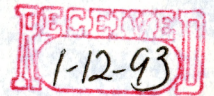


The meaning of Christmas is close to our hearts. Its spirit is the warmth and joy of sharing our lives with family and friends.



BUON NATALE! PACE. PEACE. SHALOM.

HAPPY NEW YEAR 1993  
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1 January 1993

Dear Chief Mankiller,  
My great-grandmother Rachel Hatfield,  
rode horses bareback with Cherokee Indians  
before Oklahoma was a state and I recall  
her stories about how culturally rich, warm  
people the Cherokee are. I celebrate in  
the U.S.'s recognition of an autonomous  
Cherokee nation.

I would be honored to hang a personally  
inscribed photograph of you in my  
office. In addition, how may I contribute  
money to and support in other ways the  
Cherokee nation? In addition, perhaps  
your staff could send me information re-  
garding sources to have common phrases and  
other text translated into "Cherokee" and  
other Native American languages. Thank you for your  
assistance and may God bless you in your worthwhile  
endeavors. Warm regards,  
David M. Eastis

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