

## MERRY CHRISTMAS, MONTANA



**Ride 'em, Santa.** In April we featured the exquisite bird carvings of Keith Stevens and promised a look at the carvings of his wife, Dorrie, who specializes in Santas. She has dozens of the four- to six-inch figures in her collection at home in Shelby. Her biggest fan is Keith, who says that her original designs are “art” compared to his mere replicas of birds.

## END OF THE LINE

### End of the year.

The Christmas color?  
The haunting likeness  
to the carved Santas?

It's anybody's guess  
as to why this kid  
was chosen to close  
out the magazine and  
2006. (Full disclosure:  
his name is Jack  
Phillips, and he's the  
editor's grandson.)

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