

Refreshing Souls on Living Water

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Just for Fun: Imagine receiving an invitation to enjoy a retreat on the water. Which vessel would you choose?



Katherine Ann



Lu Lu Belle



Explorer



Cottonwood



Reel Money



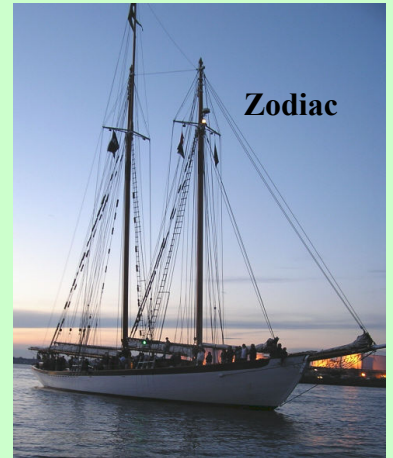
Motormar



Mystera



Majestic



Zodiac



Katherine Jane



Pelican



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Fortune Cookie 1 & 2



Suva Harbor



Golden Nugget



Active Pass



Sir Dimok

We'd be very interested to hear your choice! Of all the vessels we have come across in our travels, some fit the Noble Maritime Ministries vision ... and some obviously don't! ☺

News Flash:

We intend, God willing, to carry out an experimental Boat Retreat May 15-22 using a leased boat. We only need another \$3,600 to satisfy that budget but the challenge now is to **find the right vessel**. As I inspect and dicker on charter boats, I am discovering that there is a lack of *appropriate* ones for our purpose. Charter boats look good in the advertisements but, in some cases, turn out to be unseaworthy or undesirable in real life.

In the meantime we are making preparations, such as route plans for various weather conditions, menus and shopping lists. **Please pray with us** for God's leading and provision for the right boat and blessing on the retreat guests.

Answers to Prayer:

Rejoice with us at what the Lord has provided since our last month's letter:

- ✂ \$1400 of the needed \$5,000 towards leasing a boat for the first Boat Retreat!
- ✂ A set of King size linens for the guest room!
- ✂ "Love and Respect" DVD series was given to NMM!
- ✂ Help with weeding the massive & beautiful gardens!
- ✂ A CPA hired to help with books & finances!
- ✂ Encouragement and new friendships gained by serving at the Christian Heritage Homeschool and Family Discipleship conference (in Redmond, WA).

As always, we appreciate you more than you know. We see ourselves as a team – we are only the hands and feet but you are all the other "parts" that make this ministry happen!

With gratitude, Neil, Kathy and crew

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