



Merry Christmas from Robin's Nest Children's Home!

Hi Friends,

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Merry Christmas! For our Robin's Nest Christmas letter, we thought that it would be fun to provide you with a sampling of our children's favorites from the individual lists sent to their sponsors:



"My best memory is Girls Day Out. Mr. Bobby and Mrs. Mary Beth took me and two friends from the Nest. It was fun! The girls got a space of our own too."

"I like school! I got Star of the Week! My favorite is math on my tablet. I get to use my tablet for school now and we have school here at Robin's Nest. I am happy that Christmas is coming."

"My preschool teacher says I am good at writing my letters. I like to play outside with all my friends after supper and schoolwork. We play basketball and ride our bikes. It is fun!

"I like school. I have speech therapy two days a week. I like my teacher because she is fun. My favorite memory is when we had a pool party and Mr. Glaston brought his ice cream truck."

"I like school here at Robin's Nest. I like to write my letters. My best memory is getting birthday presents. I would like to have a lion for my pet. I am happy that Christmas is coming."

"I have school here at Robin's Nest in the Adventure Room. Saturday we all walked up to our old school. We got to play games outside. It was fun! We got a present already, we got our own big girl's pod. We can play with our dolls and watch movies and the little kids don't take our things."

"When I am not at preschool I like to play on the playground with my friends. I like to swing, and I learned how to ride my bike. My best memory is movie night and Mr. Bobby made us popcorn."

"I am learning to read, and my teacher says I read well. I hope we get more movies for Christmas. I like when we play with dolls and paint our fingernails."

"I am happy for Christmas to be here. I like to go to the pool and go to the park with my friends and pod mom. We take a snack and play."

"I like to go to school on my tablet and play outside on the playground. I have some games I like to play in the pod with my friends, too. I like to see the Christmas lights twinkle and I hope I get a Christmas present."

"My best memory was when four of us went to Margaritaville and went down their long slide and climbed the iceberg. We got fries, chicken and salad with pineapple juice. We went on a trampoline."

"My favorite thing to do now is walk! I am out of my stroller and I love to run around my pod even though a lot of times I fall down. I stand up in my crib and laugh until I drop over and go to sleep." (from a little one)

"I just turned one year old. I liked the cupcake I got for my birthday and I got it all over me when I ate it. I like to scoot along the floor. My legs kick and kick when I am on the swing. I am a happy boy."

"I am in preschool at Robin's Nest. I like to sing and pray to Jesus. My favorite song to sing in church is 'It's Bubbling', I am happy to know that Jesus loves me."

"I am in high school. We are doing school online at Robin's Nest now until COVID is over. I like to get all my schoolwork done and sometimes my pod moms ask me to stop working so much after a long day in classes. This year I am taking Spanish."

"My best memory was when Glaston called us and said Eddio needs our help. We helped him bring his bike up and put it in the garage to fix it. I love smiling."

"My best memory was when I was climbing the guinep tree and picked them with the team. We also would go to the river and throw rocks, making them bounce on top of the water." (Guineps are a tropical fruit in Jamaica)

"My best memory I can think of is going to Cool Runnings. We traveled a long distance. We ate fries and burgers for lunch and drank soda. We played a long time and then it was time to go home. I slept on the way."

"I love to ride my bicycle and love to help the men work. I help in the chicken house or anything they are working on"

"My best memory was finding out that I might be adopted. I also loved the first time I did a backflip on the trampoline."

As you can tell, the children have a lot of fun at Robin's Nest and get a good education as well. With most of Jamaica's schools shut down, we are so grateful to be able to homeschool and do online learning for the older ones. Our preschool is limited now to just the children from Robin's Nest, but we still send out worksheets for the neighborhood children to do. We pray that COVID-19 will be over soon for everyone. We also pray for Jamaica as it is extremely hard to have so many people not working. Our staff are so grateful for their jobs as many help their extended family as well.

If you need a last-minute Christmas gift idea, consider sponsoring one of our children. For more information, go to: <https://www.robinsnestchildrenshome.org/sponsor-a-child>

Merry Christmas to all!

Robin's Nest Children's Home "family"

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