

If I Had a Wish

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"I would wish for three wishes; my three wishes would be a boat, a white mouse and another train," wrote second-grader Teddy Samuel. The lad wasn't just daydreaming. His teacher, Mrs. William W. Briner, 1715 King Av, had asked her class at Barrington Elementary School, 1730 Barrington Road, to write compositions expressing their secret desires.

"If I Had A Wish" was an article in the Columbus Dispatch, November 27, 1955 based on the writing assignment for 2nd grade students in Mrs. Briner's class at Barrington Elementary School. Featured in the article are: Bob White, Blair Bennett, Jon Wills, Jerry Dill, Mike Saunders, Wes Bates, Mary Jo Deishley, Stan Lisle, Dave Slaughter, Cathy Collins, Carl Kiplinger and Teddy Samuel.



I would wish I had an airplane because I would fly round the world—Wesley Bates.

If I could have my wish I would wish that I could go to Florida—Mary Jo Deishley.

I would wish I was a great man and could tell people good things to do—Stan Lisle.

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If I could have my wish, I wish I could go for an airplane ride because I have not been for an airplane ride before—Jerry Dill.

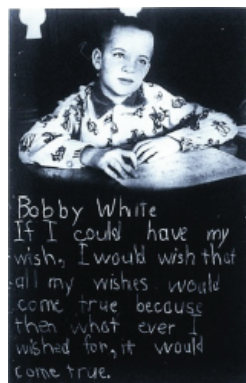


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If I could have my wish, I would wish that my grandfather was well again. He was sick in bed for months and months. - Blair Bennett