

THOUGHTS UNDER THE Umbrella



A newsletter brought to you by Umbrella Ministries

From The Heart of a Mom

Quotes from our moms who have attended our conferences.

“Testimonies and recounts, the overflowing support. It was my first and I felt at home immediately. Everyone knew the loss of a child and could empathize with me. Circle of love was awesome, having a small group really bonded us together.♥”

♥ We can live to honor our child’s legacy. I felt seen and loved

♥ This is a time that I can talk about my children freely, without judgment, and others understand where I’m coming from.

♥ Every single moment ministered to my heart; every single hug given or received from another mother. The greatest treasure in my darkness of loss is being able to give and receive hope and healing in a room for Moms who have lost a child. No matter where we are on our journey there’s comfort, knowing I am not alone

♥ the love and empathy I saw being given ...truthfully, even though I was present, the weekend was loaded with many positives. I literally cannot remember so much.

♥ Holy grief has opened many doors for me to guide me to the next level in moving forward



Message from Co-Founder:



My dear ministry friends and family,
Thank you all for blessing me with my 95th birthday celebration, I will never forget. The love and support I felt was truly overwhelming, and it gave me a glimpse of the joy we will one day know in heaven—where the celebration will never end.
Your kindness through cards, gifts, and support for Umbrella Ministries meant so much and will help us continue the work God has called us to do in serving precious moms.

With gratitude and love,
Daisy Catchings Shader
Co-Founder of Umbrella Ministries



COUPLES RETREAT 2026



2025 WALK TO REMEMBER FUNDRAISER



Conference Wrap Up

PHOTOS FROM THE 2024 EVENTS

COLORADO



WEST COAST GROUP



EAST COAST CONFERENCE



2026 Events

For more information and registration;
<https://www.umbrellaministries.com/events/>

COUPLES CONFERENCE
FEB 6TH-8TH, 2026

WEST COAST CONFERENCE
MAY 15TH-17TH, 2026

COLORADO CONFERENCE
AUGUST 14TH – 16TH, 2026

EAST COAST CONFERENCE
SEPT 25TH – 27TH, 2026

Zoom Meeting Support Groups:

ZOOM MEETINGS WILL BE POSTED ON THE WEBSITE

Visit Our website for More Resources:

- Updated group and leader listing.
- Information to start your own group.
- Sign up for events online.

Check out the Umbrella Website for resources of meeting in your area. <https://www.umbrellaministries.com/resources-2295/>

This year for Giving Tuesday, please consider a donation to Umbrella Ministries.



<https://www.umbrellaministries.com/donate/>

Your support—through prayer, volunteering, or financial help—enables scholarships for mothers attending “Journey of the Heart” conferences, bringing hope and healing to those who have lost a child. As a volunteer-run 501(c)(3) non-profit, Umbrella Ministries depend entirely on tax-deductible contributions. We thank you for providing HOPE to a grieving mom.

Thank You for Your Loving Support!

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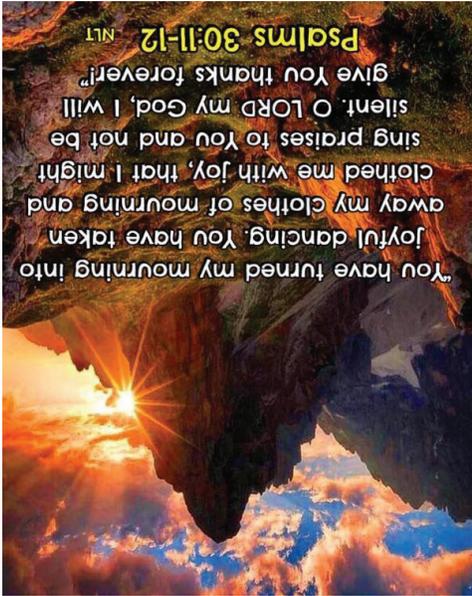
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I will give you hidden treasures, riches stored in secret places, so that you may know that I am the Lord, the God of Israel, who summons you by name.
Isaiah 45:3



"You have turned my mourning into joyful dancing. You have taken away my clothes of mourning and clothed me with joy, that I might sing praises to You and not be silent. O LORD my God, I will give You thanks forever!"
Psalms 30:11-12 NLT



Blessed be God, even the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies, and the God of all comfort;
2 Corinthians 1:3

