

The Village of Brush Park Manor



PARK VALLEY NOTES



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Village Administrator

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

Wishing each and every one of you a Happy Mother's Day and may you enjoy the day with your family and friends.

Please do not forget the Pearl Reynolds Annual Prayer Breakfast to be held May 26, 2018 in the E. kern Tomlin Community Room. Tickets can be purchased from Mrs. Mary Stewart at the cost of \$10.00. This committee has worked very hard to provide you with this wonderful event of pleasing food and remarkable preaching we look forward to seeing you there.

Focus Hope delivers on the second Wednesday of each month between the hours of 12 and 1:00pm. Mr. Massingille, Service Coordinator and his volunteers work very hard at setting up the room and getting the boxes prepared for you to pick-up. Please come down and pick up your packages when the announcement is made. There are so many people without a meal in this city who would enjoy what is given to you each month. Please if you no longer wish to receive these food items, let Mr. Massingille know and he will inform the Focus Hope Organization to remove your name..

I understand the breakfast and bingo held by the Kappa's and Silhouette Organizations were a huge success with a great turnout. Thank you to the Kappa Fraternity and their wives for the wonderful support of Brush Park Manor Paradise Valley.

For the past several months this has been a difficult time for the Brush Park Residents, staff and Presbyterian Villages of Michigan Organization regarding the illness and passing of Mr. Del-Diego Manning maintenance staff at Brush Park Manor Paradise Valley (BPMPV). Mr. Manning has been with (BPMPV) for approximately eleven years and learned so much as a maintenance technician where his expertise was so well-informed that he was called upon for support in many of our sister villages. His laughter, talent and smile will be missed by everyone who recognized him. We know he is now resting in peace and will suffer no more our friend and son.

Our Lord has written the promise of the Resurrection, not in books alone, but in every leaf in springtime.

Martin Luther

May the beauty of spring remind me of Your resurrection and of the promise of spring that is within me.

Amen

Look for PVM on:



Announcements



in the community room
May 11, 2018
10:00 am - 12:00pm

Are You At Risk?



GET A FREE
Diabetes Screening
May 1, 2018
10:00am-11:00 am

Deb's Dollar Store
Plus
May 18, 2018
10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Laundry Room Etiquette

Please be courteous to your neighbors when utilizing the laundry facilities on the 2nd and 3rd floors. Please be attentive to your laundry to give a chance for someone else to utilize the machines.



Announcements

☞ Worship Service held every 1st, 3rd, and 5th Sunday at 4:00 pm in the Community Room. This service is open to all faiths; please feel free to invite your family and friends:

☞ 1st Sunday—Rev. Knox (Communion)
 3rd Sunday - Rev. Kelly Jackson
 5th Sunday- Rev. Greenfield

☞ FOCUS HOPE delivers every 2nd Thursday. You can sign up too. (Craft Room.)

☞ Wal-Mart Shopping
 May 1st, May 8th, May 15th, May 22nd, & May 29th
 Pick-up 2:00 pm

☞ Shelton Tappes meets every second Wednesday at 12:00 p.m.
All are welcome to join!

☞ AARP meets every second Friday at 12:00 p.m.
All are welcome to join !

☞ Exterminator at Brush Park every 3rd Thursday, 3rd floor

☞ Arts & Craft every Tuesday at 2pm in the Craft Room.

☞ Bingo every Wednesday at 1pm-3:30pm in the Craft Room.

☞ Enhance Fitness Program M-W-F 11:30 to 12:30pm in the Community Room. Please see calendar for location changes.

☞ Bible Study Rev. Kelly Jackson (every Thursday at 12pm) in the Community Room.



Stuffed Bell Peppers



Ingredients

6 green bell peppers, tops cut away and seeds removed
 2 tablespoons vegetable oil
 1 cup finely chopped yellow onions
 ½ cup finely chopped green bell peppers
 ½ pound ground beef
 ½ tablespoon minced garlic
 ¼ cup finely chopped fresh parsley leaves
 ¾ teaspoon of salt
 ½ teaspoon of ground black pepper
 Pinch red pepper flakes
 2 cups cooked long or medium grain rice
 8 ounces of tomato sauce
 water

Preparation

Preheat oven to 350 degrees F.

Cut the tops off each pepper; pull out the stem portion and seeds. Chop enough of the tops to make 1/3 cup. Clean out the rest of the pepper so no seeds remain and the center ribs are carved out to make room for the stuffing. If pepper does not stand up straight, slice a little off the bottom of the pepper to level it out.

In a large saucepan over medium-high heat, either steam or cook peppers in boiling water until crisp-tender, about 4 to 5 minutes. **NOTE: Your time may vary according to the size of the peppers.** You want it to have just a slight crunch when you eat it. Be careful not to overcook them or they will be soggy and hard to stuff.

Remove peppers from water and rinse with cold water to stop the cooking process; drain and set aside.

In a large frying pan over medium heat, brown ground beef; add garlic, onion, carrot, and reserved chopped peppers; sauté until vegetables are tender. Add tomatoes, cooked rice, brown sugar, basil, salt, and pepper. Cover and reduce heat to simmer. Cook until the rice is tender, approximately 30 minutes. Remove from heat.

Place peppers in a baking dish. Stuff hot meat mixture into peppers. Drizzle tops with ketchup or shredded cheese. Bake approximately 20 to 30 minutes. Remove from oven and serve immediately.





Giving Matters.

By Paul J. Miller, CFRE,
President, PVM Foundation

Engage to make Michigan the best place to live—at any age!

You're a rock star!

PVM is so lucky to have you reading this right now! You're out in your community doing great things.

You're volunteering, giving, advocating and so much more!

There is a place for your kind of engagement at PVM. You're needed by your community—you're needed by older adults.

Engage in any way, at **any age!** You are key to a healthy, happy Michigan!

Here are some ideas:

- Make a gift to your local PVM Village
- Volunteer for a project or event at your Village
- Call your elected representative to tell them to keep fighting for older adults

May is "Older Adults Month" and this year's theme is "Engage at Any Age!" What are some of the ways you're currently engaged and what will you do in the future? Please contact us at 248-281-2040 or pvmfoundation@pvm.org – we want to know!

Thank you!



Announcements

The Birthday Club meets monthly in the community room.



*Birthday parties are held quarterly.



The resident association meetings are held every fourth Thursday at 4:30 p.m. in the E. Kern Tomlin community room.

Lindsay Tyler, President.



It's Your Life. Live It Well.

By Tom Wyllie,
Director of Wellness

It's Déjà Vu All Over Again

Yes indeed. It's that time of year again. Time to get ready for the annual Village Victory Cup scheduled for Friday, June 22nd! This year's event will feature some of the same exciting tried and true games as years past such as the Beanbag Toss, the Hoop Shoot, the Wellness Walk, the Puzzler, and the Balloon Volleyball Tournament, and the Kick-a-Roo will be returning for the second consecutive year, but with a slight modification. And based on a barrage of requests from residents, new this year there will be a group dance competition. Also, because the event continues to grow, this year the Village Victory Cup will be held at a new location, the Suburban Collection Showplace Diamond Ballroom in Novi. For the past 3 years, at the end of this fun-filled day of camaraderie and friendly competition the Village of Westland has emerged victorious. Can anyone dethrone these perennial champions? Does your Village have what it takes? Can you put together a winning team? Will your Village take home the cup? I suppose only time will tell and we will have our answers on June 22nd. For more information about the Village Victory Cup and how you can register to represent your Village at this year's games, contact your Administrator. For Villages located 100 miles or more from the PVM Home Office (in Southfield), you have the opportunity to participate in the Virtual Village Victory Cup, which you can also learn more about from your Administrator. Good luck Villages and may the odds be always in your favor!

Mother's Day Poem

A Mother's Love

Whose is the heart that bursts with pride each time she sees your face.
Whose are the eyes that dart about, to check your world is safe.
Whose are the arms that wrap you up and hold you tight and close.
Whose is the love that's always there whenever you need it most.

Whose is the smile that lights the room when you are smiling too
Whose shoulder is the place to be, when only a cuddle will do.
Whose chest is warm and comforting when you're a weary soul.
Whose motivation only has your happiness as her goal.

Whose are the tears that cry for you as you grow old and free.
Whose is the heart that aches so much, in the space where you should be.
Whose is the head that knows that you must find your path alone
Whose is the voice who welcomes you each time you go back home.

Who could have so many facets that make her oh so great
Who has you on her mind each day, and today we celebrate.
Whose hands hold and guide you, in a way unlike another
All these are part and parcel of the joys of being a mother.



The Senior Advocate.

By Lynn Alexander,
Vice President of Public Affairs

Older Michiganian's Day

Spring is a time of celebration in most cultures. And what better experience to celebrate than that of being an Older Michiganian! Here is information on Older Michiganians Day coming up in Lansing along with registration information. You will enjoy the day if you decide to attend. PVM will be on hand and will post the event on our Facebook page if you would like to join in from a distance:

Save the Date

[Older Michiganian's Day](#) to be held on May 16, 2018 on the East Lawn of the Capitol Building in Lansing, MI.

Presented by the Area Agencies on Aging Association of Michigan and our Partners Older Michiganian's Day (OMD) is an annual rally that takes place on the East Lawn of the Capitol Building in Lansing. This event brings together hundreds of seniors, aging service providers and senior advocates with their legislators and key state officials.

Interested individuals are invited to join this event to show their support for policies that support older adults. This free event provides the opportunity to speak with a unified voice to the Legislature expressing the concerns, challenges, and opportunities for older adults by the experts, older adults themselves and aging service providers.

This Event Features:

- A Rally on the East Lawn of the Capitol Building
- Keynote Speakers
- Group and Individual Meetings with your State Legislators

Older Michiganian's Day is planned by a group of organizations committed to advocating on behalf of the needs and interests of older adults across the state of Michigan. The steering committee is responsible for planning the annual event in Lansing, producing the advocacy platform which outlines legislative priorities, and developing an annual report card that states the achievements of the Governor and the Legislature in accomplishing recommended actions.

To learn more about Older Michiganian's Day, or to plan your trip to Lansing, please visit the "[Plan your Trip](#)" page for more information regarding how to register for this event.

For more information contact Linda Burghardt, Michigan Association of Area Agencies on Aging at (517) 886-1029 or by email at OMD@4ami.org. You may also contact your local Area Agency on Aging office by calling (231) 947-8920 or by email at info@aaanm.org.

Announcements

The Enhanced Fitness group meets every Monday, Wednesday and Friday.



On Wednesday mornings as long as the weather permits, the Enhanced Fitness group walks outside of the building. Feel free to join them at 10:00 a.m. in the lobby.

Please see Mrs. Lois Horne

MAY



Barbara Needham 5/4
Michael Carney 5/11
Dorothy Bell 5/15
James Crook 5/15
Diana Edwards 5/15
Joan Grady 5/22
Mae Kate Jones 5/24
Warner McBryde 5/31

Harold Massingille
Service Coordinator
313-832-1576

The beauty salon is open Wednesday through Saturday. Please call and schedule your appointment today!

(313) 832-8804

WAL-MART



The Walmart bus leaves promptly at 2:00pm. If you would like to go shopping please be in the lobby every Tuesday at 1:40 pm.



Calendar

MAY 2018

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		* 1 WALMART 2:00 pm pick up Diabetic Screening 10:00am-11:00 am	2 Enhanced Fitness 11:30 am DEP'S DOLLAR STORE 1p-2p	3 BIBLE STUDY 12:00pm	4 Enhanced Fitness 11:30 am BAZAAR 12-3 pm	5 Beauty Salon
6 Visit your Church Rev. Knox	7 Enhanced Fitness 11:30 am	* 8 WALMART 2:00 pm pick up	9 Enhanced Fitness 11:30 am BINGO 1:00 p SHELTON TAPPES FOCUS HOPE	10 BIBLE STUDY 12:00pm	11 Enhanced Fitness 11:30 am MOTHERS DAY BRUNCH 10am-12pm AARP	12 Beauty Salon
13 Visit your Church	14 Enhanced Fitness 11:30 am	* 15 WALMART 2:00 pm pick up	16 Enhanced Fitness 11:30 am BINGO 1:00 pm	17 BIBLE STUDY 12:00pm EXTERMINATOR 3rd Floor	18 Enhanced Fitness 11:30 am	19 Beauty Salon KAPPAS LEGENDS 7am-1pm
20 Visit your Church Rev. Kelly Jackson 2:00p	21 Enhanced Fitness 11:30 am Comcast Movie 1pm	* 22 WALMART 2:00 pm pick up	23 Enhanced Fitness 11:30 am B	24 BIBLE STUDY 12:00pm Resident Association meeting 4:30pm	25 Enhanced Fitness 11:30 am	26 Beauty Salon PRAYER BREAKFAST 9:00 am
27 Visit your Church	28 HAPPY MEMORIAL DAY	* 29 WALMART 2:00 pm pick up	30 Enhanced Fitness 11:30 am	31 BIBLE STUDY 12:00pm		



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Fun Zone

Mother's Day

B G S T Y A Y U F Q H L S Q D
 U F N R D L O O R I M Z P D X
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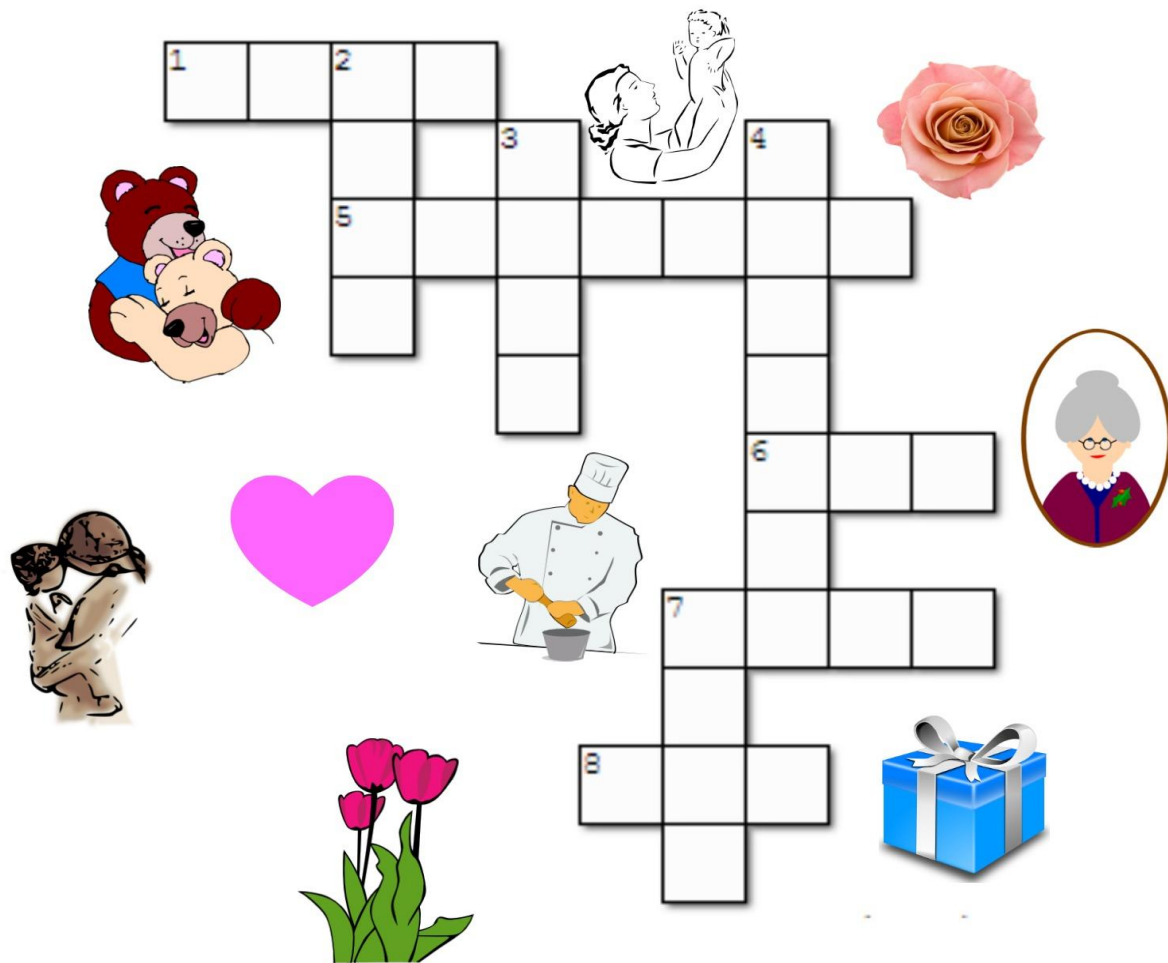
CARING
 FLOWERS
 KISSES
 MAY
 MOTHER

CHILDREN
 FOREVER
 LOVE
 MOM
 SPECIAL



Fun Zone

Mother's Day Crossword Puzzle



Across

1. I love ____ and kisses from my mom.
5. Mom plants _____ in her garden
6. Happy Mother's ____.
7. I will make my mom a Mother's Day ____.
8. ____ is short for mother.

Down

2. This is another word for a present.
3. I ____ my mom.
4. I call my mom's mom and my dad's mom _____.
7. My mom is a great _____. I love everything she makes.

myunentitledlife.com

CAPTAIN CAMILLE T. HORNE



PASSING OF COMMAND

Captain Camille T. Horne is now Commander of Human Resources for the 127th Wing, Mission Support Group, Force Support Squadron. Prior to assuming this role, she served as the Wing Executive Officer, 127th Wing Headquarters, Selfridge ANGB, Michigan.

As a licensed attorney, Captain Horne joined the Michigan Army National Guard, Judge Advocate General Corps by direct commission in September 2009. She completed the 182nd Judge Advocate Basic Course in Charlottesville, VA and the Direct Commission Officer at Ft. Benning, GA in September and November 2010, respectively. As a drilling status guardsman, Capt. Horne provided full-spectrum legal support as the Bridge Judge Advocate for the 177th Military Police Brigade in Taylor, MI from 2009-2015. During this period, Captain Horne participated in the Michigan National Guard's State Partnership Program in Liberia, Africa by serving as an instructor for two legal-capacity building missions in May 2011 and August 2012. In addition, Captain Horne completed an Active Guard Reserve tour at Joint Forces Headquarters in Lansing, MI as the Deputy General Counsel from 2011-2013. In February 2013, Captain Horne deployed with the 177th Military Police Brigade to Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. Captain Horne graduated from the Judge Advocate Officer Advance Course, Phase II in Charlottesville, VA in January 2014.

Prior to and during her time as drilling status guardsman, Captain Horne was appointed as a Magistrate Judge for a multi-jurisdiction county court in Michigan for seven years. Before taking the bench, Captain Horne practiced law in Michigan and Ohio at the trial and appellate levels for ten years. While completing her Master's degree studies at the University of Michigan Law School, Captain Horne commissioned as an Officer in the Michigan Air National Guard. Prior to her current position, Captain Horne graduated from the University of Michigan Law School with a LL.M. degree in May 2015.

EDUCATION

1992 B.A., English, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN
 1995 J.D., University of Cincinnati College of Law, Cincinnati, OH
 2010 182nd Judge Advocate Officer Basic Course, Charlottesville, VA
 2010 Direct Commission Officer Course, Ft. Benning, GA
 2011 Judge Advocate General Tactical Staff Officer Course
 2013 Judge Advocate Officer Advance Course, Phase 1
 2013 Judge Advocate Officer Advance Course, Phase II, Charlottesville, VA
 2014 Judge Advocate Special Victims' Counsel Course, Maxwell AFB, GA
 2015 Masters of Laws, University of Michigan Law School, Ann Arbor, MI
 2016 General Officer Support Staff Course, ANG Technical Education Center, TN

ASSIGNMENTS

September 2009-August 2015, Brigade Judge Advocate, 177th Military Police Brigade, Taylor, MI
 MIARNG
 July 2012-February 2013, Deputy General Counsel, Joint Forces Headquarters, Lansing, MI, (MIARNG
 (February 2013- December 2013) Assistant Staff Judge Advocate, Joint Task Force-GTMO. Guantanamo
 Bay, Cuba, Army/ ARNGUS
 August 2015- March 2018, Human Resources Officer, 127th Wing, Mission Support Group, Force Support
 Squadron

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

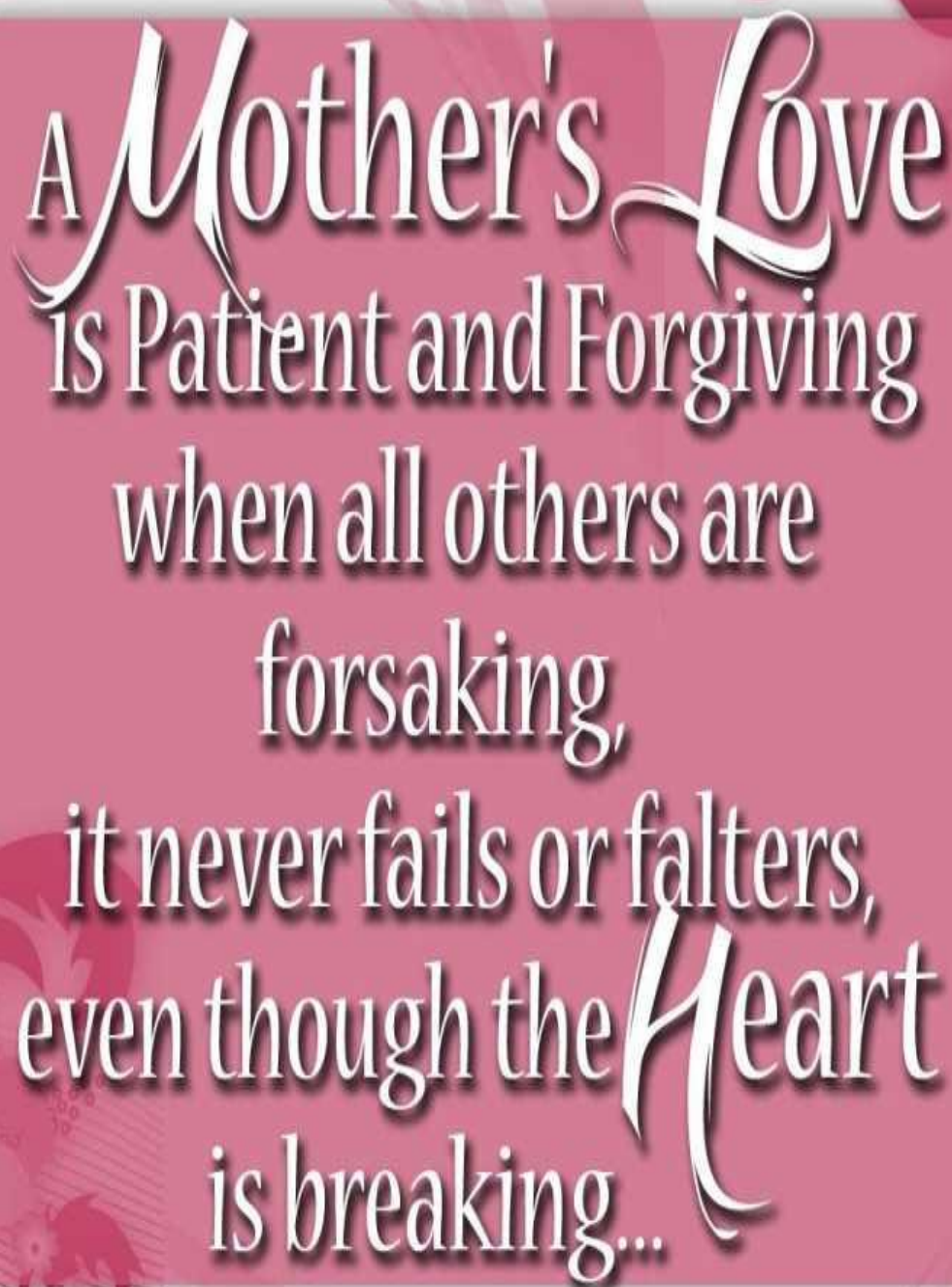
Army Commendation Medal with oak leaf cluster
 Joint Service Achievement Medal
 Air Force Achievement Medal
 Joint Meritorious Unit Award
 Army Reserve Component Achievement Medal
 National Defense Service Medal
 Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal
 Global War on Terrorism Service Medal
 Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal
 Army Overseas Service Ribbon
 Air Force Longevity Service
 Armed Forces Reserves Medal with "M" device

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

First Lieutenant September 17, 2009
 Captain October 28, 2011
 (Current as of April 2018)



Captain Camille T. Horne is also the daughter of Tebe and Lois Horne, residents of Brush Park Manor
 Paradise Valley.



A Mother's Love
is Patient and Forgiving
when all others are
forsaking,
it never fails or falters,
even though the Heart
is breaking...

- Helen Rice

www.2013-mothersday.blogspot.com

www.MyQuotesHome.com

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Guided by our
Christian heritage,
we serve seniors of
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