

A Tag-Along Labyrinth Devotee By Gerry Kinneavy

Even though I was the second person to sign up as a member of Labyrinth Network Northwest, I cannot really claim to be “in the circle,” so to speak. I am what might be known as a “Labyrinth Husband,” tagging along with my wife Kay to various labyrinth events and driving to every labyrinth known to men and women!



It's a good life. Some labyrinths I walk; others I don't. I can just sit beside the labyrinth as Kay walks and feel the peace and comfort and healing of the journey. In the midst of a labyrinth, other kinds of meditation can also happen—those are the ones I get to have: sitting is good!



Going to labyrinth events and being close to the circle of labyrinth leaders of LNN has given me new friends, too, whom I value and enjoy. I've met lots of new people—some of them very interesting, some weird, some coming from spiritual places I had no idea about. That's valuable as diversity always is.

So, in the short run and the long run—labyrinths have been good to me, even though I am but a tag-along kind of guy! --Gerry Kinneavy



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