

Two-way giving

Hospice spoons aid from holiday gifts

A Michigan business and a non-profit organization based in Oakland County have joined forces to offer individuals and corporations an opportunity to help the less fortunate while they shop for the holidays.

Hospice of Southeastern Michigan, the state's largest provider of specialty care for the terminally ill, and American Spoon Foods are offering a selection of gift boxes and baskets

for holiday giving.

From 25 to 30 percent of the sale proceeds will benefit Hospice of Southeastern Michigan, a Southfield-based organization dedicated to helping people live their final days in comfort and dignity.

Six boxes and baskets are available at prices ranging from \$25 to \$125 plus 10 percent for handling. All will be sent, with personalized

messages, to the recipients designated by the giver.

American Spoon Foods is known for Michigan dried tart cherries and Spoon Fruit, the company's all-natural fruit preserves.

"Now is the time when corporate executives start to think about gifts for their employees or clients," said Tom Moore, board chairman of Hospice of Southeastern Michigan. "Instead of the usual box of candy or bottle of wine, they can give a unique gift with a Michigan flavor, and at the same time benefit a worthy cause."

These baskets and boxes are also a lively way to send a little piece of Michigan to out-of-town family and friends during the holiday season.

Hospice of Southeastern Michigan raises money to help patients who have no health insurance. No patient is ever turned away from Hospice due to lack of funds. Donations also support Hospice's bereavement program, which is open to anyone whether or not their loved one was a Hospice patient. Neither families nor insurers are billed for bereavement services.

Hospice of Southeastern Michigan serves residents of Wayne, Oakland and Macomb counties without regard to race, religion, ethnic background, sexual orientation, age, type of illness or ability to pay. Founded in 1980, it is the oldest and largest hospice in Michigan and a national leader in the hospice movement.

For more information or an order form, call Hospice of Southeastern Michigan at 559-9209.

AAUW hears about Chaldeans

Andy Acho will talk to the Birmingham branch of the American Association of University Women on "Chaldean Link to Christians, Jew and Muslims" at a Wednesday luncheon meeting at Oakland Hills Country Club.

Guests are invited to the noon luncheon and speech which is scheduled for 1:15 p.m.

Acho, a Beverly Hills resident, came to the United States at the age of 10 from Baghdad, Iraq. His talk will cover the history, religion and culture of the Chaldean people, a rapidly growing group in this area.

His talk ties in with AAUW's year-long emphasis on cultural diversity and learning to understand other people in our midst, according to AAUW president Kay LaForest of Birmingham.

Acho is associate director of business strategy at Ford Motor Co. He holds bachelor and MBA degrees from the University of Detroit. Her was a recipient of the "Outstanding



Andy Acho

Young Man of America" award by the U.S. Junior Chamber of Commerce.

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