

**A Christmas Thank You
and a Happy 2005!**



Christmas 2004

Our tree this year was a balsam fir ordered on the internet from Maine. In our opinion it is our best tree ever. All three children were home, along with various dogs, birds, etc. Also visiting were Aunt Frances and Julia's friends Raluca and Victor. We had our usual deluge of traditional Christmas foods, including pierogi and kielbasy for Christmas Eve as well as Dundee Cake and a variety of Christmas cookies. Allegra, as usual, was eager to unwrap presents, not only her own but most of Julia's.

We wish you all the best of health and happiness in the New Year.

