### WHAT CHRISTMAS MEANS

A joyful time of year when you give gifts to people in your family. It also means loving and caring for others on Christmas day. Not just the gifts, but what you feel in your heart, even if it isn't the gift you wanted, you should love them and be very, very, greatful and be happy with what you have, even if you don't like the gift that you have and your parents payed alot of money. Remember it's the thought that counts.

David Jackson Grade 4 Room 103 Boise School

## CHRISTMAS IS ...

Christmas is a special day because that is the day Jesus was born. Christmas is a time for giving and loving. Christmas is my favorite time of year because everyone believes in Santa Claus. Christmas is my favorite time of year. I want to shout so everyone can hear: Merry Christmas is my favorite time of year!

Tracy Bell Room 210 Boise School

# CHRISTMAS IS ...

Winter is not a very nice thing. The snow makes you cold, the ice makes you slide. But there is something good about winter, and I know just the thing. You can make snowmen and snowballs. And the best thing of all is the hot chocolate. Another thing is I can get a cold and won't have to go to school.

Derrick Hicks Room 210 Boise School

### **BLACK HOLIDAY**

Kwanza is a Black holiday. Black people celebrate Kwanza in Africa and we celebrate Kwanza here. Marcus Garvey told me we are Black and now we know we are Black.

Kamillah Pulliam Age 7

### KWANZA

We celebrate Kwanza every year. We love Kwanza and have fun. Kwanza is nice for Black people. Umoja means unity.

Adjua Miata Lela Thomas Age 7

#### BELIEVE IN KWANZA

We believe in Kwanza. Kwanza is for Black sisters and brothers. Celebrate Kwanza for 7 days.

> Solomon Brown Age 6

#### A CHRISTMAS POEM

On Christmas day
The children play.
At night they go away.
They come out and play
with their Christmas toys
on Christmas day.

Jimmy Mayes Eliot School Grade 3



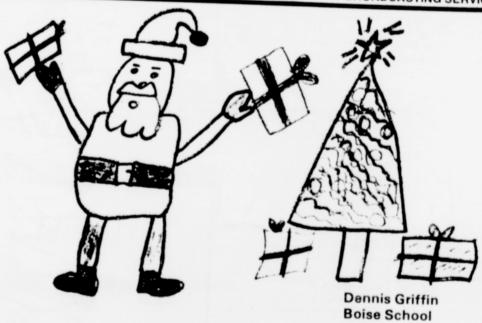
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