

Twas the night before Jesus came and all through the house not a creature was praying not one in the house. Their Bibles were lain on the shelf without care in hopes that Jesus would not come there.

The children were dressing to crawl into bed not once ever kneeling or bowing a head. And mom in her rocker with baby on her lap was watching the Late Show while I took a nap.

When out of the east there arose such a clatter I sprang to my feet to see what was the matter. Away to the window I flew like a flash tore open the shutters and threw up the sash.

When what to my wondering eyes should appear but angels proclaiming that Jesus was here. With a light like the sun sending forth a bright ray I knew in a moment this must be the day.

The light of His face made me cover my head. It was Jesus, returning just like he said! And though I possessed worldly wisdom and wealth I cried when I saw Him, in spite of myself.

In The Book Of Life, which He held in His hand, was written the name of every saved man. He spoke not a word as he searched for my name. When He said "It's not here," my head hung in shame.

The people whose name had been written in love He gathered to take to His Father above. With those who are ready He rose without a sound, while all the rest were left standing around.

I fell to my knees but it was too late - I had waited too long and this sealed my fate. I stood and cried as they rose out of sight. Oh, if I had only been ready tonight.

In the words of the meaning is clear. The coming of Jesus is drawing near. There's only one life and when comes the last call we'll find that the Bible was true after all.

<sup>6</sup>"While they were there, the time came for the baby to be born. <sup>7</sup> and she gave birth to her firstborn, a son. She wrapped him in cloths and placed him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn. <sup>8</sup>And there were shepherds living out in the field nearby. keeping watch over their flocks at night. <sup>9</sup>An angel of the Lord appeared to them and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. 10 But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. <sup>11</sup>T oday in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is Christ the Lord."

> Luke 2:6-11 New International Version

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## December Calendar News

December 2nd, 16th, & 30th - Pay Days!

December 24th - Christmas Holiday; KPS closes early at 3:00.

December 25th - Merry Christmas! KPS Closed



## Bits and Pieces-

- Last month's newsletter reminded all closing staff to put classroom keys back into the office box at the end of the day. Please remember to do this to ensure all classrooms are properly locked up for the night.
- Meeting minutes have been posted on the internet.
   Please review them as a reminder of what was discussed.
- Staff email is being updated as Webmail made some changes. Please be patient with Dorothy as she shows each person how to use the new email.
- Please remember when going into the kitchen to put on an apron, hair net, and gloves if food is out and/or being prepared. Otherwise, please ask the kitchen staff to get what you need.
- We all have children who test our patience. However, per state guidelines:
   "Communicate with children by getting down to their eye level and talking to them in a <u>calm, quiet manner</u> about what behavior is expected." Remember, they are children of God and we should treat them as such.

## A LOOK AT NEXT MONTH

- January 1st KPS Closed
- January 5th Annual TB Skin tests
- January 7th Reading of TB Skin tests
- January 15th Possible FWCS make-up day.
- January 18th MLF Jr. Day KPS
   Open but FWCS Closed.

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Nothing in the Anonymous Bag this month.

Anonymous Bag

ffirmation Box

Amanda—Thanks for being such a hard worker and a friendly, lovable person. Also, thanks for helping people out even in other classrooms without being asked!

"Congratulations
Amanda!
You have won the Team
Spirit award for this

Remember, the Anonymous Bag is the shiny bag hanging on the bulletin board in the back of the office. You may drop a note in the bag if there is something you wish to have discussed without anyone knowing the question/comment is coming from you! :)



Dec 1 - Dorothy B.

Dec 11 - Laura A.

Dec 18 - Susan F.

Dec 22 - Cindy D.

No KPS Anniversaries in December.

 Please remember to fax your Fall '09 grades to Linda at TEACH as soon as you received them. Put the originals in Melanie's box for her records.

Happy Birthday!

**KPS Anniversaries!** 

**Education Updates!**