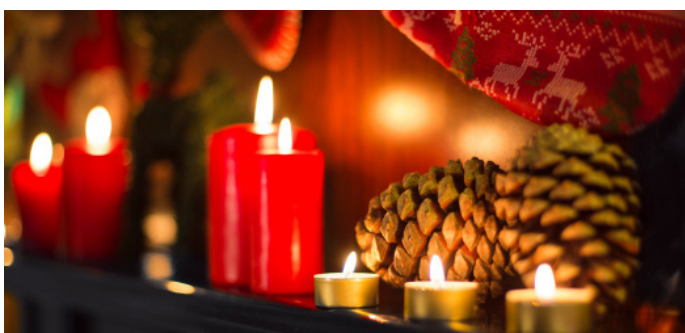


Have a safe and happy holiday season!

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Although it's a joyful and festive time of year, don't forget these important safety tips to make sure your family is safe throughout the holiday season.



FIRE SAFETY

- Don't overload electrical outlets
- When cooking, make sure your oven and stove are free of grease and dust
- Hang stockings and other decorations at least three feet from heat sources
- Never leave a space heater or lit fireplace unattended
- Always turn off decorations before leaving your home or going to bed
- Test household smoke alarms at least once per month
- Share your fire escape plan with any overnight guests
- Keep your tree watered - dry trees are a major fire hazard
- Do not place wrapping paper in the fireplace
- Check all electric decorations for breaks, cracks and general wear and tear



THEFT PREVENTION

- Lock your vehicle and always hide any valuables
- If you are shopping at night, park in a well-lit area
- Get to know your neighbors and watch out for one another
- Protect yourself online; make sure your firewall, anti-virus and anti-spyware software is up to date
- Set indoor and outdoor lights on timers when you are not home
- If you use an ATM do so in a police station, mall or other high traffic location and only withdraw what you need
- Be aware of your surroundings and any strangers who approach you
- Donate only to recognized charitable organizations
- Keep cash in your front pocket