

## SELECTED RESOURCES GUIDE

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*Vintage postcard  
Printed in Germany, postally used ca. 1912*





Vintage postcard, Christmas  
Postcards Series No. 136  
Raphael Tuck & Sons  
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