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The year started off (for those of you outside of Colorado) with quite the memorable snowstorm. We had three to four feet of snow come down in our neighborhood. Brian spent the better part of the day out with Abby and his pickup truck busting through snowdrifts and pulling neighborhood cars out of drifts. Both had tons of fun, but it was Abby that was thoroughly exhausted.

As some of you may remember from last year, we lost Caley in September of '06. We managed to go cat-less for about five months when two kittens, looking to be adopted, at the doggie daycare where Abby attends started pulling on Laurie's heartstrings. We'd like to introduce TC and Tank. Believe it when we say Tank is appropriately named.

In March we began finishing our basement. The finished product will consist of a home theater (with 90-inch projection screen-see lower left), a rec/game area with wet bar, a small workout area, and a large bathroom. Stop by and check out the progress.

After five years of working at Denver Newspaper Agency, and snagging Brian in the process, Laurie resigned from the DNA in July and went to work at EDS. The new job allows her to work-from-home, which neither she, nor the pets seem to mind. Brian continues to work at the DNA. Plans for returning to school to update his skills will be top priority for Brian come the New Year.

Brian's 20th high school reunion was in August. He really enjoyed the trip down memory lane and getting to know old friends again; once again assuming the role of class photographer and (now) web producer.

It's not all work around here though. The cover photos feature us at the last regular home (and winning!) game for the Colorado Rockies. We attended the wedding of good friends in Estes Park. And, Laurie and Abby did a little hiking (but certainly not enough).

Visit http://web.mac.com/ibgarrett
for more photos and happenings.

We hope this finds you healthy and happy.
We wish you a Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!
Brian & Laurie