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# The Fort Wayne Falcon...

A publication of the Fort Wayne Alumni & Friends Resource Center

## Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!



Just a few days ago, I returned from two weeks in Uganda, where I served with Forgotten Children International founded by Matt Hartsell, g81, FWBC graduate, and then in Ethiopia to complete some other ministry and family

business. I must say, it was unusual to be hearing Christmas carols with temperatures in the 80s. I am reminded that many of you may not be seeing snow this time of year either, but you continue to celebrate Christmas. Please know how much your cards, letters, Facebook messages have meant to me. May you find peace and rest this Christmas season! I am already looking forward to the New Year with a new website and other unknown blessings coming our way.

## Christmas orders needed by December 19

Act now in order to get your Christmas shopping items mailed in time from the Fort Wayne campus on-line store. Please place your order at <http://fw.taylor.edu/store> no later than this Sunday, December 19 to receive your item(s) before Christmas. CDs, DVDs and books from Fort Wayne faculty and alumni are now available as are sweatshirts hoodies and crew neck sweatshirts. Cats Meow wooden replicas of Schultz, Bethany and now Founders also are available. Visit the store today at <http://fw.taylor.edu/store> and get your favorite FWBC, SCC and TUFW items!

## Year-end Giving makes Resource Center possible

Your gift to the Fort Wayne Alumni Fund in part makes the Fort Wayne Alumni & Friends Resource Center possible and will demonstrate your desire for the Center to continue to serve, minister, and promote the legacy of our campus. It also will help us reach toward our goal of raising \$60,000 by May 31, 2011. Please be assured your gift will ONLY be used for Fort Wayne alumni purposes unless you specify otherwise. Would you prayerfully consider a year-end gift to show your support? Your gift can be given by [clicking here](#) or by sending in a check to 915 W Rudisill Blvd, Fort Wayne, IN 46807. Thank you for standing with us as we care for Fort Wayne campus alumni and celebrate our legacy.



## Along Rudisill...

- The Fort Wayne Alumni & Friends Resource Center will be closed December 23 – January 2, so staff and volunteers can spend time with family and friends while conserving energy. You can still make a gift to the Fort Wayne Alumni & Friends Resource Center by calling Michael Mortensen at (260) 437-1265 or visit the giving website on-line at <http://fw.taylor.edu/gift> by 11:59 p.m. EST on December 31 or put it in the mail shoot at 915 W. Rudisill Blvd on or before December 31, 2010.
- Special thanks to Joyce Gerig, fs61, for decorating the Resource Center for the Christmas season. The wreaths, lights, tree and Christmas greens throughout the house make a beautiful home even cozier.



*if we can help you in any way, please contact the Alumni & Friends Resource Center at (260) 744-8790 during regular business hours or e-mail [alumnifw@taylor.edu](mailto:alumnifw@taylor.edu) anytime!*

Merry Christmas!

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Director of Fort Wayne Alumni & Friends Relations