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Dear Sharing Friend,

A most unusual Triduum

I had anticipated that Good Friday would be painful for me, due to canceling the Walk: but I hadn't foreseen that it would be one of the worst days of my life. There was a heavy aloneness: my body went into shutdown mode, my spirit slumped, hope was pushed down. This emotional and psychological pain was worse than any of the physical pain I had ever experienced on a Good Friday Walk.

At some point on Holy Saturday, I realized the pain had lifted, and by Easter morning the melody and the words of "How Beautiful" were coursing through me.

 "How beautiful on the mountaintop are the feet of those who bring your word. 
 How beautiful on the city streets are the lips of those who speak your peace." 

Some of you might remember that this song used to close out the slide show of my speaking presentation. (Words and music by Joe Wise)

A most unusual Walk report

The following locations also canceled their Walks
Rockville CT, whose first Walk was held in 1982
Harvard MA, whose first Walk was held in 1985
Mystic CT, whose first Walk was held in 1982

On the other hand, in at least 20 Massachusetts communities, as well as in 11 other states, individuals walked on Good Friday. To date \$26,000 has been received.

Walk Locations

Abington	MA	Kingston	MA
Arlington	MA	Manchester	CT
Bedford	MA	Marblehead	MA
Bonita Springs	FL	Middleton	MA
Braintree	MA	Milton	MA
Brockton	MA	Mound Bayou	MS
Cape Elizabeth	ME	New York	NY
Cohasset	MA	Omaha	NE
East Bridgewater	MA	Pembroke	MA
East Point	GA	Scituate	MA
Eutaw	AL	Selma	AL
Falls Church	VA	South Weymouth	MA
Fort Mill	SC	Twin Mountain	NH
Harvard	MA	Wakefield	MA
Harwich Port	MA	Washington	NH
Hingham	MA	Weymouth	MA
Holbrook	MA		

For all that is, has been, and will be I give thanks and praise to God!

Shalom,