

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



Mission Statement: Our mission is to show parents the love of Christ, especially at a time when their personal pain is hard to endure, and let them know that God is faithful. Through acts of obedience and donations, His work can and will continue. We pray that this ministry will have an impact far beyond our expectations.

Our Purpose: Threads of Love is a sewing ministry meeting the needs of newborns and tiny premature infants.

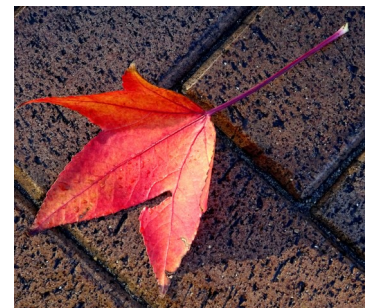


Can you believe this is the last Newsletter of 2023. Did I go into a comma and wake up 20 some years later. I can't believe how fast the time goes.

It is now fall and before you know it Christmas will be here.

Wishing you all a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Will see you in 2024.



SPECIAL NOTICE

There have been some donations come to Sissy of \$100.00. It is to a chapter that she hasn't heard of. If you have a chapter operating under you, you need to have them registered with Threads of Love. If not, and since this chapter isn't, you will miss out on any donations made to you. So PLEASE: if you have what I will call "subchapters" make sure they are registered with Threads of Love.



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Just a reminder per Sissy's email the Zoom conference was moved to October 12-13. Please email Sissy by October 6 if you plan to attend via Zoom. The starting time is 9:00 Louisiana time. Please adjust accordingly.

VERY IMPORTANT

If you do NOT let Sissy know you will NOT receive an email letting you know how to log in to the Zoom meeting. Even if you already have Zoom on your computer each meeting has its own link to be able to get in.

Remember, that a few days before the conference there will be a test run. You will receive that information if you contacted Sissy that you will attend.

Also, please invite anyone from your group to attend.

Topics to be explored:

Testimonies

Creating an "I Care Look" When Preparing Packets

Making French seam,

Using DMC floss for Embellishment

Using a Glue stick when putting on labels

Vendor List Opportunity

Round table Discussion: Recruiting & Retaining Sewers (All)

2nd round table Discussion: Recruiting & Retaining Sewers (All)

How to make Memory Envelopes

Best Business Practices & Forms Review

Sharing: Chapters Presentations- Examples/Instructions of Items Made Not

Currently in the TOL Handbook & Packaging Methods (All)

Lactation nurse the important of breast pads

Exporting the Website

Drawing for: \$50-\$75-\$100-\$150 & \$200 (Your chapter must be registered with Threads of Love Foundation to be able to win any money.)

Did you know that the brain weighs just over three pounds? It has 12 billion cells and 120 trillion connections. If it were a computer, it would be the size of the Empire State Building. 10,000 thoughts go through your brain every day. These thoughts determine who you are, what you do, who you will become and biggest of all what you say.

Ralph Waldo Emerson said, “Beware of what you set your mind on for that you will surely become.”

I am studying Scripture on the mind, heart, and ultimately the tongue this year (again). I will be the first to admit, it is hard.

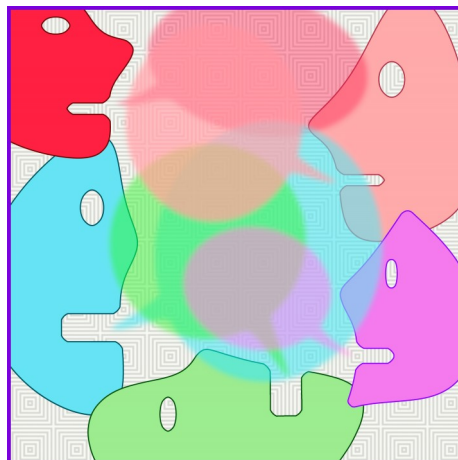
2 Corinthians 10:5 says, “We demolish arguments and every pretension that sets itself up against the knowledge of God, and we take captive every thought to make it obedient to Christ.”

I struggled with what that meant for years. I get it now. Well, I think I understand it, it is the doing that I am working on. We can’t control the thoughts that come to us, but we can most certainly control what we do with them. Are the thoughts obedient to Christ? If not, don’t dwell on them.

I’ve heard it said, you can’t stop a bird from landing on your head, but you can stop him from building a nest there.

I just looked and in October of last year I wrote something about the tongue. It wasn’t until this year I connected the mind with the tongue. What we put into our minds and let sink into our hearts will come out our mouth.

Protect your heart. Fill your mind and heart with God’s Word. You can’t control those 10,000 thoughts but you can control what you do with them.





Celebrating 20 year anniversary with Threads of Love

Our Lady of Lourdes —CC
Sally Farris—Louisville KY

10 year anniversaries

Mc Cal—Ocean Springs, MS

You do make a difference.

“Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal, but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, **where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal.** For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.”

Matthew 6:19-21

All of you are laying up treasures in Heaven by blessing these families. Keep up the good work.

We just wanted to say thank you to you all. Our daughter spent a few days in the NICU at Methodist Hospital in San Antonio after being born. The staff gave her cute bedding and a beanie mentioning it was a donation from your organization. It was sweet to have a touch of color and handmade bedding for her stay. It was very much appreciated during our time there.

Love,
Viet, Jennifer, and baby Penelope



Cameron was born at 26 weeks gestation. He was in the OLOL Children's hospital NICU for 10 months. He went home with a tracheostomy and vent to help him breathe and a feeding tube. He's now almost 2 years old, off the ventilator 100% of the time, crawling, ALMOST walking independently, and eating mostly all his nutrition by mouth! He is such a fighter and a true success story from our NICU.

Thank you Threads of Love for the cute little octopus and other items Cameron was able to enjoy while he was with us. You are making a difference.



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