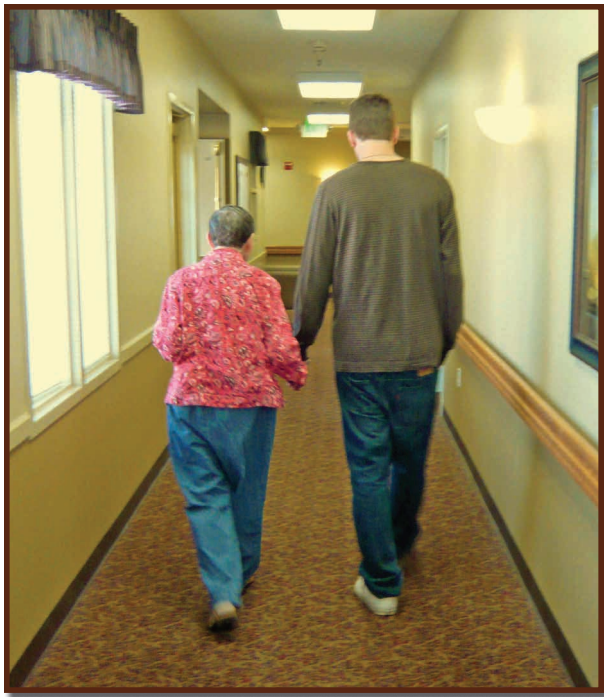


Helping those who
cannot help themselves....

Through the loving hands of
many generous and talented
people, this endeavor will help
ease the anxiety that is often
present in those suffering
from this disease.



Alice "Walkin' the Halls"
with her grandson Scott.

Thank You



The above-pictured blanket was knit for
Alice by her daughter Diane. The comfort
it gave her mom was the inspiration
to create Alice's Embrace.

When you donate an item to us, please include
your name and address. This will enable us to
send you an acknowledgement letter for your
tax-deductible contribution. Without your kind
and generous donations, Alice's Embrace would
not be able to thrive. Thank you for all you do!

We welcome monetary gifts, as well. This tax-
deductible donation will help defray the costs of
our day-to-day expenses. Thank you so much!



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Providing hand knit
and hand crocheted prayer
shawls and lap blankets to
comfort those suffering with
Alzheimer's disease.









About Us



In 2014, Alice's Embrace was created in memory of Alice Figueira, who passed away May 29, 2011 at the age of 79. She lived the last six years of her life with Alzheimer's disease.

The purpose of Alice's Embrace is to provide comfort and warmth to those suffering with Alzheimer's. This will be possible with the help of generous people who knit and crochet for us.

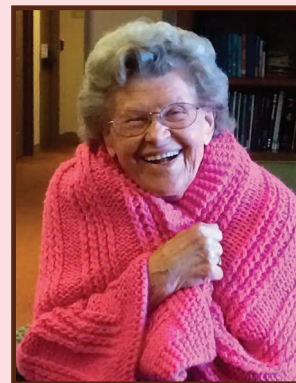
-  Choose one of our special patterns
-  Choose a yarn
-  Choose to make either a prayer shawl or lap blanket
-  Create the item
-  Wash the item
-  Send item to Alice's Embrace or take it to a partnering yarn shop

The Recipients

Words cannot describe the emotions we experience when Alice's Embrace makes a delivery. Joy and peacefulness are just two of the feelings that are seen among the recipients of one of our items.

The residents choose their own special gift from the many lap blankets and prayer shawls that are brought to a delivery. We notice that a specific color or texture might draw in a recipient to a particular item... the resident chooses one that looks special to them... their name is written on the Alice's Embrace label... and then before they know it, their beautiful item is wrapped around their shoulders or draped across their lap... and then the smiles come out.

Pictured below are Dean and Vera enjoying their new gifts at one of the many Alice's Embrace deliveries.



Donations



Alice's Embrace receives prayer shawls and lap blankets from around the globe. Each item that comes in is very special in its own way. Whether it is crocheted or knitted... whether it was created in memory of a dear uncle or in honor of a beloved mother who is suffering the daily struggles of Alzheimer's, it is unique and beautiful. The love and care woven into each stitch is apparent in all of our donations. This kind and hardworking support is much appreciated.

The Patterns

All of our patterns are named after unique stories about Alice. From Birds on a Wire or Cashews to Sugar Pie or Wonderland, there are 64 patterns in all. If you navigate to the PATTERNS page on the website, you will be able to read the special stories behind the intriguing pattern names.