The Lucke Family Newsletter

1999 Birthdays!!

At the end of each year we come up with a "nickname" for the coming year. In considering the nickname for 1999, there were two essential elements:

- It must include "collaboration", a word, which has become an important part of my vocabulary because of what it stands for. It means "working together," a concept to which I am strongly committed.
- I feel the need for a closer relationship with Jesus. He is the ever-present friend in my thoughts and dreams. So Jesus must be an essential part of 1999.

Thus, the nickname for 1999 is **The Year of Collaboration with Jesus.**

As part of the "collaborative" effort in 1999, please once again join in prayer for our Lucke Family members each month, as we celebrate the "present" of their births. A listing of 1999 birthdays is enclosed, with the monthly **Prayer Day** shown in **BOLD** print.

-Bob Campbell

♥ *Congratulations* ♥

♥ **John** and **Karen Connelly** are the proud parents of their 2nd son, *Jack William*, born on October 29, 1997, in Stratford CT. They are currently living in Ireland. John is Betty Magee's son, #10 Margie's grandson.

♥ **Michael** and **Elizabeth (Betsy) Keeley** are the proud parents of their 1st child, *Michael John*, born on November 9th, 1998, in Mamaroneck NY. Michael is Larry and Fran Keeley's son, Gertrude's grandson, #2 Frank's grandson.

The Lucke 31

We continue the saga of the 3rd Generation (the Lucke 31). In the next issue we're planning stories of the children of **#3 Leo** (*Mae, Edward* and *Leo*), **#4 Beatrice (Margaret Mary** and the *Twins*) and **#5 Elsie** (*Ginnie Ferguson, Joe* and *Ken Bond*).

To all of you who know them - and especially their immediate Family - it's time to start thinking and writing. NOW! REALLY!!

The Internet

In our previous issues, we inquired about how many of you are using the Internet. We have had very few responses, so for now we will abandon our idea of creating a **Lucke Family Webpage**.

If you use the Internet and have an email address, please send it to **arcyc@aol.com**.