

'Tis the Season of Hope and Change



Election slogans this year just happened to parallel our family's life for 2008...

Change We Need: Brian's jaw surgery/braces saga successful and complete

Change We Can Believe In: Brian set to graduate in June

The Audacity of Hope: Brian getting a job after graduation in this tough job market

Dreams of My Father: Peter a freshman at the University of Pennsylvania

Real America? Peter learns to use mass transit

Eastern Elite? Peter makes several trips to NYC

Feeling Mavericky: Laura starts her junior year at Wayzata High School

Renewing American Diplomacy: Laura school trip to Spain

Ready to Go on Day One: Laura gets her driver's license

More Community Organizer than Hockey Mom: Carol tutoring, volunteering,
no pitbull, no lipstick

"The issue of economics is not something that I've understood as well as I should have." Tom's initial comment on the economic crisis

"The economy is going rogue!" Tom's followup

Wishing You a Merry Christmas from the Holmes Family:

Yes We Can!

Tom, Carol, Brian, Peter and Laura