

The Mountain Hermitage



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A Thank You to our Dear Dharma friends...

We here at The Mountain Hermitage have experienced a remarkable outpouring of generosity this year. In May, we reached out for help with an unprecedented financial shortfall, and the generous response has enabled us to move forward carefully with our program of planned retreats. Then in June we again called for donations, this time to help beloved Guiding Teacher Marcia Rose, who was having a difficult recovery after undergoing emergency abdominal surgery here in Taos. We are pleased that, after some critical weeks, Marcia is now on a steady path to recovery--thanks in no small part to excellent 24-hour care made possible primarily by an outpouring of dana, not to mention words of caring and encouragement. We are humbled and deeply grateful for the heartfelt response to both of these requests from our remarkable Dharma community. *Marcia and all of us at TMH offer a deep bow of gratitude.*

As we carefully financially traverse these last couple of months of 2023 and enter into the upcoming new year, our year-end fundraising campaign is crucially important for the survival of The Mountain Hermitage. We are operating on the edge of our financial capability. And so we ask once again for your generous Dharma support so that the Hermitage will be able to stand on a more stable financial footing and to hold our very unique retreats at the beautiful Hyperslow Retreat Center at San Geronimo Lodge and through our online offerings and courses.

Please consider offering TMH a generous gift of support as this year comes to an end. You will enable The Mountain Hermitage to continue offering the Dharma to those seeking to touch the truth of how it truly is, to find a deep sense of ease, calm and peace in their own heart/mind that will naturally expand to others on this troubled and exquisite planet. The Mountain Hermitage's survival is totally dependent on your generosity, you, our remarkable Dharma community.

You can send your gift directly to TMH in the enclosed envelope or you can send your gift via Network for Good, our online donation/dana link. You may choose to offer TMH an ongoing monthly gift or offer your dana on a one-time basis. Whatever amount and however you choose to offer your gift to the Hermitage, it will be greatly appreciated by all of us here at the Hermitage and by the many people who participate in Mountain Hermitage retreats in-person or online--which may include you.

"Before giving, the mind of the giver is happy; while giving, the mind of the giver is made peaceful; and having given, the mind of the giver is uplifted."

Gautama Buddha

With love and boundless gratitude,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Marcia Rose". The signature is fluid and elegant, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Marcia Rose, TMH Founding and Guiding Teacher