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#### Vice President's Corner: The Fine Print of Altruism

At WFWP, we often discuss concepts like "true love" and "living for the sake of others." In her memoir, Mother Moon highlights that true love thrives on giving—"the more we give, the more we receive." This sentiment resonates across many spiritual traditions, emphasizing the joy of selflessness.

However, the pressure to give selflessly can lead to exhaustion and resentment if we're not careful. Here are four key points to help you give sustainably and joyfully.

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# Her Story Award: Celebrating Resilience and Leadership

On September 14, 2024, WFWP USA hosted the HerStory Award ceremony, honoring two extraordinary women for their contributions. Dr. Saundra Yancy McGuire, Professor Emerita at Louisiana State University and a breast cancer survivor, is committed to empowering students through education. Sydney Krebsbach, a Community Inclusion Specialist, advocates for individuals with disabilities and has been instrumental in shaping policies to support their rights.

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#### Visiting Kazakhstan: Opportunity of a Lifetime

In September, I had the incredible opportunity to visit Almaty, Kazakhstan, to support Dilbar Kadyrkul, WFWP's CEE Fellow, as she implemented a community empowerment project. Sponsored by the U.S. Department of State, this visit allowed me to contribute to workshops aimed at empowering local women, particularly in a rural

village where employment opportunities are scarce.

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# Women Standing Hand-in-Hand at 12 Bridge of Peace Ceremonies

On September 21, as we celebrate the International Day of Peace, WFWP USA embraced a powerful message of reconciliation and unity. Across the nation, over 12 Bridge of Peace ceremonies took place, bringing women together to foster understanding, heal divisions, and create lasting peace. These programs highlight the essential role of reconciliation in conflict resolution, reminding us that true peace starts within and extends outward.

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#### A Day of Empowerment and Connection: Awaken Retreat in the Bay Area

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# Inspiring Journey of Hope in New Jersey

On September 21, WFWP New Jersey held a meaningful event titled "Tea with Intention" at the Allwood Branch Library in Clifton, NJ. We were honored to welcome Kiana Wooten, a breast cancer survivor and Angel Advocate for the Tigerlily Foundation, who shared her powerful personal journey with breast cancer. Earlier this year, Kiana was also recognized with the HerStory Award from WFWP.

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# Join Us for "Wholehearted": A 7-Week Journey of Womanhood

"Wholehearted" is a transformative 7-week course designed for anyone ready to unveil the essence of womanhood.

This course will begin every Wednesday from November 6 to December 18, 2024. We invite you to embark on this enriching exploration and discover how embracing the essence of womanhood is vital for living wholeheartedly and shaping a more peaceful world. Click to learn more ...



#### HerStory Award

Join us on Sat. November 9th at 8PM EDT for the next virtual HerStory Award.

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