

DEAR READER,

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HEY! I HOPE YOU'RE DOING WELL!

AS THIS YEAR'S HOLIDAY SEASON COMES TO ITS CLIMAX WITH CHRISTMAS AND THE DROPPING OF THE BALL ON NEW YEARS, AND SUCH, I THINK BACK ON WHAT FUN I HAD IN MY LIFE. MY BROTHER & I WOULD HAVE SEARCHED THE HOUSE AND OUR MOTHER'S CAR THE WEEKS OF AND EVERY YEAR WE'D FIND HER STASH OF PRESENTS AND THE BLOCK HANDWRITING THAT "SANTA" USED TO WRITE OUR NAMES WITH ON THEM. WE PAY ATTENTION TO WEIGHT & SIZE. AND WE LEARNED HOW TO PEEL SCOTCH TAPE OFF VERY CLEAN SO NO ONE COULD TELL IT WAS OPENED. BUT NOW THAT I THINK ABOUT IT... I THINK SHE DID KNOW. BECAUSE EVENTUALLY SHE WOULD WAIT UNTIL THE NIGHT ON CHRISTMAS EVE TO WRAP GIFTS. WE LIVED IN PEACE HAVEN MOBILE HOME PARKS AT THAT TIME. MY BRO & I WOULD THEN CRAWL DOWN THE HALLWAY & PEEP AROUND THE CORNER AND SEE WHAT THEY WERE WRAPPING. MY SISTER HELPED HER. WE ALL KNEW THE TRUTH BUT WENT WITH IT ANYWAY.

HOW I MISS THOSE DAYS OF INNOCENT HOLIDAY MISCHIEF. 😊 WELL, MINUS THE BUTT WHOOPINGS! HA! HA!

I WISH YOU & EVERYONE WHO READS MY
BLOG A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A
HAPPY NEW YEAR!

I WISH THE BEST TO EVERYONE AND
THEIR RESPECTIVE HOLIDAYS!

AND IF YOU HAVE NONE - THE BEST STILL!
UNTIL NEXT TIME!

YOURS TRULY,
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