

CHRISTMAS CHEER CLUB

SPREADING CHEER - Katie Lawrence, 3, is a new member of the Christmas Cheer Club. She is the daughter of John and Laurie Lawrence of New Eagle.



SPREADING CHEER - Brittany Rathway, 10, and her sister Bria, 3, are new members to the Christmas Cheer Club. They are the children of John and Becky Rathway of Rostraver.



We Remember...

On January 1, 2000 The Valley Independent will publish the first newspaper of the year 2000. This entire issue will be a souvenir edition that will be a keepsake for many generations. A portion of this edition will feature a "Wall of Fame" called we remember.

Do you have a fond remembrance of a teacher, relative or mentor? Or perhaps a business or special occasion? Place your special remembrance in this We Remember section. Reserve your special commemorative block today.



*Below is the actual size of each advertisement for \$15.00
Deadline December 24th, 1999*

John Doe
Third Grade Teacher
Charleroi Elementary School
Remembered by Joe Smith

In Memory of My Beloved Wife
Mary Smith
Remembered by Her Husband Jim

Monessen High School
Class of 1958
Remembered by the Reunion Committee

In Memory of Our Parents
Joe and Trudy Jones
Remembered by Sons Pete & Matt

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Special Advertising Supplement

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Public to get FREE U.S. Coins

U.S. Coins with the Final Mint Year of 1999 are Being Plated in 24Kt Gold and Given Away FREE to Commemorate the New Y2K Millennium.

By Thomas Waterfield
Media Services

When was the last time someone gave you FREE money? Well this is for real, so you better hurry because we'll tell you how to get yours FREE.

There has been a well kept secret that The United States Commemorative Gallery has secured a massive amount of the last 1999 U.S. Coins of the Century.

But, when word got out that the gallery had these 1999 coins, everyone wanted to know why they were hoarding them.

It has now been revealed that each coin is being specially plated in pure 24Kt Gold and intended to be sold individually or as a complete five-coin collector's set to commemorate the Final Minting of the 1999 coins.

But without notice, the Gallery decided not to sell the individual coins but instead will give them away FREE in an effort to increase awareness of the age-old hobby of collecting U.S. Coins and to promote a new generation of coin collectors as we move into the new millennium.

"It is highly important that we foster the continued collection of special U.S. coins as we enter the next century," said J. Thomas White, Director of the privately owned United States Commemorative Gallery.

"Coin collectors preserve an important part of our American heritage, and now, this FREE giveaway of coins specially plated in pure 24Kt Gold will make great strides in continuing this American tradition," White said.

"Most people want something they can hand down to their children or grandchildren. Others want something meaningful to give as a gift to someone special. These coins plated in pure 24Kt Gold will serve both purposes because 1999 is definitely a year to remember," White said.

The Gallery will offer a controlled number



These coins are from among the last U.S. coins to be minted this century. Each coin has been plated and preserved with pure 24Kt Gold and then encased as shown here in the complete five-coin U.S. Commemorative Gallery collector's display set.



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of the complete five-coin sets to the general public for only \$11. They cannot promise that everyone who wants them will be able to get the complete five-coin set. So be sure to hurry because they will be released on a first-come, first-served basis. But for now, they guarantee the availability of the individual coins they are giving away FREE.

Simple instructions are provided in the box to the right for readers to claim the FREE coins or to get the complete five-coin set. The Gallery guarantees you will receive one of the FREE Coins you select.

To properly protect your coin in shipment and as an appropriate display, they are offering the special Gallery Approved Protective Display case for the FREE individual coins. "We highly recommend the display case to prevent unnecessary handling of the coins," White said.

We are providing the direct telephone number and address so readers can immediately get the FREE coins. This makes another wonderful reason to celebrate the new millennium. ■

Here's How To Get The FREE Coins

1. Select the FREE 24Kt Gold Plated coin you want. To insure availability please make 2 choices. You will definitely receive one of the coins you select. Select 1st and 2nd choices below:
 Lincoln 1-cent pc. Roosevelt 10-cent pc. Susan B. Anthony One Dollar pc.
 Jefferson 5-cent pc. Washington 25-cent pc.
2. To get the complete Five-coin collector's set shown in the photo above and the additional FREE coin you have selected, enclose \$11 plus \$2.75 shipping for each set ordered. (Limit up to 10 sets per household.) Return this FREE coin form to the address below. Enclose Cash, Check or Money Order payable to U.S. Commemorative Gallery. Protected by a full lifetime guarantee.
3. For faster service, order by phone if requesting the complete Five-coin collector's set and the additional FREE coin you have selected. Those with a credit card (VISA, Mastercard, Discover/Novus or American Express/Optima) can call 1-800-370-9465 and ask for operator 2454 to order.
4. To only get the FREE coin, send a self addressed stamped envelope with this FREE Coin Form to the address below. To receive your collector's coin with the optional Gallery Approved Protective Display Case, Enclose \$1.85 Cash, check or money order payable to U.S. Commemorative Gallery. Please, no dealers to insure one FREE coin per household.
5. Print Name and Address Here: _____ Send to: U.S. Commemorative Gallery
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