



Expedition 61 Christmas Message

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00:00:04,630 --> 00:00:02,869
happy holidays you know my favorite

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00:00:06,389 --> 00:00:04,640
thing about the holiday season is that

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00:00:08,230 --> 00:00:06,399
it's a time when the world slows down

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00:00:09,990 --> 00:00:08,240
and we all get a chance to think about

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00:00:11,830 --> 00:00:10,000
and appreciate and reflect on what's

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00:00:13,990 --> 00:00:11,840
really important which is the people

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00:00:15,749 --> 00:00:14,000
that we love and spending time together

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00:00:18,470 --> 00:00:15,759
however you're celebrating this holiday

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00:00:20,550 --> 00:00:18,480
this year may it be one full of joy you

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00:00:23,349 --> 00:00:20,560
know when i think about missing my

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00:00:25,349 --> 00:00:23,359
family on the ground i know that they're

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00:00:26,870 --> 00:00:25,359
visiting family and spending time with

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00:00:28,470 --> 00:00:26,880

family and we're going to get to do much

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00:00:30,310 --> 00:00:28,480

the same thing and i'm going to bring

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00:00:31,910 --> 00:00:30,320

some of my own family traditions with us

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00:00:33,590 --> 00:00:31,920

on board the international space station

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00:00:35,430 --> 00:00:33,600

on christmas eve we turn out all the

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00:00:37,510 --> 00:00:35,440

lights in the house and we just have

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00:00:39,190 --> 00:00:37,520

candlelight now we can't have candles

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00:00:41,030 --> 00:00:39,200

and candle light on the international

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00:00:42,950 --> 00:00:41,040

space station but we can turn the lights

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00:00:44,069 --> 00:00:42,960

down low and we can watch christmas

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00:00:46,150 --> 00:00:44,079

movies and so we're going to do

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00:00:48,470 --> 00:00:46,160

something like that and we'll enjoy our

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00:00:50,790 --> 00:00:48,480

christmas eve together and welcome in

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00:00:52,549 --> 00:00:50,800

christmas day the next morning

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00:00:54,229 --> 00:00:52,559

this time of the year means for most

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00:00:56,229 --> 00:00:54,239

people spending time with their family

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00:00:58,630 --> 00:00:56,239

and friends we have special friends

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00:01:00,869 --> 00:00:58,640

aboard our crew and we're very happy to

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00:01:02,950 --> 00:01:00,879

be together but of course we don't get

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00:01:05,670 --> 00:01:02,960

to spend it with our families at the

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00:01:07,590 --> 00:01:05,680

same time our thoughts go to all those

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00:01:10,630 --> 00:01:07,600

who are deployed to dangers in critical

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00:01:13,190 --> 00:01:10,640

areas and are doing service and they

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00:01:15,350 --> 00:01:13,200

also cannot spend their time with their

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00:01:16,789 --> 00:01:15,360

family and friends we are thinking about

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00:01:19,350 --> 00:01:16,799

you

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00:01:21,270 --> 00:01:19,360
during our time up here in orbit

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00:01:22,550 --> 00:01:21,280
as a child growing up i was fortunate

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00:01:24,469 --> 00:01:22,560
enough to celebrate two different

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00:01:26,789 --> 00:01:24,479
holidays all through the holiday season

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00:01:28,070 --> 00:01:26,799
both christmas and hanukkah so whatever

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00:01:29,990 --> 00:01:28,080
it is that you're celebrating this

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00:01:32,870 --> 00:01:30,000
holiday season we hope that you find

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00:01:34,390 --> 00:01:32,880
peace and love and enjoy spending time

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00:01:35,510 --> 00:01:34,400
with all those around you that are

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00:01:37,030 --> 00:01:35,520
important

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00:01:43,190 --> 00:01:37,040
we'll be celebrating up here as well

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00:01:47,590 --> 00:01:44,789
the stockings were floated by the

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00:01:48,789 --> 00:01:47,600

chimney with care

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00:01:50,149 --> 00:01:48,799

now what are we going to stuff in these

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00:01:51,670 --> 00:01:50,159

stockings i think we might need some

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00:01:53,830 --> 00:01:51,680

goodies and treats

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00:01:56,709 --> 00:01:53,840

well thanksgiving we just had turkey so

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00:01:57,910 --> 00:01:56,719

for this holiday we have special smoked

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00:01:59,190 --> 00:01:57,920

salmon

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00:02:00,630 --> 00:01:59,200

we had to come all the way to space to

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00:02:02,709 --> 00:02:00,640

try to get away from fruitcake but it

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00:02:08,529 --> 00:02:02,719

didn't work we got some anyway

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00:02:14,309 --> 00:02:08,539

we have hot apple cider and hot cocoa

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00:02:33,670 --> 00:02:14,319

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