



FRIDAY FOLLIES

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**Hope you are having a great week.
I sure am!**

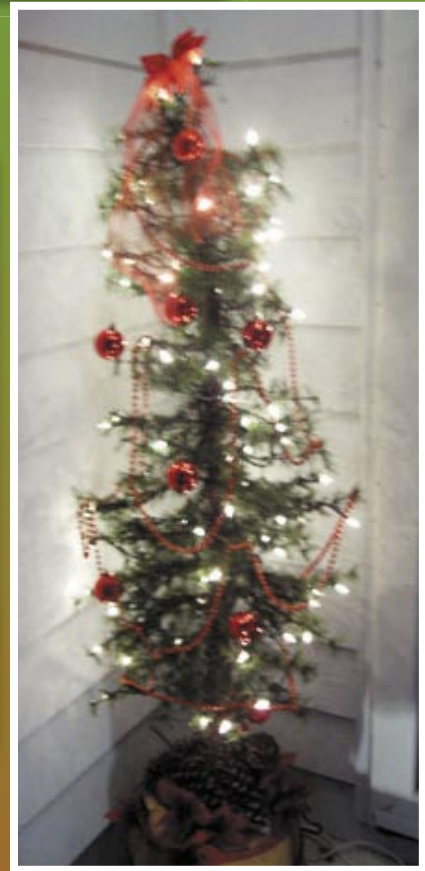
Just crazy busy, though. There is some type of event I have to go to -- or want to go to every night this week! Not to mention there are scores of events each day working in a school. It is non-stop from the time you walk in the door early in the morning until you leave late in the evening! Fun, but I have to tell you, I will be glad when the students go on break and we have the whole place to ourselves for a few days! Maybe we can get caught up!

The really neat thing is that because of the way the holidays fall this year, I only





have to work two days next week and two days the week after! I could take those days off and have two complete weeks off, but why? LOL! I am not going anywhere... so I will save those days for another time.



Ken was home for two evenings this week and we watched football and had a nice Italian dinner one night in Norfolk. The next night he came to the beach and we opened presents and strolled along the North End looking at the lights. He thought the brick sidewalks and alleyways were pretty cool, too. Then Jeremy joined us for dinner at a really fun Tapas grille. I think between the three of us we tried everything on the menu! Just two very nice, surprise evenings! I did not think he was going to make it into town at all this month! He will be



working the Outback Bowl on New Year's Day, otherwise, he was going to take me to the Rose Bowl to see Penn play. Darn! There will be other times, though.

Trust me, there is plenty to do here... I have several really nice invitations for this week and next. I will try to get some good photos of all of the stuff going on here these next couple of weeks. It is just more appropriate at some events than others, ya know?

I am surprised (and yet not) at the number of friends who have decided to forego their Christmas parties this year, though. I had to give mine up last year. I hated it, too, because it is such a fun time to see everyone! It was kinda my gift to everyone, each year - plus - Lord knows I have enough canned goodies to feed 600 people! LOL! Oh well, maybe next year will be easier on the pocket-book! Always hopeful!

I really don't have a lot to say this week (big surprise!) and I need to get ready to head out again for a work event.





So, I have just added some photos from decorations around the house this week.

Oh! And I added these two photos from a friend in New Hampshire who DOES have power, but still has ice everywhere. As he said, "Dangerous as it is -- it is still a beautiful thing to see!"

I hope you have a lovely week, and I will have more to say later!



To all of you on my Friday Follies List, whether you are in Manila, Singapore, Kuwait, Bermuda, Virginia Beach, Mississippi, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Minnesota, Indiana, Colorado, Lake Tahoe, Philadelphia, Key West, New Jersey, North Carolina, Indonesia, Washington D.C., Iraq, Costa Rica, Poland, Maryland, West (By-God!) Virginia, Nashville, Florida, Saudi Arabia, New Hampshire, Tampa, Chattanooga, France, Phoenix, New York, Oregon, Russia, Maine, Australia, Bangkok, or Yuma, have a wonderful, wonderful week!

God bless.
Remember, life is short!
We need to make it a good one.
Grow in peace and wisdom.
Your Friday Friend,

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P.S. NOTE OF CAUTION... 20 employees were fired from The New York Times here in Norfolk for sending lewd and indecent emails. (To my knowledge, none of the 20 were on our joke list - even though some of the attorneys who represent the company were!) I have asked each and every one of you on this list to tell me if the jokes that accompany these "Follies" place you in jeopardy, or even if they offend you. Please understand that they are intended to be light-hearted and are not mean-spirited in any way. If you are ever offended, do not hesitate to ask to be taken off the Friday Follies Joke List. PSS. If you send a joke and I don't use it, it is because it has been used before, and I try not to repeat. Remember, I have been sending these since August of 1997. One tends to go through huge numbers of jokes that way. Disclaimer: When anyone asks if I type all of these jokes the answer is, "No!" I cut and paste one evening during the week (30 minutes, TOPS). Obviously I don't have time to sit read, and retype jokes all day!

