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## Destiny

It was a mild spring day when destiny came calling and laid its path of enticement from my doorstep all the way to Middlebury, IN. I didn't know it that day but would realize shortly thereafter that the trips between Chicago and Middlebury would become fewer and fewer as more of my

possessions found their way to the countryside ... leaving the big, windy city behind.

I had loved the clamor of the city. Opportunity was everywhere! People to see, places to go, things to do ... the list was endless! Each new day would dawn with a sense of adventure



and end with a sense of accomplishment. The "L" would lull me to sleep at night as it would whiz by my window there in the concrete jungle. The traffic was relentless, horns honking, people shuffling on their way here and there, babies crying, dogs barking.

The many scents and flavors of the city satisfied my palette more than once and sent me away satisfied on my journey. I never thought I would ever leave.

Then I did. I found a reason to venture out further ... to see anew what I once held so dear and had (without direct intent) left behind without much thought at all. The countryside was there ... just outside the city limits ... the countryside that once promised lazy days and clean air, tree swings and long, languid bike rides. The countryside that I had been born into, grew up in and then somehow grew away from.

This time the countryside was called Middlebury. It was small and charming with a hint of the old faded in just around the edges. It wasn't love at first sight for me, but it was a place that beckoned to my heart and drew me in, one short visit after another.



I came to live on a property that was bordered on the East by the little Elkhart River. I would spend long hours sitting out on my little dock at the edge of that river to think and to pray. I felt more at peace in that particular place than I have anywhere ever in my life ... before that or since. It was almost magical. It was certainly tranquil.

I have since moved on, although I am still in Middlebury. I am thankful to

be here. Living in such a beautiful little town has been a blessing in its own right. I am miles away from Chicago now, both physically and mentally, and although it is just a short trip back ... I am content to be here. I am happy to be here ... and I have something here that Chicago will never have ... Bristol on one side and Shipshewana on the other. Need I say more?

#### ADVERSITY VS. ADVENTURE

#### -Meet Your Neighbor-

Some say this is a time of adversity ... a miserable time of misfortune. Others claim it is an obvious opportunity for adventure. Every experience, every occasion presents to us a choice that we consciously make ... is our "cup half full or is it half empty"?

Driving through Goshen and Mishawaka this past weekend presented a new outlook on things for me. The stores were full and people were spending money ... shopping bags abounded! The restaurants were full as well; some of them had (waiting) lines of patrons spilling out their front doors. I realized right then that we all have our very own personal view of the economy right now.

Elkhart was hit particularly hard due to the RV industry failing, many families are out of work ... out of food ... out of money. Bristol, Middlebury and Shipshewana seem to be "holding their own" so far. Although the merchants in these three small towns that I have talked to all claim business is down by a considerable margin compared to last year, we seem to have the momentum to keep going. Or do we?

One could argue that we really aren't in an economic slump in our small towns as is witnessed in other areas of the United States ... perhaps looks are deceiving though.

Consider this: let's say you drive by a particular store every day (easy to do when you live in a small town) and you know for a fact that this particular store has been there since your parents were kids. Are you taking it for granted? Are you just assuming that this store will survive any turbulence in the economy because of its known longevity thus far?

Although I don't know the outcome of this particular "economic storm" I do know that times such as these call for everyone to act in a responsible way and to contribute to the survival of the small businesses that weave together the "fabric" of the small town "feel".

It is this very "feel" that makes us so inclined to live

in such a place as this.

One very potent way of insuring our survival is to GET TO KNOW YOUR NEIGHBOR. Reach out ... go meet that business owner down the street ... go ask to talk to the man/ woman who owns the store downtown. Support these people and you too shall be supported.

Adversity? NO! Consider this an Adventure!

#### Merchants Supporting Our Community: Look inside for their valuable coupons.

- A Good Neighbor Heating & Cooling
- Crystal Valley Power Equipment
- Dutch Country Market
- E & S Sales
- Jerry's Standard Service
- Quality Optical
- Rob's Barber Shop
- R & S Carpet Cleaning
- Rulli's Italian American Restaurant & Catering
- Varns & Hoover Hardware Store
- Wana Feed Service, Inc.
- Yarn on the Farm Yarn Store



I met an amazing man via the computer the other day; a stranger that touched me with his story. Bob and I belong to a Contractor's forum on the web that allows us to keep up with the latest and greatest in the HVAC world. This site allows us to network as

#### Inside The Tea Room

-By Brenda Dwyer

well as have access to others in our industry that are more than willing to share their opinions and ideas. Being a part of this particular group has its perks. One of those perks is an online publication that is full of stories of interest pertaining to individuals within our industry as well as tools, etc that are just making their way onto the "scene".

Hence, this is how I came upon Joe Groh. Joe Groh is a second generation

Heating & Cooling Contractor ... there was a story about him in the afore mentioned online publication. I was so inspired by his story that I contacted him via email after visiting his website. As a result, he is a new contributor to The Tea Room and I am thankful for his participation. It is an honor that he would take time out to grace us with his written contributions which are rich with his appreciated sense of humor.

If you haven't yet taken the opportunity to visit The Tea Room yourself, then please accept this invitation... go to www.agood neighboronline.com and click on The Tea Room in the menu located on the left hand side of the Home Page. The Tea Room is full of separately titled pages. You will find Joe Groh's story on the page called The Lighthouse and you will find his gift of contributions on the page called Scents of Cinnamon.

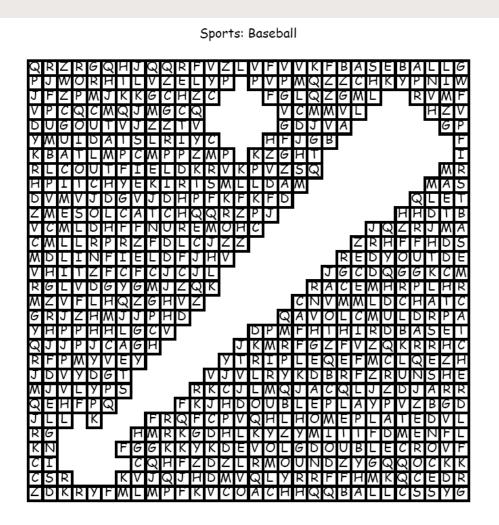
What else does The Tea Room have that you might have interest in? Well, let's see, we touch on pregnancy in "Lullabies & Fireflies", we have a new page titled "I Do" that is just begging for your own romantic story ... there is a prayer wall, a room with a dash of humor for menopausal or premenopausal women, and well ... I could go on and on but truthfully there is just about something for everyone.

It is light-hearted fare. I would say it's just another place on the web one can go check out and yet the reaction to it according to our web stats is tremendous and the readers just keep coming back. It's just one more thing I am very thankful for.

Blessings to you & yours and enjoy!



Batter-up—it's baseball season! Search through the Word Search puzzle below for the 39 hidden words listed underneath. All of the words are related to baseball, be sure to circle the entire word.



BALL	BASEBALL	BAT	CATCH	CATCHER
COACH	CURVE BALL	DOUBLE	DOUBLE PLAY	DUGOUT
FAST BALL	FIRST BASE	<b>GLOVE</b>	HAT	HIT
HOME	HOME PLATE	HOME RUN	INFIELD	LOSE
MANAGER	MITT	MOUND	OUT	OUTFIELD
PITCH	PITCHER	RUN	SCORE	SECOND BASE
SINGLE	STADIUM	STEAL	STRIKE	TEAM
THIRD BASE	THROW	TRIPLE	WIN	



Cleo had her kittens. I've seen them; Minx and Bootsie have taken a peek too! They are adorable! I am not going to say how many there are. We don't want Brenda and Becca to be sad because they haven't seen them yet. Cleo has a tendency to keep her babies away from everybody for as long as she possibly can. I, on the other hand, am due any day now and I always run to Brenda or Becca whenever I am about to deliver. It's not a time I want to be alone; I always feel better when one of them is with me, besides, they always make a nice, comfy box for me and my new little ones and wait on us hand and foot.

Spring is in the air! The phones are ringing off and on all day now and Brenda doesn't have as much time to pause to pet us when we see her outside.

The garden is blooming and there are flowers popping up everywhere in all of the flowerbeds. The grass is a rich green and looks even more lush than it did this time last year. We have an owl that has taken up residence in the woods at the back of the house. He is a hoot! I will have to be extra careful to keep my tiny newborns protected at all times. Cleo has mentioned this too. We are both just a little fretful.

Minx just isn't getting as much sleep as usual because of that old owl. Well, hopefully next month I can tell you all about my litter! In the meantime, I think I'll go nap in the sun ... prrrrrrrrrrrrrrr.

See you next month!





I want to thank everyone who called and gave so much positive feedback about the first issue of this paper. Your kind words gave everyone who works on Good Neighbor News a lift in spirit. I truly hope I can continue to bring it to your homes. This paper is intended to bring local merchants and residents together.

I want to make this clear; the merchants that choose to advertise in this paper are investing back into this community. These merchants are telling you they care, they want to help; they appreciate and want your business. Please accept their offer; use their coupons let them know you're choosing to support their efforts as well as your community as a whole.

If you have a favorite merchant and you don't see their ad or coupon in this paper ask them why they're not participating. They may not know about the paper. If you bring it to their attention perhaps they too would be willing to give back to the community with a discount coupon.

This paper is not about making a profit ... it's about making a difference. I started this paper knowing I would lose money but hoping it would somehow make a difference. I hope one of Brenda's stories brings a smile to someone's face, I hope someone finds just the perfect coupon they need in the paper, I hope friendships are built between merchants and neighbors, I hope someone looks forward to getting this little paper in their mail box.

I hope tonight at the dinner table someone mentions this little paper and talks about making a difference, talks about being part of a solution, talks about neighbors helping neighbors. I will bring you this paper as long as I can. The only revenue this paper generates is from the local advertisers; without them I can't continue this journey. I never intended to make a profit from this paper.

I will continue to always invest back into our local communities; I am committed to do my part. I hope we all do our small part. The equation is simple. If everyone were to make even a small effort ... together we can make a big difference.

Finally, I hope to see you at one of our local merchants using your coupons; do something nice for someone today.



It seems as if every newspaper you have ever opened has a section that invites their readers to participate on some level. We felt that a "Letters to the Editor" section would be a good place for us to start. We invite you, our readers, to either submit comments on current events and/or the paper itself, or ask questions on a topic of your choosing.

Please keep it light and uplifting whenever possible. We look forward to hearing from you. We reserve the right to limit and/or edit any submissions at our discretion. Please email all inquiries to AGNeighborNews@aol.com.

#### **GARDENING** 101

#### A little imagination goes a long way.

What was I thinking??? I suppose in hindsight it was therapeutic in a way. Whatever it was; I was in it for the long haul. And so it goes with most gardens. There was this "raw" patch of ground that was bonejarring to mow every year. I would try every which way I could to avoid it until the last possible moment. Then the wonderfully unexpected happened. One day we just decided that our old bobcat skid steer needed a new buddy and lo and behold when we got her home we knew we needed to put her to work. Uh oh ... where would we do anything, what would we do? Light bulb mo-I had an idea! ment!!! "Babe, let's eliminate that patch of rough ground out there and make an "escape" for the two of us! Let's create a pathway garden!" and it was so.

Now I don't know about you but the most experi-

ence I had with gardening on any level was enough to fit into half an almond shell, to be sure. However, I have this incredible (and sometimes ridiculous) ability to convince myself that I CAN DO THIS! I must be so convincing at times that others allow me to take on projects of considerable scale and then just nod when I pull it off.

Picture this, if you will: the boys took turns in the bobcat and there I was planted center stage (smack dab in the middle) of this beautiful, flowing garden that I could see (but others could not) and I was motioning to them as they moved the dirt around that I wanted dips here ... hills there ... a place for a waterfall here (mound up the dirt!) a berm there and so it went. Once she was basically "molded" into a workable shape I could see her even clearer. Others, however, were still holding

out judgment.

The plantings and design came bit by bit, yet in a rush and as a result, a RUSH of activity ensued. The water lines and electricity were put in place, landscape fabric covered every square inch of her ... all of the softscaping was installed and then the hardscapes. The final touch was the jewelry ... the decorative curbing to surround and "hug" her with a beautiful stamped cobblestone entrance to welcome visitors in.

Here we are now, three years worth of "Springs" into this once rough patch of ground and I must say that with or without my tending ... that garden grows and adorns the rest of our yard like a crown jewel. On more than one occasion we have found it to be a place of rewarded tranquility, a place to "get away from it all". Ah, serenity!

## From The Pulpit

This month's column is written by Pastor Dan Petry:

If you are not a churchgoer at present, I imagine it would take some real willpower to change your current Sunday morning routine. It would also take some bravery to walk through the door of a church building and just look around at the life inside. But if you were brave enough to step through the door of, say, Middlebury Church of the Brethren just a little before 9:00 a.m., what would you find there?

Well, for starters, a warm welcome. Someone might even open the front door for you. If not, there is always a cheerful person stationed to the left of the main entrance who will greet you, help you get oriented to the building ("Where's the bathroom in this place, anyway?") and point you toward our sanctuary.

Upon entering the sanctuary (fancy name for big meeting room), additional greeters will shake your hand and smile like they mean it, because they do. Then an usher will give you a worship bulletin (a small program which gives the starting lineup and tells what inning we're in). These friendly men and women will also help you find a seat if you'd like help, but there are usually plenty of open options. Notice: There are no reserved pews, so you won't ever be sitting in someone else's place. (But should anyone look at you that way, just tell me and I will deal with them personally after the service!)

Worship itself is an interesting mix of traditional and contemporary styles. We sing hymns and use a worship band. We have open mike to share our joys and sorrows. We take children seriously and have special moments just for them (though we have a staffed nursery as well). Sometimes new converts are baptized in our baptistery up front, and all their friends and family gather 'round close enough to dip their hands in the water. Most often there is a sermon, which varies in popularity depending on the topic, but which always comes from considerable Bible study, prayer and thinking on the issues of our day.

Come sometime!

--Pastor Dan Petry of the Middlebury Church of the Brethren 507 W. Bristol St., Middlebury, Indiana 46540 574-825-2955

#### Attention: Local Clergymen/women:

Most local newspapers run a list of the churches in our area. That list is very helpful to people that are new to the community and seeking a church to become a part of as well as those that have lived here for a while but haven't yet found a church home. One thing these lists don't offer, though, is a feeling for what happens inside our various churches.

FROM THE PULPIT is a monthly article featuring local clergymen/women who are willing to donate a bit of their time to write between 300-350 words either telling us about their faith, their work, their church or perhaps they will feel led to share a message that they have on their heart. Keep in mind that some of our readers don't have a church home, perhaps they're not even seeking one but this could be your opportunity to share an encouraging word with them. I am looking forward to seeing how this space is filled. We only have space to accommodate 12 preachers/pastors/ministers/priests per year so get your submissions in early! It won't cost your church a penny ... it will only cost you your time to write it and email it to us! Your submissions can be emailed to AGNeighborNews @aol.com.

## LET'S HELP EACH OTHER



#### A Personal Letter From the Desk of Bob Dwyer-

I was just getting ready to place an ad in the paper to advertise my company's air conditioning service. Running late as usual and close to the ad deadline I started looking for what I thought would be a good ad ... maybe free financing or a discount on a new unit ... something that would make the phone

ring. As I looked at all the ads on the table in front of me I asked myself, "what do my neighbors really need, what would help them?" The summer heat is on the way and many of you will need to start your air conditioners. Some won't even start, some will run (but not efficiently) and will lead to higher operating costs and greater chances of break down. Your unit may be low on refrigerant... dirty or the fan motor is pulling high amps, the indoor coil may be dirty (restricting air flow) or a wire is ready to burn up or a contactor or capacitor is going bad. There are many things that should be checked but often we overlook having an inspection, tune up or cleaning because we think we can't afford it so we just take a chance and wait to see what happens. I can tell you what happens. The unit breaks; you pay more for emergency service repairs or you need a whole new unit. For others the unit keeps running but you just pay higher electric bills because it's not running the way it should. So how can I help you? I'm willing to lower the cost of a complete air conditioning inspection to the cheapest price possible. This is a one time deal. You will never see this offer again. This is my way of helping you and asking you for help. This deal will benefit both of us. It gives you an unbeatable price and it keeps my techs working in these tough times so let's be good neighbors and help each other.

The regular price for a complete check up is \$89.95. At times we offer a coupon and you can get the service for \$69.95. This is a one time offer (you won't see this AD again) for just \$39.95. That's the complete price for us to check the whole air conditioning system, including the indoor coil. You must present this coupon and you must call to schedule your appointment before May 29, 2009. the check up must take place before July 15, 2009. No exceptions permitted and this offer cannot be used in combination with any other offer being advertised anywhere, by A Good Neighbor Heating & Cooling.

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Offer good w/coupon only. Coupon expires May 29, 2009. Check-up must be held before July 15, 2009.

NOTICE to all our readers: We placed this AD in other local publications, intending to run this offer only one time. Because of the positive response we received from the AD, we felt we needed to make this offer available to all of our readers in the Shipshewana, Middlebury and Bristol areas that may not have received it through the other publications.

We appreciate your business and look forward to working with you in the near future!

## GO GREEN! Is GREEN good or is it all HYPE

After much consideration, and a bit of participation from friends and family who agreed to research this topic, it appears that going "Green" is much more a moral consideration than a money-saving one.

Go organic, go wind power, go solar, go nuclear ... go, go, go. Where are we GO-ing with all of this?

I can remember in high school (back in the

1970's) when my class was called upon to participate in a project that would map out a futuristic plan of creating a lesspolluted world. The EPA was on a honeymoon with our State governments and part of their marketing effort was to involve school children with this common problem. We were off and running; trying to figure out how we could reduce pollution on our planet and thus create

a better legacy of environment for future generations.

Our particular class did not come up with any noteworthy solutions, but most of us did walk away with a sense of responsibility in taking our individual parts more seriously. Perhaps today, that is the most any of us can do; we should be better stewards of what we have, what we do, what we use, and what we discard. To always strive to live better by living cleaner, neater and in a more environmentally thoughtful way is nothing short of basic consideration and trust me, a little consideration can go a very long way. Please send comments regarding this article to AGNeighborNews@aol.com. We look forward to hearing from you!



## Bring on the BBQ!



Blue skies, apple pies and seasoned fries. Bring on the BBQ! Is there any better time in the world than Summer to put on your imaginary "I am a world renown Chef" hat and go to town on every slab of meat you can possibly get your hands on to hone your skills?

I've known some people to spend a good portion of their winters trying to "perfect" their sauce. Personally, I like to play around with the OTC stuff. There is one brand in particular that (I think) offers such a wonderfully aromatic base to experi-

ment with that I don't see the point in trying to get too fancy (or messy) in the kitchen. However, having said that, let me say this ... I will be more than happy to take a front row seat anywhere to gaze upon anyone intently bent over pots, pans, concoctions, spices, etc. trying to create a sauce that is so untouchable and so universally desirable that it will never be duplicated. Witnessing object creativity in its truest form is something in and of itself to be privy to. Coming from a place where food is a major draw, I miss witnessing the constant food competitions, the camaraderie amongst the participants, the pleasantries exchanged and last, but not least, the vigor and devotion to the task of winning. I, for one, will keep my ears open for any such whisper of a competition in this area ... or perhaps just in a neighboring kitchen. Mmm BBQ ... Summer is upon us! If you have a recipe for BBQ you would like to share in next month's issue of A Good Neighbor News please submit it to AG-NeighborNews@aol.com.

"Happy Grilling!!"

#### Step 1

Preheat outdoor barbecue to medium hot. Take a few paper towels and fold them several times to make a thick square, blot some oil on it, and carefully and quickly wipe the grates to make a non-stick surface. Season 2 pounds of brisket (ground twice) in a bowl with some salt and pepper. Give it about 3 turns in the bowl with your hands or a big spoon.

#### Step 2

Shape ground beef into 8 patties.

#### Step 3

Once the grill is hot, put the patties on and cook, around 7 minutes per side for rare burgers, and 8 minutes per side for medium burgers.

#### Step 4

During the final minute of cooking, throw a slice of Swiss cheese on desired burgers.

## From our Kitchen Burger Bar

#### Step 5

Toast the buns cut side down for about 1 minute, just to mark them. Prepare toppings, as desired.

Tomatoes with Sea Salt and Chives: Thickly slice 2 pounds heir-loom tomatoes, drizzle with olive oil, and sprinkle with sea salt and 1 bunch chopped fresh chives.

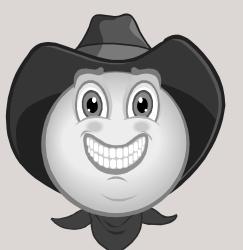
Bacon with Rosemary: Lay out 1 pound sliced bacon on a baking sheet, strip leaves from 1 sprig rosemary and throw them on top with lots of cracked black pepper and roast at 400 degrees F until the bacon is crisp, about 10 minutes.

Herbed Horseradish Mayonnaise: Stir together 1 cup mayonnaise, 1 tablespoon prepared horseradish, cup freshly minced herbs such as parsley, basil, chives or scallion, 2 tablespoons olive oil, a little squeeze of lemon juice, and salt and pepper.

#### Step 6

Serve the hamburgers in toasted buns with desired accompaniments

Howdy Neighbor! What's wrong? You couldn't find your favorite



merchant here in the coupon clip-n-save portion on the back page of the Good Neighbor News? Well, let me help you out... just clip this coupon and hand it to that favorite merchant of yours and have them

call Brenda

at 574-825-1677.

Let's work together to make sure their coupon is in next month's issue!

#### ~A Good Neighbor News~

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## Good Neighbor News COLORING CONTEST!

The terms of the contest are as follows:

Our coloring contest is open to children in one of two categories: ages 3 - 5 and 6 - 8 years of age that reside within Middlebury, Shipshewana or Bristol, IN. Cut out this entire form and color the picture below. Be sure to fill in all of your contact information. All submissions must be mailed to A Good Neighbor, 55320 CR 8, Middlebury, IN 46540 no later than June 10, 2009. Prize to be awarded to one winner in each category. Winners will receive a prize of \$25.00 each!

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## WANATHING

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Animal Health Supplies - Lawn Care Supplies Eagle Pack Pet Food - Show Feeds - Wood Shavings Hay/Straw - Pet Supplies - Wahl / Lister Clippers Bog Boots - Water Softener Salt - Bag/Bulk Delivery ~Drive-thru lane for fast & easy pick-up~

in the store\* \*CASH & CARRY **HOURS** 

Mon - Thurs: 8 to 5 Fri: 8 to 6; Sat: 8 to 3 PH: 260-768-4567 Toll Free: 800-788-0112 405 E North Village Dr. Shipshewana, IN

Nutrena Nutrena

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1a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Web site: www.rullispizza.com

Offer good on lunch or dinner. \*1/2 price buffet of equal or lesser value of purchased buffet or entrée.

reg. price entr<u>ée</u> or buffet. OPEN: Sun - Thurs 11 a.m. - 10 p.m. Friday & Saturday

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PH: 825-3818 · 424 N. Main, Middlebury

-Eye Examination: \$45 (dilated exam extra)

-Eyeglass Special: (a Complete pair of frames & lenses in select frames) \$89 single vision · \$ 109 lined bifocals · \$149 lined trifocals and standard progressives. -Must present coupon at time of exam/purchase.

Cannot be combined w/Insurance programs.

Value Coupon

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#### **VARNS & HOOVER HARDWARE**

101 S. Main St. · Middlebury, IN PH: 574-825-2705



1 Single sided **Key** or 1 pkg. of **Light Bulbs** w/any purchase at V & H Hardware.

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#### **16,700 Dryer Vent Fires a Year**

Lint Buildup Takes More Special **MAY17 Energy (and Money) To** To JUNE **17 only! Dry Your Clothes** 

**Dryer Vent Cleaning** 

(Reg \$139.95) **SALE PRICE \$69.95** 

*574*-825-1677

A Good Neighbor Heating & Cooling



#### Jerry's Standard Service

574-825-5040

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#### FREE TIRE ROTATION w/any service

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#### **Dutch Country** Market

11401 CR 16 Middlebury

~HONEY OF A DEAL~ Buy 1 5lb or larger **Honey- Get 1 free 80z. Honey Bear!** 



574-825-3594 • OPEN: M-F: 8:30-5:30, Sat: 8:30-4



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## ON THE FARM

Acrylics, Wools, Cotton Blends, Sock Yarns, and Crocheting & Knitting Supplies.

14080 CR 8 Middlebury, IN PH: 574-596-4261

\*For every regularly priced Brown Sheep Yarn you purchase, receive a second Brown Sheep Yarn for 1/2 off. 1/2 off item must be of equal or lesser value.

Brown Sheep

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Skim, 2% or whole

**E & S Sales** is Open: Mon– Fri: 8am-5:30pm, Sat: 8am-4pm

Limit 1 discount. MUST present coupon. Expires June 20, 2009

#### **Crystal Valley Power Equipment**

11720 W 250N • Middlebury, IN 46540 574-825-7281 • 800-246-0578

"Our #1 Product is Service"

FREE **Mower Blade** Sharpened

MEGHU.

Kubota TORO.

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### Rob's Barber Shop

Down Town Bristol (Vistula St.) 574-370-1361

Reg. \$11.50

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**Any Scotch Guard** 

**Treatment** 

Toll-Free: 877-865-6732

www.rscarpetcleaning.com

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