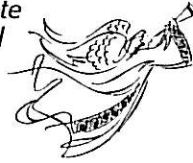


CURL UP WITH JOY'S STORIES

I couldn't help but notice today, as she glided through the door with her walker, that Dorothy has so much in common with my great-grandmother: the same carefully sculpted white hair-do, the same pink-blushed cheeks, the same sweeter than sweet demeanor.

Dorothy never fails to give a smile when she arrives, pushing her walker so deftly she hardly seems to need it. My great-grandma had strong legs too. She walked a mile every day or "ever day," as she wrote me in her letters – she only went to school through the eighth grade, after all. In her shaky, arthritic script she addressed each and every letter, "Dear Angle" – still, I understood that I was her angel...



This endearing account is just one of the many that will be included in *Joy's Stories*, an eclectic collection of life experiences from those who know and love Joy's House.

At Joy's House every minute seems to be a story within itself and we've decided these moments of sheer poetry are too precious to keep to ourselves. And what better way to share them than in an original book?

Joy's Stories will raise funds for Joy's House and touch the hearts and minds of its readers. Each original piece is created by Guests, families, and friends of Joy's House, and each chapter may be dedicated by up to three sponsors.

The stories may make you laugh. The poems may make you cry. The recipes may make you dash for your apron. And all of *Joy's Stories* will make you want to curl up on the couch and never stop reading.

Joy's Stories: They're heart-warming, they're heart-wrenching, they come from the heart.

Ways you can be part of *Joy's Stories*:

- Submit your story, poetry, recipe or photo for possible publication.
- Dedicate a chapter in honor of a loved one (only \$100 per dedication).
- Purchase *Joy's Stories* for yourself and your loved ones, and share the joy!

Call Amy or Kristen at 317-254-0828 to participate in *Joy's Stories*. *Joy's Stories* will be available for purchase in November.

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In honor of _____

In loving memory of _____

My dedication has been paid by the enclosed:

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