



*Friends of the Gardens
of Hospice Ministries*



Presents

2018 Spring Garden Seminar

Saturday, May 12

9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Please join us for the **2018 Spring Garden Seminar** featuring *Susan Haltom, Terry Rector, Jesse Yancy, Shaun Broderick, and Tim and Cindy Riley* for a workshop addressing home gardening - roses, vegetables, trees, and shrubs. Whether a beginner or a Master Gardener, this will be a day of fun and information. Tickets are \$35 and include lunch, a tour of the gardens, and an annual membership to Friends of the Gardens of Hospice Ministries.

Friends of the Gardens

Friends of the Gardens of Hospice Ministries was formed in May 2017, almost 20 years after Dr. Tom Stevens, his wife June, and a team of dedicated friends implemented the gardens project at Hospice Ministries. In 1999, they built and planted the basic layout of gardens, with three courtyards and terraces, a rose garden, two landscaped entrances, and several corridor beds and walkways. All of the original trees, shrubs, and flowers were donated. After June Stevens retired, Rebecca Allen took the helm to continue with Dr. Stevens' vision of garden beauty. Plants, trellises, planters, outdoor furniture, walkways, and numerous other items have been donated, planted, constructed, and maintained by faithful volunteers.

Today, our team of volunteer gardeners and Master Gardeners work every week mowing, weeding, pruning, planting, and feeding. We are also blessed with many volunteer groups that schedule "workdays" to help in the gardens. Their dedication and hard work have proven to be invaluable. On a daily basis the gardens provide enjoyment to our patients along with their families and friends.

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9:00 a.m.: **Susan Haltom**

"Gardens: Sunshine, Food and Medicine to the Soul"

9:45 a.m.: **Terry Rector**

"Dealing with Garden Pests"

10:30 a.m.: **Jesse Yancy**

"Guerilla Gardening"

11:30 a.m.: **Lunch and Garden Tours**

12:30 p.m.: **Tim and Cindy Riley**

"Growing and Propagating Roses"

1:15 p.m.: **Shaun Broderick**

"Propagating Plants"

REGISTRATION FORM

Annual Membership\$25.00

Seminar and Membership\$35.00

Additional Donation.....\$ _____

Total \$ _____

Make Checks Payable to and Mail, along with form, to:

Hospice Ministries Attn: Friends of the Gardens
450 Towne Center Blvd. | Ridgeland, MS 39157

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Address: _____

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