



Rebecca Glissan has created her very own set of keepsake cards, designed to touch the heart of people who are grieving.

Finding comfort in times of loss

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WHEN you lose a loved one it feels like your world has ended. You can't breathe and I liken it to an earthquake tearing your life apart. After the initial quake, there is a myriad aftershocks that take years to turn into regular sized waves, then ripples.

At a time like that, a person is left shell-shocked and the only words that can penetrate their tears and sorrow are words of love, support and belief.

Glistening creator Rebecca Glissan, a full time clairvoyant, knows well the pained spirit of a person who is grieving and has etched a career out of trying to help the grieving soul by connecting them with their dearly departed loved one.

"I have been a clairvoyant for many years and use my gift to help people by giving them much needed messages from their loved ones and advise on what is in store for them in the future," Ms Glissan said.

Believing that many sympathy cards fall short when trying to pass on well wishes through difficult times, Georges Hall local Rebecca decided to create her very own set of keepsake cards, designed to touch the heart of people who are grieving.

In conjunction with her spirit guides, Rebecca created the heartfelt verses and meditated to get an appropriate design for the cards.

"I would wake up at 2am sometimes and start scrawling down on my notebook the verses that would come to me," Ms Glissan said.

"We aim to write the words our clients would like to speak but are not always able to find. We can also design, write and create personal, original cards for people if our range does not suit the person or situation."

Artist Jordana Amber Archer, who resides in Mexico, helps Rebecca's design visions come to fruition. Describing what she sees, Rebecca relays the information to Jordana, who in turn draws the design.

Helping people through their growth, triumphs and tragedies, Rebecca is already starting on a new range of cards which may even include prints and a set of oracle cards.

An avid environmentalist, she wants to eventually make her cards tree free. Hoping to source material from the Kenaf plant, a member of the Hibiscus family in Africa, she would like to create an employment program under the International Fair Trade Agreement where the people that pick the kenaf in the villages in remote regions of Africa will be paid for their services.

"I want to make sure we are giving back to the African communities that may be working for us," Ms Glissan said.

Retailing at \$6.95, the complete range of cards is available online at glistening.com.au or phone Glistening on 8011 4511 or 0405 941 993.

As for the future, there is no doubt that Rebecca will continue to touch people's hearts through her many humanitarian roles of clairvoyance, charity work and her gorgeous keepsake cards, spreading the message of love and hope in the most trying of times.