

More Letters

Life changes

Hello. I am writing this letter to share with you some changes that I have made in my life.

After much consideration on April 27, 2007 I gave notice of resignation at Victims of Crime Services. I worked there for 5 1/2 years. I was very clear in my final resignation letter why I chose to resign. I gave adequate notice, but had to leave a few days earlier than expected due to a death in my husband's family. (Curtis and I were remarried on Feb. 25, 2007).

Several years ago Pastor Lee told me "Sarah, God placed you at Victims of Crime Services and only God could take you out."

There were many times that I tried to quit or others tried to get me fired, but only God had the power to open and shut that door. On April 23rd it was my time to leave and God opened the door. Believe me, I miss being at VOC's, but I have faith in the Lord and His will for me and my family.

The Lord has His vessels at VOC's right now and I know they will continue to do a good work with the love, integrity and compassion they each carry. It was an honor to work with each of you! Keep up the good work! Congratulations Sammy on your promotion, you deserve it!

Now to correct the rumors... on July 2, 2007 I will be celebrating six years of being alcohol and drug (meth) free! July

4, 2007 will be my 6th spiritual birthday in the Lord. It was and at times can still be a struggle to maintain sobriety, but when I lean on the Lord and His strength the load is lighter. Yes, we each have our storms to go through, but when we have the Lord on our side we can persevere. It is only when we try to lean on our own strength, that we fail. (Sorry rumor people... I did not relapse).

On July 20 and 21 my friend Jan Hicks will be returning to Warm Springs for another Crossing2Freedom healing workshop.

Please join us and hear her testimony of addiction, abuse and freedom! This workshop is open to men, women and teens. Watch for flyers!

God Bless You,
Sarah J. Frank.

Pool tourney

The Selena Boise Benefit Handicap Pool Tournaments held at the Redmond Moose Lodge and Rialto turned out to be a big success.

It was an event to be remembered by the audience and participants for a long time. Everyone came together and had a great time while at the same time showing support for a friend or relative during a time of hardship.

The games were very close and highly contested as the talent was outstanding. The format

was man vs. man and woman vs. woman 2-out and 3 the handicap: woman vs. man woman automatically receives one point, woman must win one, man must win two.

The top finishers were Anna Speck in Redmond and at the Rialto it was Karla Bagley Tias, Chief Smith, "Billy Bob" Smith and Pearl Van Pelt.

There was a much appreciated show of support by the local community as raffle prizes were donated, the cutbead work on the raffle items was immaculate.

The necklaces made by Maria Godines and Pat Allen were beautiful. Thanks for responding, all items were helpful. A big thank you goes out to the Museum at Warm Springs, Lolita Greeley, Angel and Maria Godines, Wiggy, Lynn Davis, Pat Allen, Pearl Van Pelt, Rose Scott and Tony Littleleaf.

Double thank you to the top finishers, they all donated back their prize winnings to the benefit. Gee-whiz, talk about hearts of gold.

I would also like to thank Donna Wananwit, Glenda Kessel, tourney director Pat Allen, for a great job. Thank you Jaylyn Suppah and Roxanne Johnson for helping me with the flyers. The Heartbreaker Pool Cue Stick went to Heidi Cole of Redmond. Thanks to anyone who may have been missed.

Sincerely,
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Fourth of July advice from Fire Management

By Suzi Macy
Fire Prevention Tech

The Fourth of July is just around the corner. If you are planning to buy fireworks, please purchase only those that are legal in Oregon.

A good rule of thumb is, if it flies in the air it probably is not legal here in Oregon. According to the State Fire Marshal's Office, the following are legal fireworks: base fountains, handle fountains, sparklers (wood core), cone fountains, ground bloom flowers and wheels.

Those that are illegal are: roman candles, missiles, bottle rockets, all firecrackers, aerial

spinners, bees, helicopters and jumping jacks.

Ensure your fun this Fourth of July by following these safety tips:

Never allow children to play with matches or lighters.

Make sure an adult is always present.

Keep fireworks away from small children.

Keep pets indoors or secured in a fenced area away from fireworks.

Avoid dry vegetation, debris or buildings that may catch fire.

Never point or throw fireworks at people, animals, cars or buildings.

Have a hose or bucket of water ready to extinguish a fire

or douse used fireworks.

Avoid fireworks that are leaking, wet or look old.

Never alter fireworks or attempt to make your own.

Happy Fathers Day...

Lil Bob, Happy Fathers Day son. Love ya always, Mom.

Mav, Happy Fathers Day. I'll always love you. S.Macy.

Dad-Grandpa Merv. Happy Fathers Day. Love, Mav, Shari, Challes.

Bro Joey, Happy Fathers Day. Your sis Shari.

Happy Fathers Day, C. Tailfeathers. Love, your daughter Shari.

Happy Fathers Day, Taylor Arthur Sr., from a friend. C. Rose.

Happy Fathers Day, Martin and Harold, from C. Rose.

Happy Fathers Day, Delino, from C. Rose.

Happy Fathers Day, Poncho, from C. Rose.

To my son William Ray Shike, Happy Birthday to you. You're a big boy, 7 years old. Love you. Mom, Norma Switzler.

To my bro Bill Switzler III and Delbert Frank Jr., Happy

Fathers Day, from N. Switzler. Take care!

Happy Fathers Day to Richard Wolfe Sr. Love you and miss ya Dad. Love, Mary Wolfe.

Happy Fathers Day, Gerald Tias Sr. Love you, bro always. Your sis Mary.

Happy Fathers Day to my uncles: Oswald "Bear" Tias, Vernon Tias Sr., and Sam Kentura. Love, your niece Mary Wolfe.

Happy Fathers Day to my bro Lil Bob. From Mary.

Happy Fathers Day to Harley Andrews Sr. I love you babe and miss you. Hope you have a good day, "and be good!" Love always, your girl Mary Elizabeth.

Happy Fathers Day to my bestest "friend" Tyrone Oliver Lewis. Take care and behave. Always, M. Elizabeth.

Happy Fathers Day to the Mitchell boys (Max, Isaac, Chaz, Gorky), from Mary and Baby Harley.



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