

## The Ladies Auxiliary 2009 Gillionville Road

Albany, Georgia 31707-3139



The Ladies Auxiliary started the evening by praying the Rosary with the Knights of Columbus at 7:00 P. M. The Ladies then gathered in the Main Hall for their meeting at 7:30 P. M. Our scheduled speaker for the evening was Bernardita Turner, who shared with us pictures of her recent travels to several countries: Departing from the Philippines to Spain, Brussels, Paris, Rome, Monte Carlo to name just a few! Thank you Bernardita for sharing these beautiful sites with us!

Our next meeting is scheduled for October 10<sup>th</sup>, a day in history noted for:

1780 The Great Hurricane kills 20,000-30,000 in the Caribbean

1871 The Great Chicago Fire: Chicago burns after a barn accident. The fire lasts from October 8 to October 10.

1886 1st Dinner Jacket (tuxedo) worn to Autumn Ball at Tuxedo Park, New York

These events remind us of how lives can be destroyed as a result of a storm, destruction of a thriving city from an accident, and how formal wear received its title!

We will continue to collect items for the Soup Kitchen Gift Bags and our Veteran's Christmas and wrap them during our November meeting. Thanks again to all for your continued generosity. There is a song called "Angels Among Us" which is so very true of our members. We are blessed to have them, they "step up to the plate" when there is a need of their time, efforts and talents. Angels who do not expect recognition or praise, giving of themselves for others. There is no effort looked upon too little, all efforts continue to create one large success.

Our Ladies and Knights provided our desserts for the social following our meeting NOTE: [ Strength is the capacity to break a chocolate bar into four pieces with your bare hands - and then eat just one of the pieces!

We hope those of you receiving this message that are not yet Auxiliary members, will think about joining us. Our meetings are scheduled the same time as the Knights for your convenience. So, please come join us when you can, possibly at our next meeting. We look forward to seeing new and familiar faces.

May God surround all of you with His Mercy, Healing, Blessings and Grace until we meet again.

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The miracle is not that we do this work, but that we are happy to do it.

Mother Teresa

