

## From Mary's Homes of Hope to...



March 1960 - May 2023



## ...the Hope of Heaven

### Special points of interest:

- \* MHOH resident, Vicki, carried into heaven.
- \* Vicki's life's background
- \* Vicki's hidden talents
- \* Prayer for the Month of the Sacred Heart



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## The Blessed Mother Takes Vicki Home

When Mary's Homes of Hope (MHOH) opened its doors, five years ago, Vicki was our first resident. I had known and worked with Vicki five years before at Our Lady's Maternity Homes. Vicki was a house mother for one of the homes.

She made a difference in so many lives. She shared Christ's love, kindness, gentleness, patience, and let the mothers she helped know that they were valued, loved by God, and her. That gave them hope to make positive changes in their lives. So, when Vicki called me needing a place to live, of course, she came to MHOH.

While here, at Mary's Homes of Hope, she

made a difference in the lives of those who came to MHOH. We had times of Bible study and prayer together. Vicki humbly shared her faith knowledge of scripture and offered prayers for everyone.

Vicki worked part-time at a non-profit that helped the homeless and the developmentally disabled. She helped in the area of Information Technology (IT).

Shortly after living here, she was given full-time work. She was given the opportunity to work from home as IT support for USDA. It was the perfect job as her health began to decline making it difficult to stand or even walk short

distances.

On May 13<sup>th</sup>, the Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima came to MHOH. On May 14<sup>th</sup>, Mother's Day, I found Vicki on the floor in her bedroom. She had passed away.

It's been a time of mourning for many who were touched by Vicki. It's also been a time of memories of joy and how she continues to remind us that joy, laughter, charity brings us to a closer relationship with Jesus.

Our Blessed Mother's image was here not only for those who came to be with Her, but she came for Vicki to bring her to heaven's home, and She placed Vicki in His Arms.

## A Little of Vicki's Life-Story

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Vicki was born March 31, 1960, in West Virginia. Her father's name was Hayward Lester Tenney, Sr. He was the third great grandson of James Tenney, a Revolutionary War Patriot. Hayward Tenney served in World War II and became an ordained United Methodist Minister in 1962. He married Izella Mae Ours in 1945. He is a direct descendant of Thomas Rogers who signed the Mayflower Compact, Matthew Hutton, Archbishop of York, Cardinal Henry Beaufort, and Edward III, King of England.

Vicki's mother, Izella Ours Tenney, was a loving wife and mother. She was a

wonderful, gifted, and talented Christian woman. She loved to crochet, embroider, quilt, sew, and was a big helping hand to her husband and children.

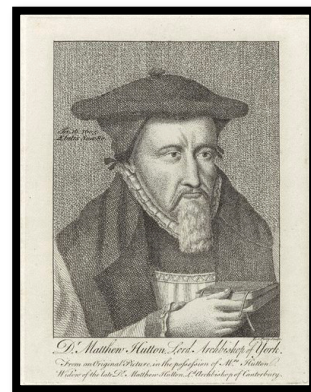
A cousin of Vicki shared that Vicki was an accomplished guitarist and gifted artist. The music side of her came from her father and uncles. The artistic side of Vicki came from her mother. This remarkable woman's life brought even more gifts that she shared.

Vicki found on Ancestry.com that St. Margaret of Scotland was Vicki's great grandmother removed some 20 times, who lived from 1045 – 1093 and after her canonization,

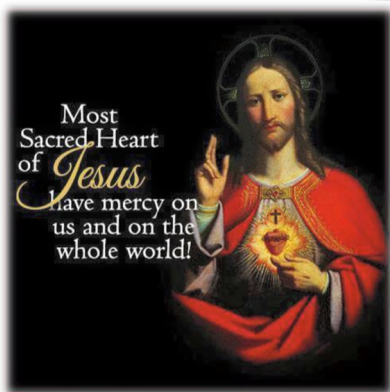
Pope Clement X proclaimed her Patroness of Scotland.

St. Margaret of Scotland pray for Vicki and pray for us.

Please! All of you, pray for the repose of Vicki's soul!



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*Hail! O Sacred Heart of Jesus, living and quickening source of eternal life, infinite treasure of the Divinity, and burning furnace of divine love. Thou art my refuge and my sanctuary, O my amiable Savior. Consume my heart with that burning fire with which Thine is ever inflamed. Pour down on my soul those graces which flow from Thy love, and let my heart be so united with Thine, that our wills may be one, and mine in all things be conformed to Thine. May Thy divine will be equally the standard and rule of all my desires and of all my actions. Amen. Saint Gertrude*