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Dear Subscriber,

We regret to announce that THREADS IN ACTION is suspending publication. On January 14th our home and office were destroyed by fire. With the exception of our most valuable papers that were kept in fireproof files (including one copy of the subscription records), all files, equipment, my library and other source materials, were lost. Some back issues, binders, and copies of my books were stored in a separate building so they were not destroyed.

We are faced with weeks of work going through fire-damaged and water-soaked papers and sifting ashes to inventory and assess the loss. If at all possible, we want to return something of equal value to each of our subscribers for the loss of their subscription.

To take the place of the three issues of the 1973-74 year that will not be printed, we can offer any of the following options at this time:

- ___ One copy of MACRAME, THE ART OF CREATIVE KNOTTING, hardbound.
- ___ Two copies of MACRAME, THE ART OF CREATIVE KNOTTING, paperback.
- ___ One copy of COLOR AND DESIGN IN MACRAME.
- ___ Two THREADS IN ACTION binders. Only the 1969-71 (yellow) and the 1973-75 (red) binders are available. Please indicate at the left which two binders you wish if this option is your choice.
- ___ Any three of the following issues:

Vol. 1, #1 ___	Vol. 2, #1 ___	Vol. 3, #1 ___	Vol. 4, #1 ___
#4 ___	#2 ___	#2 ___	#2 ___
	#3 ___	#3 ___	#3 ___
	#4 ___	#4 ___	#4 ___

Please mark with first and second choices because the stock of some items is limited. If none of the above is desired, please let us know and we will make all possible efforts to refund your loss. There may be a delay on refunds, so please keep us informed of changes of address.

It is with great regret that we send this announcement. Our loss is so great that we have lost all heart to continue the publication. Not only is our home, which was filled with family mementos and art and craft objects that will never be replaced, and our business gone, but also our much-loved pets, Tsuki the basset hound and Christy the cat, were lost. We barely escaped with our lives, and no one was able to reenter any part of the structures.

THREADS IN ACTION has been a very personal kind of publication, and we have felt a special rapport with our subscribers, so it is with great regret that we are unable to continue. We have appreciated your good notes and letters, your interest, and your support, and we thank you very much for our very pleasant association.

Sincerely,

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P.S. If this order is returned, please be sure your name and address is included -