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## Reflections of 2019

We celebrated the end of the year with a Roaring 1920's themed Christmas party! A good time was had by all complete with karaoke and cards. In preparation for the New Year, our staff reflected on some of their best memories over the last year.

*"One of my favorite memories is helping a police officer that was told he had no case. We worked hard for him and we were able to reach a favorable settlement. It only seems right that someone who puts their life on the line for us everyday had someone fighting for them in a different capacity."* Kirby

*"Well, passing the Bar Exam for one is a great memory that I will hold in 2019. As far as cases, something I will remember this year is successfully advocating for a young lady that was a victim of sexual assault. So often it is easy to take certain aspects of life for granted, and being able to help someone that could not defend themselves added a new dimension and skill set to my legal knowledge."* Josh

*"I truly enjoyed working with each and every client. A case that sticks out for me this year is a gentleman that was hit by a drunk driver. He encountered issue after issue resulting from this wreck, but ultimately we were able to settle for policy limits. Through it all, he had the most gracious and loving attitude. He reminded me of why I love this work."* Sydney

*This year I was reminded of the fragility of life and how good God is with a client whose situation could have been much worse. She was staying in a hotel with her grandchildren when a car crashed in and pinned her against the wall. Her grand-kids had been in the exact spot of the crash moments before. While our client was seriously injured, she has since made a full recovery and I feel blessed to have been able to help her navigate the process and be reminded daily of her story.* Bethany

*"My favorite memory is when the office was asked to come together to pray over one of our clients. His daughter was involved in a catastrophic accident and through it all, her family was grateful her life was spared. I love working in an office that prays."* Amy





# STAFF SELECTIONS

## Christmas Edition



"My wife and I started a new tradition of going to McDonald's after Christmas Eve service. We sing Christmas songs and eat McDonald's!"

*Kirby*



"I loved getting to open one gift on Christmas Eve as a kid, and it's fun as a mom to now do that with my little girl. I also loved baking a cake to celebrate Jesus' birthday!"

*Bethany*



"I always looked forward to the Candlelight Service on Christmas Eve. I would try to keep my candle lit as long as I could after the service had ended."

*Sydney*

"One of my favorite family traditions was going to grandmas on Christmas Eve and signing carols out of a vintage caroling songbook while she played the piano."

*Amy*



"As a kid I used to enjoy sitting by the fire on Christmas Eve and eat cookies."

*Nathan*

## YOUR TURN

**Desiree H.**  
Clarksville, TN

John, Sydney and the rest of the staff are great people. They made us feel welcomed and at home. We felt confident we were in good hands through the whole process. They were on top of everything and made sure we had the best possible outcome. I will be forever grateful for them. I will totally refer friends and family to this law firm.

*Desiree*



## SHARE YOUR STORY!

This month, we are shifting to some of our favorite holiday memories. We are thankful to spend time during this season with the ones we love.



"My favorite Christmas tradition as a kid was decorating the tree with my parents and sisters!"

*Chris*



*Jonathan*

## STAFF CHRISTMAS PLAYLIST

PICK  
CHRIS  
JONATHAN  
KIRBY  
BETHANY  
AMY  
NATHAN  
SYDNEY

SONG  
SANTA CLAUS IS COMING TO TOWN  
O HOLY NIGHT  
CHRISTMAS IN HOLLIS  
MARY DID YOU KNOW  
SILENT NIGHT  
SILVER BELLS  
CHRISTMAS JUST AINT CHRISTMAS

ARTIST  
BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN  
RUN DMC  
MARY J BLIGE  
THE DRIFTERS

# Cookie Dough Fudge



YIELDS: 2 DOZEN  
TOTAL TIME: 2 HOURS



## INGREDIENTS

- Cooking spray
- 1/2 c. (1 stick) butter, softened
- 3/4 c. granulated sugar
- 1 tsp. pure vanilla extract
- 1 c. all-purpose flour
- 1 tsp. kosher salt
- 1 1/4 c. mini chocolate chips, divided
- 1 (14-oz.) can sweetened condensed milk
- 1 1/2 c. melted white chocolate

## DIRECTIONS

- 1 Grease an 8" or 9" square pan with cooking spray and line with parchment paper. In a large bowl using a hand mixer, beat butter, sugar, and vanilla until smooth.
- 2 Place flour in a microwave-safe bowl and microwave until flour is hot, about 1 minute.
- 3 Add flour and salt to butter mixture and beat until combined. Stir in 1 cup mini chocolate chips.
- 4 In a large bowl, mix together sweetened condensed milk and melted white chocolate, then fold into cookie dough mixture. Pour into prepared pan and top with remaining 1/4 cup mini chocolate chips.
- 5 Refrigerate until fudge is firm, about 2 hours. Remove from pan by lifting edges of parchment paper and cut into squares.

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## Santa's Helpers!

A couple of cute elves stopped by the office to help finish December strong!

Wishing you and your family a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!



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