

VILLA VOICE
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DATED EVENTS -
PLEASE EXPEDITE

THURSDAY- NOVEMBER 6th

BIG BINGO LUNCHEON

Choice of Hamburger
or Hot Dog
Potato Salad
Baked Beans

Dessert
\$3.50 per



FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 14th

Choice of Baked Fish
or Brisket of Beef
Mashed Potatoes
Vegetable
Dessert

\$6.50 per

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20th

THANKSGIVING DINNER

"Tom Turkey with all
the trimmings and
special dessert

\$7.50 per

HAPPY THANKSGIVING

TO ALL

FROM

"THE KITCHEN STAFF"

JOIN US FOR AN EXCITING DAY

OGLEBAY FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS!!

YOU WILL NOT FORGET THE BEAUTY AND WONDERLAND EXPERIENCE OF
SEEING THE LIGHTS OF OGLEBAY --- CERTAINLY A DON'T MISS
TRIP TO REMEMBER FOR A LONG TIME TO COME.

DATE: MONDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1997

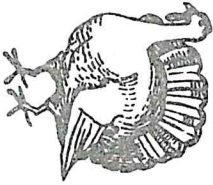
TIME: 11:00 A.M. departure from Villa Serena

RETURN: approximately 11:00 P.M.

COST: \$ 54.00 ALL INCLUSIVE

TRIP INCLUDES TRANSPORTATION, COST OF ADMISSION TO THE MANSION
HOUSE AND MUSEUM AND CHRISTMAS SHOP - SEE THE WINTER FANTASY
LASER SHOW -- AT 3:30 P.M. THERE WILL BE A COMPLETE LUSCIOUS
BUFFET DINNER AT THE WILSON LODGE AT OGLEBAY PARK -- AFTER
DINNER ENJOY A COMPLETE TOUR OF ALL THE LIGHTING DISPLAYS WITH
A STEP ON GUIDE FROM OGLEBAY PARK -- ALSO INCLUDES ALL TAXES AND
GRATIUTIES - A SNACK STOP EITHER GOING OR COMING BACK WILL BE ON
SIGN UP IN THE OFFICE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE - SPACE WILL BE LIMITED ^{OWN.}
THE COST OF THE TRIP MUST BE PAID AT TIME RESERVATION IS MADE.
THERE WILL BE NO LAST MINUTE REFUNDS UNLESS A REPLACEMENT CAN
BE MADE IN YOUR PLACE.

TRULY A DON'T MISS TRIP IF YOU HAVE NEVER BEEN TO
OGLEBAY PARK!!!!!!!!!!

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
3 9:30-12:30 Ceramics	4 9:00-10:00 Exercise 3:30 Rosary	5 9:00-12:00 Sewing	6 12:30 Luncheon 1:30 Bingo	7 3:30 Communion
6:30 Pinochle	7:00 Game night	7:00 Cards	7:00 Memories	
10 9:30-12:30 Ceramics	11 9:00-10:00 Exercise	12 9:00-12:00 Sewing	13 1:30-2:30 Line Dancing	14
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24	25	26	27	28
ALL ACTIVITIES CANCELLED THIS WEEK				
				

DANCING AND MORE DANCING!!!!

Dancing at the Villa Serena is is a very important part of what we have become accustomed to and become a part of our monthly activities.

So, how can we ever say in any one month "no" we are not going to have a dance.

And at the same time, how can we ever say "no" we are not going to celebrate birthdays and anniversaries this month.

Both have become a part of our activities that bring us all together each month to enjoy the food, companionship and to spread a little cheer in the lives of those celebrating their birthdays and anniversaries.

We will celebrate both dancing and your birthdays and anniversaries at our dinner on

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 14th. Remember to let us know so that you can avail yourself of the discount if you come to celebrate with us.

You know we always have the best of dinners and certainly we always have the best music available to us for your dancing pleasure.

It will be another nice evening at the Villa Serena.

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PINOCHLE WINNERS

Sept. 29

Mitzi Weber	639	\$2.00
Ann Panichi	550	1.75
Agnes Puro	542	1.25
Helen Balutis	521	1.00

Oct. 6

Agnes Puro	570	2.00
Mitzi Weber	536	1.75
Ed Mark	533	1.50
Thelma Lilje	526	1.00

Oct. 13

Thelma Lilje	561	2.00
Howard Barnes	540	1.75
Mitzi Weber	510	1.25
Anne Panichi	507	1.00

Oct. 20

Ed Mark	541	2.00
Gert Pierce	530	1.75
Agnes Puro	529	1.25
Mary Blasko	525	1.00

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Your biography is getting longer all of the time. Good for you.

The one thing that most of us do better than anyone else is read our own writing.

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COMING EVENTS

- Thursday, Nov. 6th
 - 12:30 Lunch
 - 1:30 Bingo
- Thursday, Nov. 6th
 - 7:00 Memories
- Wednesday, Nov. 12th
 - 7:00 Concert
- Friday, Nov. 14th
 - 5:00 Dinner
 - 6:30 Dancing
- Thursday, Nov. 20th
 - 5:00 Dinner
 - 6:30 Program

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A PIANO CONCERT AGAIN!!!!!!

Ann Castellano is coming back again!!!!!!!!!!

If you missed her last performance in September, you might think again because it was one of the loveliest evenings those who attended had experienced in a long time.

Her musical abilities and her wonderful personality permeated the entire room.

She played beautiful melodies we all knew both classical and Italian. We all sang right along with her and had so much fun.

Don't miss this great artist. She will be here with us on Wednesday, November 12th at 7:00 P.M.

You certainly won't want to miss this one. I know those who there will certainly be be back.

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RESIDENTS

Do we have your license plate number on file? If not, please contact the office now. Thank you.

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OLD CLEVELAND MEMORIES!!!!!!

Not too many weeks ago, I watched a beautiful program on Channel 25 which was a part of their fund raiser program called "Cleveland Memories" and "More Cleveland Memories". If you saw this program, I am sure it brought back all the nostalgia of years ago when our city was really booming to the thrills of the parks, dance halls and so many other things we have begun to forget about.

It was a time of great memories for me and so I purchased these tapes so that possibly those of you who may not have had the opportunity to see them when they were presented will now have a chance to remember "the wonderful days gone by."

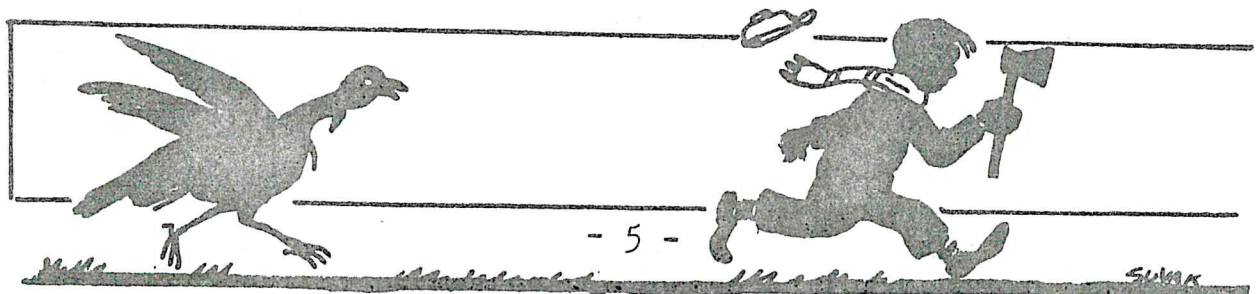
It will be an evening well spent and take you way back to your childhood days when things were much simpler, happier and cost so much less money than today.

We will have the first special showing of these tapes - THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 6th beginning at 7:00 P.M.

I guarantee it will be another great evening at the Villa Serena and provide you with a lot of things to talk about about our "younger" days.

Don't miss it!!!!!!

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COMPREHENSIVE NEEDS
ASSESSMENT

Our Comprehensive Needs Assessment which was conducted at the Villa Serena during the month of September has been completed. The U.S. Department of HUD requires that this survey be made available for anyone who may desire may have the opportunity to do so.

This survey will be available in the Villa Serena office from November 1st to November 15th for anyone who may desire can see the results of our survey.

In the meantime, if you have any additional comments you would like to make, please feel free to turn the same into the office and we will provide the same to the Home Insurance personnel who conducted our survey.

Thank you.

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BINGO LUNCHEON!!

Come and have lunch with us and play "Big Bingo". You know we always have a good time.

Lunch will be served at noon and Bingo starts at 1:30 P.M. Everyone attending the luncheon will receive an extra Bingo card compliments of the Villa Serena.

Come join us, you know our hot hot dogs and hamburgers are the best and so is the money you might win when you stay to play Bingo

Mark the day THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 6th.
Make your reservations in advance for lunch.

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ITS TIME TO VOTE IN OUR COMMUNITY

PLEASE DO NOT FORGET!!!!!!!

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4th is Election Day. It is the day when you speak out. Let yourself be heard by your vote.

Whatever may be your convictions and your choice of candidate, it is important. Mayfield Heights is a great city to live in and it is up to us to cast our votes and support our city no matter whatever you want to vote for or whomever candidate you desire to vote for.

Too many of us are becoming very lacksadaisical and uninterested in voting because we are disenchanted with politics. But just remember, by your not voting, you might be the one vote that can cause the loss of an election or re-election of a very loyal and dedicated person who most might be deserving of having the chance to serve you.

How lucky we at the Villa Serena are in that we do not have to dodge the bad weather to cast our vote. It is right here in our building.

DO IT!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

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MEMBERS, ATTENTION

Have you checked your card to be sure your membership has not expired? If so, why not sign up for the next year. That way you will not miss any of the activities.

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CLOTHES & MORE CLOTHES!!!!

We all know that double edged problem, nothing to wear in spite of a closet filled with clothes. Standing in front of the closet each day, you know you must organize and re-organize.

Make your bed first, then use it to make piles of apparel separating them by category.

One pile, the give aways, everything you haven't worn in a year. Include the articles that need repair, unless you are sure you can and will do the repairs or have them done by a tailor or a seamstress.

One pile should have your very favorites, shirts, shorts, pants, robes, all things with your favorite colors and those you feel most comfortable wearing. those, you of course, will keep.

Separate your out of season articles. We all know that in this climate we have warm things to wear and cool items.

If you have outgrown anything, don't wait till it fits again. By that time, it just might be out of style.

Be ruthless with the give aways. Remember there are those who need and will appreciate what you are not using. DONATE! You will feel good about it!! Good luck! You now have some room in the closet. Doesn't that make you feel good???

Josephine Gentile

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FATHER IN HEAVEN, WE THANK THEE!

Dear Father, thank you for bringing us all to another Thanksgiving Day. Each year as we celebrate this old and beautiful holiday, we turn our thoughts which have a habit of getting lost in the hustle and bustle of every day life--to you. To tell you that we are so grateful for your blessings, our safe, warm home at the Villa Serena, our friends and neighbors who have become so dear to us.

We thank you particularly for your grace and help which has brought us through the storms and helped over the rough spots especially this year when we at the Villa Serena lost our dear Mr. Chesler who was such a friend to all of us and so enjoyed this season of the year with us. Take care of all of our friends also who are no longer with us this year. Give us the courage to face our senior years with serenity with a little more kindness toward one another.

We ask your prayers, Father, for all the young men who will miss this holiday season with their loved ones because they are busy serving our country in all parts of the world.

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WEDNESDAY CARD PARTY WINNERS

October 8th winners were Evelyn DeFlorentis, Thelma Olsen, Eddie Mark, Anne Panichi, Helen Balutis and Jennie Cellura.

Come on down some Wednesday evening.

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BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

NOVEMBER 1997

NOVEMBER

2	Kathleen Compiseno #409	
1	Mary Ann Tobin	514
5	Jack Higgins	420
7	Michael Ward	713
	Angelo Daria	728
10	Mary Weimer	608
13	Jennie Iannetta	731
14	Walter Haffey	721
17	Dorothy Mullen	720
21	Andrew Sworan	825
22	Irene Doyle	219
23	Norman Kobel	318
25	Domenic Trozzi	316
26	Jean Earl	421
	Rose Miklos	225
27	Michael Turocy	217
28	Elisa Raines	213
	Mary Amling	532
29	Ann Trozzi	316

ANNIVERSARIES

NOVEMBER

17	Mr. & Mrs. John Maletelick
18	Mr. & Mrs. Morris Berlin
20	Mr. & Mrs. Louis Tucci
23	Mr. & Mrs. Dominic Trozzi #316
29	Mr. & Mrs. Walter Wiltshire
30	Mr. & Mrs. Aron Chernyak #618

NOVEMBER

2	Magdalene Strache
3	Ann Fitzpatrick
4	Sophie Robbins
	Tillie Patete
8	Mary Turos
9	Theresa Vacobucci
10	Philomena Barbitta
	Aldy Regalbuto
11	Nate Cohen
	Leo Perry
13	Dorothy Scheibel
15	Leonard Dorn
16	Clarina Rosa
	Mary Secura
18	Lillian Hruska
	Angie Federico
	Natalie Mihelvic
19	Marie DeGeorge
20	Sally Berlin
	Loretta Hick
21	Catherine Haggerty
	Tony Gentile
23	Marjorie Andrews
	Tony Insana
24	Marianna Skarnus
25	Helen Simon
27	Frank Heinrich
	Phillip Mirenda
28	Emil Wierber
29	Eleanor Petti
	Julia Frye
30	Betty Teachout

Happy Anniversary

Happy Birthday

T H E V I L L A V O I C E

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THANKSGIVING DAY CELEBRATION!

Just when are we going to stop asking that age old question by saying "where did this year go so fast" and we are again talking about the celebration of Thanksgiving Day.

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It marks the beginning of all the holiday seasons when our concerns turn to the food we are going to serve, the cookies we are going to bake and a million other things that have to be done before that day comes when it will be the end of the year and we will start out all over again, shaking our heads and wondering what happened to this past year.

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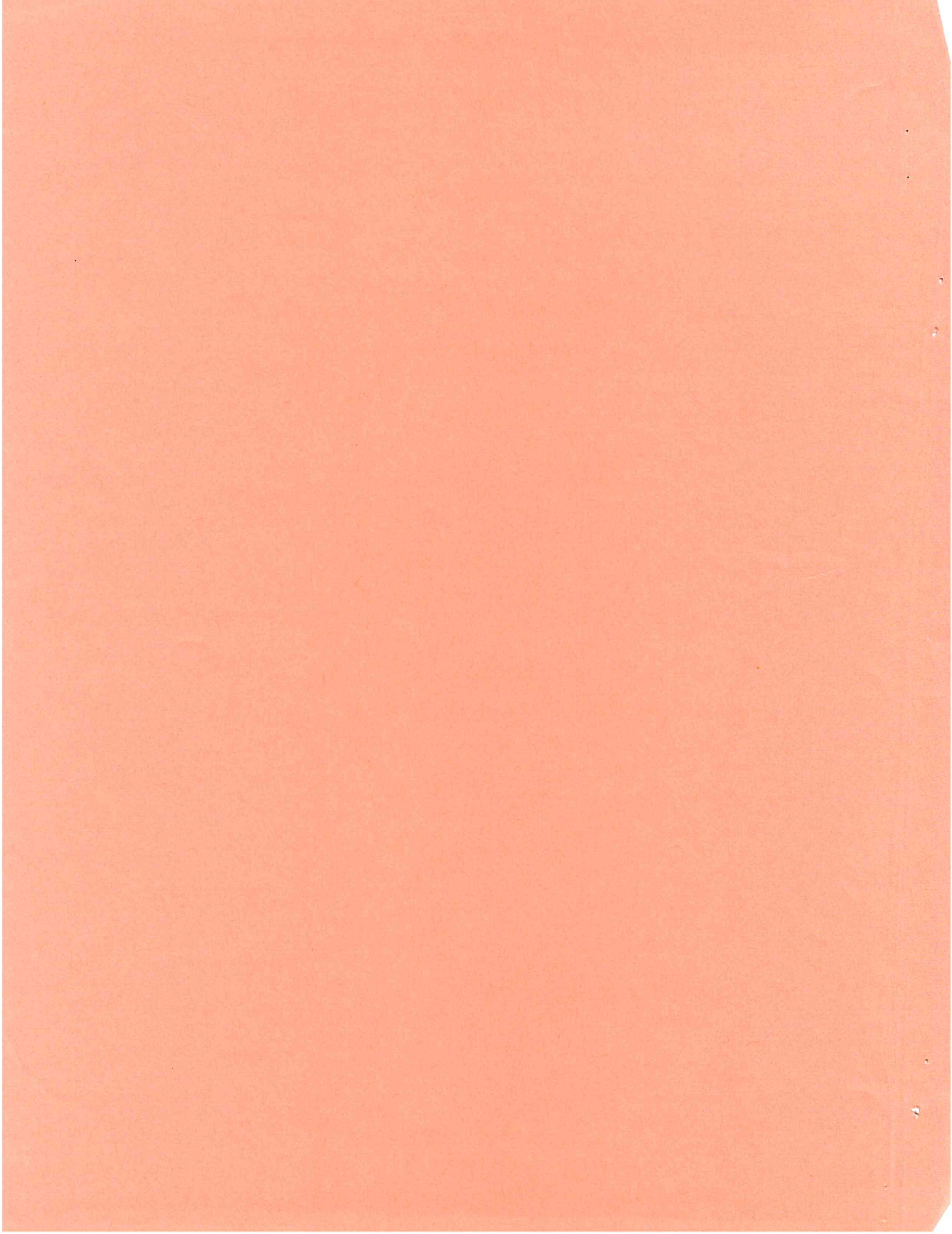
Here at the Villa Serena in spite of the passing of time, we will still celebrate our Thanksgiving with our usual big family dinner together and giving thanks to the Lord above for getting us this far.



On THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20th we will once gather in the dining room to feast on our favorite bird, "TOM TURKEY" and all the other goodies that go with it. As usual, our entertainment for the evening will be befitting the season of the year when we all want to count our blessings and getting together with our friends.

Plan to celebrate with us. We'd love to have you!!

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The Villa Voice

November 1997

Thanksgiving

