

## **P.E.O. : Twas The Month Before Christmas**

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Kristie Colgate, Chapter IH/Glendale,CA humbly submits the following:

'Twas the month before Christmas, when all through the chapter,  
Sisters were gathering on Zoom to the fun sound of laughter.  
The president ran the meetings with care,  
The feeling of love permeated the air.

The Opening Ode was sung with great feeling;  
Reciting the Objects and Aims sent our hearts reeling.  
The chaplain read from the Bible with care,  
And together we all recited the Lord's Prayer.

The meeting was then opened in due form;  
The transaction of business would soon inform  
The minutes by the secretary were easily read,  
While visions of prior meetings danced in our heads.

Committees reported their business in a snap;  
For all that was accomplished, sisters had to clap.  
Old business and new were discussed with much chatter;  
Fundraising had made the bank balance fatter.

Which projects would be the ones to receive cash  
Was discussed at great length with nary a clash.  
Motions were made and voting ensued;  
Our gifts were designated with much gratitude.

The treasurer made the next step loud and clear:  
Our money would be sent by the end of the year!  
With decisions made, so easily and quick,  
Who knew that giving could work out so slick?!

Suggestions for the good of the chapter were made;  
Heartfelt gratitude toward sisters was displayed.  
The meeting the president did eventually close;  
Our appreciation for each other always overflows.

Before we adjourned and closed Zoom for the night,  
We already looked forward to the time we'd reunite.

We wished each other well till the next time we'd meet;  
To be part of the Sisterhood is ever so sweet.

Before the "Leave Meeting" button was pressed,  
"Merry Christmas to all" was heartily expressed.