## Ramsey Christmas 2010





Rachel and Robert at Grandma Ramsey's A Newsworthy Greeting to Muslim Neighbors



## Blessings from our family to yours for the new year!

In January, Bette Lynn took Christy to visit her parents, Bruce and Kathryn Speegle, in Arizona with help from Christy's brother Tim's frequent flyer miles. (We'll end the year with them to celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary.) They included a side trip to California to see daughter Rachel and Catherine in Oakland. Rachel brought her parents to her 5th grade class for an epic show and tell.

Bette Lynn was the only
"unplugged" participant in
#unco10, a gathering of
Presbyterian Twitter friends. Pay
back was sweet as Bette Lynn left
Christy @home to spend a week
on the beach. Christy had the
house clean when Bette Lynn
returned... he didn't actually do
the cleaning, he had it done.

## **3 Generation Road Trip**

On a hot summer day, Christy and his Uncle Bill recovered Robert's dead car. (He now gets paid to check the oil.) The socially wired Robert was able to get from Columbus to his beloved University of Cincinnati and back three days later even without a car! Great Uncle and Dad saved the pushing and prepping the car corpse for him. Robert uses his oil check money and his paycheck at Glenmoor Country Club to cover his college living expenses.



Christy was in the news when he displayed a greeting in Arabic and English to his Muslim neighbors for Ramadan on the church sign. (above)

He has started his year as President of Downtown Akron Kiwanis where he leads meetings, reads to children, serves pancakes, and passes out bicycles and scholarships.

May Christmas be born anew in your lives!

Sadly, Christy's family gathered for his father Dick's funeral in November. Christy's brothers, Tom and Tim, were able to come for the service and an extended visit.

Christy's mother, Mary Lu, is keeping busy and adjusting.



Bette Lynn and sister Sara Day at an undisclosed location.