

Introduction



Happy New Year!!!

The Magic Happens Team and Columnists want to wish you the most pleasing year yet and we hope that what you will find in this issue of The Magic Happens will support and inspire you to your highest potential.

Before I begin to tell you how we hope to do that, I would like to extend an apology from Wayne and myself for the lateness of this issue. Wayne succumbed to a nasty bout of the flu the week before January 1st, the very week he usually assembles this magazine so we decided he should take the time off and recover, knowing in our hearts that you wouldn't mind waiting an extra week or so for this edition. ☺

The year of 2008 is upon us and we have decided to do something special for you all. A few years ago we had started talking to people on conference calls about an inner technology that we have employed for many years now. We call this technology 'Themes' and it has been very powerful in our lives and in the lives of those we have shared it with.

For this edition of The Magic Happens, we have Featured '**The 2008 Themes Project.**' The Themes Project includes an explanation as to how to use this technology, the stories of several participants in 2007 and the opportunity to choose your own Theme, and to sign up for an email list where you will receive tips, tools, suggestions, and reminders and discover the magic that we have discovered in using this technique. By participating in the Themes project, you will experience profound and lasting change on the subject of your

choice effortlessly and you can offer your stories about how Themes worked for you in the 2009 January edition.

The past few months have been exciting and fun, though not very interesting to write about from the point of view of events as this quarter has been more about learning and growing than it has been about adventure in the outside world.

The articles contained in this issue are written to share with you what we have learned on many subjects and how our inner worlds are changing. We have learned over the years that periods like this quarter are extremely important to the over all master piece of our lives because when we change our inner world, we subsequently change our outer world; in fact, there is no other way to change our outer world. ☺

Since The Magic Happens is about Thriving Out Loud it seems fitting that it reflects what is going on for us rather than trying to make it uniform issue to issue. Besides, this project is still evolving and it will decide for itself what it wants to grow up to be. This being the first addition of a brand new year, it is likely appropriate that it is composed mostly of intellectual discourse that may serve us all in crafting the year of our dreams in 2008.

What's Coming?

Our next edition will be released on April 1, 2008. Who knows what this quarter will bring so hold on to your hats, I'm sure it will be amazing!!

Sometime before April 1st, The Magic Happens will be releasing its first ebook called 'The Art of Manifesting Your Desire.' If you want to be notified of the ebooks release, please sign in to our Friday Freebies list or The 2008 Themes Project as both lists will be notified of the date of release.

Also, on or before March 1st Wayne, David Farkas and I will be launching a new blog that reviews movies from the point of

view (as David calls it) of spiritual mechanics. Wayne and I came up with the idea through watching movies and recognizing that even the most mainstream movies teach us beautiful lessons about living to our highest potential. It is our hope that this blog will serve the reader by assisting everyone to recognize the gifts we are given in entertainment clothing. We will post the link to the blog in the body of the magazine as soon as it comes available.

Also, we are looking for fresh perspectives and therefore new columnists, if you believe your style will suit The Magic Happens, please email a sample of your writing to me (Kat). Include your phone number and some good times during the week for me to call so I can hammer out the details with you.
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We are wishing you the finest year ever in 2008! If there is anything we can do to support you in creating the master piece called your life, please feel free to let us know!

Happy Trails 2008!
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