

A Minute With Mitzi



I hope that you all will be blessed with the gathering together of family and friends these next months. In my binder of treasures I found this letter written by an 83 year old woman to her friend Bertha. I hope you can find the "treasure" in it as I did.

Dear Bertha,

I'm reading more and dusting less. I'm sitting in the yard and admiring the view without fussing about the weeds in the garden. I'm spending more time with my family and friends and less time working. Whenever possible, life should be a pattern of experiences to savor, not to endure. I'm trying to recognize these moments now and cherish them.

I'm not 'saving' anything; we use our good china and crystal for every special event such as losing a pound, getting the sink unstopped, or the first blossom on the tree.

I wear my good blazer to the market. My theory is if I look prosperous, I can shell out the \$28.49 for a small bag of groceries.

I'm not saving my good perfume for special parties, but wearing it for clerks in the hardware store and tellers at the bank.

"Someday" and "one of these days" are losing their grip on my vocabulary; if it's worth seeing or hearing

or doing, I want to see and hear and do it now.

I'm not sure what others would have done had they known they wouldn't be here for the tomorrow that we all take for granted. I think they would have called family members and a few close friends. They might have called a few former friends to apologize and mend fences for the past squabbles.

I like to think they would have gone out for a Chinese dinner or for whatever their favorite food was. I'm guessing...I'll never know.

It's those little things left undone that would make me angry if I knew my hours were limited. Angry because I hadn't written certain letters that I intended to write 'one of these days'. Angry and sorry that I didn't tell my husband or parents often enough how much I truly love them. I'm trying very hard not to put off, hold back, or save anything that would add laughter and luster to our lives.

And every morning when I open my eyes, I tell myself it is special.

During these months of isolation remind yourself and others that you are special and appreciated. We do not know the number of days in our life; but we can put the "life in our days".

Happy Thanksgiving. Mitzi

Travel with the Good Neighbors Club



A PREMIER WORLD DISCOVERY OFFERING NEW FROM PREMIER FOR 2021 CALIFORNIA RAIL DISCOVERY MARCH 24-MARCH 30, 2021

Everyone loves a train ride! Take a tour of northern California with Premier World Discovery and the Good Neighbors Club! Highlights include the following-

- 6 nights in first class hotels
- Round trip airfare from Fargo
- 6 breakfasts, 1 lunch and 2 dinners
- San Francisco City tour, Bay Cruise, Napa Valley Wine Train and Winery, Old Town Sacramento, Sierra Nevada Rail to Lake Tahoe, Virginia City & the National Automobile Museum a Lake Tahoe Cruise on the Lake Tahoe Paddle Wheeler
- Hotel transfers, baggage handling and the Travel Protection Plan. Brochures available upon request. Call 701-952-5685 or email me at mhager@unisonbank.com

PWD Passenger Assurance Plan - No Risk Deposits for New Bookings (as of 15MAY20)

Book before December 31, 2020 & Travel before December 31, 2021 – For bookings made between 3/10/20 and 12/31/20, Premier World Discovery is temporarily waiving cancellation fees**until 75 or 90 days prior to departure (varies by itinerary). This allows guests to Deposit on a new trip without the worry of any cancellation fees prior to the Final Payment Date.

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specific payment conditions, such as cruises. After Final Payment Date, Standard Terms & Conditions apply.

NOTE: Premier World Discovery has professional tour guides on all of their excursions. A local GNC director may not accompany this tour.

CANADIAN ROCKIES VIA RAIL! TRAVEL SHOW - JANUARY 12-5PM UNISON LOBBY RESERVATION REQUIRED- MAX. ATTENDANCE 30 MEMBERS AUGUST 21-AUGUST 28, 2021

The excursion you have been waiting for, the Majestic Canadian Rockies via rail! We will fly into Vancouver, BC and tour the world famous Butchart Gardens. Next, we will have a tour of Victoria, the province's beautiful capital. Our trip will also include a Vancouver City Tour, the train ride on "The Canadian" viewing the awe-inspiring Canadian Rockies, Jasper National Park, the crystal blue waters of Maligne Lake, travel the Ice field's Parkway on our way to Banff and Lake Louise. Our flight out will be from Calgary, AL. Includes 7 nights' accommodations, 11 meals, baggage handling and the Travel Protection Plan. Passport required for tour.

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NOVEMBER MORNING AT THE MOVIES!

The Good Neighbors Club welcomes all members to our Morning at the Movies. Please bring a prospective member guest and have them experience the fun of being a GNC member.



Date: November 18, 2020

Time: 9:20 doors open popcorn and coffee served. Fountain pop available at Bison 6 Cinema's regular price. 9:50 drawings, 10:00 Showtime!

Place: Bison 6 Cinema Theatre, Buffalo Mall

NOTE: The presentation of all movies may change due to availability to the theatre. The Good Neighbors Club nor Bison 6 Cinema have any control over such changes. Thank you for understanding.

MONEY BAG WINNER & PRIZE PRIZES!

Our Good Neighbor member number was #755 Donald Liebing. Donald did not make it to the movies so the total for the Money Bag will be \$75 for the November showings. Good luck to you all.



This year we are giving away **\$10 Gift Cards** to eleven different local businesses. Places like Dairy Queen, Quizno's, Arby's, Pizza Ranch, Domino's, S&R Truck Plaza, Plantation Coffee, Johnny B's, M&H, Paradiso's & Exxon. Our drawing winners were Connie Greer, Jeanette Srozinski & Harry Johnson.

WE NEED YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS!

We are now promoting delivery of your GNC Newsletter via email! Please send your current email address to us to receive the monthly newsletter. A quarterly mailing of the GNC Newsletter and the monthly email version will come to you. Thank you for your cooperation.

If you do not want to give out your email address, we now have the ability to have our Good Neighbors Newsletter on our Website! Log onto www.unisonbank.com, click on the Good Neighbors Club line and see the current newsletter online.

GNC BENEFIT-FREE UNISON LOGO CHECKS

Are you taking full advantage of your Good Neighbor Club benefits? Your membership offers single copy check blanks at no charge. These personalized checks highlight the Unison Bank logo, printed with "Good Neighbors Club" above the signature line. Do you prefer duplicate check blanks? They are available at a reduced price. Please contact Mitzi or any personal banker today to order your Good Neighbor Club check blanks.



WELCOME NEW GNC MEMBERS

On behalf of Unison Bank, I would like to welcome our newest Club members Loretta Hieb, Kirby Wolf, and Gloria Liebold. If you refer someone to our Good Neighbor Club, you will receive a \$5.00 referral award, as a thank you from Unison Bank and the Good Neighbors Club!

THE PERFECT GIFT IDEAS



Are you looking for that perfect "something" for that "hard to buy for" someone? We now have in stock, 2020 Silver Eagles, 2020 Proof Sets, and for the new baby born in 2020, a 2020 Gift Set. Stop in and pick one up or see Teri Searle if you are having a difficult time finding a certain coin set.

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHIES

To the family and friends of GNC members, A. Dorothy Lauber, Myron Hoeckle, Larry Diede, Mary T. Steele, David Mulfinger, Wilbert Reister. Our sincere sympathy for your loss. We know how much family means to you, so our Unison family extends our sympathies.

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NOVEMBER CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- November 1 - December 18** - Tree of Warmth and Salvation Army Angel Tree - Unison Bank
- November 1-13** - Art Exhibit: Threshold - The Arts Center
- November 1-11** - Jamestown Quilters Guild - Unison Bank
- November 1** - Daylight Savings Time begins - FALL BACK!
- November 4** - Christmas Tree Lighting - Mill (Shriner) Hill 7pm
- November 7** - Shop Jamestown Shop Hop - Downtown 9-5pm
- November 11** - Veteran's Day - Unison Bank Closed
- November 11** - All Veteran's Day Celebration - All Vet's Club 7:30am-9pm
- November 18** - GNC Morning at the Movies - Doors open at 9:20am
- November 26** - Thanksgiving - Unison Bank Closed
- November 27** - Holiday Dazzle Parade - 6pm

NEW GREATS & GRANDCHILDREN TO ANNOUNCE!

If you have the wonderful joy of being new Grandparents, let us know and we would love to announce the "Grand" news to all our GNC members. We are giving Grandparents a stuffed Teddy Bear Bank as a benefit for being a GNC member. (A \$15 value)

Paisley Ann Davis is the new arrival in the Gage & Marcie Davis family. Paisley was born August 19, 2020. GNC members Kent & Diane Warren are excited to have Paisley as their second Great Grandchild. Congratulations!

Seger Ann Rachel decided to enter this world early on June 25, 2020. Seger's parents are Landon & Molly Rachel of Jamestown. The proud GNC members are Kelly and Mary Rachel. Great grandparents are GNC members Ruben and Laverne Rachel of Bismarck. Seger is the very first grandchild of Kelly & Mary!

GNC TREE OF WARMTH AND SALVATION ARMY ANGEL TREE COMING!

Get ready cuz here they come!

Our annual Tree of Warmth is now up and ready for your donations! This year Unison is adding a Salvation Army Angel Tree to our lobby. You now have the option of bringing caps, scarves, mittens or gloves for any age OR come and take an Angel from the Angel Tree for a needy child from our area. Angel Tree "angels" are now available.

Please consider spreading the joy of the holidays by participating in one or both of these projects.

