Have you made your list and checked it twice?

Stockings are hung at least three feet from heat sources with care.

Holiday lights and extension cords purchased from reputable retailers that bear the mark of a nationally recognized testing laboratory.

A hydrated tree that is watered daily.

Or did you forget to be proactive about electrical safety?

Do not overload electrical outlets.

Read manufacturer’s instructions for number of light strands to connect, and always turn off decorations before leaving home or going to bed.

It’s not too late.

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