



Tau Talk

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Greetings Tau Sisters:

I look forward to seeing all of you and visiting with each of you during the Christmas Dinner at the Farmhouse on Saturday, December 2, 2017 at 5:00 pm. It is my understanding that we will all bring a \$25.00 donation to the Caroline Forsythe Grant-in-Aide rather than a silent auction. Feel free to bring guests—the meal is Dutch treat.

Let us remember in prayer those who are hurting during this season of Thanksgiving and Joy.

As we look toward a new biennium for our Tau Chapter, kindly consider filling a leadership role.

See you Saturday,

Dr. Anna Pat Alpert,

Serving as Tau Chapter President

Tau Sisters:

“When you choose joy, you feel good and when you feel good, you do good and when you do good it reminds others of what Joy feels like and it just might inspire them to do the same!” I saw this and thought—what a simple gesture and imagine what it could grow into! Let’s finish out the year and start a new one by making a choice. A choice to choose joy, a choice to do the right thing, a choice to help others, maybe a choice to help ourselves! Please help me in continuing to keep our law enforcement and their families in our thoughts and prayers, for many have made the ultimate sacrifice.

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Belinda Cotton
First Vice-President





Donna Senter 12/13
 Sunnie Schwass 12/14
 Margaret Day 12/17

Projects:

Christmas tray greeting cards ready for delivery to local Free stone and Limestone County Nursing Homes.



Christmas stockings for foster home children ready for delivery the first of December.

Sophie Alert:



Virginia Riddle with her granddaughter, Sophie, and Sophie's Mom enjoyed catching the Rail Runner to Belin, New Mexico to see the annual Christmas festival in an original Harvey House. The lights were beautiful and the train ride was great.

News from India:

Hepshiba wants everyone to know how much all that is done for the Orphanage and Widows Home is appreciated. "We love you all, dear friends, always thank the Lord for sending you all into our lives. Please keep these little ones and widows in your prayers and hope all had a great Thanksgiving."

Hepshiba sent 2 Corinthians 9:20-11 as their Thanksgiving message to all. It reads " Now he who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will also supply and increase your store of seed and will enlarge the harvest of your righteousness. You will be enriched in every way so that you can be generous on every occasion, and through us your generosity will result in thanksgiving to God."

ASTE F Funds:

The ASTEF funds awarded to Creekside bought curriculum for this year. Heart felt **thanks** is sent from Creekside staff and students to the ASTEF Foundation for their generosity.

Dates to Remember:

***Saturday, December 2, 2017** Farm House Restaurant
 1401 E. Milam, Mexia
 (254) 562-0512

Time: 5:00 pm
 Program: Christmas Dinner
 Inspirational: Patty Manley

***Saturday, January 20, 2017** Home of Alicia Smith
 567 Highway 84 East,
 Fairfield
 (903) 389-7485

Time: 10:30 am
 Program: Birthday Brunch
 Inspirational: Alicia Smith
 Hostesses: Tau Chapter Members

Websites for DKG:

You will find useful information regarding DKG on the following websites:



Tau's website: alstau.weebly.com
 State website: dkgtxas.org
 International website: deltakappagamma.org

Members must now login to fully enjoy the DKG website and access the full range of member benefits.

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