Hello and Greetings from Colorado!!

On the Eve of Christmas 1999, let's pause and reflect on what the past year has brought. Robert left in late January for a short-tour assignment in Germany. During this time Robert enjoyed sightseeing and shopping in addition to his work duties. Davina's family visited her for Easter and she was able to head east for her cousin Maryann's wedding in April. Davina also had the opportunity to visit Robert in May in Germany after she finished her classes. Germany is quite a beautiful and historic country.

The summer brought school for Robert and play for Davina. Robert continues work on his MBA. Robert and Davina did have the opportunity to go to Robert's cousin Margie's wedding in Rhode Island in June. Davina's sisters Gloria and Jeanne visited in July and they all went camping at the Sand Dunes in southern Colorado. What a wild sight to see this huge sandbox nestled near the mountains.

Fall brought more school for Robert and also much more school for Davina. With the possibility that Robert might have been vulnerable for a new assignment, Davina decided to accelerate her master's degree program. So, although she was a bit busy this fall she looks forward to graduation in May of 2000. Davina and Robert did get a break in October to enjoy a visit from Robert's parents. We took a hot-air balloon ride (what fun!) and visited Estes Park in the northern part of Colorado. For Thanksgiving Davina and Robert visited Robert's sister Debbie, her husband Tim, and their brand new baby girl Margaret in Idaho. Speaking of new babies, it has been a busy year for Robert's sisters and sister-in-law. His sister Amie and her husband Mike welcomed the arrival of Joshua in July. His brother Donald and Donald's wife Ann are expecting their second child momentarily. Finally, after classes were finished in December, Davina and Robert took the Ski Train from Denver to a ski resort called Winter Park to meet Davina's friends Ray and Angela. The four of us went snow-mobiling up to the Continental Divide and had a fun time.

In case you were wondering, Robert and Davina's dogs continue to do well. Fortunately for the value of the house, Alexis is out of her chewing stage for the most part. Pele' continues her role as house alarm system. Well that pretty much sums up year number 2 in Colorado for Davina and Robert.

May everyone have a blessed Christmas and a Happy

New Year 2000!

Love, Robert and Davina

P.S. Being purists we will have to welcome the new millennium in another year.