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**Dear Santa...**

Dear Santa: I wish you would bring me my brothers. Sometime for Christmas My daddy hasent got work for 6 week and dont have any money we are doing good to get any thing to eat I am 12 years old and my brothers is 6 years any thing but what I want is shoes. I wear size 3 and a pencil box and my brother

wants a airplane and cow boy suit.

Thank you Santa from Bonnie & Elmer Whitley 22433 S. Ravenna Ave., Wilmington, Calif.

Dear Santa: I want a leather jacket and three poems books. Phyllis wants baby dolls and a baby buggy and a trick cooking set. Joey Davy Crocket suit. A Bick rabbit the rowbat a leather jacket and pear of shoes. Delores a doll buggy dikes a soeing a new coat a to, a girls bick a perfume and markup. Edward Prenevost age 8 1010 W. 204th St., z Torrance

Dear Santa: I hope you can find my sister, brothers and I this Xmas. We just moved to 403 W. 226th St., Torrance, Calif. from New York State.

Would like a new doll carriage and doll bath in etc. My big brother david 9 yrs. old and my sister Jackie 12 yrs. old would like each to get a bike. My baby brother Billy is not quite two He would like some trucks and cars.

This is our first Xmas away from Utica New York so please dont get us.

Denise Joy Lynch age 4 403 W. 226th St., Torrance

Dear Santa: Please bring me a little car. Dodie wants a doll and buggy. Wayne wants a bear. Hope you can read his letter Mama is spelling this but I am printing the letters. Please dont get my letter mixed up.

Alice Nemitz 1202 W. 223rd St.

Dear Santa: Please Santa send me a girls bike every nite. I help mother wash the dishes. I am 8 years old.

Thank you, Jane Hirose 3738 Del Amo Blvd., Torrance

Dear Santa Claus: I am 5 yrs. old. I have three brothers. I would like to have a wagon so we can all play with it. Then if you have any toys left over you could bring each of us a cowboy outfit. Teddy is 9 Rickey is 7 and Jerry is 4. Please bring them to my grandmans house 1434 W. 253rd St., Harbor City I really like you Santa. I'll be waiting for you. Please leave them on the front porch as we dont have a chimney.

Love, Jackie Bessa

Dear Santa Claus: I would like a doll. I would

**New Officers Elected For Royal Group**

The Royal Neighbors elected new officers at their recent business meeting.

The new leaders are: Stelma Norris, orator; Betty McNeil, vice-orator; Anna Reid, chancellor; Vertie Grimm, recorder; Belva Brase, receiver; Ethel Liste, marshal; Patricia Young, inner sentinel; Rosie Shepherd, outer sentinel; and Lillian Nelson, third year manager.

The officers will be installed Tuesday, January 17.

The club's Christmas dinner party was held Tuesday night. Vertie Grimm was in charge of reservations; and Margaret Stavens created the decorations. Lucille Myers was program chairman; and Susie Walker was in charge of juvenile member's gifts.

**Studio Fetes Children With Huge Party**

A total of 225 students of the Granger Dancing Academy of Torrance, 2448 Hawthorne, participated in the Christmas party and program held recently at the civic auditorium.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Farmer who own the academy, provided refreshments and invited Santa Claus to present the gifts to the children.

The party was open to the public, and 1000 children were present. Mothers of the academy students and friends aided in the serving.

Highlighted in the program were Lyn Trantham of 24218 Ward, and Laurelee Cash of 2903 Dalemead, doing the soft shoe and fast tap routine that won them the gold cup on the "Rocket to Stardom" television show.

**Christmas Sale Set At Clark's**

Clark officials today announced that their traditional money-saving Christmas food sale gets under way today and will end on Christmas eve, Saturday, December 24 at 8 p.m. when the stores will close. All Clark Markets will remain closed on Sunday, December 24 and will be open as usual on Monday, December 26.

The annual Christmas sale will feature all the traditional foods for the Christmas dinner at really money saving prices. In addition, many non-food items purchases especially for the holiday season can be found at all Clark markets.

These items are especially low priced and will make ideal Christmas gifts, officials stated. The complete list of the many attractive offerings can be found in the 3-page Clark ad elsewhere in today's paper.

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like it very very much and it has highheels, and it has nylon and a pretty black dress to and I want melody bells too and I am nine years old. And I would like a watch too. I hope you will give me these thing I want. I hope they are not too much if they toys.

Love, Patty Davis

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a pretty doll and any thing else you want to and bring my baby sister a doll with out hair I am 4 yrs. old.

Belinda Kay Baty 3517 Newton, Torrance

Dear Santa: I am seven and want a big doll that kneel so it can kneel with me to say my prayers.

Ricky is one and would you please bring him rocking horse and pull-toy. He is my baby brother. mommy says I've been a good girl, and my chicken-pox are almost gone so you won't have to worry about catching them. Love from

Marsha Lyn Kucherer and Ricky 25344 Penn. Ave. Lomita, Calif.

Dear Santa Claus, My name is Randy and my dog's name is Inky and Mommy is writing my letter for me cause I can't spell. I want a doll what cries and drinks and a doll bed what rocks and Inky wants a new bone. We have been good. Daddy wants some

**Ceremonies**

Dr. Earl D. Barnum, minister, has announced that the Christmas Eve Candlelight Service of the Church of Religious Science will be held on Saturday evening in the Masonic Temple, Ruby and Catalina Streets, Redondo Beach, commencing promptly at 8 p.m. and ending at 9 p.m.

Dr. Barnum states that the peace and quiet. Your snack will be on the table. Love from Randy and Inky Stegrist. 633 Sartori.

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