

The Spider (delivery) Man

When Demi Sweeney, a college student in England, was confronted by a spider on the wall of her apartment, she didn't know what to do.

Terrified by the creature, she had no one nearby to help. That's when a friend on the phone suggested she call and order food delivery in the hopes the driver would be willing to kill the offending arachnid.

Upon contacting the food delivery company, Sweeney received the following message from it: *You can most certainly request this in the "delivery note" section when placing your order (and adding a spider emoji for extra emphasis). The only thing is, our driver may be more afraid of spiders than you are.*

When the delivery driver appeared at her door 20 minutes later with her order of KFC, Sweeney begged, "Please, you have to help me. I only ordered food for your help."

After directing Joe, the delivery guy, to the problem, he climbed on a chair, caught the spider and flushed it down the toilet.

"I can't believe the plan actually worked," Sweeney wrote. "I thanked him so many times; I literally could have hugged him. He's a hero."

This story reinforces the belief that most people are willing to help others when given the opportunity. The problem can be making sure those people are in our lives to begin with – so that they're there when we need them.



And that's the beauty of the mission of Life Care and Century Park – the work we are called to do. Our lives are allowed to overlap in service and love with our residents, their families and in fellowship and sense of purpose with one another. We are there to help and encourage each other as needs arise.

He (Christ) makes the whole body fit together perfectly. As each part does its own special work, it helps the other parts grow, so that the whole body is healthy and growing and full of love (Ephesians 4:16 NLT).

And that's the beauty of the body of associates, their teamwork and accomplishment in our centers.

No need to call the delivery man!

– Beecher Hunter