

# Harvesters of Jesus



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The Association of the Harvesters of Jesus was established in order to provide the regular daily spiritual needs of the Little Eden Society. It is firmly believed that without such support, Little Eden would wither.

**“Love patiently accepts all things. It always trusts, always hopes, and always remains strong.” ~ 1 Corinthians 13**

Beautiful February...the month of love!

The wonderful thing about love is that you have the opportunity every day to express it in various ways and not only on one designated day in the year.

When I look at LITTLE EDEN, love is evident and present all year around. I notice the way in which our wonderful staff treat our children with respect and dignity. Loving care is demonstrated each time a child is fed, bathed, held and comforted.

Whenever someone gives of their time, skills or money, it is an expression of their care and concern for the well-being of our precious people.

Without love being confirmed and shared in so many ways, our children would not be as self-confident; as secure and content as they are here at LITTLE EDEN.

There is an African expression that goes: *Love is like a gentle, constant rain that falls softly, but that makes the river overflow.*

Perhaps you feel that *you* can't make a real difference, but often a seemingly small act of kindness has a far reaching effect on another person's life. Every little bit of love can change the world!

I challenge you this month to demonstrate your love in a practical way. You may be surprised at how the joy in your heart will be overflowing too!

Hanneli Esterhuysen



## **Daily prayer for the needs of LITTLE EDEN**

Jesus Great Harvester who desires the salvation of all mankind, accept the offering of my life and work in assisting You to help garner the fields for the harvest. Teach me compassion, understanding and love for those most in need. Bless our Association; strengthen the bonds of love and charity amongst us, so that with hearts united we may say "Thy kingdom come". Mary, comfort of the afflicted, pray for us.