Congratulations on reaching the half-way mark of your biennium!

Here are the things from Maine State Organization that you need to know and share:

- 1) At the top of the list is the attached information and registration form for the Cross Border Event on September 23-24, 2023. Please note the information on the Remembrance Tree dog tags. These plans are very exciting, and I am so appreciative for the teamwork that pulled them all together. **Registration is limited, and the deadline is September 1, 2023.** Make your plans now as we are going to have a blast.
- 2) Plans for the S-T-R-E-T-C-H Your Teaching Workshop are still in process. And it is a process! Stay tuned. Please do not hesitate to share any ideas or feedback with me.
- 3) In case you have not already seen it, here's the link to the June/July Presidents' Page: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LM2w5NwwDoY&list=PLqsKf5cYj-q6lQ-Aksxb3eWnugV cLv56&index=1
- 4) Priscilla M., Rachelle T., Teresa B., Kathy S., and Mary W. invested this past weekend June 23-25th in the state officer training in Dallas, TX. I'm hearing some rumblings about the heat and air travel... and also look forward to hearing more about their experiences. Please be sure to thank them for their time and loyalty to DKG.
- 5) Priscilla M., Mary W., and I are headed to Detroit for the International Conference from July 12-16th. I anticipate that we will have lots to share about this event.

This is my last official president's letter and yes, it is indeed bittersweet. Your state officers depend on you to be a strong link between the international, state, and chapter levels. I truly appreciate your support over this past year, especially as you have given your all to **renew**, **respond**, **and relate**. I would like to say that now I can **rest**, **recover**, **and reflect**, but that is not the case. For any of us! There is still a lot of work to be done to preserve DKG and move us forward. Please give dear Priscilla your continued active support and sincere encouragement.

See you all at Fall Workshop!

Most sincerely, Mary