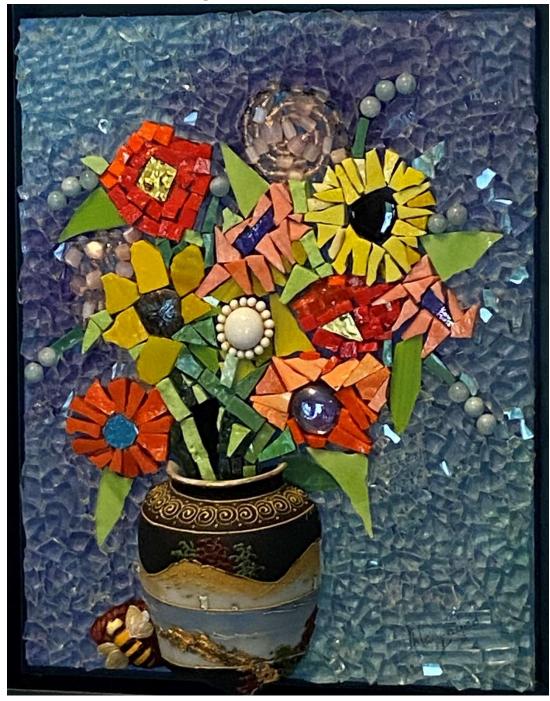
Dream and Imagine...Therein Lies Your Hope.

Hope can be found very close to where your heart and mind live.

Dream and Imagine



So I look up towards the sky and around me I see That my imagination and dreams could be worked through They might not look like my wishes but they certainly can be The hope that I work towards therein lies within me. I dreamt I found the flowers so sweet
I could smell their fragrance waft through
I looked around and found brown on the ground
And I knew that was not what would help me through.

The pot had been broken yet it had mended to look new
A life given again to be renewed
I needed hope to find the nectar
I needed to think what I could do
For the fragrance called deeply through and through.

The hope I so yearned for seemed elusive to me So I thought about what I would do I imagined my life in a reinvented better place and wanted that imagined dream to come true.

Hope is the desire and/or the belief that tomorrow will be better.

There are many definitions of hope not only as a noun (a thing) but also a verb (action).

- It is a feeling of expectation and desire for a certain thing to happen.
- It can also be a thing that may help or save someone.
- It can be grounds for believing that something good may happen or a feeling of trust.

As a verb it is

- When we want something to happen or be the case.
- It also can be an intent, if possible, to do something.

The idea or feeling of hope is important for not only recovery but also to reinvent our lives after loss and be able to move forward. But what if you do not know how to move forward or what you want your new life to be like? What if the Universe keeps knocking you down when you try to move forward? All good questions but it is also important to remember that change and finding where your boundaries are and strategies that you can use take time. The process of reinventing is one of self-awareness, acceptance and defining how reinventing can improve your life. (See previous posts on Journaling Your Journey to Reinventing Oneself at www.mozaicmama.com/blog.html to do more dream and imagining work.) When that process has been thought about, discussed, shared, contemplated, walked through, journaled, and lived with, then more intentional action can be taken. Along with a decision to live a better life with positive thoughts take action with intent and the desire to be happy. It is then that you will have the opportunity to emerge like the flowers that bring beauty.

If I were to work towards doing what I imagined these are the steps I would have to accomplish in order to do something along those lines:	Journal prompt: When I imagine feeling happy I am doing this:	
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Hope is the desire that tomorrow will be better, therefore, dream and imagine what a better tomorrow can look like.

Affirmation: Hope lives in my dreams and imagination and I can work towards my hope becoming a reality.