# 2020 YEAR OF THE NURSE & MIDWIFE Victorian



# Through The Years





# The Midwife

These eyes have witnessed beauty Which some may never see, Of rawness, power, strength and love, Of two becoming three.

> These ears have listened carefully To each pure and unique song, When women feel so vulnerable But are so immensely strong.

These hands have guided, soft but firm, And gently rubbed and soothed, From bump, to that first draw of breath, The mountains, they have moved. This heart has burst a thousand times, With each new perfect birth, A miracle, a small shot of joy, A blessing to the Earth.

This soul is full of happiness, 'Though sometimes cries and weeps, For most are born and taken home, But some, we cannot keep.

These eyes have witnessed beauty Which I've been blessed to see, Of rawness, power, strength and love, Of women feeling free.



~Emily Clayton~



### Let us never consider ourselves finished nurses.... we must be learning all of our lives.

- Florence Nightingale

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## Fresh Faces - 1975







45 Year Reunion - 2020

















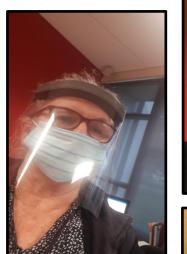






















It's time to **recognize the critical contribution** nurses and midwives make to global health!

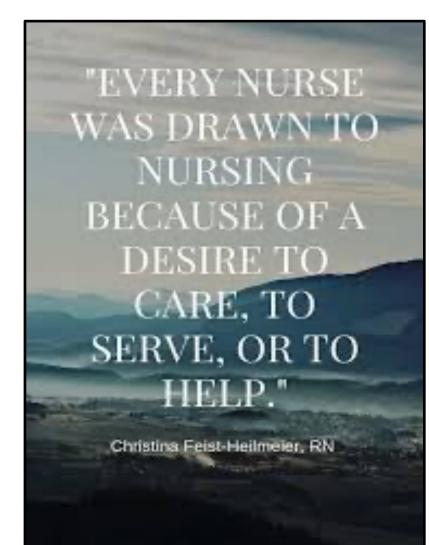
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Nursing is an art: and if it is to be made an art, it requires an exclusive devotion as hard a preparation, as any painter's or sculptor's work; for what is the having to do with dead canvas or dead marble, compared with having to do with the living body, the temple of God's spirit? It is one of the Fine Arts: I had almost said, the finest of Fine Arts.

(Florence Nightingale)

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# COVID Normal









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- Norwegian proverb

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