

Has no Favorites

It was just one of those years...from Saints to Jet-Setters to great thinkers, and those silent and unknown who departed without legends, yet loved

Like a thief in the night...ashes to ashes and dust to dust, the ebb and flow of time and space is always in a constant, but not perfect rhyme

A beating heart and the breath of life; but sooner or later we will join those on the other side, and take wing on a dove
Sorrow and joy, grief and happiness are strangely blended in life's grand finale...I have just come to realize

It was just one of those years...Mother Theresa, Princess Di, Carl Sagan and the man and woman on the street:

Our collective hearts ached

And pained and grieved at this procession of life, knowing that it would one day catch up with us in the cosmic infinite

With a year like this and many gone from our midst, it is easy to question the fairness of it all, and think there must be a mistake

Yet God in His love has inscribed their names in the book of life, and the truth of life is that God has no favorites

It was just one of those years...2000 years ago in a manger made of wood and straw, that God's love evolved to its highest form
Jesus Christ...The only Son of God, in whom he found such favor, walked among us to clothe the naked and feed the poor
To spread the Good News of peace and love in a world sometimes weary of itself...with an eternal message to help us soar
And we do see God in times like these...with loved ones and notables gone, and our own time moving on in a constant lure

It was just one of those years... and the signs of time continue ticking by like a good book with the best story line

So this Christmas let us remember the Holidays of the past...especially the first Christmas with simple gifts of love

As always, the Holiday Season with all its warmth, charm, peace and love is like a vintage glass of wine only served
at this special time

A Blessed Holiday and Peaceful New Year I extend to you both near and far, and a very special prayer of love to those
who have joined God above