

Left – Right And Pass the Gift Games

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Left – Right Game #1 (Ladies Meeting at Lucy Lefts)

To give out a Door Prize or Small Gift

This one was a home party one that I changed a lot of to make it fit a ladies meeting...Julia

Someone reads the story aloud. Everyone passes the gift in the direction told in the story and change directions every time "Left" or "Right" is mentioned. The person holding the gift at the end of the story gets to keep it.

I **left** my house and was on my way to Lucy **Left's** house for the ladies fellowship meeting, but I **left** the directions at home right by the phone! I knew **right** away that I needed to have the **right** directions to Lucy **Left's** house, so I turned **left** and I turned **right** and made my way back to my house for the **right** directions. Sure enough, there they were, **right** where I had **left** them, **right** next to the phone and **left** of the picture of my kids.

Finally, I was on the **right** track. I arrived **right** on time for opening prayer. Everyone had arrived and sat **right** down. I sat on the **left** of Lucy **Left**. The leader got **right** to work to tell us all about what we would be doing **right** in our ladies group and asked for suggestions so we could do things **right** from the start. There were wonderful ideas **right** from our own ladies that attended. Nothing was **left** out.

The leader covered what type of meetings we would be having, what Bible studies would be coming up that would be just **right** for our group. She didn't want anyone to be **left** out of our activities.

She told us that this might be the **right** time to volunteer for one of the projects to help with our activities and events. She emphasized that all the little details mattered and she didn't want anything **left** out because our ladies group was an outreach of our church and for the Lord who is **right** and true.

The leader told us we could talk to her **right** after the meeting if we wanted to volunteer. It was **left** up to us what area we wanted to volunteer for. So, there was nothing **left** for me to do but volunteer, **right**?

Left – Right Game #2

(Right Family Christmas)

Can be used for a full gift exchange or just one gift

Someone reads the story aloud. Everyone passes their gift(s) in the direction told in the story and change directions every time "Left" or "Right" is mentioned. The person keeps the gift they are holding at the end of the story.

Christmas was almost here, and Mother **RIGHT** was finishing the Christmas baking.

Father **RIGHT**, Sue **RIGHT**, and Billy **RIGHT** returned from their last-minute Christmas errands.

"There's not much **LEFT** to be done," said Father **RIGHT** as he came into the kitchen.

"Did you leave the basket of food at church?" asked Mother **RIGHT**.

"I **LEFT** it **RIGHT** where you told me to," said Father **RIGHT**.

"I'm glad my shopping is done," said Billy **RIGHT**. "I don't have any money **LEFT**."

The hall telephone rang, and Susan **RIGHT LEFT** to answer it.

She rushed back and told the family "Aunt Tillie **RIGHT LEFT** a package for us **RIGHT** on Grandma **RIGHT**'s porch.

"I'll go over there **RIGHT** now and get it." she said as she **LEFT** in a rush.

Father **RIGHT LEFT** the kitchen and brought in the Christmas tree.

By the time Susan **RIGHT** returned, Mother **RIGHT**, Father **RIGHT**, and Billy **RIGHT** had begun trimming the tree.

The entire **RIGHT** family sang carols as they finished the decorating.

Then they **LEFT** all the presents arranged under the tree and went to bed, hoping they had selected the **RIGHT** gifts for their family.

Now I hope you have the **RIGHT** present for yourself, because that's all that's **LEFT** of our story.....

Except to wish you a Merry Christmas....Isn't that **RIGHT**?

Left – Right Game #3

(Night Before Christmas)

Can be used for a full gift exchange or just one gift

Someone reads the story aloud. Everyone passes their gift(s) in the direction told in the story and change directions every time "Left" or "Right" is mentioned. The person keeps the gift they are holding at the end of the story.

'Twas the night **RIGHT** before Christmas when **RIGHT** through the house
Not a creature was **LEFT** stirring, not even a mouse--
The stockings were hung **RIGHT** by the chimney with care,
in hopes that St. Nicholas soon would be **RIGHT** there.

The children were nestled **RIGHT** snug in their beds,
while visions of sugarplums danced **RIGHT** in their heads,
And mama in her kerchief, and I in my cap,
had just settled **RIGHT** down for a long winter's nap,

When **RIGHT** out on the **LEFT** lawn there rose such a clatter,
I sprang **RIGHT** from my bed to see what was the matter.
Away to the **RIGHT** window I **LEFT** like a flash;
tore open the shutters and threw up the sash.

The moon on the breast of the new-fallen snow
LEFT a luster of midday to objects **RIGHT** below.
When, what to my wondering eyes should appear,
but a miniature sleight and eight tiny reindeer.

With a little old driver **RIGHT** lively and quick;
I knew **RIGHT** in a moment it must be St. Nick.
More rapid than eagles his coursers they came;
and he whistled and shouted, and called them **RIGHT** by name:

"Now, Dasher! Now, Dancer! Now, Prancer and Vixen!
On Comet, on Cupid, on Donner and Blitzen!
To the **RIGHT** top of the porch! To the **LEFT** top of the wall!
Now dash away, dash away, dash **RIGHT** away all!"

As dry leaves that before the wild hurricane fly
when they meet **RIGHT** with an obstacle, mount **RIGHT** up to the sky,
So up to the housetop the coursers they **LEFT** flew,
with a sleigh full of toys and St. Nicholas, too.

And then in a twinkling, I heard **RIGHT** on the roof,
the prancing and pawing of each little **RIGHT** and **LEFT** hoof.
As I drew in my head and was turning **LEFT** around
down the chimney St. Nicholas came with a bound.

He was dressed all in fur, **RIGHT** from his head to his **LEFT** foot,
and his clothes were all **LEFT** tarnished with ashes and soot.
A bundle of toys he had flung **RIGHT** on his back,
and he looked like a peddler just opening his pack.

His **RIGHT** and **LEFT** eyes, how they twinkled! His dimples - how merry!
His cheeks were like roses, his nose like a cherry!
His droll little mouth was **LEFT** drawn up like a bow,
and the beard **LEFT** on his chin was as white as the snow.

The stump of a pipe he held **RIGHT** in his teeth,
and the smoke it encircled his head like a wreath.
He had a broad face and a round little belly,
that shook when he laughed, like a bowl full of jelly.

He was **RIGHT** chubby and plump, a **RIGHT, RIGHT** jolly old elf,
and I laughed when I saw him in spite of myself.
A wink of his **LEFT** eye and a **LEFT** twist of his head,
soon gave me to know I had nothing to dread.

He spoke not a word, but went **RIGHT** straight to his work,
and filled all the stockings; then turned with a jerk
And laying his finger to the **LEFT** of his nose,
and giving a nod, he **LEFT** up the chimney he rose.

He sprang **RIGHT** to his sleigh, to his team gave a whistle,
and away they all **LEFT** like the down of a thistle.
But I heard him exclaim, ere he **LEFT**--out of sight,
"Happy Christmas to all and to all a good night!"

Left – Right Game #4

(Tommy Wright's Christmas)

Can be used for a full gift exchange or just one gift

Someone reads the story aloud. Everyone passes their gift(s) in the direction told in the story and change directions every time "Left" or "Right" is mentioned. When "Across" is mentioned, hand the gift straight across from the one holding it at the time. The person keeps the gift they are holding at the end of the story.

Once upon a time there was a little boy named Tommy WRIGHT. He lived with his mother, Mrs. WRIGHT and his father Dr. WRIGHT and his sister Sara WRIGHT.

He had four shiny quarters LEFT from some birthday money that Grandma WRIGHT had sent him besides the \$8.12 LEFT in his piggy bank. Now it was time to buy the RIGHT present for each member of the WRIGHT family. So one morning he hopped RIGHT out of bed, RIGHT into his slippers that were RIGHT next to his bed and quietly LEFT home. He went carefully ACROSS the street to the big store on the LEFT side of Main Street. The store was decorated with lights and Christmas ornaments.

Tommy WRIGHT thought and thought about Christmas presents and he looked at all the things for sale. "Let's see," said Tommy, "I know, I'll get Mother WRIGHT some warm gloves. Here is the RIGHT one but where is the LEFT one? Oh! Here it is, RIGHT under the RIGHT one. I sure hope they are the RIGHT color. They cost \$3.06 so I have \$6.06 LEFT to spend. Not for Daddy WRIGHT. Would he like a truck or maybe a ball or a LEFT handed catcher's mitt? I know, I'll get him a football so we can play catch RIGHT in your own back yard when he comes home from work. Let's see, I had \$6.06 LEFT and the football is \$5.06 so now I have \$1.00 LEFT for Sara's present. Here is what she wants. A pretty new purse and I think I have just enough money LEFT to buy it. Tommy

WRIGHT clutched his presents happily and went running RIGHT up to the lady at the counter and gave her all the money his RIGHT pocket.

"Is that RIGHT?" he asked as he gave her his money. "It will be \$1.05 with tax," she said," she said. "Oh no," said Tommy WRIGHT. "I forgot about tax." Tommy WRIGHT started crying. Tears streaked RIGHT and LEFT down his little face. RIGHT then the door bursts open and in cam Santa Claus who had LEFT the North Pole and had come RIGHT to Tommy WRIGHT's town to take orders from children for Christmas. "Ho, Ho, Ho," said Santa. "We can't have Santa's helpers sad like this. Let's see now, I bet I have five pennies RIGHT here in my LEFT pocket. Santa Claus checked his LEFT pocket and found nothing. "Oh, no," said Santa. "I must have put them into my RIGHT pocket instead of my LEFT. Here they are RIGHT here in my RIGHT pocket, Tommy. Ho! Ho! Ho! and a Merry Christmas to all the WRIGHT's from Santa Claus and his helpers."

Tommy WRIGHT LEFT the store. He ran back ACROSS the street and all the way home to tell his sister Sara WRIGHT that he had seen and talked to Santa. He was so happy that he wrapped his presents RIGHT away and LEFT them under the Christmas tree. Mr. and Mrs. WRIGHT and Sara WRIGHT were thrilled with their presents. Tommy WRIGHT felt really happy even though he had no money LEFT. Christmas morning for the WRIGHT family was joyful and Christmas LEFT nothing to want.

I hope your Christmas will be wonderful and full of the Love we all feel for one another. God Bless you and yours. Merry Christmas! *(pause)* Santa LEFT.

Left – Right Game #5

(Wright Family on a Mountain)

Can be used for a full gift exchange or just one gift

Someone reads the story aloud. Everyone passes their gift(s) in the direction told in the story and change directions every time "Left" or "Right" is mentioned. The person keeps the gift they are holding at the end of the story.

Many years ago high on a mountain, there lived a family named WRIGHT. They had many cousins whose names were also WRIGHT. Every Christmas the clan gathered to have a party and no one was LEFT out. Sally WRIGHT was in charge of the guest list and she LEFT nothing to chance. This party was planned and things had to be just RIGHT. Mary WRIGHT had LEFT home early to do her shopping, but LEFT her gift list at home. Now this created a problem RIGHT from the start for her. John WRIGHT had gone to cut a tree for the big affair. It had to be the RIGHT size to stand on the LEFT side of the fire place.

The decorations were ready and waiting. Mother WRIGHT was in charge of the kitchen and everyone had to bring the RIGHT food to fit the menu and no one LEFT home without their share. There were children by the score who played RIGHT in the middle of the floor and LEFT toys everywhere. Now it wouldn't really be festive if they had no Santa Clause, so Charles WRIGHT had his wife Jeannie WRIGHT make him a Santa suit. She put two pockets on the RIGHT side and one

on the LEFT. But Jake WRIGHT felt LEFT out because he said he had a RIGHT to be Santa because he had been LEFT out for five years. Mother WRIGHT had to settle the argument RIGHT then and there before she LEFT for the kitchen. Charles and Jake both got mad and LEFT in a huff. But just then Uncle Ben WRIGHT walked RIGHT through the door and said he had a suit LEFT over from last year that would be all RIGHT. So that was settled and LEFT everyone feeling just fine except Charles and Jake, but they soon realized the Christmas spirit should prevail, so they marched RIGHT back into the house.

Tommy WRIGHT, of the RIGHT side of the mountain, LEFT his snow shoes at home so he was late reaching the party at the RIGHT time, but he was still able to help wrap the gifts which were placed on the RIGHT side of the fireplace and on the LEFT side of the tree. He also hung holly on the RIGHT side and every WRIGHT in the county was RIGHT on time and dressed in their Sunday best. No stone was LEFT unturned to make this a happy time. The turkey was baked just RIGHT and LEFT everyone gasping with delight. The dressing and trimmings were also just RIGHT, because Mother WRIGHT saw to that.

There was a pile of toys RIGHT by the door because Mother WRIGHT said there was no room LEFT under the tree. They gathered round the table, each woman had a man on her RIGHT and also on her LEFT. They laughed RIGHT loudly as they ate their dinner and as they LEFT the table everyone cried "I ate too much!"

Then came Santa RIGHT on time to deliver the gifts to each WRIGHT. He LEFT each one laughing, even Grandpa WRIGHT, who usually LEFT early and said good-night. The children LEFT the room RIGHT after opening the last toy. Their hearts were full of Christmas Joy. Mother WRIGHT knew the party was a success and LEFT for the kitchen RIGHT after the last carol was sung. Every WRIGHT on the mountain LEFT the party so happy and gay. Once more they had celebrated Christmas with the RIGHT kind of love in their hearts and LEFT each WRIGHT family shaking warm hands on their RIGHT and LEFT, saying Merry Christmas to each and every one.

Left – Right Game #6

(Wright Family Baking)

Can be used for a full gift exchange or just one gift

Someone reads the story aloud. Everyone passes their gift(s) in the direction told in the story and change directions every time "Left" or "Right" is mentioned. The person keeps the gift they are holding at the end of the story.

This is a story about Mr. and Mrs. WRIGHT. One evening they were baking cookies. Mrs. WRIGHT called from the kitchen, "Oh, no, there is no flour LEFT! You will need to go to the store."

"I can't believe you forgot to check the pantry," grumbled MR. WRIGHT. "You never get anything RIGHT!" "Don't be difficult, dear," replied Mrs. WRIGHT. "It will only take twenty minutes if you come RIGHT back. Go to Fifty-first and Peoria, and turn LEFT at the stop sign. Then go to Sixty-first Street and turn RIGHT, and there it will be on your LEFT," declared Mrs. WRIGHT.

Mr. WRIGHT found the store and asked the clerk where he could find the flour. The clerk pointed and said, "Go to Aisle four and turn LEFT. The flour and sugar will be on your LEFT."

Mr. WRIGHT made his purchase and walked RIGHT out the door. He turned LEFT, but he couldn't remember where he had LEFT his car. Suddenly he remembered that he had driven Mrs. WRIGHT'S car and that his car was in the driveway at home RIGHT where he had LEFT it.

Eventually, a weary Mr. WRIGHT found his way home. Mrs. WRIGHT had been waiting impatiently. "I thought you would be RIGHT back," she said. "I LEFT all the cookie ingredients on the kitchen counter, and the cats got into the milk. You'll just have to go RIGHT out again." Mr. WRIGHT sighed. He had no energy LEFT. "I am going RIGHT to bed," he said. "Anyway, I need to go on a diet, so I might as well start RIGHT now. Isn't that RIGHT, dear?"

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Left – Right Game #7

(Baby Shower)

To give out a Baby Shower Door Prize

Hand the door prize to one of the guests to get the game going. Someone reads the story aloud. Everyone passes their gift(s) in the direction told in the story and change directions every time "Left" or "Right" is mentioned. The person keeps the gift they are holding at the end of the story.

Mrs. **Right** was on her way to a baby shower. She accidentally took a **Right** instead of a **Left** and got lost. Mrs. **Right Left** her house at 12:45 and arrived **Right** on time at 1:00. But Mrs. **Right Left** her gift at home! She was not in her **Right** mind today. Mrs. **Right Left** the shower and went back home. The gift was on the table, **Right** where she had **Left** it! Mrs. **Right Left** her house and went **Right** back to the shower. When she arrived there wasn't any food **Left**! Mrs. **Right** was so hungry that she **Left** the shower, got **Right** back into her car and drove to the **Right Left Right** Doo-Wop Diner! Mrs. **Right** ordered the Sunday Special and ate it **Right** up until there was nothing **Left**!

Left – Right Game #8

(Baby Shower)

To give out a Baby Shower Door Prize

Hand the door prize to one of the guests to get the game going. Someone reads the story aloud. Everyone passes their gift(s) in the direction told in the story and change directions every time "Left" or "Right" is mentioned. The person keeps the gift they are holding at the end of the story.

Mr. WRIGHT prepared to take Mrs. WRIGHT RIGHT to the hospital as she just went into labor. As he LEFT in the car, he turned RIGHT out of the driveway. He had to go RIGHT back home because he LEFT Mrs. WRIGHT at home. They both got in the car on the LEFT side as the RIGHT side door wouldn't open. Mr. and Mrs. WRIGHT again LEFT for the hospital, turning RIGHT out of the driveway.

An argument occurred about the RIGHT turn, as Mrs. WRIGHT said that Mr. WRIGHT should have turned LEFT. Mr. WRIGHT kept insisting that he was absolutely RIGHT, but Mrs. WRIGHT kept insisting that the hospital entrance was on the LEFT. Two blocks away after another LEFT turn they discovered they had LEFT Mrs. WRIGHT's overnight bag at home. So they made a LEFT turn, then a RIGHT to go back home to where they had LEFT the bag.

As they turned RIGHT on to their street, Mrs. WRIGHT said "Let's just go RIGHT to the hospital and send someone else RIGHT to the house for the fact that we LEFT the bag on the couch". They went LEFT at the next block and turned RIGHT back around. Finally at the hospital Mr. WRIGHT pulled up to the front where he LEFT his wife to go RIGHT in.

Inside the hospital they wheeled Mrs. WRIGHT away. "Where is my wife? I only LEFT her for a minute!" exclaimed Mr. WRIGHT. A nurse rushed him RIGHT down the hall. They made a LEFT turn, then a RIGHT, and a LEFT turn again. Mr. WRIGHT found Mrs. WRIGHT already in delivery. But he then realized that he had LEFT the video camera in the car.

RIGHT away he ran out of the room and back to the car. Not only had he LEFT the camera but he had LEFT the lights on too. Mr. WRIGHT wasted no time; he ran RIGHT back to his wife's room. As Mr. WRIGHT walked in all he heard was screams from his wife because he had LEFT her room and was nowhere in sight.

I'm sure you can guess what happened next. As Mrs. WRIGHT had the baby Mr. WRIGHT passed out on the floor. But when he came to he got a shock once more. For there he saw Mrs. WRIGHT embracing their new little bundles of joy. With two babies on her LEFT and one on the RIGHT, Mrs. WRIGHT turned to her husband and said, "there is one thing LEFT to do, I think we should name these WRIGHT babies. How about you?"

Pass the Gift Game #1

This is for one door prize or one gift

The person keeps the gift they are holding at the end of the story.

1. The news is out; quick send a cable. This gift goes to the lady across the table.
2. If someone wears a dress of blue, she must take this gift from you. If blue cannot be seen, it goes to the one wearing green.
3. I will now read another verse...please pass it to the gal with the largest purse.
4. We are getting tricky, here is a real humdinger! Pass it to the one with the most rings on her fingers.
5. Wow! What a success! Pass it to the guest with the most buttons on her dress.
6. Alas, this gift is not for you. It now goes to the one with the largest shoe.
7. Let's get this party started girls, pass it to the one with the cutest curls.
8. Mommy is anxious. Daddy is nervous. Now pass this to the lady who drove the furthest.
9. There won't be time to practice; there won't be time to rehearse. Pass this gift to the gal with the most money in her purse!
10. I hope you all are having fun. I have tried to include most everyone. From the largest purse to the largest shoe, pass this gift to the right of you.
11. We're ending this rhyme, this is the last poem, the gift you are holding is yours to take home!

Pass the Gift Game #2

This is for one door prize or one gift

The person keeps the gift they are holding at the end of the story.

1. Take this gift and without a sigh look around, then give to a woman with eyes of brown.
2. Yes, you are the lucky one for a moment, but let us all share in the fun! Please look around and with eyes discreet, and give it to the one with the smallest feet!
3. Your feet are tiny and very small, now hand the gift to someone tall.
4. Please take your time and don't be harried. Give it to the one who is longest married.
5. You must be proud of your life, now please pass this to the newest wife.
6. Of this parcel you are bereft, give it to the one on your left.
7. The largest earrings we are looking for now, if you are wearing them, step up and bow.
8. Now to the person with buttons, big, small any kind... the most you can find, gets the gift this time.
9. Now don't get cross and please don't fight, but pass it to the person third on your right.
10. We should stop soon don't you agree, the gift is yours to keep with glee!!

Pass the Gift Game #3

This is for one door prize or one gift

The person keeps the gift they are holding at the end of the story.

Let's start this game and have some fun...

Pass it three to the left,
And to the right just one.

Our mission is to encourage and recognize
So give this gift to someone who has brown eyes

We all have a chance so have no fear,
Give it to the one whose birthday is near.

The virtuous woman is proud of her married life,
Please pass this one to the newest wife.

Women work hard and deserve their share,
Pass it to the one with the longest hair.

Many women have done some admirable things,
Please pass it now to someone who can sing.

With one child or more, one must stay calm,
The gift now goes to the newest mom.

Women deserve to have something neat,
Pass it to the one with the cutest shoes on her feet.

Now don't get cross and please don't fight,
Pass it to the person who is fifth on the right.

I hope you can say, we've all had fun!
The gift is now yours. You can take it home, Hun.

Pass the Gift Game #4

Number Gift Pass - For a larger crowd of 50

For a full gift exchange

The person keeps the gift they are holding at the end of the story.

- 1) Lucky you, you're # 1
You get to start all the fun.
So grab a gift and grab it quick.
Cause you're the one who gets first pick.
- 2) Number 2 you're on the way.
It's time for you to have your say.
Get your gift and when you're done,
Swap it off with number 1.
- 3) Number 3 its plain to see.
It's your turn to pick which gift 'twill be.
And when your choosing job is through,
Swap with 1 and then with 2.
- 4) Number 4 must use your head.
So grab a gift that has some red.
If it doesn't suit you to a 'T',
You may swap with 2 or 3.
- 5) Jump to it 5, don't drag your feet.
Take your gift back to your seat.
Wonder of wonders, it's yours for a spell.
But what comes next, you can never tell.
- 6) Number 6 it's your time to go.
Grab a gift and don't be slow.
Now put on a smile so they won't be sore,
Cause you must swap with #4.
- 7) Is a lucky number it seems,
You choose a gift that has some green.
Poke it, and shake it until you get back.
Now trade with someone wearing black.
- 8) Number 8 its up to you.
To get a gift that has some blue.
Now go quietly to your place.
Or trade with someone with a smiling face.

- 9) Nine, we haven't forgotten you.
So choose your gift and don't be blue.
Consider well and when all is said.
Trade with someone wearing red.
- 10) Number 10 come to the front.
For yours you shouldn't have to hunt.
Now hurry back and look alive.
For you get to swap with #5.
- 11) Your turn 11 is finally here.
Pick a gift and hold it near.
Back at your seat look both ways.
If your choice was right then it may stay.
- 12) Number 12 jump to it sir/girl.
Make your choice, and with a whirl
Glance around to see who's where.
Swap with whoever's got the darkest hair.
- 13) Well, now, what do you know.
It's finally 13's turn to go.
There you go, you're doing fine.
Now swap with 3 or 6 or 9.
- 14) Number 14 it's your turn to shine.
So find a gift and don't you pine.
Somewhere you really have a friend.
You get to trade with number 10.
- 15) Number 15 how do you do?
There should be a fit up there for you.
So pick one out without delay.
Now trade with someone wearing gray.
- 16) Number 16 your patience is great.
Go get a gift and don't be late.
When your return, spin around.
And switch with someone wearing brown.
- 17) 17 your choice is here.
Find a box and hold it near.
When you return and look behind.
Swap with 11 if you don't mind.
- 18) Number 18 boogie to the tree.
Choose the largest gift you see.
Admire it well, then turn with a wink.
And swap with someone wearing pink.

- 19) Now #19, do as you're told.
Find a gift which has some gold.
When you've chosen we must be fair,
Trade with whoever has the blondest hair.
- 20) Number 20 how patiently you've waited.
Go get a gift before it's outdated.
Shake it a bit and look around the floor.
Swap it with someone who's five feet four.
- 21) 21 it's time for fun.
For swapping time has just begun.
After trading with 4 and 9.
Swap with two even numbers--That's fine.
- 22) 22 it's time to make your way.
Get a gift that's pretty and gay.
Now get ready to use your bean.
You must swap with 8 and 14.
- 23) 23 your turn has come.
Choose your gift with a lithe hum.
Look it over and when you're through.
You may swap with a number having 2.
- 24) Number 24 have you been bored?
Well, we'd like to show you you're adored.
So choose a box, see what you get.
Now you may trade with a brunette.
- 25) Let's go 25, look alive.
Pick a gift of any size.
Show the gang that you're O.K.
And swap with anyone you say.
- 26) It's time for 26 to mix.
Get a gift if just for kicks.
For you're to trade, if you have the knack.
With anyone whose shoes aren't black.
- 27) Number 27 how lucky you are.
You've seen all the gifts chosen so far.
If a pretty box catches your eye.
Grab it, make a trade, and don't be shy.
- 28) Hop up 28, don't drag your feet.
Study your gift as you reach your seat.
Now grin a bit and smile some more.
Trade with 22, then 24.

- 29) Number 29 you must wake up.
Run up there as spry as a pup.
Make your choice, isn't this keen?
But you must swap with 17.
- 30) Number 30 your wait was long.
But when we're through you'll sing a song.
Just look them over from small to large.
See a favorite? Then forward charge!
- 31) Number 31, how about that?
On your chair so long you've sat.
But get a gift, it's not too late.
And trade with 30, 20, and 8.
- 32) O.K. 32, jump up quick,
And snatch your prize.
Then trade with the person
With the bluest eyes.
- 33) Well 33 it's here at last.
You may break your gift-less fast.
Gaze around at all the lasses.
Trade with someone wearing glasses.
- 34) 34, can there be more?
This poetry may be a bore.
Find your gift and look around.
Swap with the youngest member found.
- 35) 35, it is really true?
That 34's rhymes now are through.
Well, choose your gift, now you see.
You trade with two numbers having 3.
- 36) 36 your waits been endless.
But now you know that you're not friendless.
Look around and "case the scene".
Then swap with someone wearing green.
- 37) 37 the end is near.
But have a gift, and never fear.
Now let's shake up the early ones, like 7.
Trade with odd numbers through 11.
- 38) 38, it's your choosing time.
Please make it better than this rhyme.
When you have it, look around.
And trade with those from out of town.

- 39) 39, go to the tree.
Choose the smallest gift you see.
If you wish to make a trade.
Find the largest that was made.
- 40) 39's turn is finally past.
It's number 40's turn at last.
Find your gift and make a date,
To swap with #38.
- 41) 41 are you still awake?
Go get a gift for heaven's sake.
Pick it up nice and quick.
Then trade with numbers having six.
- 42) Guess whose turn has come up now.
42, please take a bow.
Choose your gift, isn't it keen.
Now trade with 15 and 19.
- 43) Oh my goodness, it's getting late.
43, let's see your fate.
Go get yours, sakes alive.
You have to trade with 25.
- 44) On we go to 44.
There must be at least one more.
Take your pick, are you in heaven?
Alas, you'll swap with 27.
- 45) 45, it's time for you.
Guess what it is you have to do.
Trade with 28, then 29.
Now you can say, "This one is mine!"
- 46) Skip on over 46.
Time for you to stir and mix.
Make your choice and then connive,
To swap with #35.
- 47) 47, we're now to you.
There's a gift for you there, too.
Isn't this a lot of fun?
Now trade with 40, then 41.
- 48) 48, there's not much left.
Still we won't leave you bereft.
Maybe you'll choose an old, rare wine.
Would you like to swap with 39?

- 49) 49, are your eyes still open?
Are you sitting there just hopin'?
Trot on up, what's your fate?
Then trade with number 48.
- 50) We'll wrap this up with #50.
We bet what's left is really nifty.
However, one last swap is due.
With the gal who's sitting left of you.