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O.K., not exactly a HAPPY New Year, w/son Mike leaving for several months to the other side of the world... but that's the military life...you do what you gotta do!

Well, Orli didn't win the run-off

Election for a seat on the city council, which is

Laredo's

however,



he's still Numero Uno to the ladies at home: Gely, Honda, wife Kathy, & Nella. Linda & her mom, Jim Ida Waley, cooked up a great home-style meal for Mike the day before he left. Son Matthew was there to see him off, too. Lots of luck, Mike, & hurry back!







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love, Uri, Susie & Arie



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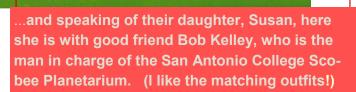


Cute little Arie Druker celebrated Hanukkah w/mom & dad, Susie & Uri Druker!

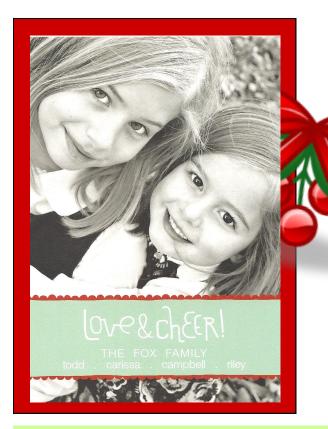


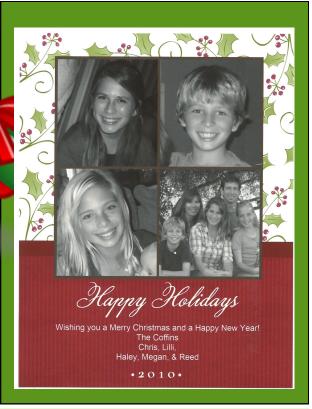
This handsome couple are June & Don Graesser at grandson Daniel Wright's graduation from flight school earlier in the year.

Don is a retired Army Lt. Colonel.
He & June spend many hours volunteering w/Habitat for Humanity & other groups in the College Station area. Their children are daughters Susan Wright, Dr. Anne Coleman, Barbara Holm & son John, plus they have several grandkids!









Pretty Campbell & Riley Fox, over in Caspar, Wyoming, & the good-looking Coffin kids, Haley, Reed, Megan, & their parents, Lillian & Chris, wished everyone Happy Holidays.. And down in Athens, Alabama, the Patty Family got together for a great photo... cousins Lily & Tatum are little Southern Belles already!







Lovelies Victoria & Bella, & Hagy girls, plus Hector, Enrique & little Arie.



Christmas parties everywhere!



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Lisa
visits w/
Matt &
Rachel &
Sarah
looks
stunning!









Shawn & good friend
Pastor Julie Carter had
a good time Christmas
Eve singing carols at
the Langford party!

(Debbie led the singing because she brought the songbooks to the party!)



Even Dan & James lent their voices to the songfest! Fun, fun!



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Ooh, that's a sweet-looking guy!and you, too, Aric!



Hey, that's Norma Hagy in The Laredo
Times' BLAST FROM THE PAST article, &
good friend Norma Brady is on the right!

Neither one has changed a bit, either!



Here's that good-looking couple—do they EVER look anything but great?

Methinks Damon Swisher enjoyed dressing up in a medieval outfit at the recent Renaissance Festival in Plantersville, Texas!



These beautiful girls are Haley & Megan Coffin, who are also expert players on their Oceanside, California, hockey team! GO LONGHORNS!



Hadn't seen a pix of cousins Luisa & Ruben Pena in a while, but obviously, they're doing just fine! Hi, guys!







Kathy Navarro (center) visits w/friends Anna Galo & Linda Howland at a recent party, as per <u>The Laredo Times</u>. Smile pretty, ladies!

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

- 01—URI DRUKER
- 09—ALEJANDDRA LANDIS
- 11—EDWARD T. RIDGLEY
- 17—MARTHA RIDGLEY, JESSE PETE REDDAM
- **26—ENRIQUE FARIAS**

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS



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11—CARL HAGY (Originally from W. Virginia; served in the USAF, retired, & he & Norma settled in Laredo)

12—KATHY Hagy NAVARRO (Excellent, well-known United High School science teacher, Kathy & Orli have 3 daughters)



21—PAUL "BUDDY" WRIGHT

(Visiting the Korean War Veterans Memorial in Washington. Retired USAF Colonel Buddy flew in 4 tours & Viet Nam, & now lives in Beebe, Arkansas).



Aquarilus

30 — ROBERT LANDIS

North Dakota native Bob
lives in Laredo w/wife Ali &
daughter, Victoria. Bob is
a pilot for a local company.



Celebrated my 76th w/Steve, Shawn & Ed, Debbie ,James & Damon, & Lisa & Cassie, at the Rock Box in Fredericksburg! Great entertainment!

Just after eating at a local restaurant, James started singing Happy Birthday to me, & the whole place joined in! I'm sure they thought they were going to be on You Tube or something! What fun!

Back at home, & in my favorite housecoat, opening gifts & taking phone calls! Every day is a blessing, especially because I have a dear family, great friends & enjoy pretty good health! Oh, & I have a cat, too!



Daisy Mae's friends & neighbors, Molly, ChaCha & Frances, take a ride w/ their chauffeur, Eddie, at the local Home Depot! Daisy Mae is a shy cat & would never go out in public like that!







Gotta hand it to Evelyn Landis—she & her trusty dog, Leroy, drove all the way from North Dakota to Laredo by themselves! That is quite a feat, & reminds me of Anne Reddam, who often drove from N. Hampshire to Texas or Florida to Washington State—all alone! Ladies, you are very much admired!





BEST WISHES & BLESSINGS TO EVERYONE IN 2011!

MAY THIS BE YOUR BEST YEAR EVER, IN EVERY WAY!

Thank you for your photos, your cards, & especially for your nice &

encouraging comments about the issues!

(And thanks again to Debbie Wright Swisher, who began this great way for the family to keep in touch).









