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Nora
M.S.
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Helen & Jean
away at school.



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To Wish You Joy
at Christmas



"We have seen His star in the east,
and are come to worship Him."

Matt. 2:2



May songs of cheer
and happiness
Long in your heart abide,
So the whole glad year
will echo
The joy of Christmas-tide

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Dear mother.

It has been some time since I wrote to you. I had promised myself that I would write often but I just did not get at it. Mamie has been sending cards and I have used that as an excuse. But I know that is a poor one.

We went to Salt Lake ~~Monday~~ night and saw Jean have his eye operated on. It was done at ten o'clock Saturday morning. I took an hour to get him ready and an hour to operate. I watched the operation, and almost got sick, the nurse was afraid that I was going to faint. I told her that I would not but she kept watching me. After it was over Mamie said that I was what a great help. Jean was to go back Monday for a dressing. I hope it will help his work.

We had a little flay of snow in Soda Canyon as we came home, but there is no snow here at all. It looks like a black Christmas. We have not started to feel yet. I wish you and all a very merry Christmas and happy New Year.
Best love, M. Ida.

Merry Christmas Grandma,

Well it is Xmas again, it seems no time since last year. We are all thinking of you and wish we could see you and Aunt Ida. I don't know what to do this year. Jean & Helen can't get home. It hardly seems like Xmas without them and with no snow.

I've got to get to school. It seems like it's hardly light when we have to leave.

Lots of Love,
Mary Ida.

Dear Grandma,

We are having our school play tonight. I am the mother in it.

Daddy has gone to the ranch. I hope he will bring us a little tree back.

I hope you, Aunt Ida, Ricky, and Beulah Lee have a very merry Christmas.

Lots of love,
Hazel Dawn

Dear Mother Pearl,

We would love to be with you at this time. We did not get our mail so can't tell you more about Jean. We think he will be all right. Mother seemed a little better. She is very fat. Emeline is fine. The boys are big fellows. Carol Lynn is sure growing. Sorry Aunt Roxie cannot be with you all winter.

Love and Best Wishes
Mamie