

# Weekly Message Weekly Message



Greetings everyone,  
It is hard to believe that September has flown by and we are almost into October. I saw where parts of the country got enough snow to entertain the snow boarders. Unbelievable! I thought we might be finished with 90° days but we will have perhaps the last one today. I hope it is cool and pleasant where you are.

Here are some thoughts for today and everyday:

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"Reputation is the road to power." Jeremy Bentham (1748-1832) jurist  
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"Hard work is the yeast that raises the dough." author unknown  
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"When you are deep in the water, the best thing to do is shut your mouth."  
author unknown  
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"The worst prison would be a closed heart." Pope John Paul II (1920-2005)  
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We are excited to bring back the **Dallas Mavericks Jr/Sr Dance Competition (Jan. 27th)** and to introduce the **Dallas Desperados Sr. Dance Competition (March 10th)**, both held at the American Airlines Center. You will find more information about these two great events



on our web site at <http://www.danceadts.com/contests.htm>, or you can reply to this e-mail to request a registration form.

Winning teams from the **Texas Jr. State Championship** have also been invited to perform at the **April 5th Dallas Desperados game** at the American Airlines Center.

Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis offered a few sentences on life and it's meaning. It has some powerful and provocative words below.

Have a fabulous week, and, as always, please *keep in touch*.

*Sincerely,*

*Joyce E. Pennington, Pres. CEO*

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## The Harmonious Balance

“I have been through a lot and I have suffered a great deal. But, I have had lots of happy moments, as well. Every moment one lives is different from the other. The good, the bad, hardship, the joy, the tragedy, love and happiness are all interwoven into one single, indescribable whole that is called *LIFE*. You cannot separate the good from the bad. And, perhaps there is no need to do so, either.”

**Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis**

**(1929-1994) U.S. First Lady**