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## From/To: W.E. Stephens, Jr. (Chalk's reply filed first)

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December 28, 1967

Mr. W. E. Stephens, Jr. Stephens Manufacturing Comppny 306–308 2nd Avenue North Nashville, Tennessee

Dear Bill:

Again, my family and I want to thank you for your very lovely and thoughtful remembrance at Christmas. The record player, records, and the final installment in your very generous gift, the record of special Christmas songs, have all been received and appreciated. Our children have enjoyed several of the records especially, and the whole family thanks you so much fur sending them. They will mean a great deal for years to come. Every time we play them we will think of a very kind Christian friend in Nashville who made them possible.

Thank you for your very kind and generous gift for the Villa Maria work in Sao Paulo, Brazil. I know of no group of missionaries anywhere in the world doing a more effective work than the group in Sao Paulo, and I know no one man in the group who has shown a greater facility in the language and greater effectiveness in his ministry than Jerry Campbell, the man who works with the Villa Maria congregation. You would be interested in knowing that Jerry's wife, Barbara, the former Barbara Lyle of Old Hickory, was my wife's room-mate for two years at David Lipscomb College.

I hope to see you in the near future as I am in Nashville. Thanks to you and other committed members of Harding Place church, we just received a gift of \$1,000. Visiting there last Sunday was one of the highlights of our trip, and I send you my warmest greetings, along with those of my entire family.

Fraternally yours,

John Allen Chalk Radio Speaker

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December 15, 1967

Mr. John Allen Chalk 809 Byrd Drive Abilene, Texas 79601

Dear John Allen:

Enclosed is the balance of our Christmas gift to our employees along with a copy of my letter to Peak and East Side Church of Christ in Dallas. I regret your decision concerning Harding Place Church but wish you every success in your future endeavors and hope to be able to know you better in the future.

Sincerely yours,

W.E. Stephens Jr.

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P.S. your letter forwarded to a friend













