

JK's Jottings

October, November, December 2006

Letters...we get letters...we get stacks and stacks of letters...

"I just wanted to tell you that I think you and your staff, both paid and volunteers, are very special people to do what you do, year after year, to be a good influence in the lives of many young girls. God bless all of you." (From a gentleman who is one of our vendors.)

"I am compelled to write this note to tell you how much I appreciate your continual faithfulness to the Lord through the ministry of Explorer Girls. Your tremendous influence in the lives of so many 'young women' can not be measured except by your obedience to the work the Lord has committed to your care." (From a woman who was on the first committee of EG's in 1982 when it began.)

"Thank you so much for letting me come to camp and thank you for all that you did to help me come. Camp was probably one of the funnest things I have done in the last 3 years." (From an 11 yr. old camper.)

"The more I hear about EG's and see in action, the more I am impressed. God has indeed blessed Explorer Girls, and I pray He will continue for many years to come. Keep up the great work." (From a supporter.)

"Looking back on EG camp, I wouldn't have missed the experience for anything in the world. I prayed earlier this year that God would use our family to be fruitful and useful for Him even while we are going through some difficult times and that He would allow me to lead one person to the Lord in 2006. That one person was a girl in my cabin this summer at camp. God abundantly blessed my heart through this experience!" (From a camp counselor.)

These are just a few of the comments from letters that I received in September by people who have seen the impact that Explorer Girls has on lives. Teaching girls that they are unique and have value and worth that has been given to them by God is such an important message for them in present day situations.

Letter to you...

My message to you includes my heartfelt "thanks" for standing with me for 25 years in this ministry. Thanks for praying for me. Thanks for rejoicing with me during the happy times and for bearing with me in the hard times. Thanks for your financial support. Thanks for numerous expressions of love and concern.

My request is that you remain with me for the next 25 years. I continue monthly to work with High School girls, and women in various teaching situations. I do speaking engagements at retreats and also at women's meetings. I travel to visit the people who are involved in this ministry in Michigan, New York, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania. I am involved in the development of this ministry in every aspect of the work. Your financial giving, your prayers, and your friendship are important to me. I thank God for YOU!

***I pray you have a Happy Thanksgiving and
a Merry Christmas!***

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