

## CHRISTMAS 2006



The angel answered, "Leave the mechanics up to God. This is heavenly stuff. God's Spirit will come upon you, and the Big Brain behind the Big Bang will manipulate the necessary molecules to make it happen. So this little kid of yours will be as special as it's possible to be, and he'll be called God's own Son." (www.theaussiebible.com.au).





## Hi Everyone,

This year has been spent on a few walks and little holidays, and lots of jobs around the house (apart from work and study, of course... Peter is still writing software from home, and Elizabeth is still studying). The walks included a day walk on the Lyrebird Lookout circuit (Lamington National Park) on Elizabeth's birthday, and camping trips at Spicers Gap (Main Range National Park) and Mann River Nature Reserve. We also spent a few nights at the guest house at Binna Burra (Lamington National Park), and at the beach near Bundaberg and Byron Bay. Felix went on all the walks in his special back pack and handled the trips well.

Peter's house projects included making a sandpit, constructing tracks into the bush part of our block, rearranging garden beds, replacing logs around the garden with rocks, installing a water tank and cutting down a few trees.

Best wishes to you at Christmas and all through 2007! ♥Love from Peter, Elizabeth and Felix (<u>www.meier.net.au</u>)



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Cover artwork: "Christmas Fireworks" 2006 Felix Meier (2005- ). Acrylics and glitter on cardboard.

About the artist: When not painting and bushwalking, Felix Meier enjoys splashing in the pool, exploring the garden, playing in the sandpit, reading and puzzles. He loves to find out how things work and he has a great sense of humour. His achievement highlights of 2006 include learning to feed himself, walk, run and say a few words. At the time of writing, Felix's favourite pastimes include smelling and tasting groceries in the pantry, removing and replacing the batteries in his toys, watching the Christmas lights and balancing on the garden bed rocks.



