



Chosseen Generation

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December 2018 - January 2019

Dear Family and Friends,

We finished the ladies meeting project where we were making blankets. In December for the ladies meeting; I put on a Christmas party for all the ladies in the Church! We had so much fun and laughed a lot! The evening was filled with tons of food, games, gift exchanges, guess how many M&M's are in the jar, and so much more!

The games for the evening was:

- **Do you hear what I hear** – a game where you fill same sized boxes with different amounts of small bells, each person is to put the boxes in order of the amount of bells in the boxes. (3, 5, 11, 20, etc.)
- **Jingle Bell Toss** – This game is kind of like corn hole. You tape solo cups (in a triangle) to the top of a canvas sheet and two cups under the canvas sheet so that the sheet is sitting at an angle. Then you set the whole thing up at the end of a table....each person has 3 bells; seeing how many bells they can manage to toss into the cups. Winner is, the person with the most points!
- **Snowball roll** – setting up a table, everyone forms a line at the top of the table and in hand, each person has a cotton ball. The objective of the game is to blow the cotton ball off the other side of the table! Each person gets 3 tries. This game proved to be harder than it sounded!
- **White Elephant Gift Exchange**
- **Guess how many M&M's are in the jar**

As a special gift for each lady, I put together a goody box. Each box was filled with a purple pen, small notebook, lip balm, American candy, Christmas tree peanut butter cups, and a Christmas ornament. I have done something special for each lady for the past two years and one of my favorite things about it is watching them open it with excitement and hearing them exclaim in delight! It is such a blessing to me to be able to bless them!!

A couple of the ladies had been going through a particularly hard season during the time of the party and I could tell that the party was like a get away from what was going on. Even though they were struggling, they put that aside and embraced all that the night entailed. It was great to see that during their struggles they could have an evening of reprieve! Like the Bible says, "laughter does good like medicine".

Thank you all for making this possible; through your giving and prayers! You are blessing me so that I can bless those God has called me to! Wow! He is so amazing!

This year, I want to focus on meeting with the ladies more one on one; doing devotions with them, helping them grow into who God is calling them to be and what that looks like exactly! For our group meetings I also want to see them grow together, encouraging one another and building each other up by using all that God has given them through His word and using their life lessons to encourage and empower each other! Join me in prayer for each lady; that they would continue to see God move not only in their lives but through their lives!

- Jessica Tomlinson

The menu for the evening was:

- Mexican chicken wraps
- Coronation Chicken wraps
- Million dollar cheese dip with Doritos
- Cheese, fruit, and veggie platter with a fruit dip and veggie dip
- Brownie and strawberry kabobs
- Crock pot mini sausages in BBQ sauce
- Sodas
- Flavored coffee
- Hot tea



Jingle bell toss



Do you hear what I hear game! Full concentration is needed for this game!



Individual gifts for each lady



Prizes for the winners of the games



Can you guess how many M&M's are in the jar?

