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78. Mrs. G. is an unsupported divorce with five children. Expenses such as auto repair and a washing machine replacement have placed her in debt which she won't be able to manage without limiting the activities of her children. These activities are vital to their growth as—persons and responsible citizens. Christmas gifts appear unlikely in this household.

**79.** Miss Pissan unwed mother of 20, living by herself and supported by public assistance. Her family is having little to do with her and Christmas will be an especially difficult time for mother and daughter.

Mr. H. has managed to become a financial disaster area, partially due to his lack of responsibility but also because of frequent lay offs. This year sees Mr. H. in a more secure job and undergoing credit counseling to eliminate his debts. Eventually, the family will be on sound financial ground but not for sometime. The four children will probably have a lean Christmas.

61. Mrs. K. is a recently separated young mother of three. She has just been laid off and her husband pays his support sporadically. After intensive counseling, mother is coping very well emotionally. Financially, the family is hard-pressed. The children are adapting well to deprivations but a little extra at Christmas would help.

Miss L is a hard luck story Numerous health problems have placed her in debt so great that she despairs of ever climbing out. She continues to work whenever she is able; which has been infrequently. Even ten cents to spend on herself would be a huge reward for her.

Mr. and Mrs. S have five children Mr. S has to support a previous family. Therefore, he's having difficulty providing for the present one. The children have to do with a lot less than others and

the chances of receiving gifts this year are not good

Miss R is in her sixties and diabetic. She has been under a doctor's care for a long time. Over a year ago, she moved. Last June she received word that her S.S.I. benefit was being cut back as of July 1, because of an increase in Social Security. In July she received \$83 from Social Security and has not received her Supplemental Income since. All of this confusion apparently is due to her moving. She has lost a great deal of weight and just hasn't had the necessities of life for months.

Sue, a 13-year-old gir, has recently moved into her fourth foster home. She has had many emotional problems and consequently has had trouble finding the "right" family. Her new foster family is hoping to make this a special Christmas for Sue but do not really have the money to do very much.

Mrs. I is trying to reunite her four children, ages 12, 8, 6, and 4. She has recently finished a job training program and hopes to become employed after the holidays. Right now she is living on a disability check. Money to buy gifts and "special" Christmas items is a necessity.

87. Mrs. J. is a lonely, middle-aged for woman who struggled for years to rear her three children after the father deserted the family. Now she struggles to maintain herself on a meager welfare grant since emotional and physical problems make it impossible for her to work. Her children live in other states and she has little contact with them. Throughout her years of struggle she has maintained a strong faith in God and continues to turn to Him for help.

Mr. A. is unable to support his family because of physical disability. They are dependent on Social Security and welfare for financial support, but Mr. A. provided the emotional support to

