



- **Natural trees should be cut at a 45° angle at the base and placed in water.**
- **Place tree away from sources of heat.**
- **Use only non-flammable decorations.**
- **Use only lighting evaluated by a nationally recognized laboratory, such as Underwriters Laboratories (UL).**
- **Inspect lights for frayed wire or other defects before use.**
- **Do not leave lights on unattended.**
- **Keep natural tree stands filled with water at all times.**
- **When the tree becomes dry, discard it promptly.**



KEEP YOUR FRIENDS  
SAFE FROM HARM...

SEND EACH ONE A  
SMOKE ALARM!



BE SURE YOU...

- **Install smoke alarms on every level of the home, outside sleeping areas, and inside bedrooms.**
- **Test all smoke alarms in your house once a month.**
- **Replace smoke alarm batteries at least annually.**
- **Replace smoke alarms that are more than 10 years old.**
- **Develop and practice a home fire escape plan.**



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