



## Directions

**Write a brief, encouraging note on each card and sign FIRST NAME ONLY – include no personal identifying information.**

**DO NOT USE glitter, stickers, foil, markers, crayons, or colored pencils**

Do not include a gender greeting, such as “dear brother/sister in Christ”

Cards may go to either men or women. Some may be posted to share with everyone in a housing unit. Consider if message is appropriate: Sentiment, humor, and reminders of life outside can “fall flat” to those feeling isolated from friends and loved ones during holidays.

*Don't know what to say?*

Take a look at some of the suggested greetings for ideas to help you get started, listed below:

**Merry Christmas! Jesus loves you!**

**You are in my prayers**

**May you know God's great love for you and may God give you new strength in the year ahead**

**God is always with you**

**I am praying for you – and wish you peace in knowing God's love**

**God has prepared you to receive God's love and is preparing you for your life to come**

**May God's love refresh and restore you. Anticipate and celebrate each new day that comes**

**God is good. All the time.**

