

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

Well, it has been a while since I have written and I hope this finds you safe and healthy still. We have had several family members and friends test positive for COVID-19 and I pray every day for their recovery. This pandemic has touched all of us in some way or another.

The last month or so I have been a little down and then I remember how blessed I am. It has been a year since I was hospitalized and had to have a stint in an artery to my heart. I thank God every day for letting me wake up in the morning and for all the wonderful Sisters and Brothers who come into my life. You have no idea how special you are to me.

Thanksgiving I was able to be with both my sons, daughter-in-law and grandchildren. They are growing so fast and make my life so much better; they are truly gifts from God.

This year has been difficult for all of us and especially for the elderly. Having to stay inside and not see others is a hard thing to do. We have a wonderful core of Grand Officers who are her to help, even if it is just to listen to your worries. Please never feel you are alone, give us a call.

“The most useful asset of a person is not a head full of knowledge, but a heart full of love, with ears open to listen, and hands willing to help”.

I have attended several Zoom meetings with chapters across the state while sitting at my desk. What a great way to keep in touch with everyone. It is so awesome to spend time with each of you to see you even if we can't be “Live and in person”. Each of the Grand Officers receiving invitations to join the Zoom meetings are attending them; if you send us invitations, we will come.

Christmas is just 10 days away and it has been a very different way of shopping. Many of you know I love to shop and this year has put a cramp in my style, I sure in yours as well. It may be different but the meaning is still the same, to celebrate the birth of Jesus. My wish for all of you is to remain safe and healthy and may 2021 be safer and happier for all of us. Faith has seen us through these last 9 months and God will definitely get us through it all.

Christmas Candy Cane Poem about Jesus

Look at the Candy Cane

What do you see?

Stripes that are red

Like the blood shed for me

White is for my Savior

Who's sinless and pure!

J is for Jesus My Lord, that's for sure!

Turn it around and a staff you will see,

Jesus my shepherd

Was born for Me!

“A meaningful life is not being rich, being popular, or being perfect. It's about being real, being humble, being able to share ourselves and touch the lives of others”.

Sisters and Brothers, Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Love always,
Christel, AGC



Zoom meetings are attending them; if you send us