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MERRY CHRISTMAS!

It's finally here—the week we wait for with great anticipation. The week we fret over & worry about for months. There are cookies to bake, food to prepare, beds to make, gifts to wrap, decorating to do. Are you ready? Do you have all of the things checked off of your list? I don't. I'm not even close to being ready! But, is any of that really important?

What if we didn't do all of that? What if we just got together & ate PB&J? What if we bought our cookies from the bakery section of Publix (which are great, by the way)? Would it still be Christmas? Would it still be as special? I say, YES!

This year I'm going to simplify. I'm going to cut back on the decorations and the baked goods. The tree is up, do I really need to decorate the bedrooms? Does it matter if I get down the Christmas china this year? Is it imperative that I use an entire roll of wrapping paper on that big gift for my husband? Probably not.

So, I'll hang a wreath on the front door, wrap the rest of the gifts (except the large ones that will come out of hiding), snuggle with my grandbabies, and call it a day. Because when all is said and done, all that really matters is that we got to spend time **together** celebrating the birth of our Savior.

Now onto important stuff!

The Week of Dec. 24-30 is:

- It's About Time Week
- Favorite Week Off Work Week

Some celebrations only last a day:

- 24th**-Christmas Eve
 - Egg Nog Day
- 25th**-A'Phabet Day (No "L" Day)
 - Christmas Pudding Day
 - Christmas Day
 - National Pumpkin Pie Day
- 26th**-Boxing Day (Canada)
 - National Candy Cane Day
 - National Thank-You Note Day
 - National Whiner's Day
- 27th**-Howdy Doody Day
 - Radio City Music Hall Day
 - Visit the Zoo Day
 - National Fruitcake Day
- 28th**-National Chocolate Day
 - National Short Film Day
 - Pledge of Allegiance Day
 - National Card Playing Day
 - National Pepper Pot Day
- 29th**-Tick Tock Day
 - YMCA Day
 - No Interruptions Day
- 30th**-Bacon Day
 - Peeps Day
 - Bicarbonate of Soda Day

Have a great week & call me if you need a ride to church.

Serving Him & Loving it!

Carol

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Christmas Giggles

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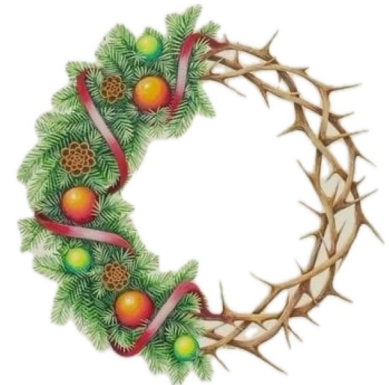
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CHRISTMAS EVE

The season

The reason



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Thanks to John Michael Sullivan (See Luke 2:1-16)

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AT LEAST WE CAN SAY THAT HE WAS BROUGHT UP IN A STABLE HOME

