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On October 06, I launched a Psalms Bible study - After God's Own Heart - studying only the Psalms that David wrote. It is my sincere hope that all participants are encouraged and find peace in God's Word. If you would like to join the study, please visit my website at www.praying-prodigals.com and subscribe. You will receive an email with the passcode to the study.

After God's Own Heart

A Bible Study

"As the deer pants for streams of water, so my soul pants for you, my God." — Psalm 42:1

Join us as we dive into the book of Psalms, a collection of prayers, praises, and promises that guide us in living after God's own heart. SCRIPTURE ON THANKFULNESS

Enter into his gates with thanksgiving,

and into his courts with praise: be thankful unto

him, and bless his name.

Psalm 100:4 (KV)

What are you THANKFUL for? Email me at lisampritchard1@gmail.com This is my short list:

Jesus

My husband, family, and friends
Freedom
Good health
Home

My cat and dog

A group of friends and writers traveled to Southern Pines this month to attend a weeklong writer's residency. Each of us enjoyed the beautiful grounds and a historic home.

AND accomplished many things!



It's almost 2026!

I am blessed to say God helped me accomplish the following this year:

- Create a website
- Write and contract a book
- Go to BRMCWC
- Join ASWA AND ACFW
- Co-author a book series
- Publish two works in Glimpses of God in Nature
- Create a Psalms Bible Study on my website
- Write three guest writer articles
- Write for my blog
- Speak on a podcast twice
- Co-lead a book study on Prayers and Promises
- Created a presentation and spoke about Ruth.
- Register for NRB
- Two of my devotions were accepted for AWSA's Arise Daily



OPen to paper patterns a path from pandemonium to peace and produces a powerful portal to a protected paradise

In July, my husband and I went to Charleston with a group of seven other boats. We had a lovely time staying at the Francis Marion, shopping at the market in the park, and eating at fantastic restaurants, such as Halls, Victor's, and Swampfox, among others.

I returned home with COVID. It was the sickest I have ever been, and lasted over seven days. But this isn't about me, it's about my kind and thoughtful neighbors.

So many dear people brought John and me homemade soups, chicken and vegetables, Gatorades, and so much more. I don't know if I have ever felt so loved and cared for. THANK YOU, BL friends! You all are the best!

I asked you for pics of your fun summer adventures. These are some of what I received.



John - fishing on his boat with his granddaughter
Christi - Cruise to Italy

Kathy - Niagara Falls

Marianna - Cancun

Nancy - Grandson won the <u>GOLD</u> at the state track meet

Jennifer - kayaking

Mary Lynn - Serving dinner to inner-city youth

If I missed any, it was unintentional - please send again for next time.





Do you have a Christmas tradition? I would love to hear about them. Email me at:

<u>lisampritchard1@gmail.com</u>



Each of the seven authors revised our drafts after they passed through the first round of edits. Discussions for a title begin soon, and we are aiming for the book to be published by April 2026. Just in time for beach vacations! All proceeds will go to a local women's shelter --TBD

In my last newsletter, I announced that my first children's book, *Dirt Dog*, is contracted for publishing in the spring of 2026. Over the last two months, I worked with a brilliant illustrator who brought the characters in my heart to life~~This is exciting! Here is a graphic I made with Dirt Dog and Prissy Poodle.



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