

# Topaz Spirits

Newsletter Summer 2006

Happy Summer!! Well, it seems that wherever you are, it's HOT – hot is the operative word and it's been no exception in Tennessee – definitely NOT a good time to get a new roof or do anything else outside (which of course is what's happening outside ... ).

But this summer, I decided (or rather the Universe did) to do something else. For those of you who saw the notes in the store, you know that the unusually very healthy me ended up in the hospital for some rather scary emergency surgery. Apparently, some time ago, I had a major hit to the head (I think it was at my daughter's when I was playing with her dog and came up under a counter). This was a hematoma that persisted for a few years and then some event (like a quick stop or another small hit) started it bleeding. Let me tell you how painful the headaches were ... and then they had to drill 2 holes in my head to drain the blood and then there was an incision where they cauterized the vessels and then there were the staples that held it all together – talk about the Herman Munster look alike contest ... anyway, I'm pleased to say that I'm on the mend and doing well and hopefully pretty much back to normal except without the headaches that had become a daily event – and that's a good thing. The lesson here is that it always helps to get a head “ding” checked, whether you are showing the obvious signs of a concussion or not! I was SO lucky and am SO grateful to have some out of this like I have – the alternatives are grave!

And to that end, I want to thank ALL of you who have called, written and sent Reiki, good wishes, wondrous energy, love, prayers and all the good things – I can't begin to tell you how very much it has meant – and how it has reinforced what a wonderful Light Work community this is – thank you from the bottom of my heart – and all of my being as well!! Thank you, thank you, thank you!!!



Now, as a special thanks to you all, over the next few months, I will be expanding my website (see the eBay “About Me” page for the web address or search for Topaz Consulting in Google). From this point out, if you combine website purchases with eBay, I will offer the same shipping discounts and will be able to bill you via PayPal for the total purchase. Hopefully, a real shopping cart will evolve and it will become more and more transparent as time goes by. I'll migrate some of the smaller items from the eBay store to a special page so that you can easily access them and it is my goal to reduce the price to you for things like the loupes, tumblers and smaller crystals, grid sets and the like. eBay is shifting their focus back to auctions, so I'll be continuing in that vein and yet offering a wide variety of other items through the both the eBay store and my website – my goal is to provide you with the best possible variety of crystals and crystalline energies at the best price possible. In addition, I'll do special requests for specific crystals and energies.

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I'm hoping that by offering both venues,  
I'll better reach the crystalline  
community and bring the best of the  
best to you!!!

Thanks again for ALL that you do and  
have a great rest of the summer~!!

*Jan*