THE EXPRESS • December 21, 2011 • Page 6

LETTERS TO SANTA

Enjoy these letters, presented exactly as they were written by area children at school

I Saw Someone Typing Santa Letters By Melanie Lyon

(To the tune of I Saw Mommy Kissing Santa Claus)

I saw someone typing Santa letters – last night just before I fell asleep He didn't hear me creep down the stairs to take a peep He thought that I was working on my article for this week

Oh, I saw someone typing Santa letters – till the wee hours of this morn He said he had to type with all his strength and might They had to get to Santa for the kids, their heart's delight!

And, I saw someone typing Santa letters – sitting in that chair so snuggly warm Oh what a shame it would have been – if no one had sent them in To Santa for the school kids of Anson

I saw someone typing Santa letters – it must have taken lots and lots of time But every now and then – I'd see a great big grin And hear such joyous laughter, no he couldn't hold it in!

So kids don't worry, don't you fret or fear Your letter will reach Santa for sure this year 'Cause Allen stayed up all night – he wanted to make it right For each and every one on Christmas Eve night

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from all of us at The Express Newspaper We "expressly" wish you good tidings of great joy!

- Dear Santa, I have been really really good this year. All I want for Christmas is people who need food please give it to them. Tell them we love them. Thank you. Love, Jazmine, 5th grade, WES
- Dear Santa Claus, Thank you for all the toys you brought me last year. This year I would like a Lego City Airport, a Hex Bug Ant and the Hex Bug Hive, the cartoon adventure time DVD, the Smurf DVD and some surprises. Please bring my dogs and cat some treats too. I will leave some milk and cookies for you and carrots for the reindeer. Thank you. Love, Rocky Moore
- Dear Santa, Please bring me a xbox 360 Kinect and some under armur stuf. Thank you for my under armur sweat shirt and under pants. Keep up the good work. Your friend, Cameron Lockhart, PPES
- Dear Santa, How are yow are you getting good cookies from your elfs and Mrs. Clause. Santa are your raindeer ok are they getting a lot of carrits? Santa is it really cold in the northpole I hope it it's not because I want you to make it to every boys and grils house. Santa is Mrs. Clause ok is she making cookies and milk for you? Santa is your elfs getting cookies and milk to make sure they do. Love, Meredith, 3rd grade, AES
- Dear Santay, I holp you fell o.k. Santay. I wes I had a psek Jason, and baslats, and makup. I wes I can see you Santay. I wes I had a 100 pasat for my family. Love fum Rosalinda, mere cacmos, 3rd grade, AES
- · Dear Santa, I hope you are ready for Christmas. I bet you are busy from all the hard work. I hope your reindeer are ready to fly all around the world. How is Mrs. Claus doing? I bet she is making sweaters, scarfs and hats for the elf's. I bet she might be making cookies also. I bet the elf's are hard at work making presents for everybody. Is it freezing in the north pole? I bet the reindeer have blankets.Do the reindeer slip on the ice? I was wondering if everybody has Christmas tree's in their house. Are they big or are they small? Sincerely, Emily Edwards, 3rd grade, AES
- Dear santa, I want some shape up Sketsters and a IPod touch and a nother tendodsi for christmas and a labtop and I am Being good in class Your Friend tharianna Love santa, 3th grade, AES
- Dear: Santa I hope that you don't get tierd of giving the presints on every house, and make shure that you don't give them the worst gift, and when you come to my house I got your cookies on the table and some milk. Love Esperanza, 3th grade, AES
- Dear Santa, I have been very good this year and k now that I am on the nice list so I am expecting at least five things on this list. I want a blue Wii, a camera, new clothes, new shoes, the new Inst Dance 3 game, a Kindle Touch, a flash drive, a printer, a new phone, a new bike, the new Wipeout game, the new Mario game, a new diary, for my family to get by better, to celebrate the birth of Jesus, and to make everyone happy. I will have milk and cookies waiting for you if you come. Shymari Robinson, 5th
- grade, MES • Dear Santa, for Christmas I want a I Phone 4. and a iPod touch screen. I want a blizzard maker, and a easy bake oven. I want a kindle Fire. I want a some clothes from rue 21. I want some boots from the mall. I want a dog a small one. I want and think I deserve all these things because I have been good in school. I have good grades. I have did all my chores. I help my sister with her chores. I have been nice to my sisters. I have clean my room and made my bed. I want these things because they are very fun and they excite me. I want these things for Christmas because I feel I will always play with them because I will love them no matter how old I get because I love them. Aleshia Lindsey,
- Dear Santa Claus How have you been? I have been very good in school this year. I kept my room clean, I washed the dishes, and I fed the dogs. I would like a pair of boots, some toys, and a Xbox 360 kenect. I've been very respectful to my teacher, and to my parents. Santa please bring peace, and feed the homeless, and let them find shelter. Let the soldiers come home from the war. Santa please bring happiness and joy into the world. Love: Robert Crump, 5th grade, MES

5th grade, MES

- Dear Santa, I have been good this year. I did what my mom told me to do. I wash the dishes and clean up. I will like a touch screen phone, xbox Kincet, nintendo DSP, a Ipod touch, clothes, shoes, a puppy for me, laptop for me. I want the homeless people to be happy get some shoes, clothes, toys, a house, food, and stuff for the homeless people. Sincerely, Niasis Marshall, 5th grade,
- Dear, Santa I'm am Demya .M Pratt. I'm am in the fifth grade. I live in Morven North carolina 204 White Oak str. I have been a very good little girl this year. I had good grades, and kept my room clean. I've been very good to my mother and farther. This year I've been very good, and I would like toys for my award. I would like a Xbox 360 Kinnect, Karoke machine, and a basketball. If you don't mine can you work your magic, so I will make the baseketball team. This year I am going to be very thoughtful. I want the war and fight on earth to stop. I really want the all of the arctic animal to have a place to live. I really want all of the children of the world to be happy for Christmas this year. Sincerely, Demya, 5th grade, MES • Dear Santa, I have been a very
- good girl this year. I kept my room clean, fed the dogs and took out the trash when it was my turn. This year I have been on my best behavior. I have been making all good grades. I have did better this year. This year I would like to have lots of books for Christmas. I would also like to have an ipod touch, netendo 3DS, a new phone and some red beets. This Christmas I would like world peace. This year Im going to get my mom and dad a gift, because last year I didnt them anything. I like Christmas, because you can get gifts be around your family, and celebrate the holidays. P.S. I think you have lost weight and need a treat of milk and cookies. Sincerely, Nordeza Ratliff loves Santa Clause, 5th
- grade, MES
 Dear Santa, Thank you for all the presents you gave me in the past. I have really enjoyed them. I would like a 3DS, money and candy. I would also like board games, ipod touch, and a puppy. I hope you have a great Christmas this year! Love, Maddie Wright, PPES
- Dear Santa, I want some new furniture for my Doll house Easy Bake oven I love you Santa Claus. Caroline Austin, PPES
- Dear Santa, Please bring me a Laptop, makeup, CD under the Misle toe, gokart, Itouch. And a Ipad, facke fingernails, Just Dance, Just Dance 2, Just Dance 3. Thank you for all the things you brought me last year. Your friend, Malerie Austin, PPES
- *Dear Santa*, Thank you for bringing shampoo, perfume, hair gel. Please this year I would like a blue lunch box, psp and under pants. Don't work too hard. Your friend, Alexis Gomez, PPES
- *Dear Santa*, Thank you for all the gifts from last year. All I want this year is some army men, money, and a PSP. I would also like the movie Rio and a 3DS, and some candy. That's all I want this year. Your friend, Grant Thuleen, PPES
- Dear Santa, Thank you for the stuff you gave me last year. How did you get into the chimney? There's a piece of metal hooped over our chimney. I would like a small dirt devil, and lots of stuff to make crafts with. I would also like a cleaning set again. I lost all peices of my old cleaning set exept for the small green dustpan. I have been a good girl most of this year. Your friend, Abigail Gano, PPES
- Dear Santa, I want a car. I wld lik sum gams. I ben gud! Love, Blake, PPES • Dear Santa, My name is Justin. I
- am 6 years old. I live in Wadesboro. This year I've been really good and it would be super cool if you could bring me a video game this year. Thank you! Kindergarten, PPES
 Dear Santa, My name is Emanuel.
- I am 6 years old. I live in Polkton. This year I've been really good and it would be super fantastic if you could bring me these things this year: computer, motorcycle, bike, cars, train. Please tell Mrs. Claus and the elves thank you for me.Kindergarten, PPES

- Dear Santa, My name is Fredrick. I am 5 years old. I live in Lilesville. This year I've been really good and it would be super hot if you could bring me these things: Batman, X-box 360, Wii, wrestling ring, ninja turtles blackwing. Please tell Mrs. Claus and the elves Merry Christmas for me! Kindergarten, PPES
- Dear Santa, My name is Paul. I am 5 years old. I live in Polkton. This year I've been really good and it would be super hot if you could bring me these things this year: John Cena, John Morrison, Evan Born, wrestlers in a car. Thank you! Kindergarten, PPES
- Dear Santa, My name is Jamarion. I am 6 years old. I live in Polkton. This year I've been really good and it would be super hot if you could bring me these things: Power Ranger, Batman, Ninja, bike. Thank you! Kindergarten, PPES
- Dear Santa, My name is Cameron.
 I am 5 years old. I live in Peachland.
 This year I've been really good and it would be super hot if you could bring me these things this year: pillow pet, colorful candycane, toy dog, camera, X box. Please tell Mrs. Claus and the elves thank you for me! Kindergarten, PPES
- *Dear Santa*, My name is Elijah. I am 5 years old. I live in Polkton. This year I've been really good and it would be super nice if you could bring me a Spiderman this year. Thank you! You're the best Santa ever! Kindergarten, PPES
- Dear Santa, My name is Tyler. I am 5 years old. I live in Pageland. This year I've been really good and it would be super good if you could bring me an army game this year. Thank you! Kindergarten, PPES
- Dear Santa, My name is Christian. I am 5 years old. I live in Polkton. This year I've been really nice and it would be super nice if you could bring me a four Wheeler this year. Thank you! Kindergarten, PPES
- Dear Santa, My name is Gracie. I am 5 years old. I live in Peaehland. This year I've been really good and it would be super hot if you could bring me these things this year: Leap Frog, doll, and video game. Please tell Mrs. Claus and the elves Merry Christmas for me! Kindergester, PDES
- garten, PPES
 Dear Santa, This is what I want for Christmas. Christmas list toys and games: A xbox Knect, A psp 3 with the games in it, A wii u can dance, A D.S 3D with the pack to, A big pool with a beach ball, A gocart pink and blue, A orbit. I want a good good Christmas for my family and me. A new bike pink and blue. A fourwiller a small one pink. Le'Ann Helms,
- WES • Dear Santa, I want to make my grama to feel better and I want my sister to feel better her name is Jessica and I love my mom my step dad and my big sister and my other sister and my big brother and my little brother and my sister Jala I love her becaues she don't be mean to me and we all get along and my brother Antiona and I love my little brother Amarin and love my sister Jessica and myself and I thank my mom and dad and I love my whole family and everybody. I wish that my family will be good on Christmas and I got my sister a present and my mother a angle and my step dad a white house and it's small and my gramma a bow pin and my other sister I got her some pink flowers ear wigs and they name is my big sister is Jessica and my other sister is Jala And my mama is lafredra And my step dad is Jesse And I hope it will be a good Christmas this year. Ahsanti Alexander,
- WES • Dear Santa, I would like to tell you what I want for Christmas. by the way my name is Kaziah and I'm nine years old. And this is what I want I want a Htc phone, camra, roller skats, my own computer, coloring pencils, one of thos books you unlock with a little key, some boots that has the long top on it and a zipper, a real make up set, a mindless behvier poster, A clip board, one of thos little white board's with markers, one of thos new dance wii games or any kind of wii, a dsi, and a ipad. It would be nice if I could get thos presents. And my last wish is for my class to be good so we can do fun things in our class room and that would be all I want. P.S. I with to have a merry Christmas. Kaziah Parsons, WES

- *Dear Santa*, I want for Christmas, a game for ps2. And I want a dirt bike. And a pool table. And I want modern warfare 3 for my ps2. Tray, WES
- *Dear Santa*, I have been very good this year. This is what: I want a Playstation 3 and Playstation 2 games. I also want some Playstation 3 games. Love, Raymond, 5th grade, WES
- Dear Santa, Ived been really really good this year. What I want for Christmas is a trampoline, flat screen tv, ipad 2, phone and to be with my family and friends and be really really happy and enjoy Christmas and tell Jesus happy Bday. Merry Christmas Love Endoria, 5th grade, WES
- Dear Santa, I have been very, very good this year. The only thing I want for christmas is a laptop and to be with my family. Love, Danielle Miller, 5th grade, WES
- Dear Santa, I am writing you to tell you what I want for Christmas. Please get it. First, I want a new game for my xbox 360. Next I want to grant a wish to people who don't have nothing. Sincerely, Aalyiah Gainey, 5th grade, WES

· Dear Santa I have been very,

very good this year. The only

thing I want for christmas is a tel-

escope and a microsop. Love

William, 5th grade, WES

Loggan, 5th grade, WES

• Dear Santa I have been very good this year. For Christmas I want some clothes, shoes, some new games, and a ipod touch!

Love, LaTravious Tyson, 5th grade, WES

• Dear Santa, I've been very good

this year but I don't want nothing

for Christmas but world peace and

my sister to get what she wants.

P.S. Slack off on the cookies!

• Dear Santa, I have been very

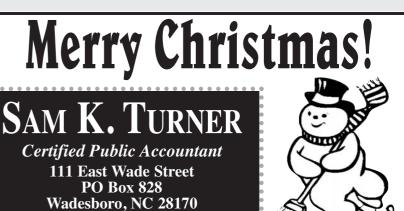
good this year. All I want is a

Michael Vick signed football. If

you can get me that I'll be the

happiest person on earth. Love,

Love Zachery, 5th grade, WES





704-694-5699



