

Sew Precious In His Sight



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GOD ALWAYS HAS A PLAN

"You may ask me for anything in my name, and I will do it." John 14:14

NEWS FLASH

Nancy Zieman is doing a story about Threads of Love. It was done via skype. The following is the information about the airing of the story.

The program will be made available to PBS stations on October 6, 2013 and again on April 6, 2014. Each station determines when they will air the program titled Sew Amazing Scarves, part 1 of a 3-part series.

Great news. You will be able to view it online on October 6 at <http://www.nancyzieman.com>

I will be taping it and try to bring it to the conference in April.

*Happy 10 year
anniversary*



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**Congratulations to all of you.
Keep up the good work.**

Our newest Chapters

Harpers Legacy-TOL
Shelly Viggiano
Rochester, NY

Threads of Love
c/o April Purdy
Midvale, Utah

Threads of Love
c/o Michaelyn Boyle
Sedona, AZ

Tiny Toes-Threads of Love
c/o Arvella Bagwell
Cave City, AR

Threads of Love
c/o Marcia McCall
Vardene, MS

We look forward to meeng some
of you from our new groups in April.



Enter His gates with thanksgiving
and His courts with praise; give
thanks to Him and praise His
Name. For the LORD is good and
His love endures forever; His
faithfulness connues thr ough d l
generaons .

Psalms 100:4-5



And then we turn the corner from Thanksgiving and it is Christmas. Enjoy me with family and friends. And as I always say "God Bless Us All, Everyone."



For to us a child is born, to us a son is given,...
And He shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Might God, Ever-
lasting Father, Prince of Peace. Isaiah 9:6



I have found it is much cheaper to fly Southwest Airlines. They just don't go into Baton Rouge. They do fly into New Orleans. I am going to fly SWA. If you would like to we can coordinate arrivals to be within a few hours, we can share a car. I don't mind driving. Even with the car it is much cheaper.

Also, if anyone would like to share a room, you can let me know. Maybe closer to the date we can work on getting a room together. That will also help with cost. So, if cost is an issue there are some options to help. You can contact me at renee@providenet.com.



Remember to mark your calendars for the coming conference April 9-12, 2014.

If you are making favors for the conference be sure to add a card or something so that those receiving your token will know what chapter donated that favor.

Cathy Blankenship has already mailed her favors to me; you will be pleased with what she has made. She also made a couple of door prizes that are cute as a button. They can be mailed to me or wait and bring them when you arrive for the conference.

Please be in pray for her husband who is in treatment for liver cancer

PLEASE: If you have an idea for a class you would like to take, please send it to Sissy.

Sissy and her crew do a lot of hard work putting this together, so if it is at all possible for you to be there, let's show our support. You will not be disappointed, and you won't go hungry. Remember we are celebrating 20 years for Threads of Love.



CONFERENCE

TIME

LIVE



PRIZES



FRIENDS

LAUGHTER



CLASSES



CHALK TALK

"And he said unto me, My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect in weakness. Most gladly therefore will I rather glory in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me." 2 Corinthians 12:9

There are times that try to pull our strength from us-- spiritually, physically, mentally and emotionally. We also have an adversary that comes to steal our strength. He does this by trying to steal our joy- "And be not grieved and depressed, for the joy of the Lord is your strength and stronghold." Nehemiah 8:10 (Amplified) When we are feeling weak, when we have no strength, when we feel as if we can't go on any longer, we can take comfort in knowing that our wonderful God in heaven has the strength that we need. And the most amazing thing is not the fact that He is strong, but that He is willing, and promises, to impart His own strength into us when we are weak.

If you are feeling weak today, you don't have to. Look to the Lord! Ask Him for His strength. If you ask, you will receive. He does not withhold from us anything that we need. He will not withhold His strength from you. He will give you renewed strength to go through the times of trial and testing. He will give you His strength... "to run through a troop, and by my God I can leap over a wall." Psalm 18:29 (Amplified). He will give you this strength to cross the desert and go through the storm. He will give you His strength to stand and withstand the attacks of the enemy. His strength will envelope you and cause you to make it... and not just barely make it, but make it through victoriously!

Have a great day. When you are weak, you can become strong but not in your own strength which is limited, but with the unlimited strength of the Lord!

Cynthia Young Venable



When you may feel like you are not making a difference, read this.....

Women's Hope Medical Clinic sent a card to the address shown on the web site saying stating that they had prayed for Threads of Love.

This is what was on the card:

We prayed for you this week! It was our honor and joy to lift you up to our Father during our daily prayer time this week. Thank you for your support and partnership with our ministry. We value this relationship and are praying that God would bless you abundantly!

The staff at Women's Hope



Hello, My name is Stefanie. My husband Tony and I experienced the loss of our beautiful daughter, Angel Batrez on Tuesday July 9th. She was stillborn at 37 1/2 weeks. At the time we were beyond devastated and did not think about clothing for her. The hospital staff dressed her in a beautiful white gown, white crocheted cap and white blanket. I later saw that "threads of love" was sewn into the blanket. I just wanted to say thank you from the bottom of my heart. This was an expected blessing to us in our darkest time of need. It provided us keepsakes for our precious Angel that we did not think about having, but will be forever grateful that we do have. Thank you again. We cannot express enough gratitude for these amazing gifts. They helped to bring us a small bit of comfort from the overwhelming grief we were experiencing. Thank you so very much.

This was received from our website.

I just wanted to share my story ~ January 24, our precious little great niece didn't make it. Her mother had experienced great pain that led her to get to the emergency room ASAP which led the doctors to deliver the baby (a month early); but upon the delivery they discovered the baby had already passed & the mother's uterus overflowed with blood & it took hours & several surgeries & we almost lost her too! They discovered she had an aneurism wrapped around her spleen & she had to have 11 units of blood & we all had to wait for a few days to see her wake up & to know she was out of danger & no brain injuries for lack of oxygen. Through much prayer she made it through!! Though it was so difficult for her husband & doctor to have to tell her the news of the events that occurred & the news of her precious baby's death. When she was able to go home she went straight to the mall to search for the perfect dress for her baby girl's burial. When I heard of this I madly searched the Internet for "free infant burial dress patterns" & I prayed & asked God for help! It broke my heart that she wasn't able to find anything at all anywhere! My google search brought me to your pattern & I quickly called my sister & said I could make it!!! I found a dress pattern & so they wanted to pick out the fabric for it & I rushed to Joann Fabrics & lined up all the pink fabrics & trims, & had it all ready to point her in the right direction so she didn't have to walk a lot & to give her a short amount of time there so she could get back home to rest. Once everything was selected, I made a mad dash home to sew up the prettiest pink taffeta dress with a pink lace over the bottom half & place sleeves & bonnet & from the scraps I made her 3 yr old son a matching tie & with the left over scraps I made fabric roses & machine embroidered onto ribbon the baby girl's name & date so that the mom, dad, grandparents & great grandparents could all have a fabric rose to pin on for the funeral & I made a small heart pillow from that scrap fabric as well with the baby's name & date & weight & length. I am so thankful that the patterns were available online & so thankful God gave me the opportunity to make her precious little dress. I stayed up until I was 100% done & had coffee & God gave me an extra amount of strength to hold it together & so I stitched all those items & her dress until 3am! It was a very sad time but I am so thankful I was able to make a difference & my great niece looked so beautiful all dressed up in that burial gown. Thank you so much for the free

I know these may be hard to read, but hopefully you can zoom in on them.. These are probably the most important items for you to see in a newsletter. Most certainly the most encouraging. Three pages of them this one.

If you send in a filler for the newsletter and you don't see it, be patient. I try to put them in order of when I receive them (sounds like a phone recording). I think the "thank you's" are the most important, so I try to put all of them in. Thanks for understanding, and please continue to send anything you think appropriate.

