Day 6: The Aging are Indispensable!

Volunteer to shovel driveways and sidewalks for those who are aging.

Sponsor a workday at an elderly person's house.

Visit the hospital when families are preparing for loss or grieving. Hold their hands, listen, be present.

Serve at a funeral meal.

Offer to help care for someone at the end of his or her life by washing his/her hair, shaving him, reading, playing piano, or singing to the individual.

Visit a child in a hospital or cancer ward. If visiting isn't allowed, donate puzzles, crayons, coloring books, playdoh, stuffed animals, blankets, hats, costumes, and books.

Volunteer to read magazine articles, short books, or chapters in a novel to someone who is elderly.

Raise money to supplement the cost of an infant's funeral.

Regularly visit, call, or write to someone who is elderly.

Raise money for children who are terminally ill through a dance marathon, a walkathon, or other event in your community.

Volunteer at nursing home.

Offer to babysit while parents visit child in NICU.

Collect wedding dresses or purchase them at thrift stores to help make burial clothes for an infant.

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Raise money for gas cards and gift cards for food. Give them to families who have young children in the hospital.