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Update: Simply Compassion Advocacy board and I want to let the community know that as of May 31st, 2023, our charity was dissolved.

For the past five years we have been working to support seniors living in care through awareness, education, and donations of items to improve their quality of life.

We have had some wonderful people along the way helping us with programs like all the schools in Okotoks, High River, and Airdrie, making thousands of cards for every occasion to let all the seniors who are living in care, know that they are important to our children too. We have an amazing community who helped us with fundraising, Christmas projects, our senior angels, just to name a few.

We were able to deliver our workshop to two facilities in Calgary because families and some staff went to management and requested it. They recognized that care would improve if there was just a little more education and tools for staff and families. We are grateful to them for letting us pilot our Simply Me training with them. They were both a huge success and have changed the lives of seniors and the staff in terms of how they care for our most vulnerable.

We faced many roadblocks trying to bring about change, but I am so excited to take my passion in a different direction. A few of our volunteers have offered to still volunteer to help me with these new endeavors, and I am so grateful.

Please stay tuned for future programs as I will continue to bring awareness, deliver our workshop wherever needed, and work with the schools to deliver cards. I believe if we all just knew a little more about how to support our aging and people living with dementia, our world would be a much better place.

For me it is all about connection and I look forward to hearing more stories and meeting more people who are passionate about change for our seniors. You can still reach me at simplycompassionadvocacy@gmail.com

Sincerely,

Debbie Dunwell

Founder/Executive Director