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### **AMISH SERIES PROVIDES A GLIMPSE OF YESTERYEAR**

WOOSTER, OH – The Amish are a distinct religious community whose lives are governed by Biblical beliefs. In the 1720's, the first group of Amish immigrated to America seeking religious tolerance and good farmland. The three largest populations are found in north central Ohio, eastern Pennsylvania, and northern Indiana. The Amish way of life continues to spark the interest and curiosity of our modernized world.

The 2004 Amish Series from Cat's Meow captures the beauty and simplicity of this peaceful rural culture. It consists of four quaint buildings, which retail for around \$12.00 each as follows: Amish Wash Day House, Amish Dairy Barn, Amish Ice House, and Mt. Faith School. There are two accessories depicting Amish people, which retail for around \$7.50 each. They are the Amish Open Cart, and an Amish Family. There is also an Amish Picking Pears piece, which retails for around \$12.00 each. Sizes vary. Available at retailers beginning April 1, 2004.

#### **About Cat's Meow**

The Cat's Meow® Village has been building memories with its miniature, wooden, handcrafted buildings and accessories for over 20 years. Many pieces commemorate historic structures and points of interest. "Casper," the trademark black cat, signifies the authenticity of Village products and can be found on each piece, along with the signature of Faline Fry Jones, creator of The Cat's Meow® Village.

Village enthusiasts find gratification in purchasing pieces that not only add to the warmth of their décor, but also preserve a favorite destination or time. There are over 1,000 Cat's Meow retailers in 50 states nationwide and a Cat's Meow piece that touches everyone's life. Each piece is handcrafted in the United States.

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