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ETH News

Pet Loss Support Group

As with anything new, it takes time to create everything you need, but we are making progress. Katlyn Tauetia of the Taylor Pet Loss Center in Cecil Township along with myself are the co-founders of this support group. The name of the group will be Taylor Pet Loss Support Group. The logo is shown below in the bottom right hand corner. More details will be available in my next newsletter but I do want to share a comment from the Executive Director of the Humane Society of Greene County: "The pet loss group is needed so much. I could send you clients to join."

Great NonProfits Review

Every year, nonprofits have the opportunity to earn a badge from Great NonProfits. Each nonprofit needs 10—4 star reviews in order to earn their badge for the current year. My nonprofit earned a badge for 2022 and 2023 and now I am asking for your help to earn my 2024 badge. The more reviews I get beyond the 10, the further up the list my nonprofit will be displayed on Great NonProfits website.

If you already have an account with Great NonProfits, will need to sign in to write a review. If you are new to their website, you will need to create an account in order to write a review. So far I have 2 reviews for 2024. Here is their link: <https://greatnonprofits.org/>
Once you are signed in, you will do a search for Emails to Heaven. You will be able to read any current or past reviews as well. My badges are displayed on the Home page of my website. If I get my 10 reviews before June 30, my nonprofit will be in the running for a media package worth \$20,000.

Thank you for your support.



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Taylor Pet Loss
Support Group



Letter to Senator Bartolotta

If my last newsletter, I talked about the Pennsylvania Property Tax and Rent Rebate Program for widows/widowers aged 50 and older, senior citizens 65 and older and those with disabilities. On March 8th, there was a commercial on TV about this program. The commercial failed to mention that the program was for widows and widowers. It only stated senior citizens 65 and older and those with disabilities. This didn't set too well with me so I wrote a letter to Senator Bartolotta to tell her what was missing from

this commercial. I didn't send this letter to my State Rep because he never answers me. In my letter, I stated that I feel this commercial needs to mention all of those who qualify for this program. It's about time widows and widowers get the attention they deserve.

See page 4 for the Senator's Response.

"I was never prepared to live the rest of my life without you" ~ Hello to Heaven



May 21st National Days

National Memo Day

National Strawberries & Cream Day

National Waitstaff Day

National American Red Cross Founders Day

Not sure why a National Widowed Persons Day couldn't fit in on this date.

I will be submitting a new application as National Surviving Spouses Day.

National Day Calendar Application

As I am writing this, it is March 9, 2024. My last application to the National Day Calendar was on December 28, 2023. They will only notify you if the day was approved which is within 6-8 weeks. So since I am without a notice, I am saying that my last application was not approved.

I researched March 9th on their website and below are the National Days that were approved for this date. They have a day for "Get over it, Meatball, Crab Meat and Barbie Day".

The day I was requesting was May 21st, my husband's birthday. To the left are the National Days approved for this date.



National Day
NATIONAL GET OVER IT DAY - March 9



National Day
NATIONAL MEATBALL DAY - March 9



National Day
NATIONAL CRAB MEAT DAY - March 9



National Day
NATIONAL BARBIE DAY - March 9



International Widows Day

INTERNATIONAL WIDOWS' DAY

This information is from the National Day Calendar Website.

Every year on June 23rd, International Widows' Day gives special recognition to the situation of widows of all ages across the globe.

#InternationalWidowsDay

The situation for widows is especially dire in developing countries. Some of the problems widows face in these countries include poverty, violence, social stigmatization, and health issues. According to recent statistics, there are about 258 million widows in the world. Nearly one in 10 widows live in extreme poverty. This is because many widows don't have access to credit or other economic resources, including work.



*Be kind to all
Animals and be their
voice!*



Response From Senator Bartolotta

I received a response from Senator Bartolotta on March 11th regarding the commercial on the Property Tax/Rent Rebate Program that I contacted her about (see page 2).

Program Response

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Mon 3/11/2024 3:09 PM

Good afternoon Cheryl,

Thank you for reaching out to Senator Bartolotta and voicing your concerns that this commercial has brought. The Senator has reviewed your comment and asked I contact you; I am reaching out on the Senator's behalf.

I can understand where this can cause a concern, especially in sensitive topics like this. This message will certainly be relayed to the correct person about who the qualifying parties are for these programs.

Thank you again for taking the time to reach out. If you would like to talk further about this topic or any other matter, please reach out to me directly. Have a great rest of your week!

Haley 🍌

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Update on Connie

I wanted to give an update on my two sponsors at the Butler County Humane Society. I am happy to say that Connie was adopted. But sad to say that Buster is still waiting. Hopefully Buster will be adopted soon.



Connie

Meet Lola

Lola is an 8 year old female Cocker Spaniel/Boxer Mix with special needs. She was neglected and was thankfully rescued by a Humane Officer.

Lola is Finley's Wish 3rd sponsor of 2024.

She is currently at the Humane Society of Greene County waiting for a family who will give her a wonderful home.



"What a beautiful world it would be if people had hearts like dogs"

Paws of War

Paws of War is a nonprofit that I recently came across on Facebook. I am hoping to add this nonprofit to list that I currently donate to that support our veterans through the Michael S Bertolino Foundation Grant Program. Each of these nonprofits have their own special mission and I know that my husband would want me to include this nonprofit as well.

Below is a list of the nonprofits that I have donated to that support our disabled veterans, canine heroes and those veterans who are no longer with us.

1. Paralyzed Veterans of America
2. Paws of Honor
3. PA Vet Pets
4. Heroes Supporting Heroes

5. Wounded Warrior Project
6. Wreaths Across America (National Cemetery of the Alleghenies)

His program also donates to local nonprofits that helps our homeless veterans.

Life of Life Rescue Mission

City Mission

The Salvation Army



SERVING OUR HERO TROOPS, VETERANS & FIRST RESPONDERS

Since 2014, we have brought more than 600 dogs and cats, rescued by our troops serving overseas to safety in the U.S. We have provided 100's of Veterans with service and support dogs rescued from kill shelters.

OUR MISSION

To honor and support our veterans, active military members, and first responders with services that enrich their lives through the rescue and training of service dogs for independence, adoption of companion animals, rescue of overseas animals in war zones, and other essential services to assist our heroes in need.



Letter to Marlo

I recently received notice from my website that an email was written. It was a letter to Marlo. Letters that people have written to a family member, friend or even their pet gives me a sense of purpose to what I am trying to accomplish through my nonprofit. As I stated before, it helps to write and I wish more of those who are grieving the loss of a loved one would take the time to write to them. It helps. I wanted to share the letter to Marlo. It is also published on my website.

Marlo

Hi Marlo,

Ever since you left it's been extremely hard for me. I miss you like you can't even image. I know you're in a better place now, but I was so used to years and years of texting and calling each other sharing our good and bad times and leaning on each other for support. I'm writing to you today to share the good news that Karen is in labor, and my baby is coming to the world today. I'm so excited. I wish you were here to experience he's arrival. I hope heaven is treating you like the beautiful angel you were here on earth. I'll talk to you soon. Love and miss you. Love always and forever, Trini.

Do you believe?

Over the past 7 years, multiple things happened that told me my husband was here with me not only in the house but in my car as well. There were 4 occasions where the passenger indicator light came on saying someone was in that seat. I turned the car off and on several times but the bell kept dinging, so I buckled him in and the way we went. I wish I could have captured everything either on video or with a picture. One of things that I did get documentation of is below. When I started my Change.org petition, anytime someone signed it, I got an email with their first name and the first initial of their last. This one came over only as Michael. On my Change.org account I can run reports that gives me the first and last name of who signed, their city and state and the date they signed. I ran several reports after I received this notice and to date there is no one on that report with the name of Michael. I guess we don't have last names, cities or states in Heaven. Maybe in my next newsletter I will tell you the story of the Angel Dust that happened to me the first week of March while I was changing a light bulb in one of my outside lamp posts. Then my entry hall light came on by itself with the light red instead of white. This happened twice.

The second time I did get a picture of the light.



time I picture

change.org

You've inspired someone to sign

Cheryl, by sharing a petition, you've made a real impact. Each new supporter is another person who can spread the word and bring the campaign even closer to victory.

But this petition still needs more voices — can you share again to get it noticed?



Michael signed the petition, Recognizing Widows and Widowers

Share this petition again

