





Mwas the night before Christmas, when all through the shop Not a creature was stirring, not even a rat. The first articles were lined up in the inspection room with care In hopes that our QA Manager soon would be there.

The press brake operators were nestled all snug in their beds, While visions of bacon strips danced in their heads. And the welders and machinists, no longer at their stations, Had all gone home to watch National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation.

When out in the shop there arose such a clatter, I sprang from my workstation to see what was the matter. Away to the fuse box I flew like a flash, And flicked on the fluorescents to investigate the crash.

(the light shown on all the sheetmetal and machined items, Proof we don't shy away from challenges, we fight 'em. When suddenly my gaze fell upon a part that made me think, "Oh my, what a bizarre looking aluminum heatsink."

Dith flanges welded to a precision inner ring, I knew that this was a helluva cool thing. "Why not make this a Part of the Month?" I thought, "I better go get the camera." And so I ran off.

Ipon closer inspection this thing was impressive, Indeed, this would make a perfect December missive. With ring and fins and legs in perfect alignment, only a custom fixture could create such a weldment.

ovely as it was I knew there was no time to waste, This part needed to be shipped out, post haste. And that's when I discovered the disturbance from before. A jolly little elf clad in Jeff Gordon memorabilia for sure.

He cheered and chanted and exclaimed happily, "What a wonderful part!" as he offered me a Pepsi. The next thing I knew the part was boxed up On the way to our customer in our shiny new truck.

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