
Christmas Greetings from the McCrackens in Portland

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Portland's motto is: "Keep Portland Weird"

One of the "standard fixtures" in the city who helps confirm this motto is the "kilt-wearin riding-bagpipe-playing-Darth Vader" (above). The holiday season has sparked even a creativity in our unique friend.



These days, Cody is the sibling Ellie sees more often than the others. He is currently 1 between jobs (in Oregon). William, Kyle, Kendra and her family are in Europe and will Christmas together. We will spend Christmas with Vicki's family in Eugene (2 1/2 hours

As I have mentioned before, my favorite Christmas card of all time has on the front part of famous and infamous leaders from history, with the words: HISTORY IS FULL OF M WOULD BE GODS. When you open the card there is a picture of Jesus in the manger words: BUT ONLY ONE GOD WHO WOULD BE MAN. "And the Word became flesh, among us; and we beheld His glory, glory as of the only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth." (John 1:14)

As we celebrate Christmas, may we further contemplate John 1:1 & 14, and consider how He wants to continually manifest His grace and truth in/through our lives today.

MANY THANKS TO ALL WHO ARE A PART OF OUR SUPPORT TEAM THROUGH YOUR PRAYERS AND/OR FINANCES. WE ARE SO VERY GRATEFUL TO YOU, AND WISH YOU A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A NEW YEAR FULL OF EXPERIENCING GOD'S ACTIVE PRESENCE IN FRESHER AND DEEPER WAYS!

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