



**Ringin In The Season**

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Shalotte Middle School students were treated to a performance by Atheda Lusk-Watson's hand bell choir last week. Pictured, from left, are Samara Hewett, Catherine Neil, Jennifer Rabon and Jenean Fields. Dressed in white shirts, black bow ties and white gloves, the students performed a variety of Christmas songs in the school library.

**Waccamaw Students Write Santa**

World peace, food and shelter for the poor, "Rundolph" the reindeer and Nintendo games—all these and more were on the minds of students at Waccamaw Elementary School when they wrote letters to Santa Claus earlier this month.

Authors of the letters that appear below are students of kindergarten teacher Louise Gause; first-grade teacher Carla Bass; second-grade teachers Sonya Anderson and Jo Rhodes; and third-grade teachers Carla Fox and Brinda Stanley.

Dear Santa:  
Please bring me some toys.  
Bring my mama and Daddy something

Love  
Brandi N. Harrison  
Kindergarten  
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Dear Santa:  
We Love you  
Please bring us some toys.  
Merry Christmas,  
Love  
Travis Gore  
Kindergarten  
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Dear Santa:  
Please bring us some toys.  
Merry Christmas,  
Love,  
Matthew Norris  
Kindergarten  
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Dear Santa  
Please bring me a bike I would like Candyland  
I want a Mario 3  
I want some sweat shirts.  
live,  
Brandon Fearnside  
First Grade  
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Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a remote control car, and I want a Lego set called the Black Sea Baracuda. And I want some clothes.  
Your friend,  
Brandon Dyson  
Second Grade  
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Dear Santa,  
I want some Babies. I also want skates, I also want some clothes, I also a bike. I also want a trampoline, I also want Little Miss make up. I also want a swingset, I also want Reboks and Jordache shoes. I also want a fur coat, I also want a skin tight skirt.  
Love,  
Victoria Amber Babson  
Second Grade  
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Dear Santa,  
I've been a good boy. I have good grades. I want a Nintendo watch. I want a ball, bat, gloves, a glow in a dark race car set, books, a walkie talkie phone.  
I want some clothes.  
Please Santa try your best. There are other things I want but I don't want to trouble you.

Love,  
Aldric Marco  
Nicholas Jones  
Second Grade  
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Dear Santa,  
Boy, it's a long story to tell. I can't tell it all. I want it all but I can write enough to make my dreams come true. We'll I want a Nintendo but that is too much! A bunny rabbits are to much to Keep up with. Let the poor to have a home, and help the people in Saudie Arabia to come home and have a safe and happy holiday. But most of all is love from you and your reindeer and to everybody else.  
have a merry berry christmas and a happy New year

Love your sweet,  
Sucann Holden  
Third Grade  
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P.S. Everybody Loves you  
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Dear Santa Claus:  
How are you doing? How old are you? How is Rudolph doing?

I Would like to have a magic nursery baby. I Would like to have a Coloring book too. I Would like to have a Nintendo and that is all for me.

I Would like World peace.  
I Would like the soldiers to come home and people to stop fighting

Love,  
Crystal Piver  
Third Grade  
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P.S. I will leave you Some milk and Cookies.  
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Dear Santa  
I want some clothing. I would like for the women and men in the east to come home safe. For everyone to have free life, and for the poor to have money for food. I would want love and care for everyone

I want you to take a picture of Rundolph for me. Tell Rundolph hello. There is many things I want. But I cannot think of it. Merry Christmas to all.

B.J. Lynn Sibbett  
Third Grade  
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Dear Santa,  
I have been a good Boy this year. I want a Remote control truck.  
I want a ninJa Turtle.  
I want some Nintendo games.  
I want a puppet Rudolph.  
I wan an ice ice baby tape.

Love,  
Kyle Lorenza Ward  
Second Grade  
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Dear Santa,  
Will you get me a Nintendo tape. But I really want Jesus to have a good time because it is his birthday. Oh and Keep those elves of yours work'n

William Gore  
Third Grade  
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Dear Santa:  
Here is a letter to tell you what I want for Christmas. I don't want but eleven things. I have been a little bad but, I have made up for it. I had to do chores for it. I am very sorry. I will be good next time. Down be low is a list to tell you what I want for Christmas. I want an Upsy Daisy, a slinky, a fish, a Dinsey World trip, a car, a kitten, a puppy, pump shoes, a desk, money and most of all, I want the love of my parents, and NO WAR!

P.S. How old are you?  
Merry Christmas!

Love,  
Jessica Stout  
Third Grade  
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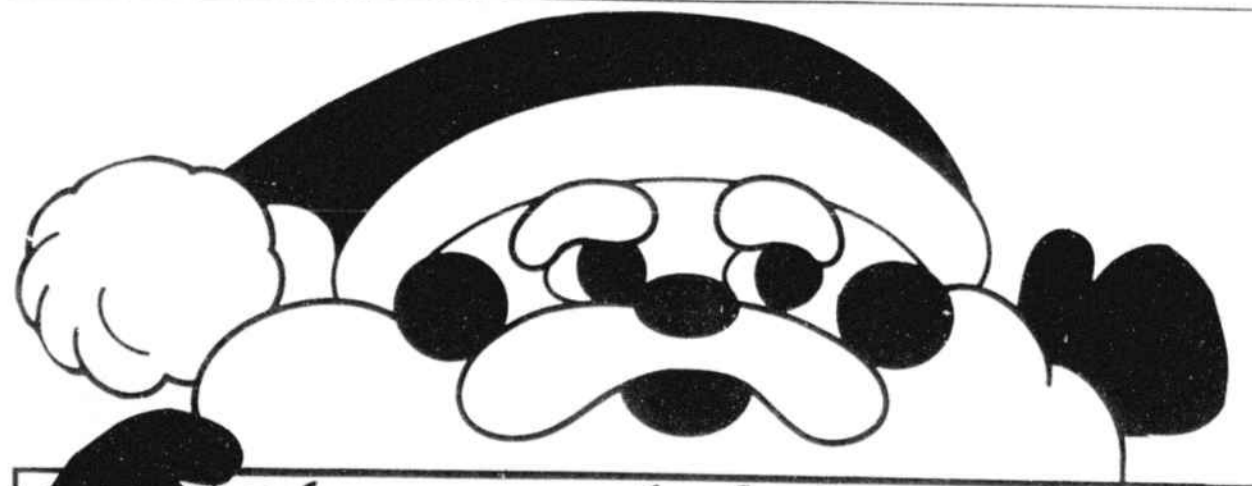
Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a gameboy, a real army suit, a Nintendo tape called Super Mario Bros. 3. A toy rocket that can go up into the air a hundred feet up. A buck Knife six inches long. A turtle poster, A Science kit that can do more than a hundred things. And if you are real you'll come and see me.

your friend,  
Jarod Leggett  
Third Grade  
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Dear Santa,  
For Christmas I want a tape player with head phones, a gocart, two pairs of bluejeans, three sweatshirts, a t.v., a pair of nike shoes, a new radio, a new watch.

P.S. Don't forget to say hello to Mrs. Claus and to your reindeer for me!!!

Love,  
Nicole Babson  
Third Grade  
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