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"Lord, I believe my life is touched by you, that you want something for me, and of me. Give me ears to hear you, eyes to see the tracing of your finger, and a heart quickened by the motions of your Spirit." *

Dear Sharing Friend,

Recently, as I started walking up the front staircase of my home, I glanced to the left into the mirror that has been there for years. As I saw myself pass by, I thought, "Hmmm, I wonder, does the mirror hold on to my image after I'm gone? If so, imagine how many hundreds of images it has held on to since we placed it there?"

As a child, I was taught that we are made in the image and likeness of God. Think of God as a continual mirror -- reflecting all of humankind, past, present and future -- a kaleidoscope of images bound together in Oneness.

Good Friday Walk

The first Good Friday Walk in 1972 has been followed by forty five plus trips to the South, yielding deep, rich relationships with African American families there. They have honored me with the truths of their experience. As a "white" woman I cannot possibly realize what it would be like if I were African American. But thanks to my southern friendships I have some understanding. I firmly believe that a newborn African American baby in an economically poor family **BEGINS LIFE WITH TWO STRIKES AGAINST HIM OR HER.**

These children are the ones Sharing has been seeking to help. These families are the ones supported by the groups that well over 90% of our Walk funds go to:

- The Federation of Southern Cooperatives www.federationsoutherncoops.com
- The Kemetic Institute in Mound Bayou MS
- 21st Century Youth Leadership Movement Selma AL

2017 Good Friday Walk

As I walk with Jesus, why don't you join me this year? Our Hingham route has been altered and shortened. We will still begin and end at Plymouth River School but there will be multiple mileage options between 2.5 and 15 miles.

If you can't make it to Hingham, walk wherever you are. Walk a mile or two or fifteen. BUT if your miles are to be Good Friday miles, they must yield funds that will help other people.

Shalom,



* Excerpted from *Guerrillas of Grace* by Ted Loder

Christmas Blessings

Thanks to a generosity of time, talent and treasure, Sharing was able to send the following gifts to children in Louisiana.

- 65 beautifully dressed black dolls
- 91 gorgeous baby blankets, beautifully boxed
- 100 soccer balls
- 100 basketballs