

**Elf Frank Myrrh:** Hello again from the North Pole News Desk, I'm Elf Frank Myrrh of North Pole Radio News. Elf Victor of Reindeer Operations and Elf Crash Murphy of the Tracking Department were summoned by Santa for a sudden meeting at a reindeer ranch in Canada. Joining us from there with a live report is Elf Crash Murphy. Crash, why does Santa want more reindeer?

**Elf Crash:** Santa is a planner, Frank, and he sees things the rest of us don't see. He didn't say why he wanted more reindeer than the 60,000+ that he already has now at the North Pole. He only said that we're going to need them.

**Elf Frank Myrrh:** How did you learn about the meeting?

**Elf Crash:** Elf Victor called me and said Santa wanted to see us right away. He ordered an express sleigh and we were on our way before I could even pack a bag. We had no idea when we left what the meeting was all about.

**Elf Frank:** Well, if it was about reindeer, why were you there, Crash?

**Elf Crash:** I think Santa wanted me there because I'm part of his flight team on Christmas Eve. I trail him, reporting the news with you on the radio, but I'm also up there in a backup capacity. Santa's thinking about something and he hasn't told me yet what it is. But I'm meeting with him separately tonight and maybe I'll get a better idea then what's on his mind.

**Elf Frank:** Okay, Crash, interesting developments indeed. Enjoy your time there in Canada and keep us posted. For North Pole Radio news, where we never get an invite to catch an express sleigh anywhere, I'm Elf Frank Myrrh reporting for SantaUpdate.com on the Kringle Radio Network.