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Grid Size:	216W x 283H
Cloth Count:	14
Fabric:	28 ct. Antique White Cashel Linen
Design Area:	15,43" W x 20,21" H ( 212 x 279 stitches )

Legend: DMC Stranded Cotton			
	White		white
	310		black
	312		navy blue - lt
	321		christmas red
	356		terra cotta - md
	414		steel grey - dk
	433		brown - md
	444		lemon - dk
	469		avocado green
	470		avocado green - lt
	472		avocado green - ul lt
	498		christmas red - dk
	612		drab brown - lt
	613		drab brown - vy lt
	666		christmas red - br
	676		old gold - lt
	720		orange spice - dk
	745		yellow - lt pl
	754		peach - lt
	758		terra cotta - vy lt
	781		topaz - vy dk
	782		topaz - dk
	783		topaz - md
	814		garnet - dk
	815		garnet - md
	822		beige grey - lt
	898		coffee brown - vy dk
	919		red copper
	934		black avocado green
	935		avocado green - dk
	936		avocado green - vy dk
	972		canary - dp
	3325		baby blue - lt
	3371		black brown
	3778		terra cotta - lt
	3790		beige grey - ul dk
	3799		pewter grey - vy dk
	3853		autumn gold - dk
	814/3371		Garnet dk./Black Brown
	5282		metallic gold
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Backstitches: DMC Stranded Cotton			
White	white	356	terra cotta - md
310	black	498	christmas red - dk
321	christmas red	612	drab brown - lt
		815	garnet - md
		898	coffee brown - vy dk
		3790	beige grey - ul dk

Instructions:

## MERRY CHRISTMAS

This pattern comes from the book Merry Christmas number 1216 from Jeanette Crews Designs, Inc. The pattern displays Mr. and Mrs. Claus kissing while under some mistletoe. There is a fireplace behind them and a red Christmas border that surrounds the pattern.

### Backstitch:

Backstitch Santa's eyebrow in white  
Backstitch eyes in 310  
Backstitch bottoms of letters in 321 using two strands of floss  
Backstitch Mrs. Claus' face in 356  
Backstitch snowflake in lower left corner of frame, and Santa's shirt front in 498  
Backstitch middle of "C's", "e" and "S's", and top of capital "M" and "T" in 498 using two strands of floss  
Backstitch fireplace tiles, Santa's socks and apron tie in 612  
Backstitch tops of small letters, "H" and tail of "Y" in 815 using two strands of floss  
Backstitch berries, and Mrs. Claus' collar in 898  
Backstitch front of apron in 3790

### Model:

Fabric: 28ct. Antique White Aida  
Floss: Cross-stitch - 2 strands  
Backstitch - 1 strand, unless noted otherwise