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NOT MONEY BUT FAITH

At the ending of each year, members of the Church have the opportunity to meet with the bishop to make an accounting of their contributions. This meeting has traditionally been called "tithing settlement". We are all encouraged to have this annual interview with the bishop to declare our faithfulness as regards our tithes and offerings. Not only is this a time of accounting but a time to bring your family to visit with the bishop and teach them the value you place on this important declaration. For the bishop, it is an opportunity to touch the lives of all the ward members; it's a busy yet very inspirational time. The great traditions of the Butler Third Ward are most evident as faithful family groups make and keep their appointments for tithing settlement.

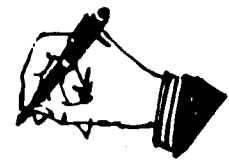
I urge each of you, my brothers and sisters, to take the Lord at His word in this important matter. It is He who has given the commandment and made the promise concerning tithes and offerings. "Let us be faithful in keeping the commandments of the Lord; for behold He is mightier than all the earth." (I Nephi 4:1) Paying our tithes and offerings is not so much a matter of money but a matter of faith. May we all exercise our free agency in this matter and continue to be faithful in all things. There is nothing the Lord expects of us that we cannot do.

Sherman L. Butters
Bishop, Butler Third Ward





Mission News



Dominican Republic

Elder Eric Poulson
Apartado 1240
Santiago,
Dominican Republic

"..A few facts about the country: the Island Hispanola is divided into Haiti and the D.R, the D.R. occupying 2/3 of the island. The D.R. has some of the best beaches in the world. The average temperature is 77, with August warmer and January cooler. All year round it's easy to find a carnival, festival, or feast. The sunsets are like you've never seen, and I especially enjoy all the different fruits. I'd never seen half of them before the mission. The sun is great (sorry to rub that in with the snow that's on the way, back home).

"But the best thing about the D.R. would have to be the people. I have never seen such beautiful people, in the way they act one to another, the way they look out for the "gringo, rubio" in a foreign country. Some are willing to give everything they have, and it usually isn't a lot.

"And the members of the church who are active are real members, not only Sunday- but every-day-of-the-week-members.

"We have our first stake here, working on a second. We're working hard for a temple here. We baptize 375-400 every month in the mission.

"I started in Santiago, the most beautiful and hottest city for baptisms. Ever since, I have wanted

to come back. Now I'm back. My (native) comp and I have the biggest zone on the island with 22 missionaries. We are working hard and trying to make Santiago the best zone on the island.

"Almost half my companions have been natives and have helped me learn the customs and language.

"One of the greatest blessings of my mission has been to see a family we baptized here in Santiago 8 months ago. When we started the charlas, the father sometimes came home drunk and there were a lot of other problems. One month after their baptism, I was transferred. I went to visit them when I came back here. The family is better; he has more success in his job. The wife is R.S. President, and he was just released as Elders' President to be Branch President.

"Sometimes we take this great gospel for granted. I know that before the mission I did, but after a year of biting dogs, dirty little kids wetting your clean pants as you set them on your knee, other churches yelling at us to repent, tracting in the rain, arriving with gray shirts from the muddy bike tires, and more, I have learned and am still learning the value of this gospel.

"Thank you all for your support--it makes being away from the good ol' USA easier when you write.

Eric"

Scotland Edinburgh

Elder & Sister Mackintosh
47 Old Edinburgh Road
Inverness, Scotland

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Mom and Dad have been really busy these past few months. They have been hosting a bunch of different activities for the Iverness branch. They have hosted a couples' conference, zone conference, and a group of 160 from BYU touring Europe. Then they look forward to a ward Christmas party, Elders' party, bishopric party, Primary party, etc. It gets kind of confusing when you're missionaries and do those duties, plus being a bishop, Primary counselor, Relief Society specialist, etc. Mom has visiting teaching every day.

Dad had an interesting experience the other day. He and his counselors were out visiting and they knocked on a door. The lady asked them if they wanted some lemonade. Dad looked to see if he had on his name badge, as he hadn't yet indicated that they were from the Mormon church. Then she said, "Your son baptized me." What a shock. Dad showed her Scott's picture, and she said, "That is him." They have met lots of people who remember Scott. They are really proud that he left such a favorable impression.

They miss everyone and enjoy reading the ward paper.

Lynn Stevenson reporting



Illinois Nauvoo

Elder & Sister Morrison
P. O. Box 215
Nauvoo, Illinois 62354

"We had our first snow, just enough to cover the ground. Everyone should see this country in the fall, the leaves have been beautiful.

"Today we had a family of about 30 in from Arkansas; 3 sisters and brothers with their families. What a great way to have a family outing.

"We had Sister Barker here from the General R.S. Board. She told us of the new Relief Society program. We really enjoyed the fireside.

"Almost every day we meet someone who knows someone we know. Last week we met Ron Davison from Sydney, Australia, who knew the Watts'. Small world.

"Jesse and I are working with 2 young men from Augusta; hope we can get the job done before our time is up; if not, someone else will. They are really neat. Going to see "Saturday's Warrior" with them soon.

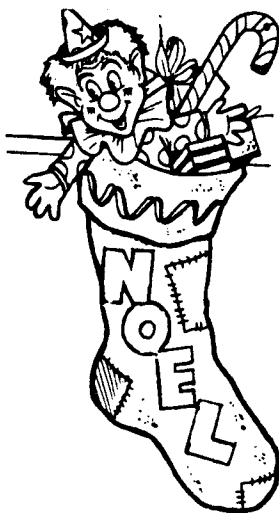
"Things have slowed down here which gives us more time to talk to the non-members as they come in. It's great. Happy holidays to you all."



THE SMALLEST PART

Love so easily
understands--
What you can see is the
smallest part;
You don't need Christmas
in your hands
When you have Christmas
in your heart.

Kathryn Kay



Georgia Atlanta

Elder David Larisch
2215 Perimeter Park,
Bldg. 1, #3
Atlanta, Georgia 30341

Now that David got his cast off, the letters are coming again, and he is doing well. He is training another missionary and has been a great influence on his companion in a positive way. David is very grateful for his learning experiences.

One experience in particular which made him thankful for some of the teachings he had as a youth was when he was asked by a new convert family to come and help them paint a crib for their new baby. They invited the elders to stay for dinner. In David's own words, "My companion was going hog-wild. I really don't think they will ever invite us over again. It was like he had never seen food." He went on to say that he was glad he had been taught some manners. (Of course we cannot totally blame the companion, knowing how David cooks their missionary meals!)

David, we all love you; keep smiling and be happy.

Sister Tina reporting

Canada Montreal

Elder Alan Blackhurst
198 Arago Est #107
Quebec, P.Q.
G1K 3V1, Canada

Alan says the work is slowing down a little. They had to leave some of their investigators because they were unable to keep their commitments. So they are almost starting fresh! They are doing a lot of tracting trying to find some of the "pure in heart". The investigators they kept were challenged to be baptized on November 14. He was anxious to see the outcome.

They are finding a lot of Spanish immigrants in their tracting, so they are hoping Pres. Taggart will let them have 2 of the Spanish-speaking missionaries in Quebec City.

He had a great zone conference. Pres. Taggart tells him he will have one more transfer before he is released. He hopes it will be in Ottawa. He would like to serve there before he comes home on March 24. He was supposed to be released March 10, but will stay an extra 2 weeks.

Mom Blackhurst



IMPORTANT REMINDER

Please check your scriptures to be sure that your name and phone number are in each book. The ward libraries get well-supplied with lost scriptures that cannot be identified!

Taiwan Taipei—

Elder Chris Scharman
2005 North 900 East
Provo, Utah 84604

Greetings from the MTC! Chris sends his love to everyone and says the MTC is great!

He was quite surprised that studying all day would be so enjoyable. He says there are days when he feels very frustrated and thinks he'll never get it (his brain hurts from trying to absorb so much); then all of a sudden everything clicks and it's great.

Chris is really enjoying learning Chinese and the culture. He can hardly wait to get to Taiwan.

He has the usual complaints about the food and sent home a request for a "care package". He and his companion have been eating all their meals with chopsticks so they'll have it mastered by the time they get there.

Chris "just happened" to meet the kids from the ward who went down for a tour of the MTC. It really was a special treat to see them and get the chance to say goodbye again.

Mom Scharman



Young Women—

During November, the Beehives worked on pillowcases, the Mia Maids had their own Thanksgiving dinner, and the Laurels did crafts. The Mia Maids also made graham cracker houses.

The high point of this month was our being able to work in the Sub for Santa/Big Sister, Big Brother program. On the 12th, we met at the church and saw a video tape of children in a downtown ward Primary. These children live in a needy area. Each of us was assigned one or two children to be a big brother or big sister to. We wrote letters to them and many responded. The next week we met our kids. We had a carnival with games and little prizes at each game. We all grew close to our children and felt their special love and innocence. We are looking forward to our Christmas party on December 10.

Happy birthday to Allison Copeland (Nov.6), Andrea Hawkes (Nov.24), Jennifer Schulz (Nov.25), and Emily Paxman (Nov.24) who is coming into YW. Welcome, Emily!

Amy Young

Cub Scouts.

Our Cub Pack 311 has been re-organized and is again being sponsored in our own ward. For the past year we have been meeting with the 6th Ward Pack. We are very pleased to be "back home" and are excited about our Cub activities.

On Saturday the 22nd all the Cubs went to the Northwest Multi-purpose Center to visit the miniature train exhibit. The boys had a chance to see a lot of really special model trains all set up and running.

Pack Meeting held on November 25 centered around the theme of career choices. Several career demonstrations were shown to the boys and their families.

Several boys received awards. Scott Paxman received his Webelos badge and Arrow of Light. Tim Ostler received his Webelos badge. Several Webelos Activity Badges were earned: Citizenship by Mitch Noble, Tim Ostler, Ryan Beattie; Naturalist, Outdoorsman, and Showman by Scott Paxman; and Athlete by Tim Ostler.

Mike Larisch earned 5 silver arrow points under his Wolf badge.

Scott Paxman received his Webelos Denner Cord. Cameron Copeland was given his Denner Cord, and Nathan Cloward received the Assistant Denner Cord for the Bear/Wolf Den.

Mitch Noble has been in the hospital with a ruptured appendix, and all the Cubs wish him well.

Terry Glad reporting



DON'T MISS OUT on the Christmas Carolling Party! Write December 23 on your calendar and wait for further details from the Activities Committee. There is no better way to put Christmas in your heart!



Relief Society

Primary



As a Relief Society Presidency, we would like to wish all of you in the ward a very Merry Christmas. We want to express our appreciation to all the sisters for their support throughout the year.

The teachers who give our lessons each week are truly inspired. They give beautiful lessons. Our Homemaking Nights have been great evenings to get together and visit with friends and neighbors and learn new homemaking skills.

Homemaking Nights will be on the first Tuesday of each month in 1987. Another change will be that the visiting teaching messages will be published in the Ensign each month.

We hope that all of the sisters in the ward will find a need to join us in Relief Society in the coming year.

We wish all of you a very Happy New Year.

Kathy Clayton

Scouts



This month we have been working on the Camping Merit Badge. We finished the main requirement last month, the 3-day camp, which I wrote about in October. That was fun. Now we have to work on some requirements not so fun, like knot tying. We have a few other requirements to pass off, and hopefully by next month we will all have our camping merit badges earned.

Brandon Woolston

We are having an exciting time in our Primary. We are dividing into Jr. and Sr. Primary. The Senior group will go to class first, while the Junior group is in opening exercises. At 4:15 the Sr. group goes to closing exercises and the Jr. group goes to class. The Jr. group will dismiss from their classes. We are excited to see how it will work. I think it will be great.

Our Family Scripture Activity Night turned out really quite well. Everyone who was there seemed to come away feeling rewarded for their time. We appreciate Brother Bliss Roberts and his family for their super presentation on how they picture-mark their scriptures and memorize doctrine and source by association. Thanks to all those who came.

We're proud of our kids for bringing their scriptures so faithfully this past month. We hope you will all continue this good habit. We plan to use our books more in Sharing Time.

A welcome hand is extended to three new teachers--Linda Gleave, Vicki Cram, and Julie Raehl. Good luck to Julie Carver who has moved up by the University.

Birthdays in November were Emily Paxman and Caren Hawkes. Emily just turned twelve and will be advanced to Young Women.

Florence Jacobson,
Primary President

PLEASE REMEMBER TO DONATE NEWSPAPERS TO THE SCOUT BIN! THIS IS AN IMPORTANT FUND-RAISER.

TITHING SETTLEMENT

Tithing Settlement for the year 1986 will be conducted on the following dates in the Bishop's office:

Dec.14 - 9 to 11:30 am
Dec.16 - 6 to 10 pm
Dec.21 - 9 am to 12:45 pm
Dec.28 - 9 to 12:45 pm
Dec 28 - 5:15 to 10 pm

Appointments will be made by the High Priest Group Leader, Wayne West, and the Elders Quorum President, George Meldrum. Brother Bob Mayfield, the Executive Secretary, will co-ordinate the submitted appointment lists. Please try to attend at the earliest possible date and time. I'm looking forward to meeting with all the members of the Butler 3rd Ward.

Bishop Sherman L. Butters

SUB FOR SANTA PARTY PLANNED

The Mutual will hold their Sub-For-Santa party on December 10. The dinner will begin at 6 p.m., and everyone is urged to be there by 5:50. Please have your filled Christmas stockings at the clerks' office on December 7 BEFORE Sacrament Meeting, with a nametag attached listing the receiver and the person giving the gifts. The socks are to be filled with fruit, candy and a gift worth between \$3 and \$5, with nothing that would be perishable before Wednesday of that week. Also please bring the larger gift purchased from donations, again marked with both names.



CALENDAR



DECEMBER

- 8 Brighton Dance Concert
7:30 pm
- 9 Primary Teachers' Party
- 9 Relief Society Board Party
- 10 Mutual Santa Party -
Dinner - 5:50 p.m.
- 10 Butler PTA 7 pm
- 11 Cott.Hts. Christmas
Open House 6:30 pm
- 13 Stake Youth Christmas
Program - 10 a.m.
- 13 Mia Maid Nursery for
Santa shoppers - from
9 a.m. till 1 p.m.
- 13 Last day Jordan Temple
open till Jan. 2
- 13 Brighton Senior Christ-
mas Dance 8-11
- 14 SUNDAY - HC
- 14 Tithing settlement - 9
am to 11:30 am
- 14 CHRISTMAS DEVOTIONAL
7:30 p.m.
- 15 Brighton Music Concert
7:30 pm
- 16 Tithing Settlement - 6
to 10 pm
- 18 Ramona Schulz wedding
- 19 School holiday begins
- 21 SUNDAY - Christmas
program
- 21 Tithing Settlement - 9
am to 12:45 pm
- 23 Ward Christmas Carol-
ling - Details Coming
- 25 CHRISTMAS
- 28 SUNDAY - TBA
- 28 Tithing Settlement - 9
am to 12:45 pm AND
5:15 to 10 pm
- 31 Youth Dance
- 31 YSI Dinner Dance,
Butler Stake Center



JANUARY

- 1 NEW YEAR'S DAY
- 2 Brighton Stomp
- 2 Jordan Temple opens
- 3 Stake Baptism 5 pm
- 4 FAST SUNDAY - NEW TIME
9 am
- (5 School reopens)

REMEMBER EVERY MONDAY
NIGHT IS FAMILY NIGHT!

News Briefs

RELEASED!

Donna Bates, Choir
Director
Maitland Spencer,
Teachers Quorum Adviser
Kent Thomas, Primary
Teacher
Earlene Spencer, R.S. 1st
Counselor
Kathy Clayton, R.S. 2nd
Counselor

SUSTAINED!

Kent Thomas, Teachers Q.
Adviser
Maitland Spencer, Choir
Director
Judith Meldrum, S.S.
Family Relations Teacher
Ramon McCombs, Cubmaster
Linda Gleave, Primary
Teacher
Julie Raehl, Primary
Teacher
Vicki Cram, Primary
Teacher
William Vargo, Co-ordina-
tor for Family Book of
Mormon Project
Kathy Clayton, R.S. 1st
Counselor
Leola Montague, R.S. 2nd
Counselor

Darren Tea, Roy Schulz,
Stake Basketball Referees

ORDAINED!

David Lee Cloward, Elder,
by father Richard Cloward

ADVANCED TO YW!

Emily Paxman



REMEMBER! January begins
our new Sunday time sched-
ule. The block of meetings
will start at 9 a.m., with
Sacrament Meeting first.
Be sure to plan ahead!

PENNIES BY THE INCH COMING

The annual Pennies By
The Inch Drive will be
conducted during late Jan-
uary and early February.
Iris Beattie has been
appointed Stake Chairman
for the drive, and Judith
Meldrum will co-ordinate
ward efforts. Our ward is
usually the highest in
the stake in monies given.
Ward members are commend-
ed for their generosity
and encouraged to main-
tain this excellent tra-
dition. We all know of
the good that comes from
this effort. This is one
charity which uses every
dollar for the direct
benefit of the children
needing care at the hos-
pital. Stand tall!



FAMILY NIGHT HELPS

Our Librarian, Barbara
Tea, reminds us that the
library has a good supply
of pictures, flannelboard
figures, etc. available
for checkout for our own
Family Nights. There are
also hymnbooks needing
permanent homes. She re-
minds us that donations
of pencils or duplicate
books will be gratefully
accepted.

How is YOUR Family
Night program doing? This
would be a perfect time
to commit ourselves to
improvement--if our pro-
gram is non-existent,
let's BEGIN; if it is
stale, let's rejuvenate.
As was stated in our last
Stake Conference, "What
will parents barter for
the souls of their chil-
dren?"

Getting Acquainted.....

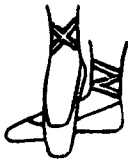
Dennis and Donette Woolston and their four sons moved into the ward in April and began building a new home at 7923 Forest Oaks Court which they expect to be occupying by this reading.

Both are native to Salt Lake. Dennis attended Skyline and graduated in the second graduating class in 1964. He served a mission to the East Central States (West Virginia, Kentucky, and Tennessee), which he refers to as the only foreign mission in the United States. Upon returning home, he attended the U. where he and Donette met on a blind date.



Dennis has been selling real estate for about 8 years and is a lifetime member of the Million Dollar Club.

As a child, Donette danced in the Virginia Tanner Dance Theatre which gave her many opportunities, such as performing at the Seattle World Fair. She went to South



High where she was a cheerleader and played the part of Fanny Brice in "Funny Girl". She graduated in 1967. She graduated from the U in 1973,

with a major in physical education. Donette has also written several songs and has one record release.



She is enjoying being a mom and is looking forward to managing the new home.

Brandon (13) is very athletic and loves baseball. He has excelled as a pitcher on every team he has played on. He's been on the All-Star team for 3 years. He is also becoming an excellent pianist. He serves as the Scribe for Troop 311.

Tracy (11) is also very involved in baseball, but his real talent is karate. He is one of few to earn a brown belt in his first year.

Ryan (9) likes baseball and soccer and played on his All-Star baseball team this year.



Chris (7) also likes baseball and soccer and will be starting karate next year.

As you can see, if you can't find Dennis and Donette at home, try the park!

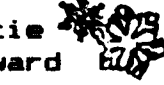
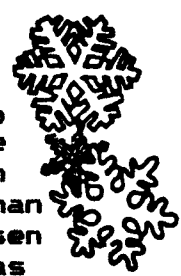
Both are serving in our Primary and are happy to be in 3rd Ward. And we are happy to have them!

Happy Birthday!



DECEMBER

- 8 Joan Haglund
- 9 Barbara Tea
Sarah Weenig
Holly White
- 11 Scott Carver
- 12 Amanda Hague
Bill Hawkes
Frank Poulson
- 13 Kathy Siebenhaar
- 14 Bill Allen
Bob Mayfield
- 15 Howard Barbour
Janice Gygi
Chris Hill
Darren Rowe
Joseph Vargo
- 16 Iris Beattie
Joan Burnham
- 17 Brett Scharman
Rea Steffensen
Adrian Thomas
- 18 Michael Dean
Bobbie Jo Dean
Velma Glad
Brad Hague
- 19 Rand Call
- 20 Eric Glad
- 23 Amy Young
- 25 Daren Beattie
- 26 Daniel Cloward
Todd Hague
- 27 Winston McOmber
- 28 Nicholas McCombs
- 29 Nathan Paxman
- 30 Joyce Skidmore
- 31 Aubreya Scharman



JANUARY

- 1 Emilee Hague
Rudy Siebenhaar
- 2 Laverna Clawson
Ella Tedesco
- 4 Matthew Boulton

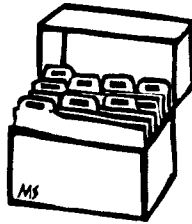
Bon Voyage!

Mike and Julie Carver and their son Scottie have moved from the ward. Our good wishes go with them.

RELIEF SOCIETY CALENDAR

December 7---The Righteous Will Have Peace: Judith Butters
 December 14---A Reverent Family: Bonnie Faxman
 December 21---Delegation
 December 28---Joy: Pamela Call

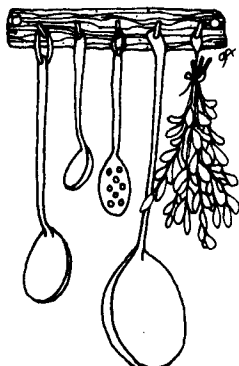
RECIPES



CHUNKY SPAGHETTI SAUCE
 (Halloween Party)
 (Read complete recipe before starting)

3 lb. hamburger
 4 15-oz. tomato sauce
 2 6-oz. tomato paste
 3 6-oz. cans water
 3 4-oz. sliced mushrooms or 1 lb. fresh, sliced
 2 carrots, peeled and grated large
 1 med. to large onion, chopped in 3/4" chunks
 4 stalks celery, sliced 1/4" thick
 1 1/2 heaping Tbsp. dry parsley
 1 1/2 tsp. ground oregano
 1 1/2 garlic salt OR 1/4 tsp. garlic powder plus 1 tsp. salt OR 1 clove fresh garlic, minced, plus 1 tsp. salt
 2 Tbsp. plus 1 tsp. sugar dash of pepper
 1/4 tsp. dill weed
 2 heaping Tbsp. Parmesan cheese

Brown meat in 6-qt. pan and drain. Add sauce, paste, water. Add mushrooms, grated carrots, spices, cheese. Simmer 30 minutes. Add celery, onion. Simmer till tender crisp, about 30 minutes.
 Leslie Boulton



Mitch Noble suffered a burst appendix recently which required quick surgery. We're glad to see you okay again, Mitch!

It is a real joy to see Ray Kartchner again working and getting around so well. His recovery is far from over, but this is wonderful progress!

We are also happy to see Terry Hansen out once more after hospitalization for a blood clot in the lung.

Bill and Connie Hawkes have their baby back in Primary Medical with a virus. Michael is one of those little guys with extra susceptibility and is needing extra protection. We hope his recovery is quick.

Paul Ferry and his sweet wife Helen continue their valiant fight. And our prayers continue with you, Paul and Helen.



Editor....Rosalyn Ostler
 Assistants.....
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 Delores Scharman
 Zola Wood
 Virginia Bierman
 Joyce Skidmore



Rea Steffensen would like to express her sincere thanks to the person who found her Ecuador stole in the bottom of the Nursery toy box! She's very happy to have it back.

Bill Allen wishes his deep appreciation extended to all those who gave kindnesses at the time of his father's death. The calls, flowers, and the gift were gratefully received.

Thanks to those in the stake responsible for the wonderful adult dance! The music and entertainment were marvelous, and the decorations were out of this world! It was an event to remember.

Thanks to our great Activities Committee who gave us such a delightful Christmas party! What a wonderful evening it was for everyone.

Thanks to our lovely Young Women for the uplifting Sacramento Meeting they presented to us. The Values they shared will be appearing here as we are able to print them.

Thanks to all our great news-givers and news-gatherers! Thanks for sharing and for helping to make our paper. It's been a Banner year! ☺

CONGRATULATIONS!

To Kirsten Gygi whose skill and talent with the flute have placed her in "Who's Who in America".
Marvelous!

To Kendra Barbour who won a medal Nov. 15 in the Utah Special Olympics at Weber State. She did a floor exercise dance routine in the gymnastics event. We're proud of you Kendra!

Engagement



More weddings coming!
Ramona Schulz is engaged to Brent Roberts, planning a wedding for the 18th of this month.

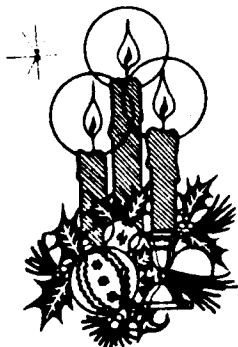
And Marian Siebenhaar and Ron Hein are looking to a February 5 wedding. Congratulations!

Sympathy



Bill Allen lost his father, Leon, on November 9. It has been a difficult year for them all. Our sympathies are with you, Bill.

Elfriede Schulz' mother died in Germany very recently. Our love and prayers are with you in this special grief, Elfriede.



make a note of this...

On Saturday, December 13, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., the Mia Maids will provide free babysitting at the church for any ward parents who would like to do some Santa shopping. Sister Terry Johnson is co-ordinating this free service.

Nursery

Wilf and Lois Ingleby are just delighted with No. 7 grandchild! After 6 wonderful grandsons, David and his wife have presented them with their FIRST granddaughter, Rebecca. She was born Nov. 3, and she is beautiful. Of course!



CYGNUS

(The Northern Cross)

The twelfth month,
the nineteenth hour
and Cygnus glides
in the western sky,
perpetual traveler through
a starry Via Dolorosa.

No Golgotha this,
no blood, no holy stains
left by tortured flesh
but radiant splendor
voyaging in the Christmas
sky.

The Child was given
yet the cry goes on:
"Give us a sign,
give us a sign."

The twelfth month,
the nineteenth hour
and Cygnus shines
in the evening sky.

Elaine L. Ipson



Frank and Inge Poulson and their girls suffered a rude awakening early one morning recently when they found the bathroom on fire. They escaped without real injury, but the house was not so fortunate. They have since been working hard on the extensive damage. They have really appreciated the great effort of friends in cleaning up the mess, rebuilding and restoring, and in bringing meals while they cannot use the kitchen. Ward members have also been happy to demonstrate their love for this good family who give so much to them.

Anyone who missed out on the missionary letters can get addresses from Betsy West. We all send our dearest love to all those on the Lord's Errand! May the holiday season bring you the great joy of extra service in added opportunities to share yourselves!

Welcome

We are happy to have Hans and Trudy Arndt and their son Ronnie building at 7991 Danish Oaks Drive. They come to us from Winder 4th Ward. Also in their family are a married son and daughter and going-on-six grandchildren. Welcome!





Annual Christmas Fireside

December 14, 1986

Stake Center

7:30 p.m.

Remember the gift of love presented to you each year by the Brighton Stake's Christmas Fireside . . .

Remember the quiet and peace which filled the chapel as everyone stopped at the door to drink in the profusion of pointsettias filling the stand . . .

Remember the joy and fulfillment as the last notes of the closing song were sung . . .

Remember how it set the mood for your holiday season . . .

COME SHARE IT AGAIN!

(Those fourteen years of age and older are invited to attend. There will be a special presentation for the children and youth of the stake on Saturday, the 13th of December at 10:00 a.m. in the 23rd East Building.)