



A Wish for the Week Ahead –

“May your compassion and your desire to protect your own peace be as strong as the perfect cup of coffee. May you stay connected to yourself, your beloveds, and your Internet (Netflix isn’t going to stream itself; you know). May you pay attention to your needs so your tank doesn’t go dry, and may you allow yourself to be sad, mad, joyful, weird, tired, loud, quiet – whatever helps in this moment. And may we all remember that we are part of a community and that we must look out for each other, always.”

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**Arizona** - Connie Harrold, Beta Delta has been diagnosed with lung and stomach cancer and will be starting chemo next week. Please remember her in your prayers and send her some good wishes in a card to her home at 1917 Augusta Circle, Tucson, AZ 85710.

**Florida** – Melinda Remington’s husband Ron is out of ICU now and back on the floor. He is on a full-time feeding tube right now so that they can get his weight and strength back up. She was at their home last night to check on Ron's mother for Mother's Day and was going to be heading back to Jacksonville to see Ron. Remington’s address 5978 Caspian Tern Drive Sarasota FL 34238

**Georgia** - Shirley Humphries husband, Fred, has been diagnosed with lung cancer. Let's lift Fred up in our prayers for healing and strength for Shirley. We can make a difference as the power of prayer is miraculous. Cards and notes of love may be sent to Fred Humphries, 106 Bobstay Ct. Savannah, Ga. 31410

**Illinois** – Fran Harris Shaffer, past Illinois State Council President and member of Xi Chi Chapter, Death of her mother. Cards may be mailed to her at Fran Harris Shaffer, 529 Osage Drive. O’Fallon, IL. 62269

**Indiana** – Past Indiana President Susan Roberts Delta Sigma Evansville , passed away on May 10, 2020 from a heart attack. She did not suffer. Susan served as Indiana State President in 1997–98. Cards can be sent to her husband Marc. Marc Roberts 5800 Twickingham Ct Evansville IN 47710.

**Kansas** - Pat Roth (Life Time Member from Alpha Zeta – Garden City) are being requested. Pat is in the hospital at Hays and has had surgery for a bowel blockage. She is in

ICU but is improving. I do not have an address or any other information. Please keep Pat in prayer.

Jean Bramwell passed away yesterday, May 14, from cancer. Jean had been a loving and caring member of the Gamma Omicron Chapter in Manhattan since October of 2012. Jean has a daughter Raeann whose graduation was supposed to be on May 16, from Kansas State University. Jean also leaves behind her husband Jon of the home. Cremation is planned with a Celebration of Life at a later date. Cards of condolence can be sent to Jon or Raeann Bramwell 3324 Effingham Manhattan, KS 66503

**Michigan** – Marleen Mrenza is a member of Alpha Kappa – Michigan, Her husband Jim. He did have his back surgery on Tuesday at Ascension Providence. Everything went alright with the surgery. He will now be moved to another hospital that has rehab unit. Marleen has not seen him but does talk with him a few times a day. Their address is: 40349 Republic Dr. Sterling Heights, MI 48313.

**Minnesota** – Jodi Lang's wife Mari Scotch's mother, Margaret Scofield, passed away on Monday, May 11 from Covid-19. The assisted living facility did allow Mari's brother to be in the room with their mother for her last few days. Mari and Jodi did many window side visits as well. Mari's mom was a pretty healthy 87-year-old, prior to the Covid hitting. A very sad time for all of us. Cards can be sent to Mari Scotch 7806 Gloria Circle Mounds View MN 55112.

**Missouri** - Margie Edmonds husband, Jim, was on a vent at a hospital in Joplin. Jim died on Saturday, May 9th after the vent was removed. Please remember Margie & her family in your thoughts & prayers. Margie Edmonds PO Box 25 Anderson, MO 64831  
[meexpm@olemac.net](mailto:meexpm@olemac.net)

Carol Ditamore passed away May 2, 2020. She had been a member for 22 years, the last couple as MAL. Carol had been in the Hospital in KC for the last 15 days. She had several on-going medical conditions, unrelated to Covid 19, that finally came together for the inevitable perfect storm. With all the COVID stuff going on, Marlyn could not see or talk with her for 15 days. (She spent 99% of her time unconscious and on a ventilator). Only when death was imminent was, he allowed two hours to see/be with her. There will be a small service (within limited gathering/social distancing) held soon for the family. In a month or two there will be a Celebration of Life that will be announced at a later date. Cards can be sent to her husband that the address below; Marlyn Ditamore 101 North Mable St. Clinton MO 64735

**Oregon** – Ellie Allen from Delta Gamma while she is dealing with her liver disease. The family is praying the new medicine she just started will help with her memory loss and hallucinations. Her body is very weak, and she is falling a lot. Thankfully she is not in pain, but she is not having fun! Please pray that God would bring joy to her heart and mind. Even when she is totally shot, just mention ESA and she will perk right up and ask when convention is. Thank you to all of you for being such wonderful sisters to her for over 45 years and thank you for all your prayers and support.

**Tennessee** – Naomi Bowman, Alpha Lambda – grandson Kirk Malone, has been diagnosed with Stage 6 kidney failure with 9% output. He has been put on dialysis 3 times a week (Tues, Thurs & Sat). This is a result of his diabetes. He got diabetes when he was 7 years old and is now 31. He has been put on a transplant list. Please pray for Kirk and for his mother, Teresa, as she tries to work and take care of Kirk. Kirk Malone 806 Winchester Dr Greeneville, TN 37743

**Texas** – Nancy Hall passed away on May 8 ,2020. She is survived by her 2 daughters Barbara Petrey, and husband, James Petrey. Denise Goddard and her husband Robert and 1 son Lance Hall. Nancy was a member of Rho Theta and a member ESA for 46 years. She was a 5th Degree member and our Chaplain this year. We loved her so much and she will be greatly missed. Cards can be sent to Barbra Petrey 1408 Augusta Dr Savannah, Tx. 76227

**Virginia** – Brenda Bowersox, Alpha Chi, Waynesboro, VA and First VP/President Elect for Virginia just completed her LAST ROUND OF CHEMO. She RANG THE BELL last week and all of her Virginia ESA Sisters and Brothers are so very proud of her determination and strength over these past months. If you would like to send your healing thoughts to Brenda Brenda Bowersox 196 Mines Branch Road Crimora, VA 24431 [Brensox55@hotmail.com](mailto:Brensox55@hotmail.com)

Patricia Gale, IC Chaplain 2019-2020

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