

Merry Christmas - -



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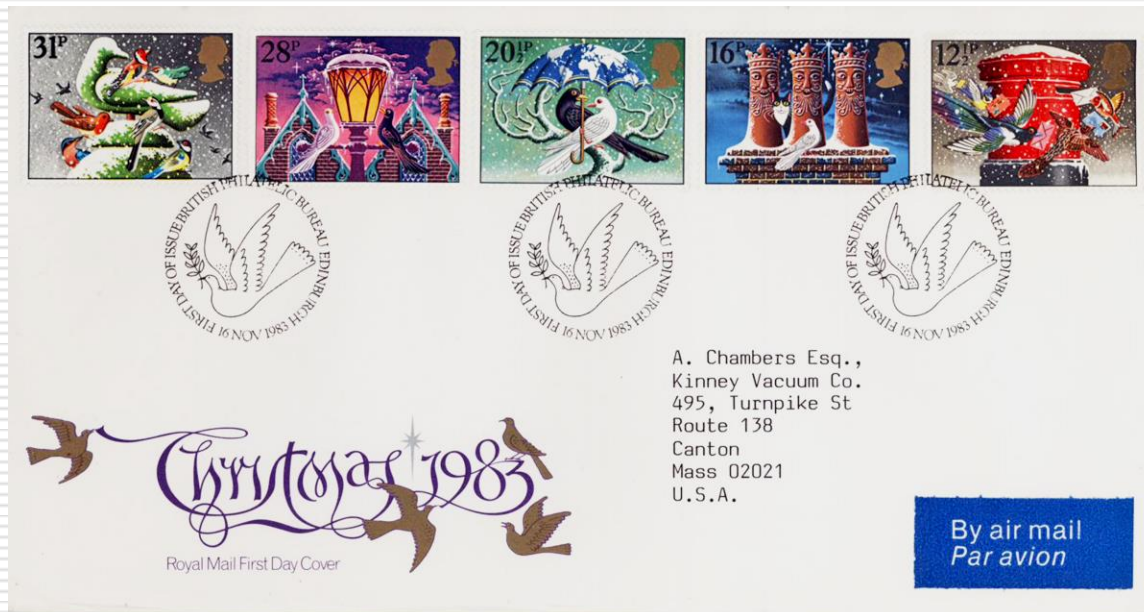


What comes to mind when you hear “Christmas?”

For some, it is *Shopping for gifts! Or ordering.*



Some gifts need to be mailed, along with the Christmas cards



More Mail



We think of decorating –



Some folks use lights and lots of decorations on their houses



If they can't decorate their houses,
- they make cookies!

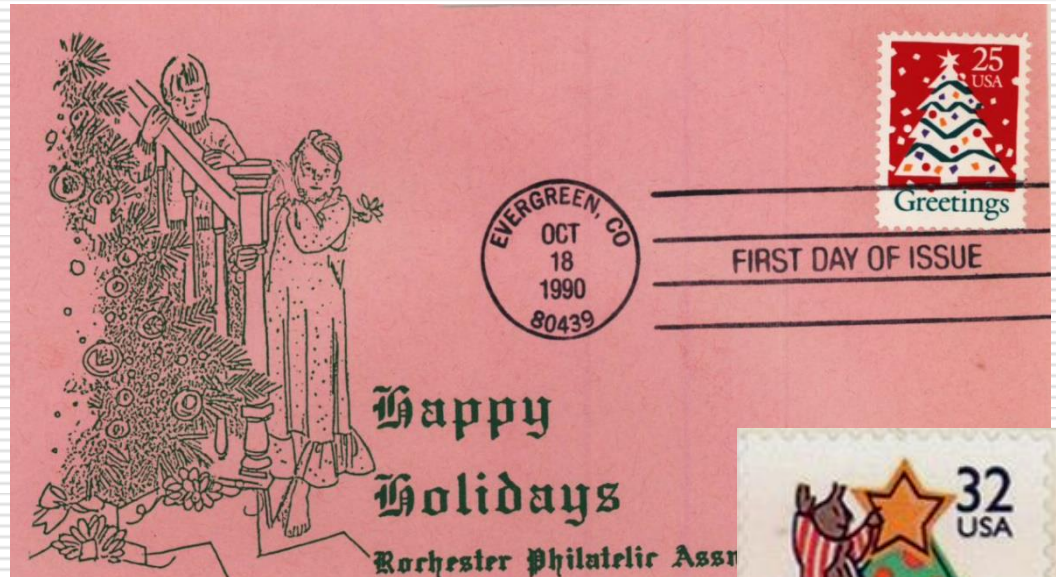
Lights are often put up arranged in designs.



Now to pick out the Christmas tree - -



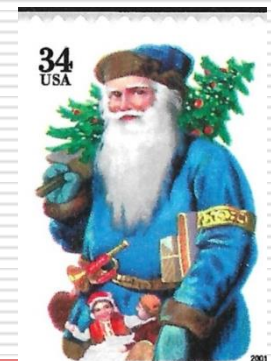
Audrey Pankratz



The Tree



And, of course - -Santa Claus



In some non-traditional appearances

Surfin' Santa in Australia



In a sleigh with reindeer (?)

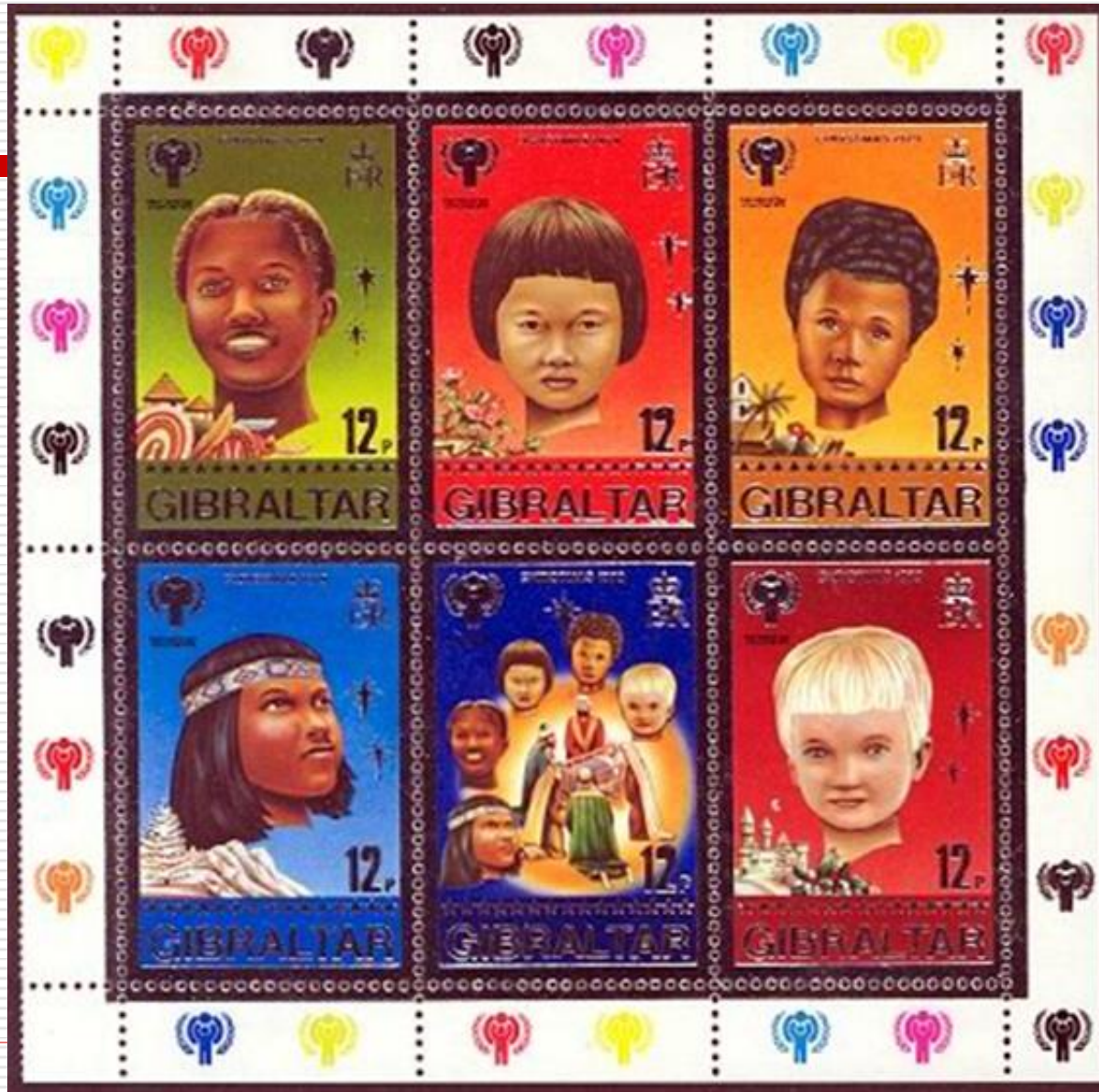


and elves - -





Children – Kids at Christmas – all over the world



Anticipation



Then the gifts, toys and games



Later, out to play
in the *Snow!*



Or skate on frozen ponds



Music at Christmas (non-sacred)



Early Music at Christmas

The Carollers



A CHRISTMAS TRADITION

God rest you merry, gentlemen,
Let nothing you dismay . . .



The "Waits"



WAITS

We saw a light shine out a far,
On Christmas in the morning . . .





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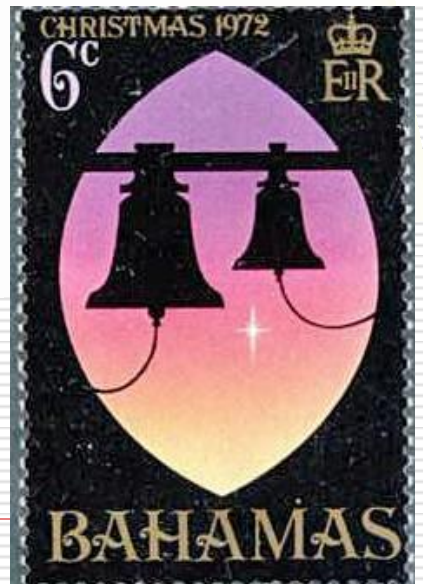




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Good King Wenceslas

Christmas 1973



More Music



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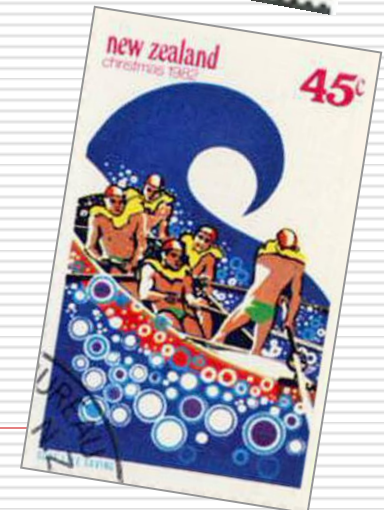
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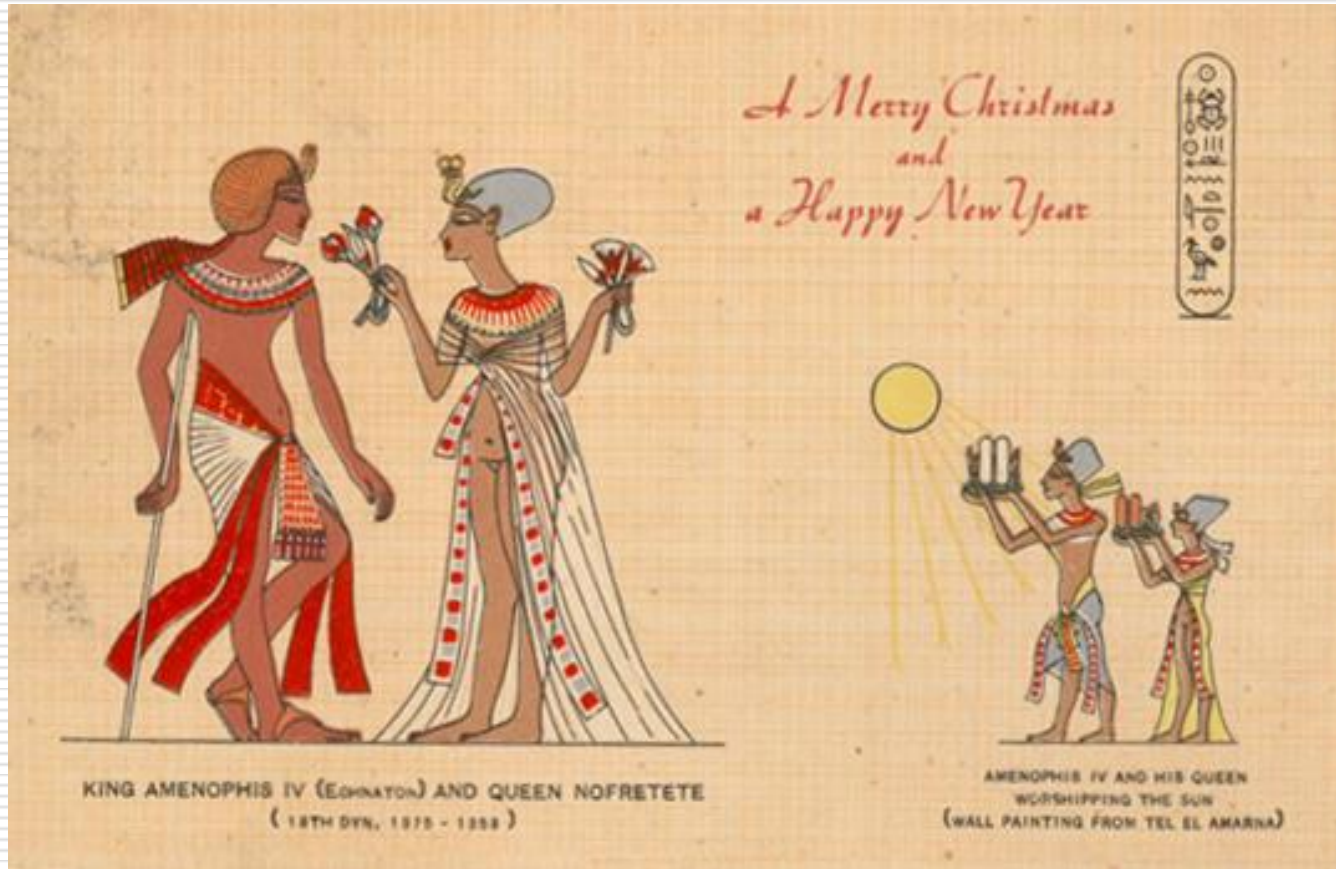
Christmas Food



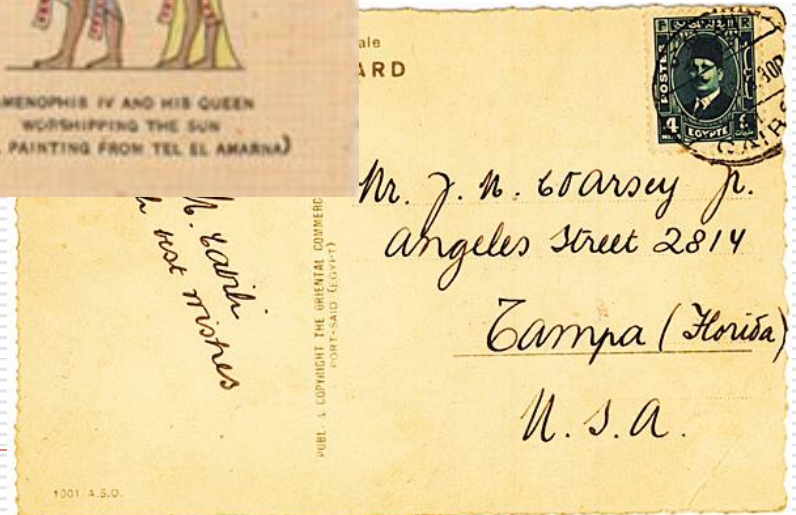
Unusual (to us) at Christmas



Unusual !



Reverse



Unusual





But whatever else Christmas may mean to you, may you have



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