



# The Challengers Newsletter February 2015

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## Campground Spotlight

(No official rally for February)

### Fun Time At SEA Sarasota Rally!



Remember these?



Jane & Joel Kruse



Lori's campaign Supporters!



Diane Hoover & Nancy Marsden  
"Wine Bottle" class



Matt & Wayne



Trying to stay warm with Mike's F. fire pit!



Norman & Pauline



Yes we are eating again!



Are we sure we are in Florida?

## **Important News**

The 2015 Challenger member dues \$15.00 per coach, please pay the treasurer, Charlie Ragland. Dues must be paid by 03/01/15 to be active.

A "BIG" thank you to Linda and Mike Bounds for helping Howard and Josie, THANK YOU!

## Member Spotlight



Congratulations to our Chapter President Lori Pierce as she is now carrying an additional title, SEA Treasurer.

Here is what she had to say today after the election:  
"Thanks to my campaign committee, thanks to Margaret Arnold my campaign manager we won SEA Treasurer for Florida, GA, Alabama, Mississippi. I could have not done this without everyone's support. Let the party begin! — feeling excited."

## Craft Spotlight

Diane & Nancy will be hosting a wine bottle decorating class at the March rally. More details to following in the March newsletter.



*Prayer Request*

### February 2015

02/06 Frank P.  
02/07 Maury H.  
02/08 Norma C.  
02/17 Vicky F.

### February 2015

02/06 Jean & Linda P.  
02/27 Dan & Diane H.

Leroy & Martha B.  
Howard & Josie R.  
Jane A.

## March Rally Campground Spotlight March 23-29, 2015



# Chaplin Message Otis & Linda Lutz

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The cry of a Father's heart from Genesis to Revelation...



## Father's Love Letter

### My Child.....

*You may not know me,*

*but I know everything about you... **Psalm 139:1***

*I know when you sit down and when you rise up... **Psalm 139:2***

*I am familiar with all your ways ... **Psalm 139:3** Even the very hairs on your head are numbered... **Matthew 10:29-31***

*For you were made in my image... **Genesis 1:27** In me you live and move and have your being... **Acts 17:28***

*For you are my offspring... **Acts 17:28** I knew you even before you were conceived... **Jeremiah 1:4-5***

*I chose you when I planned creation... **Ephesians 1:11-12** You were not a mistake... **Psalm 139:15-16***

*For all your days are written in my book... **Psalm 139:15-16** I determined the exact time of your birth and where you*

*would live... **Acts 17:26** You are fearfully and wonderfully made... **Psalm 139:14** I knit you together in your*

*mother's womb... **Psalm 139:13** And brought you forth on the day you were born... **Psalm 71:6** I have been*

*misrepresented by those who don't know me... **John 8:41-44** And it is my desire to lavish my love on you... **1 John 3:11***

*Simply because you are my child and I am your Father... **John 3:1** I offer you more than your earthly father ever*

*could... **Matthew 7:11** For I am the perfect Father... **Matthew 5:48** Every good gift that you receive comes from*

*my hand... **James 1:17** For I am your provider and I meet all your needs... **Matthew 6:31-33** My plan for your*

*future has always been filled with hope... **Jeremiah 29:11** Because I love you with an everlasting love... **Jeremiah***

**31:3**

*My thoughts toward you are countless as the sand on the seashore... **Psalm 139:17-18** And I rejoice over you with*

*singing... **Zephaniah 3:17** I will never stop doing good to you... **Jeremiah 32:40** For you are my treasured*

*possession... **Exodus 19:5** I desire to establish you with all my heart and all my soul... **Jeremiah 32:41** And I want*

*to show you great and marvelous things... **Jeremiah 33:3** If you seek me with all your heart, you will find me...*

***Deuteronomy 4:29** Delight in me and I will give you the desires of your heart... **Psalm 37:4** For it is I who gave*

*you those desires... **Philippians 2:13** I am able to do more for you than you could possibly imagine... **Ephesians 3:20***

*For I am your greatest encourager... **2 Thessalonians 2:16-17** I am also the Father who comforts you in all your*

*troubles... **2 Corinthians 1:3-4** When you are broken-hearted, I am close to you... **Psalm 34:18** As a shepherd*

*carries a lamb, I have carried you close to my heart... **Isaiah 40:11** One day I will wipe away every tear from your*

*eyes... **Revelation 21:3-4** And I'll take away all the pain you have suffered on this earth... **Revelation 21:4** I am*

*your Father and I love you even as I love my son, Jesus... **John 17:23** For in Jesus my love for you is revealed ... **John***

***17:26** He is the exact representation of my being... **Hebrews 1:3** And He came to demonstrate that I am for you,*

*not against you... **Romans 8:31** Jesus died so that you and I could be reconciled... **2 Corinthians 5:18-19** His*

*death was the ultimate expression of my love for you... **1 John 4:10** If you receive the gift of my son Jesus, you receive*

*me...*

***1 John 2:23** And nothing will ever separate you from my love again... **Romans 8:38-39** Come home and I'll throw*

*the biggest party heaven has ever seen... **Luke 15:7** I have always been Father and will always be Father... **Ephesians***

***3:14-15** My question is... Will you be my child?... **John 1:12-13** I am waiting for you... **Luke 15:11-32***

Love, Your Dad  
Almighty God