

Santa Gets Letters What Children Want

FROM DAVIDSON.
My Dear Santa Claus: I want a baby doll that can open and shut its eyes and baby doll carriage a stove and some nuts and candy. Good by dear Santa Claus, your little friend,
LOTTIE CRANFORD,
Davidson, N. C.

ALEXANDER RESCUE.
Dear Santa Claus: I would like you to please bring me a large doll. Will you also please bring the other little children at "The Alexander Home" some things as some of them are too small to write to you. Wishing you a merry Xmas.
KATHLEEN BARNHILL,
"The Alexander Home."

ONLY AN OVERCOAT.
Dear Santa Claus: I thought I would write you a few lines to let you know what I would like for Xmas. I am 12 years old I would like to have an overcoat I never had one in my life from your loving friend,
DALLAS P. FISHER,
220 N. McDowell St.

ONLY A FEW THINGS.
Dear Santa Claus: I wish to have a big baby doll and a carriage and a tea set and a little spring bed and a cradle and also something good, candy and nuts and oranges and some apples and curants and also some bananas and a stove. Good by yours very truly,
SADIE ORR,
5 E. Palmer St.

SEVERAL THINGS.
Dear Santa Claus: I write you a few lines I want a great big sleeping doll and a carriage and a little piano little parlor set and a little doll house and a muff and a ring and a silk dress and a new hat and a tea set a little stove a pair of vases and a necktie and a bracelet and rubber ball I want a box of candy and apples oranges nuts negro tose.
BESSIE GILBERT,
401 N. Pogram St.

SANTA LOVES BIRDS.
Dear Santa Claus: I thought I would try and write you what I want for Xmas I want a drum a horn and some apples and candy and a express wagon and some nuts of all kinds raisins and oranges and Bananas and fire crackers and a air gun so I can kill birds when I come home from school of an evening I guess I had better quit to this time yours truly,
MARTIN COLE,
6 Belmont Ave.

RED TOP CARRIAGE.
Dear Santa Claus: I will try to write you a few lines to let you know what I want I would like to have a little Doll and carriage and a Doll to the carriage with a red top to it I will close your friend,
EVA ANDREWS,
7 N. Pogram St.

ONLY A BABY.
Dear Santa Claus: I will write you a little letter I am just a baby I want a rubber doll and some candy and oranges I am your baby
RUTHIE NEAL ANDREWS,
7 N. Pogram St.

YOUR FRIEND.
Dear Old Santa Claus: I will write to you to let you know what I want I would like to have a little gun and nuts of all kind and candy I will close your friend,
JASPER ANDREWS,
7 N. Pogram St.

BELMONT.
Dear Old Santa Claus: I will try to write you a few lines to let you know what I want I would like to have a little wagon red I will close your friend,
JESSE ANDREWS,
7 N. Pogram St.

RED TESTAMENT.
Dear Santa Claus: Please send me a coat a little red Testament, some oranges nuts and candies I am 11 years old and live at 410 Templeton Ave. Good by,
MARTHA KATHRINE HOLMES,

Dear Santa Claus I am a little boy 9 years old and my papa is dead Will you please send me overcoat an a pair of shoes number 1 if you please your little friend,
WILL HORN,
1007 N. B. St.

Dear Santa: Please send me a pair of shoes number 12 to wear to Sunday school your little boy,
DOBH HORN,

Now Santa please send the baby boy three years old a Cloak an Cap please don't forget us.
CHAS. HORN,
1007 N. B. St.

A LITTLE GIRL 11 YEARS OLD.
Dear Old Santa Claus: I will write you a letter to let you know what I want. I do not want very much. All I ask for is a fur and muff. I am one of your little girls and Santa Claus bring my little brother a little bank.
Good by Santa,
EVA NIVEN,
502 E. Oak St.

A ROCK HORSE.
Mr. Santa Claus: Please send me a hat an a rock horse your little boy 10 years old.
WILLIE MARTON,
14 St. 5007.7

TWO SISTERS.
Dear Santa Claus: I will ask you to please send me a nice horn and some nuts, apples, candy. I have two little sisters I want you to please send them 2 little baby dolls and some candy, nuts, oranges and apples. I am your little friend,
ARTHUR B. CLONTZ,
1212 South Tryon St.

SPECIMEN HAIR VIGOR.
Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a doll with hair on its head, also a pic-

and I want a little horse and a large wagon I got nobody to get me any for I got no papa. Santa Claus I will be a good little boy Santa Claus I is 4 years old and you know about what a little boy wants like me for I guess you was a little boy one time your self Bring me some candy too, some bananas too and some raisins too. I not ask for any things else. I will tell you my name, my name is
ARTHUR STUTTZ.
I will tell you where I live at Louise Mill, Pogram street, No. 14.

HIGHLAND PARK NO. 2.
Dear Santa: I live on 19th street the Highland Park mill no 2 Please bring me a new hat and cloak and some candy apples and oranges and nuts so by Rear Santa please come to my house.
SARAH BROOM.

A PAIR OF SHOES.
Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl 4 years old and live on 16th street and my papa is dead will you please bring me a pair of shoes and cap and some nuts candy and apples, oranges so good by dear Santa. Be sure and come
BENNIE YANDLE.

BOY WANTS A DRESS.
Dear Santa: I am a little boy 3 years old. Please bring me some apples oranges nuts and a dress. You will find me on 16th street. My name is
MARTIN BROOM.

I WORK AT NIGHT.
Dear Santa Claus: I will write you a few lines I am a little girl I want you to bring me a coat and some oranges and apels and some candy and a doll. Please I work at night.
BECKIE SIKES,
16th street, Gingham Mill.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy 5 years old I want you to bring me some candy apples and oranges and a horse and wagon and drum and nuts.
HENRY SIKES,
16th street, Gingham Mill.

ANOTHER FROM NO. 2.
Dear Santa: I am a little boy and want you to send me some apples oranges and cocoanut, you will find me on Cinch row
ARTHUR BROOM.

NEED SHOES AND CLOTHES.
Dear Santa Claus: I live on 19th street at the Highland Park Mill No. 2. My papa is dead and I need a pair of shoes and a suit of clothers very badly will you please bring them to me and one cocoanut and some candy oranges and apples so by by. Please come to my house.
JESSIE YANDLE.

PAPA IS DEAD.
Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl living at the Highland Park Mill No. 2, and my Papa is dead Please bring me a pair of shoes and a new dress and some nuts oranges apples and candy So good by dear Santa, I hope you will come around
FLONNIE YANDLES.

A TOY GUN.
Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy 8 years old. Pleas send me a drum and a toy gun so I will close. Boody Dear Old Santa Claus.
JAMES HELMS,
702 South A. st.

A LITTLE ORPHAN.
Dear Santa Claus: I am 6 years old and I would like to have a bay doll and a gocart and a teaset and some orange and nuts. I am a litte orphan so I will close. Good by Dear Old Santa Claus.
Respectful,
ETHEL HUCKS,
302 E. Hill.

A STUDENT.
Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl 6 years old, go to Sunday school, Mrs. Carrie Williams is my teacher. She is kind and so good. I also go to school. Mrs. Chalmers Moore is our teacher. We all have learned to love her. I have a little sister aged 4 years named Mollie Lee and a little brother aged 3 years named Robert. He is smart and can play with us. Well Santa Claus you can bring us anything you hove to spare. We will not be choise with a doll bany and a horn for little Robert. With best wishes to you and The Evening News, I close. Yau has been a subscriber to the New for a long time.
Sincerely,
LILLIAN L. KENDALL,
Groveton.

A TENDER CALL.
Dear Santa: I am a little girl ten years old. My papa has been sick for more than a year and I want you to be sure and look me up for dear papa will not be able to see you this year as he has been in bed for five weeks. I want a piano.
CONNIE BIGLER,
6 West 5 street, Ext.

A BAND MASTER.
Dear Santa Claus: I want drum and flute and anything else that you are kind enough to bring but please bring me some oranges and raisins and nuts and candy. I am a little boy 6 years old and am in the first grade.
Yours Truly,
MURRY COCHRANE,
208 W. 11th st.

DON'T FORET ME.
Dear Old Santa Claus: I want a doll and doll carriage and a little doll cradle and some oranges, apples, raisins, nuts and candy and just anything else. I am a little girl two years old and I weigh 32 pounds. Don't forget me.
Yours Truly,
NELLIE COCHRANE,
208 W. 11th st.

RUB-A-DUB-DUB-RUB.
My Dear Old Santa Claus: I want a big base drum that will go bum, bum, bum, and a bugle and a big billy goat. Oh, I don't want everything but leave something for the rest of the boys and girls, but bring some apples, candy, nuts and raisins. I am a little boy in the third grade and I am 8 years old.
ROBERT MOORE,
208 W. 11th St.

ON OAK STREET.
Dear Old Santa Claus: I am a little girl 12 years old will you be so kind as to bring me a big doll and a carriage nuts and candy and oranges and a pair of mits
CARRIE CLARK,
403 E. Oak street.

THANKFUL.
Dear Santa: I will write you a little letter asking you to bring me a drum and a shot gun a horn and nuts candy, and a pair of gloves. I will be ever so much oblige.
Your friend,
CHARLIE CLARK,
403 E Oak street.

EXPLICIT.
Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a drum and a horn and a little bag of tools, and a little candy and nuts.
Your little boy,
JESSE MURRY,
715 East 6th Street.

IF YOU GOT TIME.
Good Old Santa Claus: I want you to please come by my house and bring me a little stove and a big doll and some candiy and nuts. Be sure and come.
ETHEL MURRY,
715 East 6th Street

SANTA HAS THEM ALL.
Dear Santa Claus: Please send me a little clown that walks on his hands and a kettle drum and a horn and some candy.
MYRTLE MURRY,
715 East Sixth Street.

1-2 POUND BOX CANDY.
Dear Santa: I am a little boy six years old. Will you please send me a good box 1-2 pound candy and a pair of No. 8 shoes so that I can go to school. Good By Santa,
WAS. L. VANDERLY,
Groveton.

A BEGINNER.
No 12 East Arine St.
Dec. 12, CCharlotte, N. C.
Dear Old Santa Claus: I want a horn and drum: I want a billy goat and some candy, apples, oranges, nuts too, and a littleboy four years old.
Am oblige.
HARNLY BEATTIE
ONLY A GIRL
Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a doll, a nice go cart and some candy. I am a little girl six years old and the number of my house is 708 North Smith Street.
Yours truly,
GAYNELL SMITH.

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Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a express wagon and a drum. I am eleven years old and my No. is 708 North Smith Street.
Yours truly,
CARL SMITH.

PLENTY TO EAT.
Dear St. Nicholas: Please send me a doll as big as little sister. with black hair and blue eyes, and a pink silk dress and send me a doll carriage and a little chocolate candy figs and nuts and big oranges. I am six years old, My name is
MINNIE MAY BEATTIE.

12 Catherine St., Charlotte, N. C.,
Dec. 19th, 1903.
Dear Santa Claus: I want a pair of shoes and a doll and a set of dishes. I am ten years old and I want a new red dress and some candy, apples, and oranges and nuts. Am oblige,
HERE IS A NURSE.
No: 12 Catherine Street.
Dear Santa Claus: Please send little sister a little cradle, a cap and a nice cloak, a rubber doll and a rubber rattler. She is two months old. Her name is Edna Beattie.
P. S.—Please send me a ladies picture like mama, to see.

I WON TA DOG.
Dear Santa Claus: IL will write to tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a little wheel borrow and a little dog and some candy and oranges and apples and please send mero gers and apples and please bring my baby sister a baby doll. I am a little boy three yetas old and I live at No. 21 Arlington street and my name is
MARTIN MOORE.

NO. 3 BOYS SHOES.
Dear Santa Claus: I am 11 years old and have been out of work all summer and I cannot get work anywhere. I am going to school. I am almost barefooted, My shoes are nearly gone. Please bring me a pair of No. 3 boys shoes and I will be glad of them.
From
H. L. VANDERLIF,
Groveton.

MUST HAVE SHOES.
Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl eight years old. I go to school every day. Please bring me a pair of No. 12 shoes also a cloak, so I can go to Sunday school. I go to 10th Avenue Church every Sunday. But I cant go any more till I get shoes.
Groveton.
ALICE VA...ERLIF.

ALL KINDS OF GOOD THINGS.
Dear Santa Claus: I will write you a letter to let you know what I want for Christmas. Please bring me a large doll, one that goes to sleep, handkerchief, some gloves, a ring and a horn and all kinds of good things.
SADIE SHAW,
215 South McDowell St.

STUDENT AT HOMER.
Dear Santa Claus: Will you please remember me and bring me a drum, a harp, a toy wagon, some candy, some butter nuts, raisens, bananas, oranges and such like. Mama says yap will be sure to bring me all that I have mentioned if I am a good boy and learn my books at home. I am not going to school. Mama teaches me at home. Please dont forget your little boy.
LOY ORR MACK,
Eustace Avenue, Dilworth.

A SUIT OF CLOTHES, PLEASE.
Dear Santa Claus: I will be somewhat a stranger to you. I see in the paper where so many boys is riding to you I thought I would rite and tell you what to bring me. I want a nice suit of clothes, so I can go to sunday school, I want be greedy, please send

me a suit of clothes and that is all I ask of Dear Old Santa. I am most seven years old and I am going to school every day. Santa please come out this way. Santa is needed to come and I will wach for him and the present that I ask him: good by Santa.
With best wishes,
MARVIN FRY,
729 North Graham St.
P. S.—Please dont think me greedy. Send me some nuts.

A CLOAK FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL.
Dear Santa Claus: I will tell you what I want you to bring me for Christmas present. I want a jacket or cloak to wear to Sunday school and a nice dressed doll please dont forget me I am going to school every day and most nine years old. So good by Santa Claus. With best wishes and remember me.
PEARL FRY,
729 North Graham St.

A WASHSTAND SET.
Dear Santa Claus: Please send me a nice wash stand set for my doll. I am 4 years old and dont go to school.
OLIVE MAY NORRIS,
217 E. A. St.

A FOOT HIGH.
Dear Santa Claus: Please send me a nice doll about a foot high. I am 2 years old. I dont go to school.
PEARL NORRIS,
217 E. A. St.

AVE NOT FOOT YOU.
Huntersville, N. C., Dec. 12, 1903.
Dear Old anta: I will write you a few lines have you forgot me, thought you had. Santa willy ou send me a nice pear of kid gloves and a fascinator and a great big doll four feet high so that is all I want.
So I will close so good by,
MYRTLE SLOAN.

DON'T ASK FOR MUCH.
Charlotte, N. C., Dec. 14, 1903.
Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl 6 years old; I thought I would write you a few lines to let you know what I want. I want a cloak and a little suit of furniture and some candy, nuts and oranges I won't ask for much as you have so many little children to send presents to. My papa is dead, but I live with my grandpa.
Your little friend,
CORNELIA COCHRANE,

A TRUNK AND STOVE.
Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a trunk, and a stove, and a little rocking chair, and some candy, apples, bananas, oranges, carriage, a doll hat and that is all.
Lovingly,
SUE KEELEY.
I live out in the country beyond the fair grounds.

FROM DILWORTH.
My Dear Old Santa Claus: I want a doll baby, a doll carriage, a doll hat, some raisnuts, too, a doll swing, a pair of shoes and a pair of slippers, and some stockings for the doll, a little wagon, and a billy goat, some candy, some nuts, and English walnuts, little play dog, some little chickens, a little piano, and nothing else.
Your little five year old sweetheart,
IRENE SCANNELL.
I live in Dilworth right in front of Mr. Huntley's store.

WANTS A MONKEY.
Charlotte, N. C., Dec. 9, 1903.
Dear Santa Claus: I will write you a merry little letter I want you to bring me some things I want you to bring me a monkey and some nuts, and some candy, and some oranges, and some apples.
So I will close.
Send me the things to the Ader mills, North Smith street, No. 906.
ELMER EARNHART.

A PAIRO F RUBBERS.
Charlotte, N. C., Dec. 10, 1903.
Dear Santa Claus: I thought I would rite you a very little letter, I want you to bring me a pair of rubber shoes, and some oranges, and some apples, and some candy and some nuts.
I am eight years old.
So I will close.
CLARENCE EARNHART.
North Smith street, No. 906, Ader mill.

AN ANOTHER.
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Charlotte, N. C., Dec. 10, 1903.
My Dear Santa Claus: I want you to bring me a pair of overshoes and a little organ, and some candy, and some oranges, and some apples. I am ten years old. I will close for this time.
North Smith street, No. 906, Ader mill.
IDA EARNHEART.

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