

Now then my dear,

I am writing you this note because even though I have tried very hard, I haven't been able to find the present that you asked for. I have looked high and low for it and my elves have searched every cupboard in Christmas House, but we appear to have run out completely. This doesn't happen very often and I'm dreadfully sorry for it, but I do hope you'll like the presents I have got you and that you'll have lots of fun opening them on Christmas Day!



My elves tell me that you have been extremely good this year and I am very proud of you. We have put a gold star next to your name on our long list of children and everyone at my house hopes that you have a marvellous Christmas and a wonderful New Year!

Lots of love, **F**ather **C**hristmas x