# THOUGHTS UNDER THE UNDER THE

A newsletter brought to you by Umbrella Ministries

# From The Heart of a Mom

From our moms:

"I wish I could do more. Umbrella Ministries helped save my life. After my beloved Nate's murder, I just wanted to die. Today, I'm sitting outside with joy in my heart. Thanks be to God and UM. Today I'm living a wonder life despite my son's death.

— "Nate's Mom"

"There are no words to thank you enough for the blessing of being able to attend this year's conference. The conference is always deeply touching to the heart and the soul. We all come with empty souls' year of doing life and leave feeling refreshed, love, full of God's spirit. Ready to put His Amour back on and continue down the road called life. Thanks to all the encouragement you bring to us and the magic you create for us all. I celebrated my daughter Misty's 48th Birthday this year at the conference, and the mom friends I made that day so very special for me and Misty. With sincere and deep appreciation.

— Misty's Mom





# Message from Co-Founder:

"The Day of Giving isn't until December 3rd, but we are so thankful and grateful for your support year around.

Your giving has made it possible for Umbrella Ministries to help thousands of moms for 28 years. Thank you for making it possible that we can help thousands more in their time of grief for another 28 years."

God bless you for your caring and sharing. Daisy Catchings Shader Co-Founder of Umbrella Ministries and the Board



# **Umbrella Fun Facts**

OVER 300 EVENT ATTENDEES THIS YEAR

**58 NEW** 

DONORS THIS PAST 6 MONTHS UMBRELLA CELEBRATED 28 YEARS THIS YEAR

### 2 CONFERENCES IN UGANDA 80 MOMS



### 2025 Events

For more information and registration; https://www.umbrellaministries. com/events/

COUPLES CONFERENCE ~ CA Feb 7 ~ Feb 9th, 2025

WEST COAST JOURNEY OF THE HEART ~ CA May 2nd ~ May 4th, 2025

COLORADO JOURNEY OF THE HEART ~ CO Aug 15th ~ Aug 18th, 2025

> WALK TO REMEMBER NATIONAL ~ CA September 2025

EAST COAST JOURNEY OF THE HEART~ NJ Sept 26th ~ Sept 28th, 2025

### Zoom Meeting Support Groups:

HOW TO GENTLY GET THROUGH THE HOLIDAYS! - KIMBER WILKES November 17, 2024

MY UNEXPECTED JOURNEY WITH GRIEF, MENTAL ILLNESS, AND SUICIDE - ERIN BLECHMEN Jan. 19, 2025

BREADCRUMBS" FINDING GOD'S MANNA FOR THE DAY-SHALAMAR OUTLAW Feb 23, 2025

Feb 23, 2025

TOPIC TBA - KATIE NICOKAI March 2, 2025

WAITING ON THE LORD-BRIDGETTE RITENOUR April 12, 2025

# **Conference Wrap Up**

PHOTOS FROM THE 2024 EVENTS

### COLORADO









WEST COAST











# We Would Love Your Support

Umbrella Ministries is run solely on support from our generous donors. We are forever thankful. Please consider a donation so that we may continue to run the conferences and reach our hand out to help a hurting mom on her journey. DONATE NOW

EAST COAST



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COUPLES

# Thank You for Your Loving Support!

### UM Donors/Grants from April through September 2024

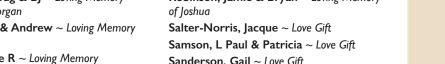
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### Scripture Verses of Peace & Comfort

