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## **Press Release**



## Happy Christmas from Halifax as HGV driver wins £100,000

- Welsh HGV driver Timothy Davies wins top £100,000 prize in the Halifax Savers Prize Draw
- Ten years of the prize draw has seen £75 million paid out to lucky Halifax customers
- Nearly 160,000 customers have won prize money since 2011 through the draw

One lucky Halifax saver will be celebrating in style this festive season after he found out he'd won the top £100,000 prize in the Halifax Savers Prize Draw.

Timothy Davies, an HGV driver from Llanelli, Wales, received the news and said he was "completely overwhelmed."

## Over the moon!

Mr Davies, 61, has banked with Halifax for 26 years and couldn't believe his luck when bank colleague Sam Borsden-Doyle of Llanelli branch told him he was the winner of £100,000.

Mr Davies said: "I have never won anything in my life and I never thought I stood a chance of winning. I am shocked and completely over the moon - my partner didn't believe me!

"I plan to use the money to help with my daughter's education and purchase a buy to let to help me when I retire. I will also use it to pay for laser treatment on my eyes and I hope to plan some travel. In the meantime, we are planning an extra special Christmas this year.

"I am truly overwhelmed to receive £100,000 and I want to thank everyone at Halifax."

The Halifax Savers Prize Draw\* rewards over 1,600 savers every month, with prizes ranging from £100 all the way to £100,000.

The draw is now in its 10<sup>th</sup> year and, over the past decade, Halifax has paid prize money of over £75 million to nearly 160,000 customers. Over £6 million has been won in 2021 alone.

Russel Galley, Managing Director, Halifax, said: "We've been running our Savers Prize Draw for a whole decade now and we're thrilled for Tim as one of our recent £100,000 top prize winners - it's always wonderful to hear how much of a difference the prizes make to people's lives. The whole team are always so excited when we make calls to our winners each month and we've certainly made lots of them, as we've now given away over £75 million to nearly 160,000 customers. We're looking forward to congratulating many more winners in 2022 and beyond."

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## Editors' Notes:

Photograph of Timothy Davies available on request. Timothy is 61 and lives in Llanelli with his partner, Amy and his daughter. Timothy has worked as an HGV driver for over 40 years.

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