

Merry 2013 Christmas

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As we are slowing down a bit, it is getting harder to fill this tome with what's been happening in our lives, so maybe we will just INcrease the size of the font even MORE to fill the page.

• *If you want the rainbow,
you gotta' put up with the rain.* •

Last week a neighbor a few houses away became so inebriated at a pre-holiday party that he took a cab home. At the DUI checkpoint they just waved the cab through. But now he can't figure out what to do with the cab in his garage.

• *It is a typical failure of many to not document the important events when they are making history.* •

In mid-Spring Hugh received an award as volunteer from the Downey Historical Society and in mid-Summer was video-interviewed by them relative to his remembrances of Downey.

• *Hard work pays off in the future,
laziness pays off now* •

Hugh now has a Power-Port to facilitate the chemotherapy infusions to combat his peritoneal mesothelioma. He is now on his fourth formula/recipe/regime at City-Of-Hope, and they say that he is responding and stable. Arliss now gives him shots for a few days after each session. As cancer protection for all, the clinic recommend a diet of grapes, cinnamon, mushrooms, and no sugar; he is OK with the first half; see more at ...

<http://TINYURL.com/HUGHSTAT>

• *We intend to live forever - so far, so good.* •

In early Spring, Arliss had the Fuchs' dystrophy in her right eye successfully improved by endothelial keratoplasty. Acupuncture has relieved her bladder urgencies.

• *What happens if you get scared half to death twice?* •

At Christmas-time, Emily and Zachary will be 8y-11m and 7y-2m.



Arliss's genealogy research continues to grow. Some updated charts and reports of such efforts can be found linked from our page at ...

<http://TINYURL.com/gene0000>

Her recommendations for research sites on the InterNet can be found linked from our page at...

<http://TINYURL.com/GENEBEST>

• *If at first you don't succeed,
destroy all evidence that you tried.* •

The WiFi range extender that we installed in the house has greatly improved our signal and the reliability of the iPad that we got last year.

• *Ambition is a poor excuse for not having enough sense to be lazy.* •

Doug & Bridgette remain nearby and continue to be involved in bowling, its industry, and several tournaments - in and out of California.

• *The Ark was built by a lone amateur.
The Titanic, by a large group of professionals.* •

The week prior to Thanksgiving week was spent shopping, buffet-hopping, shopping, sight-seeing, and shopping in Las Vegas. Our goal is 21 buffets in 7 days, but we have yet to achieve that level. Prophetically, the watch that Arliss bought there last year stopped short never to go again, so she got a new one.



Notes on things to see/do there can be found at ...

<http://TINYURL.com/TRIPVEGS>



Always Remember the Reason for the Season.

Happy 2014 New Year

