Colorado Columbine Chapter, ANG Chapter Minutes January 16, 2012

The meeting was called to order by the president, Vickie M. at 7:25 p.m.

Secretary: Luron P. was absent & excused. A copy of the minutes of the last general meeting in November was made available for perusal.

Treasurer: Terri D. reported \$1,808.70 in our checking account, \$3,832.75 in our credit union account and \$996.57 in our savings account. She noted that our CD is due for renewal or cashing on February 9 and recommends cashing and moving it into a savings account due to the low rate of interest it is currently earning. The board will have a tenday window after that date to make a final decision about the move.

Terri also reported a total of \$661.80 has been paid in membership dues in the time period of April-December 2011.

Programs: Cynthia L. reported that February's program would be the colorful design by Orna Willis called, 'Fierce.' Anyone owning the March, 2010 volume of Needlepoint Now already has the instructions in hand and can avoid paying the nominal class fee of \$5. It was noted that February's meeting is held on Tuesday evening, Feb. 21, instead of the usual Monday due to the church closing for Presidents' Day holiday. The March program will be a doll pin made from found objects and scraps.

Membership: Sally W. was absent and excused. There were 13 members present for the meeting.

President: Vickie M. reminded all that three offices are open for nominations: President, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President (Programs) & Secretary. The nominating committee of Madonna O. and Terri D. continue to canvas the membership for candidates.

Website editor: Madonna O. was absent and excused.

Historian: Julie S. had no news to report.

Corresponding Secretary: Ritta S. had no correspondence to report.

Hospitality chair: Lea K. offered refreshments and passed a sign-up sheet for future refreshment bringers.

Past President: Jane M. was absent and excused.

Show & Tell commenced with Susan Y., Abbey C., Karen B. showing their latest finished creations and some innovative finishing ideas.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:45 p.m. and was followed by the program regarding how to make more time for stitching.

Respectfully submitted,

Vickie M. President