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Dears Parents/Guardians:

As the Christmas season fast approaches, I would like to take the opportunity to wish you and your families a wonderful, enjoyable and safe Christmas season.

It seems like just yesterday that my wife and I were explaining to our children what Christmas was **really** all about. And, in between, trying to outsmart them with hints of Santa's upcoming visit and offering advice on what positive behavioral patterns should be exhibited to increase the chances of the jolly old man visiting our house on Christmas Eve. I recall them waking up as early as 6:00 am wanting to go to the tree and see what Santa had brought; both were so afraid to go alone. I recall those days, so many years ago, with a smile.

For those of you with young children, enjoy this time and the beautiful family experiences that naturally occur this time of year. I hope that you will, as we have, cherish them for years to come. When they get older and sleep in on Christmas Day, you can reminisce of what they did 5-10-20 years ago and smile, because it was such a special family moment. One thing I can tell you from experience is that your older children will **not** be waking you up. In fact, you will be waking them up!

May God bless you, your family and friends with a Christ-filled, enjoyable and safe Christmas.



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Thank You & God Bless

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