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COUNT YOUR BLESSINGS:

During the weeks ahead we are reminded of what we don 't have via all the paper and TV ads that come our way. Let's remember what we do have - one of the most important of these is our health . Without good health life can be a burden .

Our own staff has been touched with the "c" word. The word cancer often creates fear and sadness . And yet strength comes from it . If you know anyone who has experienced it first hand or through a close friend or family member that person develops a new attitude . Often annoyances lose their significance and issues that used to be BIG are now little . If you battled with cancer most of the other things life throws at you become minor .

Linda Crawford and the Technical Services Department have come up with a bright idea.... as some of you know, Bee Farina's 12 year old daughter Meghan has been undergoing cancer treatment at New York University Hospital since mid October. The Tech Dept. is collecting money from the entire library staff. The money will be used to give Meghan something to cheer her up and will show our support during this difficult time for Bee and her family.

SEE LINDA CRAWFORD in Cataloging by Wednesday , Nov. 21st if you would like to contribute to this endeavor. Thank you!

Happy Thanksgiving from the Director's Office to all of you.