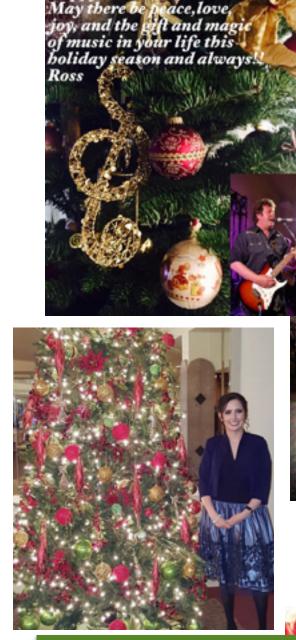


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## **Salinas Scandal Sheet**

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Anali Guajardo, daughter of Vicki Barnes, wished one & all, a very merry Christmas!



The Reason for the Season!

Someone, perhaps an Elf, decorated several trees in Grey Forest??

Ross Swisher's card (above left) expresses our sentiments exactly....to each and every one, all the very best in the New Year!

APPY NEW YEAR



The Ridgley gang, Edward, Elise, Jake & Natalie, eagerly awaited Mr. Claus! Mom & dad, Mari & Tedsan, made sure everyone went to bed early! What a thrill for the children of Robert & Ali Landis, Victoria & little Robert, PLUS their school-mates & teachers at Mary Help of Christians School in Laredo, when Dad Robert showed up at school w/enough SNOW from North Dakota to make a snowman! Some of the kids had never seen the white stuff & were thrilled with the novelty!



But before the Snow, there was Halloween, & these folks went Trick-or-Treating w/their cousin Chuy Vela Cuellar (the Ghost), & later, little Robert dressed up, too!



Needless to say, daddy Robert was a BIG hit!!







Let's see...who's in this picture? Isabella Farias, aunt Cristina Farias holding Elizabeth Landis, Ana & big brother Gonzalo Farias, the Ghost, and in front, little Robert, sister Victoria, and grandpa Hector Farias!







Cristina Farias took time out from the play she was in to give dad Hector a big hug! Nina, are there more Acting roles in your future?

Cristina Farias was a Bobby-Soxer in a recent play, & mom & dad, Diana & Hector, ventured out to see it! Good job, Nina!

Over in Japan, where nephew Jesse Reddam is stationed, he & Gabby & little Jesse & Jaxson, are apparently having a WONDERFUL Time! Those little boys will be GROWN by the time they come back to the States!!



Dad Joshua & mom Chanel report that little Dior is no trouble at all!



Fortunately, little Dior Bella Langford isn't QUITE so far away, so we do get to see her more often! The Grandparents Langford & Van Dyk are spoiling her rotten, of course, but they're allowed to!









We are blessed with other new babies in the family, & here they are: Ben & Rebecca (Varnon) Mahooty w/Nathaniel, call Knoxville, Tennessee home. And Dr. Carlos & Sarah Farias are proud parents of little Griff, & live in Chicago, Illinois. Greetings & congratulations to all!

HAPPY NEW YEAR

Young adults are children of Patty (Zuniga) Ramirez: Michael, Chris & Victoria! Proud mom is below, w/ special friend, Jeff Lewis — & yes, he's an Aggie!





Meanwhile, other kiddos are growing up, which is hard to believe, but true! Here are Gonzálo & Susie & their four....Handsome boys Enrique, Rafaél & Hector & the beautiful Bella!











These good-looking guys are mind-blowing! When did they grow up? Owen & sis Nicole Reed are children of Bud & Beth, over in Tampa, Florida!

And here's cute John Clabaugh, taller than mom Letitia (Farias) & almost as tall as dad, Clayton!



Guillermo Farias would have been so very proud of beautiful daughters Olivia, Sophie & Sara, here w/their mother Laura, & her father Joe (a Marine veteran). (Memo was gone too soon)!



Armando Benavides Jr. & Melanie González are delighted w/the cute little Armandito, as is Grandma Luisa (Vela) Peña!





Drake DeWall was home from TX A&M for the Holidays, to the delight of sis Alexa & brother Luke!

Proud as punch are Lillian Swisher & husband Ross, *w/their four beautiful girls:* Monica, Michelle, Melody, & Megan, who just earned her Master's Degree!



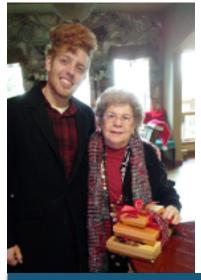
Cassie & Mr. Claus!







Perhaps Christelle & Felipe Farias, & kids Anissa & Alessandro, could explain what THIS Mummy is about???



Grandson Damon Swisher helped me celebrate my 82nd B'day! But HE got a new car from Santa! Wow!

Robert & Ali Landis have 3 kiddos who just LOVE Xmas! Victoria, little Robert & Ms. Elizabeth could hardly wait for Santa!



Surrounded by good-looking guys —son-inlaw James Swisher & son Steve!



Debbie & Damon w/little Dior!

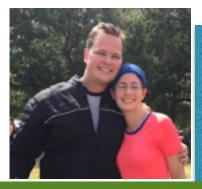




...and speaking of the Wrights, they will be adding to the family when their twin boys arrive next year! If they look anything like the beautiful Emma, they'll be really handsome!



Dan is stationed at Beale AFB, CA, flying Drones, while wife Mallorie is a professional photographer!!



Dan's brother Matthew, w/friend Emily Keep, is a Marine 1/Lt & is stationed in Newport, N. Carolina! He's also a Navigator in something called a Prowler! Matt's twin, Rachel Sundet & her husband Stephen, live in Nederland, TX, where she is a Lab Analyst & he is a Petroleum Inspector!



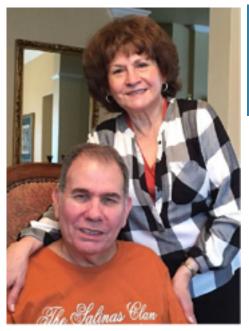
The Graesser family keeps on growing, too, as per this great picture on the right! I can't begin to identify every one, but it's so good to see you all, & you're wished the very best in 2017!



...and like Mom & Dad, these were all Aggies, too!

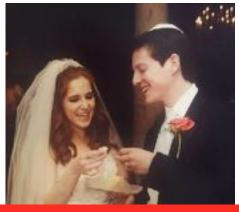






Speaking of Aggies, brother Meme was one, also, as well as a U.S. Navy Meteorologist! He's a computer whiz & also worked for Farias & Farias CHB, but now he & wife Norma are retired & call San Antonio home. Norma's kids live in SA & McKinney, Texas, so are not too far away! Here she is w/her beautiful girls!





Little did Susie (Farias) & Uri Druker know when they wed, that a few years later, they'd have 3 darling boys! Here they are— Arie, Ryan & Noah—w/ grandpa Joshua & Dad. The other proud grandparents are Linda Druker & Dr. Hector & Diana Farias!!









A different celebration was that of Hector's sister, Ana (Farias) & Bobby Muller, who have been married 47 years as of December 27th!! And below, the day Alma in the middle, became an official Muller!! Congrats!!!



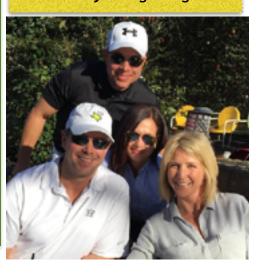
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Gosh, a Black & White picture! Cenobio Navarro, Pat & Jimmy Deliganis, Laura Saldivar, Nancye Hagy, Kathy Navarro & Norma Hagy relax after a very nice Thanksgiving Dinner at Navarros!!



Evelyn Landis enjoyed visiting w/little grandson Shafer, son of Tim & Rae Ann!

Langford sisters, Carissa & Julie, & husbands Todd Fox & Mark Sultzbaugh enjoyed a recent very nice get-together!





Here's wishing each & every one of you a most fulfilling, happy & prosperous New Year! It's a pleasure posting photos of this beautiful &

growing family; hopefully, this little bit of news will serve to keep you aware of everyone's activities! I'm only sorry that I can't have more than 8 pages or some computers can't open Feliz Año Nuevo!!! them!





Oldie, but Googie! The Reeds w/the Bud Reeds & Chris Coffins!



Adrienne & Pepe Trevino III w/their good-looking boys: Pepe IV & Matt.