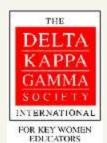


Epsilon Sisters



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"Grateful for each hand we hold Gathered round this table. From far and near we travel home, Blessed that we are able.

Grateful for this sheltered place With light in every window, Saying welcome, welcome, share this feast Come in away from sorrow.

Father, mother, daughter, son, Neighbor, friend and friendless; All together everyone in the gift of loving-kindness."

~Mary Chapin Carpenter, "Thanksgiving Song"



NOVEMBER: IT'S AUCTION TIME!

Epsilon Sisters, get ready to start your bidding!

It's time for our annual auction. This year's auction will be held at the West Regional Branch of the Mobile Public Library on Saturday, November 2nd at 9:30am. Please bring an item to be auctioned. Popular items at past auctions have included gift baskets, locally grown fruit, local honey, homemade cakes and candies, and holiday items. Homemade, handmade, or store bought—whatever you prefer— is perfect for our auction!

We'll also collect canned goods for the Bay Area Food Back to support them as they help needy families during the holidays. The hostesses are the Arrangements and Exhibits & Records Committees. (The chairs of those committees— Teresa Nicholson and Terri Baker—should please contact your committee members to assist with the refreshments.

Chris Davis will offer the Devotion and Martha LeGros will share our Moment of Orientation.

Sisters— please join us for a fun time! Remember— our group is what <u>you</u> make it to he!

EPSILON NEEDS YOU!!!



"Autumnthe year's last, loveliest smile." ~William Cullen Bryant



Thanksgiving funny from Erma Bombeck:

"Thanksgiving dinners take eighteen hours to prepare. They are consumed in twelve minutes. Half-times take twelve minutes. This is not coincidence."

DECEMBER MEETING: NEW MEMBERS, CHRISTMAS, AND HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Our December meeting will be held at Christ Church Cathedral in Downtown Mobile on Saturday, December 7th at 9:30am. Four new members will be inducted: Jane Douglas, Jessica Simpson, Kay Smith, and Peggy Windham. We will welcome these key women educators into our chapter and then we'll celebrate two other special occasions – Christmas and our chapter's 79th birthday! As we had last year, Chef Rob will cater this event. Please bring stocking stuffers for the children and women at the Women and Children's Center. Also, we will have a

collection for the International and State Emergency Funds.
Look for information later about making reservations for this event,

cost, etc.