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FROM THE EDITORS

Dear beloved friends, welcome to the November 2022 edition of the Divine Love Newsletter. We hope that you are being protected during this time of earth changes, and embrace your purpose and role in God's plan of salvation for mankind. God loves you very much and is actively involved in your lives. Put Him above all else and everything you need will be provided for.

Judy Gebhardt reminds us to listen to and give thanks to our ancestral elders in the Celestial Kingdom who are actively involved in helping us on our spiritual journey home. We naturally focus our attention on Jesus, but typically have relatives who have chosen to be among our spirit band members.

Eva Peck's father, Henry, passed away in September at the age of ninety-nine. He was an amazing, highly artistic soul. During his career he professionally played the oboe in orchestras in Prague, Czechoslovakia, Gothenburg, Sweden, and in the late 1960s, Henry joined the Melbourne Symphony Orchestra in Australia. After retiring, he returned to a hobby from his youth, took art classes, and over the years produced a prolific <u>amount of art</u>. Eva shares with us several wonderful nature experiences that were linked to her father's passing.

The "Spiritual Gifts Intensive Retreat" was held at Jumonville, Pennsylvania in August and Carol Gallagher describes her experiences at the retreat. She says that the group prayed for one hour three times each day and after each prayer, her soul opened more, her love deepened and her awe increased. How wonderful is that!

The "Soul Awakening Cruise" took place in September starting in Vancouver, BC, and ending in San Diego, CA. Steffanie Beale and Lani Domaloy described the event including how a very intense creation of a portal was felt by the group and that everyone received powerful healings and blessings as they prayed together. After the cruise, Al, Jeanne, Debra, and Lani met with Dennis and Suzie Tormey at the Yogananda gardens in Encinitas. When they arrived, much to their disappointment, the garden was closed. But soon a woman appeared and allowed them entrance. Continuing their soul awakening trip, Al and Jeanne drove through California and visited Amada Reza in Santa Cruz, and Cliff de Dora and his wife Cindy in Hidden Valley Lake. In Oregon, they spent time with Lorraine Borchers and others at Happy Days farm in Dallas, OR.

Louie Caiazza shares with us a "Christmas Reflection". He relates that Christmas can be an emotional time and we should be patient, loving and nurturing to ourselves. He also expresses his gratitude for the prayer circles and all those who attend.

Ruth Duvall was inspired to write a poem about "God's Presence".

Al and Jeanne Fike put their Divine Love Sanctuary home and garden up for sale! Anyone who has attended a retreat at Al and Jeanne's knows how high the energy is at their home and how beautiful the surroundings are.

How blessed we are to have family and friends who pray for God's Divine Love! Matthew 7:14 says: "Strait is the gate, and narrow is the way" that leads to everlasting life in the Celestial Kingdom. We not only have Jesus, the celestial angels and our spiritual elders and guides to help us, but we also have each other. May you be blessed with a great abundance of God's Divine Love and may you be pillars of love and truth to humanity and especially those souls in search of the Love of God.

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My Elders (Judy Gebhardt)

In the spring of 1973, before I had found Dr. Stone's books, I had been having many spirit visitations from my family members, hearing them talk to me. One day when I was in church praying, I asked the question: Where could I find the truth about my Heavenly Father? My Grandfather Paul Gebhardt told me, "Follow your heart and your heart shall lead the way."

About two weeks later, I found a book with an article from an organization called Foundation Church of the New Birth. The article mentioned that books were available for purchase from a man named Rev. John Paul Gibson that contained messages received from the Spirit World. I sent Rev. Gibson a letter requesting one of his books. When I read it, I cried my eyes out because I knew everything in it was true.



Alexander Grey from unsplash.com

That was a long, long time ago. Ever since then, it has been my Grandfather Paul Gebhardt, my Great Great Grandfather Aaron Treadway, my Great five times Grandfather Daniel Candler, my Great Great Grandmother Priscilla Treadway and my Great five times Grandmother Hannah Candler, powerful Divine Angels living in the Celestial Kingdom, who came to me when I reached out to my elders for help. They were the answer to my prayers when I asked God to send the elders.

In the summer of 1976, I was put into a trance and given a revelation where I was walking down a desert road. Far away at the end of the road was a very beautiful city. Suddenly, while I was walking along that

road, the sun began to rise. When it reached high up in the sky, it became huge. Then, all of a sudden, the sun became an eagle and flew down to the road. Upon landing, it turned into Jesus. Seeing it was Jesus, I began running toward him, calling "Jesus, Jesus!" When I reached him, he took my hands, walked me over to the side of the road and sat down with me on a huge rock. He told me, "I want you to do something for me."

As I came out of the trance, I wondered what did it mean? I knew it wasn't Jesus who gave me the revelation. I thought it probably meant I was receiving the Christ Spirit, the Divine Love, into my soul. I believe that it was one of my elders who gave me that dream.

I can understand why many people place their spiritual focus on one man. However, I also feel that they miss out on something special when they fail to reach out to their own divine elders who are just as qualified as Jesus to lead them to the Kingdom. I don't think many in the Divine Love community realize how much their lives would be enriched if they did.

I believe that this is what Jesus wants us to do – to reach out to our elders whose labor of love it is to come to earth and surround their children with their love and support and guide them along the path that will help them aspire in their souls to achieve what they themselves have accomplished. I read in one of Jesus' messages how the Divine Love brings us closer into rapport with our loved ones and strengthens the bond. He also wrote that it makes our family members happy to know that their loved ones on earth have not forgotten them.

This is also what James Padgett's, Daniel Samuels' and Dr. Stone's family did for them. Their family members and friends were constantly coming around them, showering their love and support on them while they were going through their

process of explations and soul development so that those special men could become the instruments par excellence that Jesus needed to recruit for his ministry. (<u>Reference</u>)

I had a visit from my mother a couple of weeks ago. She was laughing and when I heard her laugh, I could feel how happy she was and it made me happy as well. Many of my friends, especially from my childhood school days, make periodic visits to me and I know they are happy when I acknowledge them. My Grandma and Grandpa Candler came for a visit last week and I felt so happy feeling their presence and knowing they are watching over me.

It would behove the followers of the spiritual work of James Padgett, Dr. Stone and Daniel Samuels to reach out to their elders and give them credit for their help and guidance. Our divine elders are our family and it makes them happy when we reach out and connect with them. Also, they deserve to be recognized as our main helpers with our soul development and progress toward the Kingdom. We must remember the message Jesus wrote, that he is still living close to his own earth family.

SPECIAL THINGS ASSOCIATED WITH MY FATHER'S PASSING (EVA PECK)

My father passed away on September 12 at the ripe age of 99. He was blessed in that he was able to live in his own home till the last week of his life, which he spent in hospital following a fall. In the days after his passing, several out-of-theordinary nature things happened. I'll share some of them in this article, believing that they were somehow connected with my father.

The Magpie (Friday, September 16)

Alex and I took a walk near my dad's house after selecting his paintings to go with the funeral. A lot of magpies live in that nature area. This can also be the swooping seasons – while they nest or have young, they can be quite aggressive. As we were walking, one or two birds descended from a tree and sat on Alex's back – which he felt uncomfortable with, being afraid of its beak -- and then it landed on my shoulder. We were not sure if we were in their nesting area and they were going to get mean, so we turned to walk back. The one bird just stayed with me and rode on my shoulder for about three minutes. (From the photo, I just noticed that the second bird followed in flight.) We then came to a bridge with a high railing and the bird hopped off and sat on the



Photo: Alex Peck

railing long enough for Alex to take another photo (after photographing it on my shoulder). It was quite amazing and lovely to have this bird sit on my shoulder and tweet into my ear, even though I didn't have any food to give him. I don't discount the idea that my father sent it to let me know he was OK.

The Rainbow (Friday, September 23)

On Friday afternoon before the funeral, Alex suggested we buy a Subway sandwich and take it somewhere followed by a walk, and then stop at dad's house to pick up the books that we had created for his art and photography some years ago and which we planned to give to the funeral attendees. We parked near the sea. As I opened the door, a friendly dog appeared and ran to the car to say hello while I was still sitting inside. He seemed to be on his own, but actually belonged to the fisherman who parked near us. The dog ran to his owner, but came back several times to be patted. My dad loved dogs and would say hello to all the dogs he met. I wonder if he sent this particular one.

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Photo: Eva Peck

We ate at one of our favorite seats facing the sea. The weather was sunny and beautiful. As we finished our walk and started driving to my dad's house, I noticed dark clouds in the distance. We found the books and put them in the car. By that time, the sky clouded over. The couple that lives next door just got home. They live with their mother who is about 5 years younger than my dad was, but in a much worse shape. We had a good chat with them, which was lovely. They were sad and surprised at dad's passing.

As we talked, there was a gentle shower from the cloud overhead. Before long, the sun came back as it

continued to gently rain and created a spectacular rainbow just as we were driving out of my dad's street. It was one of the nicest rainbows I have seen. The rain was light enough to be able to get out of the car and take photos – which didn't do the reality justice. I am sure this too had something to do with my dad.

The Dolphins (Monday, September 26)

We saw the funeral director Elaine, to tie any loose ends, this afternoon. Then we had a bite to eat and a walk at one of our favorite areas near the lighthouse. This is a kind of an inlet for small private boats to leave from and return to, as well as a Marine Rescue station. Quite some time ago, on a one-of occasion, the inlet had a lot of dolphins just swimming around, not being bothered by the coming and going boats. Today, as we passed it, I kept looking if by a small chance the dolphins were back – and they were! It was amazing to see them just frolicking around for maybe 10 minutes. Perhaps another sign from dad. (Several days after the funeral, the dolphins were back again.)

Four Magpie Stories

The day before the funeral, I mowed the back lawn and after that, a magpie mother and her young were walking on it for a considerable time – half an hour or more -- with the young one squawking noisily wanting mom to give it food. This was unusual because we hadn't had magpies in our neighborhood, but many live in my dad's area.

The day of the funeral, after the proceedings, we stopped at a country restaurant on the way home to have lunch. We sat on the outdoor verandah, and on one of the nearby trees there was a flock of magpies – at least ten of them. One even landed on the chair back at the table next to us, where the people were still eating. We struck conversation with the lady who was from Ottawa, Canada visiting her daughter in the area. After a while, the magpies left when she threw some scraps below the verandah. But they were soon replaced at first by one and then two kookaburras with a loud laugh.

The day after the funeral, a magpie came again to the backyard and was ripping the frayed edges of an old lounge chair that, after it finished serving me, remained there for our previous cat, Blackie.



Photo by Jon Pleizier Macaulay Library ML 69527431 Listen to its laugh.

This morning, the second day after the funeral, a magpie came back – maybe the same one – walked around the alfresco area, flew onto the railing near the house, squawked, walked around a bit more and then flew away.

Others we know have also reported special experiences following the passing of their loved ones. These occurrences can certainly be comforting and reassuring. © Foundation Church of Divine Truth, Inc.

WONDERS AND MIRACLES AT JUMONVILLE (CAROL GALLAGHER)

A Spiritual Gifts Intensive Retreat was held at Jumonville, Pennsylvania from August 16-19. We came from all over North America. Kindred spirits who came as seekers and online friends would quickly become family – children of the Most High God. Some had never met in person, but soon we would become one. One in the love of God, one in search of our spiritual gifts, one in commitment to share the Truth of Divine Love. My first joyful experience (and there were many!) was to be able to touch and hug people so dear to me that, up until that day, had only been images on my computer screen.

Our first evening was for gathering, prayer and messages from Celestial Angels who surrounded us in love, wisdom, and guidance. Anna, grandmother of Jesus, was the guiding spirit for the retreat. Our seat assignment in the prayer circle was guided by Seretta Kem. We sat in the same seats for each of the three days and drew strength and vitality from each other. A vase of red roses stood in the center of the room. I wondered what the significance of the roses was.

Seretta Kem told us there were white doves, holding satin-laced ribbons, delivering gifts to us individually. Through the blessing of the Holy Spirit, a white satin ribbon for the development of soul was given to each person. It is a thick ribbon, a strong line, unbreakable, and will strengthen through prayer over time. This ribbon is woven around each of our souls by doves coming down and weaving it from the portal of light, back and forth from portal to gift to individual to portal, to and from God. This ribbon, connecting our souls to God's soul is to be nurtured. We were told of this glorious weaving and netting, bonding us together in a very particular way. We are now inexorably connected to each other by this precious weaving of our souls and our gifts.



Photo: Mike Willey

We prayed for one hour three times each day, sang, and shared stories. Some swam, some hiked, some sat and pondered. Every evening we debriefed on the experiences of the day. Some had profound experiences, others' experiences were more subtle, and some participants' experiences have yet to be discovered.

After each prayer, my soul opened more, my love deepened, my awe increased. Jesus told us of the personal encounters he had with each of us, some during prayer, some during sleep state – none of which was I able to perceive, but all of which I am absolutely certain occurred.

And the rose? A gift from Anna, a gift of love, a blessing, a gift of emotional healing. After the last prayer on Friday, each participant (one at a time) took one of the roses that had been in the center of the prayer circle for the retreat. We then sat in a moment of silence to reflect on our time together and after a brief debrief upstairs, got together for the above photo on the inn's front steps.

We came in hope and anticipation, we participated in awe,

we left in willing service. This fledgling soul on the Divine Love path is counting on God, as He is counting on me. I wish to thank Maureen Cardoso, Judy Dunbar, Bill Frase, and Beth Mazur for their faithful willingness to create this profound and wonderful event!

For another glimpse of the retreat, see Lani Domaloy's video.

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SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER SOUL AWAKENING CRUISE (STEFFANIE BEALE AND LANI DOMALOY)

On September 28, seven of us embarked from the Cruise Terminal at Canada Place in Vancouver on the majestic ship Zuiderdam. It was the first time that two of us had experienced an ocean voyage. Once we found one another, the excitement amplified! We've all created love bonds as members of the Divine Love family, mainly from our precious Zoom calls, but to hug in real time was much more soul satisfying!



Photo taken by a ship passenger

As the mighty Zuiderdam left the port, sailing past Stanley Park, and under the Lion's Gate Bridge, it was certain that we had begun the Soul Awakening Cruise! The next two days were sea days, and the peaceful routine of the ship was a gentle reminder that life does not need to be filled with busyness.

Our prayer circles were small, yet powerful and filled with beautiful energy and peace. A very intense creation of a portal was felt by us all, and Al confirmed with his wonderful mediumship that the portal was indeed opened. We all received powerful healing and blessings as we were together in prayer. Debra Love opened our circles with beautiful music, and often graced us with music afterward too.

Everywhere on the ship we were met with smiles, and

often acts of kindness. "May we walk in the Grace of Our Father's Love" was confirmed every day of this journey.

On the third day, we divided into two groups and set out to experience some of San Francisco's colorful and unique sights. Jeanne and I (Steffanie) were almost led to board a Princess Cruise ship, as not one of the eleven people we asked told us we were in the wrong terminal! We were finally directed out of Pier 29 and hiked over to Pier 35 so we could board our ship! It was a delightful comedy of errors, and we chuckled each time we related our adventure.

Sailing under the Golden Gate Bridge was an exciting experience! I was surprised at the many crew members that work behind the scenes on a cruise ship. They are the unseen, yet greatly appreciated, people who, through their hard work, made our trip comfortable and safe.

The last day on the ship (a sea day) was poignant and lovely. We were all so bonded in love, both natural and Divine, and the shared experiences of those five days. Early the next morning, we all went our different ways. Jeanne, Al, Lani, and Debra began the next stage of the Soul Awakening journey to the Menifee Retreat, and Mary Ann, Pat, and I (Steffanie), returned home to visit with another friend on the Path.

Still feeling the ecstasy from the cruise, AI, Jeanne, Debra, and I (Lani) picked up AI's car rental on board a cab with a very friendly Latina taxi driver. The plan was to meet with Dennis and Suzie Tormey at the Yogananda gardens in Encinitas. When we got there, much to our disappointment, the sign said, the gardens are closed. My brain went to the extreme and I wanted to climb the walls to get in – for I have been excited to finally be at this garden, given its history. I must have forgotten the



Photo: Lani Domaloy

spiritual gift of connection and Divine flow when a lady showed up. After a few exchanges, she let us in! Just like that. Al led us to a circular bench under a tree with a picture of St. Francis of Assisi on its trunk. We had a prayer there and, just as we drew them in, Yogananda and Francis came. How cool was that?

After a delicious lunch at Olive Garden, we followed Dennis and Suzie on an hour's drive to their home in Menifee. There, we had been gifted with prayers as well as songs of both Debra and Dennis. It was so lovely to watch them play and sing together.

What stood out for me was how easily we all gelled together in the short seven days of this trip. I have learned much about how Divine Love has grown into what it is now and how the spirits, angels and our Divine Creator have led us to this heartfelt connection through prayers. In the oneness of everything Divine, soulful, and spiritual, I have been immensely touched by the alignment of events leading up to my attendance at the retreat. Blessed be!

Lani Domaloy created two videos. To see a video of the cruise, click here. For a video of the Menifee Retreat, click here.

SOUL AWAKENING TOUR, PART II

From Menifee, Al and Jeanne travelled through California and visited Amada Reza in Santa Cruz, and Cliff de Dora and his wife Cindy in Hidden Valley Lake. In Oregon, they spent time with Lorraine Borchers and others at Happy Days farm in Dallas, OR. The following pictures and videos give some glimpses.



What a test for Al's channeling! Amy's fur baby Katy (Jack Russell) must have seen Kathryn in spirit when she was channeling—she barked and jumped with JOY!! All over Al!! How he managed to maintain the rapport was incredible! (Photo and comment supplied by Jeanne Fike.)



Hidden Valley Lake Retreat with Cliff De Dora and his lovely wife Cindy and fur baby Honey. (Photo and comment supplied by Jeanne Fike.)



In Dallas, Oregon at Lorraine Borchers' Happy Days Farm. (Photo supplied by Jeanne Fike.)

For short videos created by Lani Domaloy go here for Hidden Valley Lake, Northern Californian, and here for Oregon.

CHRISTMAS REFLECTION (LOUIE CAIAZZA)

Jeremiah 1:5 states: "Before I formed you in the womb, I knew you; Before you were born I sanctified you; I ordained you a prophet to the nations."

Long ago, when I first read this, it was too abstract for me. But there was 'something' about it. I wanted it to be true, because it meant somebody Powerful had my back – on all levels, here and in the future life. I felt it rose far above religion, judgment, condemnation, and fear. I hungered to know more. This dwarfed what people were saying. It was hypnotic and strange with a promise of something mysteriously wonderful. But nobody could explain it to my satisfaction. Through time, I persisted, and am sure that I irritated the elders, teachers, priests or pastors. Now I know!



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With that said, the learning and application of being loving is hard. It's not easy to be patient and kind all the time. It's hard to love ourselves, but that makes sense. Look where we've been planted. Yet, we're eye witnesses and partners to a new era, a New Earth. Choosing to participate, to be born now, should clue us in to what our souls already know! In this arduous process, please be kind and patient with yourselves. Patience was a word that unnerved me, until those droplets of Love found their home in my soul and calmed me down. I sure need a lot more, but I know where to get my supplement.

I go to the glorious prayer circles that put a safety net beneath us. The Light, comfort, peace, and buoyancy that uplifts the soul – a go-to place for solace and comfort. We have help from the top down, and we're absorbing it, as it gradually seeps

in deeper and deeper unifying and integrating those parts of ourselves and also one another in Love.

Christmas time is an emotional time. It can be like a smooth sailing vessel, or a roller coaster gone wild. In our case, it's trusting the process. We each have a personal depth to our reservoirs, and a promise from above, that is being fulfilled every day. Tiny droplets, nuances, a wider vision, a breath of joy, visions, messages, more understanding, more faith, and trust. No, we can't rush it, but we do share it. We're so strong when we come together in these beautiful circles.

Be kind, patient, loving and nurturing to yourself, a sanctified soul - before Earth life already known. God is doing the work. All we add to it is our willing hearts, eager to please a loving Parent, co-workers with Divine Angels who speak to us, along with the high spirits and now a galactic family! Let's try to let God be Dad and we'll be His kids, His beautiful children who love Him as they try to love themselves, during these crazy times of change.

Lastly, thank you, guys! Thank you for your hearts. The beauty that I feel and see that each of you brings, just shines! Before a meeting begins, just the sound of your chatter and laughter, cross-conversations, questions, various life events and challenges, somebody talking about whatever... in an atmosphere of no judgment – who does that? How healing. Do you know how special that is? From my point of view, it's so interesting, musical, emotional, fun, funny, freeing, lovely, and sacred. Every time it's different, how can it not be? I'm gob-smacked. This is who you are. You give this to others, you give it to me, because you want to, choose to, because you have Love.

Thank you, guys, for what you bring to every meeting I attend. Sometimes we can see ourselves better from another person's view. Do the best you can to be kind to yourselves, especially during this season. Looking forward to the next circle. You guys are glorious!

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POETRY CORNER (RUTH DUVALL)

God's Presence

I sit in your presence at the bottom of the ocean, an ocean of Holy water. At first, I hear only the silence of your creative energy around me, flowing peacefully. A beam of light then penetrates to the ocean floor and floods over me, purifying me and blessing me. Pure Love has kissed me like I was a newborn baby. I hear only your sweet song of Love now whispering to my soul. I long for more.

COMMUNITY NEWS

- Our World in Transition -- Messages from Jesus is now translated into Romanian language, and available here.
- Our World in Transition -- Messages from Jesus, narrated by Brooke Folk, is now available as an audiobook on <u>Amazon</u> and soon on iTunes.

FOR SALE! OUR BELOVED DIVINE LOVE SANCTUARY (JEANNE AND AL FIKE)

Dear Friends,

We are writing to let you know that our Divine Love Sanctuary Home and Garden will be listed for sale shortly! We are following our guidance to move on to the next chapter in our lives which includes a smaller home and garden that will be easier to care for. We feel called to continue travelling the world for as long as we are physically able – to continue sharing the Truths of Divine Love with individuals and groups who desire to bring greater light into this world, and to commune with God, the Angels and our Stellar friends. We are pleased to support any efforts worldwide to bring greater light, peace and harmony to the earth plane.

Image from: https://divinelovesanctuary.com/dlsf-retreat-centre-gibsons-bc-canada/

For the past 20 years we have hosted hundreds of people – guests from Australia, Hawaii, Serbia, Germany, Namibia, England, Ireland, across the U.S. and Canada. Celestial Angels and Stellar friends have constructed a great portal of light on the power point where we live.

Photo: Anastasia Taioalou, unsplash.com

We have been mightily blessed here in Grantham's Landing (40-minute ferry ride from Vancouver, B.C.) and have enjoyed an idyllic and spiritually focussed life style seeking to awaken our deeper selves and be used as channels of Light in our troubled world. The spiritual infrastructure that exists here provides a powerful conduit for the infusion of God's Love to bless humanity.

We invite you to pray with us that those who are meant to be the next stewards and caretakers of this significant portal, house and garden will be guided to find it. A photo gallery of our retreat centre is <u>here</u>.

Thank you for sharing this announcement with anyone who might be interested in securing this blessed home and garden. I will be happy to send further information and the listing. Oh, how we would love to pass the torch to younger folks who would truly appreciate the value of the great portal and spiritual conditions here!

Our area has been voted several times the most liveable location in the world for its natural beauty, stability, climate, education, health care, recreation, etc. It is especially good value for Americans since their dollar is worth 35 cents more than the Canadian dollar. We enjoy a truly blessed community of friends dedicated to prayer who uphold one another in the Light of our Creator's Love – nestled in a creative and compassionate broader community that stands out in this troubled world.

Thank you for your prayers that God's will be done for us as we travel in service to initiate and support more Centres and Circles of Light on our planet and for the future caretakers of our beloved Divine Love Sanctuary. God bless us all with a mighty inflowing of Divine Love, as channels of Light for His Plan for the Salvation of Humanity and the Healing of our Mother Earth.

PRAYING AND SHARING ACROSS THE MILES

DLSF / FCDT Circles of Light and Other Opportunities for Prayer, Sharing and Learning

See the DLSF website for general Circles of Light information. If you would like to receive weekly information about new and upcoming programs as well as regular online prayer circles, please sign up for the weekly calendar which is sent out on Sunday morning via Mailchimp. For any questions, please contact Jeanne.

Information on additional activities, including Divine Love healing or learning, as well as gift or leadership development can be found on the LightBringers Calendar administered by Bill Frase.

Alliance of Light Prayer Groups

We are happy to announce that the Alliance of Light prayer piloted on Wednesday, October 5 at 9 am PST, a time more accessible to those in Africa, Europe, and Asia, will continue on the first Wednesday of every month. The room will be open at 8:45 am PST for all to gather in silent prayer before the circle begins at 9 am.

The Thursday prayer will also continue at its usual time of 4 pm PST on the third Thursday of each month. For questions and comments, please feel free to contact <u>Elizabeth Mack</u>. We hope you will join us in contributing to the co-creation of great Light in and around our beautiful world.

Other Groups and Circles

For information about their respective outreaches, time and Zoom link, contact <u>Greg Boster</u> (Sunday Awakening the Soul and Healing Body - Mind and Soul); and Tim Foley (daily at 6 pm Pacific Time offline prayer for Divine Love / silent contemplative prayer). <u>Artto Aunap</u> is hosting a group in Estonian.

DIVINE LOVE RESOURCES

For details on how to receive a free box of FCDT books for distribution; where to find foreign language translations of the Padgett messages; and a listing and accessing messages of all our contemporary mediums, go to the FCDT website. This website also has a comprehensive Resource Guide of Divine Love websites, forums, you-tube and audio ministries, book authors, Facebook groups, and more. If you would like to request a flash drive of all scanned Padgett messages, please contact Elizabeth Morana.

PADGETT MESSAGE (EXCERPT)

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Mrs. Helen Padgett's experience in leaving her body and going to the spirit world.

When I realized that the time had come for me to go, I did not fear to do so, but calmly waited and thought that all my sufferings would soon end. And when my spirit left the body I commenced to feel as if I was rising out of it and that I was going upward to the place that I had so often heard my father speak about. But I had scarcely awakened to the fact that my spirit had left the body, before your mother had me in her arms and was trying to tell me that I had nothing to fear or cause me to feel that I was not with those that loved me. She was so beautiful that I hardly realized that it was she, and when I commenced to see that I was no longer in my body, I asked her not to leave me but to take me with her to where she lived. She told me that I could not go there, but that God had prepared a place for me to go to, and that she would accompany me and show me the truth of my future existence. I went with her, and she took me to a place that was very beautiful and filled with spirits who had recently passed over. She did not leave me for a long time, and when she did, your father came to me and said, "I am Ned's father and want to help you to realize that you are now in the spirit world, and must not let the thoughts of the earth keep you from getting in a condition to learn that all of us are only waiting for the Love of God to help us to higher and better things."

Your grandmother soon came to me and told me who she was, and was so beautiful and bright that I scarcely could look at her, for her face was all aglow with what seemed to me to be a heavenly light; and her voice was so sweet and musical that I thought she must be one of God's angels that I had read about in the Bible. She told me of the things that God had prepared for me, and that He wanted me to love Him and feel that He Loved me.

But after awhile I commenced to think that I must be deceived in my sight and hearing, and was still on earth, and needed only my body again to know that I was still a mortal. Some time elapsed before I really became conscious that I was a spirit and was not on earth; for when I tried to talk to you, as I did, you would not listen to me and turned away from me as if you did not see or hear me. After a short time your mother and father came to me again, and tried to persuade me that I must not continue in my belief that I was still of the earth, but must believe that I was in spirit life, and needed only the things of the spirit to make me more contented.

So you see, I was so very fortunate in having your dear parents and grandmother welcome me when I passed over. If they had not received me I do not know to what condition of fear and distraction I might have been subjected. No spirit can learn the truth of the change, unless in some way helped by others.

So you see, when you come over I will be there to receive you and love you so much that you will never have to go through the period of doubt that I did. Your father is also waiting to receive you, and in fact, all your spirit band have agreed that when you come, you will have nothing to fear for want of help and love.