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## Welcame

FROM DIANE

We're having an awesome summer. Our Grandson, Austyn, came over and spent a week with us in early July. We had a bunch of fun at Legoland one day and enjoyed the USS Midway Museum on the next. Legoland is amazing!!! We were very impressed with the villages and major Cities they built out of Legos. The dragon and spider were equally impressive. The spider was huge!!! At their Legoland Sea Life Aquarium The stingrays were amazing and I was also partial to the seahorses. This is a fun place for kids and adults alike.

Jeffrey was really excited to be back on an Aircraft Carrier again as he spent plenty of time on the Enterprise as a Navy Nuke. Even though we thought he might get bored, Austyn seemed to enjoy the ship. He liked the planes with the bombs and helicopters and also learned to tie a real sailor's knot.

When I served in the Navy two of those years were spent on a Tugboat where I worked as a Boatswain's Mate (deck hand) hooking up to ships like this one. It had been 36 years since I had tied a specialized knot and Austyn figured his out before I finished mine and he is only 9 years old.

When we went up on the flight deck of the ship to look at more planes and stuff, we walked onto a helicopter and at the right of the entrance door was a beautiful nesting Dove. She seemed to be used to people stopping and talking to her. As you could guess everyone wanted to see what the excitement was about. They even had a sign posted "Please Do Not Disturb, Nesting Mother Dove.

Austyn earned his "Junior Pilot's wings" by taking a test regarding information about the ship and ship board life that he learned on the self guided tour. He aced it. As we were leaving he was saluted by two Chiefs that were waiting. It was cute watching him salute back.

We had such a great time and we already miss him!!! We made lots of great memories that week and boy did he keep us hopping. Hope you are enjoying your summer as well with lots of heartfelt moments and happy memories.

With Love,

## Diane



On a retired Warship that served for 47 years, inside a retired Navy "Sea Knight" Helicopter, A lone mother dove, sits patiently atop her nest...

"We must combine the toughness of the serpent with the softness of the dove, a tough mind and a tender heart."

"Love is the only force capable of transforming an enemy into a friend."

~Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.



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The channels through which you find yourself evaluating your lives' outcomes can hinder the ability to manifest true desires with less struggle and quicker response times. Many believe that they must be completely structured for their manifestations to set before them. They see this as commitment when in fact it borders on control and attachment. Then there are some who give up their power by over thinking with no action and expect change to occur while constantly waiting. The analytical mind is running the show and frustrations are at an all time high so you miss the subtleties of a clearer path and ease of flow.

The best things in life are unexpected because there were no expectations. ~ Eli Khamarov

When the lessons of detachment keep repeating over and over again it sends a grand message to wake up to the simplicities of life, validate self, and abundantly open your hearts to the unknown. As you ask for what you want we shall provide the ways and means that benefit all facets of your life. It requires that you simply put energy toward your desire with action and patience then step out of the way of projecting when and how it must show up. If you are willing to see the path that is strewn before you there will be choices for you to make within each phase of the process as it pertains to what is important to you in life. Will the journey and outcome look exactly as you anticipated? As we have said," we shall provide the ways and means that benefit <u>all</u> facets of your life." We ask you to be open to all possibilities exclusive of emotional attachments replaced by faith and the results will be more than you ever expected.



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We like things to manifest right away, and they may not. Many times, we're just planting a seed and we don't know exactly how it is going to come to fruition. It's hard for us to realize that what we see in front of us might not be the end of the story.

~Sharon Salzberg

## Our Summer Blockbuster!

A Young Adventurer, takes his Grand Parents on a journey they will NEVER FORGET?



From the New York skyline, to embattled worlds Far Far Away...



They alluded terrible Monsters...

And were caught stealing a Dragon's



They came face to face with exotic sea creatures...



And the Young Hero learned the ropes, on the decks of an aged Man-of-War...



To Finally earn his wings!

Don't ya just love a happy ending?

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ultimately, we have just one moral duty:

to reclaim large areas of peace in ourselves, more and more peace,

and to reflect it towards others.

And the more peace there is in us,

the more peace there will also be in our troubled world.

~Etty Hillesum