



Matt's Letter
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Matt wanted Christmas to come. Christmas was still two weeks away. It seemed a long time to wait!

"What can I do, Mom?" Matt asked. "What can I do that would be Christmas fun?"

Dear Santa

Please bring Mom a bowl and new oven mitts. Please bring Dad a new shovel and warm boots.

Would you please bring me something that is fun to play with? I like Superheroes and cars and basket balls. I like stuff that is gooey and messy. I like building things. I am sure you have lots of toys that would be just right for me. Bring me a surprise, please!

Love, Matt

P.S. Thank you for the train set you brought me last year!



Matt sat down at the table.
He thought and thought and wrote
and wrote. When he was done, he
put the letter into an envelope and
wrote this on the front.

Santa Claus,
North Pole, Canada
HOH OHO

This is Matt's letter.



"Why don't you write to
Santa?" Mom suggested.

"That's a great idea!" said
Matt. He found paper and a
pencil and sat down at the kitchen
table. "What will I ask Santa to
bring me?" he thought.



"Mom, what would be something good for Santa to bring me?" asked Matt.

Mom said, "I know! You like to bake. Oven mitts and a bowl would be a good idea. Then you can help me in the kitchen."

Yikes! Oven mitts and a bowl? Mike did not think they would be good presents.



Matt went to see his Dad. "Dad, what would be something good for Santa to bring me?"

Dad said, "I know! A shovel to help clean up the snow would be a great present from Santa. New boots to wear when you shovel snow would be helpful, too."

Matt did not think that boots and a shovel were a good idea.