IPhone
American girl doll
I love you Santa
Love, Decklan

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Earrings
Horse snowglobe
Books
Art stuff
Robot Dash
Love, Ruby

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
ntdo swich
pet cat two cats
roodoof plushy
cupmerter apple
ps4
Love, Kaylani

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a \$100
A Halo video game
A Horse
barn
rile gun, fake
Love, Dean

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Pet kitind
Pet pip
Pet chrmin
pet fish
pet bull dog
Love, Cody

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
pet dragon
Books
Legos
robo snake
pet scorpion
Love, Kavanagh

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
vr2
ps5
horse
dog
haelo2
Love, Carl

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
vr set
getor
dogs
ps5
bascitball hope
Love, Kase

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
iphone
scooter
bike
computer
makeup set
Love, Hazel

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
playstaihon card
New toys
Barns and noble card
two dog statues
3x new controllers
Love, Chance Farley

Dear Santa,

For Christmas, I would like...
catchers mit
baseball rolling bag
roblox
baseball cards
roblox robucks
Love, Dylan Collins

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
hover board
a puzzle
1,000 robux
all roblox clothes
friends
Love, Scarlett Tatro

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a cat hoir warring
a ball
a lady bug toy
a lot of robux
a toy dog
Love, Derrick Ballard

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a nintendo swich
a bowling set
step curry shoos
rare pokey mon
a Texas ranger jersey
Love, Cullen Clary

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
ps5
v bux
robux
a pet tarantula
infinite card
Love, Jace Warren

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
football
rc car
candy
scooter
coloring book
Love, Erik Gomez

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
flip phone with a case
new clothes
new shoes
bike
puppy
Love, Bethany Hoisington

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Hatchimals.
escape edominous rex lego
set
a real parakeet
for it to snow
and a ty stuffy
Love, Joleen Lam
PS. I love you and Jingels

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a dirtbike
a full set of swat armour
I want 100,000 robucks
for my dog to come back
home
a bag of gummys
Love, Oliver Pollard
I am 7, I love you thank you
for the toys



Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Dear Santa I want a gotekert
ples
Dear Sant I want a cheranlala
a rel one
Dear Sant I want tow books
Dear Sant I want fish in a fish
take
Dear Sant I want a dert bike
Love, Cotton Cooper

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
paints and crayons
new shoes
new clothes
books
new stuffed animals
Love, Olivia Melton

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
omg dolls
joy
squishmellows
slime
another elf
Love, Leddy Lee

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
15 roblox cands
nrf guns
rc car
candy
crom booc
Love, Charles Yarbrough

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
LOL doll
puppy
baby doll
Dear santa I want a ret bag
Love, Alison Garcia

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
flip phone with erey with
case
roblox on flip phone
ers perst for erings
Amerckin girl doll
Bike the one my sister has
with phone slide a dreink
holde and basket
Love, Annalynn Grace Whitenburg

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a necklis
a keychain
a new game
a soccer ball
a mistery gift
Love, Paxton Strebe

Dear Santa,

For Christmas, I would like...
robucks
pocimon
howeels
jurasic world
millions of pokemon
Love, Thorne

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
new cookbook
an xbox
mini fridge
small packman
Love, Maxus Ashdy

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I'd like...
fon
pawair ranger of ALL
bambao blad & ring
Love, Landon Deax

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A long book
A toy kitchen
a baby doll
new boots
bilse
Love, Fiona Hebner

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I'd like...
12 gage shotgn
\$200
race car
electric race car
pillow
Love, Brycen Hobday

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I rut a sufoonml
a b a fon
a b a dod hos
I rut a slab
Love, Emerlynn Jennings

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
cross bow
TV
spider man stuffy
red slime
Love, Cooper Johnson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
5 surprise mini
brounds
cooking toys
unicorn
playdoh
Love, Olivia Keenum

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
skateboard
bike
motor bike

a dog
a cat
Love, Dawson Linderman

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Boble gon
toye pezza
toy terex
clen my playroom
Love, Matthew Ras

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a swing set.
a riding bord.
leter magnets.
a basket ball whop
Love, Jackson Rivers

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
thousands of money
cross bow
bow
gun
dog and cat
Love, Kase Secrest

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Gabes doll house
Big plushy
swing set
my room clen
I wat my toy kitchen
Love, Dahlia Smith

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
A new toy car
a gameing room
a swing set
leter magnets
a riding bord
Love, Warden Strong

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
ToyTrolls
Toy car keys
20 note books
20 toy cars
toy cissmuss tree
Love, Klementine Veres

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I wot a snowmen book
I want a dragonball toy
I wot a fred
Love, Raphael Vida-Chacon

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Amacangirl
Amcan girl bathroom
Amcan girl kichin
A toy bedabigone
Love, Joelle Walker

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
I want my pop to feel better
I want to see my sister
I want my family to have a
merry Christmas
Love, Timothy Warren

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Robot car.
Toy train.
squishmolo.
\$100 of money
mor icecrem
Love, Maverick Wilson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
toy kitchen
toy food
swingset & clothes
Love, Brooklyn Wright

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
ninja star
throwing knives
lagos
tool box with tools
toys
Love, Jayce Baldwin

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
toy car to ride in
Soinc gift cards
sonic videgam
books
cars
Love, Jaxon Nelson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
itnosish
mini refrigerator
candy
morchas & legos
Love, Colton Caraway

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
pokeemon cos
ifon14
minee feij
babe bunee
cputr
Love, Ryder Doss

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Legos and Lego peepol
lphone 14
pokeymon cads
vmax pokey mon cads
nintindo swich
Love, Cael Cockrell

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
poke mons
bliw tuf eul

mot cdl snat
candy
sont tuf eul
Love, Sadie Blanchard

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
babe bunee
ifon 13
chpoutr
jumbo popit
hooj stuft anumall
Love, Kambree Key

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
mine frij
cuputr
popit
ifon 41 & tablit
Love, Carter Johnson

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
hedgehog
I yot a cup
new cactus light
squishmellow
I yot a route
Love, Lily McCauley

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Dog
new camra
table
elf on the shelf
100 piece puzzle
Love, Chelsea Gonzalez

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
pokeMon cards
candy
hedchog
pupy
Nintindo swich game
Love, Judson Thornton

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
shoos
candy
bick
pupe
jackt
Love, Madison Capella

Dear Santa,
For Christmas,
I'd like...
pokemon
cards
bear doll
something to
give my dad
cartoon cat
doll
fire doll
Love, Oliver Arevalo

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
all av the lagos
all pokemon cards
a pokemon phone
all av the video gams
a Lago ornament
Love, Ryker Mighell

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
a car that I can rid in
pokemon cards
uncorn
poodl
a dall
Love, Emmy Weaver

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
action figure
pokemon
bouncy house
tabit
Love, Noah Suggs

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
Books
Pigs
maues
Games
Ducks 10
Love, Gabrielle Michaelis

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I'd like...
Brbe Haose
candy
a cyppter
a hachumi
legos
Love, Charlotte Hankins-Bowyer

Dear Santa,
For Christmas, I would like...
action figures of Marvel and
DC
a stormbreaker from the
Marvel movies
Love, Hunter Craycraft



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