

## CHRISTMAS CIRCLE STORY

<u>SANTA</u>	“HO, HO, HO” (HOLD BELLY)
<u>NAUGHTY</u>	“WAAA” (RUB EYES WITH FISTS)
<u>ICE</u>	“SMOOTH” (HANDS OUT LIKE A PLANE)
<u>ELF</u>	“IT’S OFF TO WORK WE GO” (SKIPPING)
<u>JACK</u>	“BOING, BOING” (HOPPING)
<u>SLED</u>	“WHOOSH” (HANDS DOWN IN FRONT AND OUT)
<u>DEER</u>	“SNORT/SNIFF” (PRANCE- ARMS IN FRONT)
<u>MRS.</u>	“NOW STOP THAT!” (FINGER POINTING)

IT WAS A BUSY TIME OF YEAR FOR SANTA. HE WAS CHECKING HIS LIST TO SEE WHO WAS NAUGHTY AND WHO WAS NICE. ALL OF THE ELVES WERE BUSY MAKING TOYS, SUCH AS REMOTE CONTROL CARS, DOLLS AND JACK IN THE BOXES. THE SLED WAS PACKED AND THE REINDEER WERE READY TO GO. MRS. CLAUS AND JACK, THE ELF, WERE BUSY COMPLETING FINAL TOUCHES ON A SPECIAL PRESENT FOR SANTA. IT WAS AN ICE SLED.

MRS. CLAUS LOOKED OUT THE WINDOW AND THEN TURNED TO JACK, THE ELF, AND SAID, “OH DEAR, IT LOOKS LIKE ICY WEATHER. SANTA WILL HAVE TO BE CAREFUL ON HIS SLED TONIGHT.” “NOT HE”, SAID JACK, “SANTA NEVER MISSES A ROOF”.

WITH THE SLED ALL PACKED AND THE REINDEER READY TO GO, SANTA WAS PREPARED TO GO. MRS. CLAUS CAME RUNNING OUT, “SOME HOT TEA, MY DEAR?” SHE ASKED. “NO TEA FOR ME” HE REPLIED, “BUT UP ON THE SHELF YOU WILL FIND SOME ICE MINTS FOR THIS NAUGHT COUGH I HAVE.” MRS. CLAUS RETURNED SHORTLY TO THE SLED WITH THE ICE MINTS. WITH A WINK AND A SMILE TO THE MRS., SANTA AND HIS REINDEER LIFTED QUICKLY TO THE SKY. JACK, THE ELF, WAVED GOOD-BYE FROM THE ROOFTOP.

SANTA DELIVERED PRESENTS ALL NIGHT. HE KNEW WHO WAS NAUGHTY, AND WHO WAS NICE. CHILDREN RECEIVED WONDERFUL PRESENTS INCLUDING ELF DOLLS, JACK IN THE BOXES, AND SLEDS. NAUGHTY CHILDREN KNEW THAT THEY WOULD HAVE TO BE DEARS FOR NEXT YEAR.

UPON ARRIVAL BACK TO THE NORTH POLE, THE OLD ELF WAS IN FOR A GREAT SURPRISE WHEN JACK AND MRS. CLAUS BOUGHT OUT HIS NEW ICE SLED. NOT EVEN HE HAD EXPECTED SUCH A DEAR PRESENT. SANTA GAVE A GREAT BUG HUG TO HIS DEAR, MRS. CLAUS, AND ALSO TO JACK, THE ELF, FOR THE ICE SLED. NOT HE EVEN WAS PASSED BEING SURPRISED AT CHRISTMAS.