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Sandman Glass & Gift Newsletter – November XV – “It’s Turkey Time!”

It's Turkey Time!

Some of the best times of the year are the times when you're getting together with your family. Ready to sit down for that great Thanksgiving meal you worked for days to prepare for.



I can remember such a year when my children were young and we were all excited to have our turkey dinner. I cooked all day on Thanksgiving eve to have everything prepared ahead of time... except for the Turkey. I made pies, I cut up fresh vegetables, and all the trimmings. I worked hard to clean the house so that my company wouldn't see my regular mess.



The next morning, I awoke at 5 AM, to

prepare the stuffing, and last minute items. I stuffed, trussed, and fussed over the bird. I preheated the oven and basted the turkey so it would be cooked to perfection.

Some of the people I was expecting (my parents), were flying in on mid-morning flight at the airport. I knew I had plenty of time to drive the 15 minutes to go to the airport to go get them. I basted the turkey (which was looking a perfect golden brown), put the oven on warm, and went to greet them with my children at the airport. When we returned my company was arriving. We chatted and visited, and ate hor-

d'vors. Time seemed to slip on by into the afternoon. I looked for the pop-up feature on my turkey to tell me it was done but it didn't seem to pop up. I basted the bird some more, chatted with my company, and got side tracked with all the chatter.

As I was preparing everything else to heat up (by this time all was done and ready to be eaten), I realized I forgot to turn the oven back up to the cooking temperature. Needless to say, my perfect turkey dinner turned to pannick over hungry visitors. So, what would have been a a big hearty meal... turned into a "piece meal"! A "piece of this and a little of that", until the turkey finally got done. In essence the turkey became the dessert (smile).

Of course, a good time was had by all and I hope you have the best of time with your family and friends for the holiday. Happy Thanksgiving!

Glass News at the new Sandman Glass!

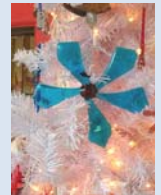
I am truly excited to have a new location with no wind and rain to deal with on a daily basis. I can finally show my creations, I have never been able to show before.

There are chimes and small window designs, free form designs, ornaments for your holiday tree, dishes, plates and other goodies.

For people that are interested in supplies and lessons. Sit tight, that will come soon.

Some Holiday items are out!

Here is a picture gallery of some holiday ornaments!



Custom orders Available!
Please use Web Site for color samples / Go to Shopping Page
www.sandmanglass.com

Gift Packages!



Custom made gift packages are available. These are great for neighbor gifts, company employee gifts, and grab bags.

Carol-ing!

Some numbers are available for the new LE Christmas Plates for 2008

Picture a duet – both standing by a cozy street lamp, holding a choir book together and singing aloud to holiday music. This 10” plate is simply called, “Carol-ing”!



Special Note:

Thank you – to the crew at Alladin’s floral in Idaho Falls. You brightened my day with your gift of beautiful flowers. Thank you!

Sandman Glass items are available at:

The Blue Heron Inn - Hwy 20
Town & Country Gardens, IF
Mesa Falls Gifts Shop
Harriman State Park of Idaho
The Loft – Hailey, Idaho

Meet – Other Artisans at Sandman Glass & Gifts retail location.



*Suzanne
Le May
Riche*

Suzanne does exquisite bead & leather work for you to see. Look at this wonderful Polar Bear. It is created to perfection with tiny seed glass beads.



This piece is a true collector’s item.

More Artisan’s

Say hello to the very talented **Juanita Cates**. I searched high and low for someone who could create wonderful scents in soaps, sachets, trivets, and fire-starters.



All of Juanita’s creations are reasonably priced for the holidays and work well in gift baskets, too!

More....

The best “flint napping” around!

John Gonzales

(aka “the Ghostwalker”) has made collectable ceremonial knives and fused



glass art pieces. This spear point is made with a yellow and red uroboros glass fused together.



Plus....

Wire wrapping to perfection, Kristi has that special touch to take some of my fused glass work and make it into beautiful jewelry pieces.



And....

Here is Sonja Johnson.



Sonja creates earrings, bracelets, and necklaces... like you wouldn’t believe! She uses special furnace

beads, raku, and specialty fused glass pieces to make her fabulous items of wearable art.

We also commend Bo Adams for adding his wonderful western art drawings to **Sandman Glass & Gifts** store. Please come into the store to view his fabulous art!

Each one of these fantastic artisans and artists will be featured in future newsletters...so stay tuned.

New Cobalt Bowl!



This bowl is one of my best. At the tips of some of the flowers, it has a special dichroic glass which shimmers in the light.

Quote for the Month

“I get by with a little help from my friends,”

John Lennon (1940-1980) British Rock Star. *With a little help from my friends* (with Paul Mc Cartney)

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Sandman Glass & Gifts Hours

Tuesday:

10:30 – 5:30

Wednesday:

11- 12:30 & 2:30 – 5:30

Thursday – Saturday

10:30 – 5:30

(Closed Sunday & Monday)

Private appointments available
Call 521-0295

Thank you to all for supporting the arts in Idaho! Also, special thanks: Kyle, Sue, Carol, Tina, Robyn, Karen, Bo, Jim, my family, and others; who bring me inspirational thinking. Thank you!

