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February has arrived. The flurry of the holidays finally put to rest. I want to wish all of you a Happy, if somewhat belated New Year. Here's hoping that 2010 is a year to remember for all of the good things. One thing I've become aware of is how important it is to live our days, not just get through them. As exciting as it is to look forward to a trip, an important event, or even the finishing of a sweater, the most important aspect is to experience getting there.

How many times I've found myself musing "if only I can get through today, then tomorrow I'll get to do something I really want to do." I think it becomes imperative to enjoy the getting through. Yes, we've all experienced the down economy, the real estate slump, and the unemployment woes. However, it is our reality. It isn't going to go away by getting through it...we still have those days to live. They are valuable real estate. Each day is equal in time, but often when I look back I don't find them all equal in experience. However, I did live them so then the question is how to make the mediocre days richer, or perhaps value mediocre for what it is, part of the living.

As I continue to knit through my yarn stash I try to remind myself to fully engage with the project at hand.

I've found it makes the knitting so much more enjoyable, rather than the "power knitting" approach, which often brings it to a swift end, but without much pleasure and often a sore shoulder. We all share the love of knitting and the joy it brings. Often that hour before bed shared with my knitting needles is the best part of the day. My job is to revel in that hour.

Needle on through!

Karen, Meredith, Theresa, Paula, Robyn, Marisol and Peggy

RAMBLINGS! New Rules

We're changing the club. Over the years many of you have wished that you didn't have to "pick a club partner". We often heard how the yarn you chose to purchase was never in your club. We've listened to you. Beginning this month we are changing the rules. From now on any yarn that L'Atelier carries will be offered to club members at a 15% discount. All cashmere products, including Jade Sapphire and Karabella products as well as the Filatura cashmeres will be available to club members at a 20% savings. Sweater of the Month and L'Atelier Yarns will continue at a member price of 25% off the regular retail price.

Visit our website latelier.com for more details. We think you'll like the change.



Free To Go

Jackets are still the rage and our free form throw on is just the perfect piece to dress up any tank or turtleneck. We've chosen *Stacy Charles' Sari*, a beautiful Silk tape that knits on a #11 needle and acts like the finest linen. We chose to accent it with a superb new novelty, **Fiocetto**, from *Filatura di Crosa*. Both yarns are new for spring. So have an adventure. Close it with a pin or 2 fun buttons. Non Club: \$221.00; Club: \$165.00



Spring Green



Black



Beige

Pattern Available For SOTM Members Only



L'atelier Book Pick

Bright Knits — Big City

Brought to us from Stacy Charles

This great pullover sweater knits side to side in **Siam**, a luscious blend of Viscose, Silk and a hint of Virgin wool from the *Stacy Charles Collection*. We've offered it as shown, with 7 spectacular colors, however, with a bit of ingenuity we can work the colors in a more neutral way if necessary. The pattern is a simple expanded rib, an easy wear for all body types. Put it on with jeans or a great skirt. It goes everywhere.

Non Club: \$250.95 Club: \$185.00

TEA FOR TWO Cha Cha, *Trendsetter Yarns'* wonderful wool tape knits our below the knee coat. The style is simple and a breeze to knit. The Cha Cha knits like a Persian Lamb. We've done it on a #17 needle, so the gratification is immediate. The collar is knit in a corresponding color of **Super Cashmere** from *Karabella* yarns which knits on a size 10 needle. Then knit our glorious scarf, in assorted Merino wools in 12 different colors and multiple patterns and textures. It's the perfect accent for the coat.

Coat: Non Club: \$476.00 Club: \$350.00

Scarf: Non Club: \$150.00 Club: \$112.50



Eggplant



Camel



Chocolate



Scarf Colors

