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<Mail Date>

Dear Generous,

Happy New Year! I hope you are staying happy and well as we usher in the new year.

I want you to know just how grateful I am for your compassionate support of Crisis Aid International. **Your gifts make such a difference to so many people living right here in the USA. Thank you!**

I'm including a note from Cindy, Director of our US Safe Program, which helps U.S. victims of sexual exploitation and trafficking. She shares a story to show just how impactful and life-changing your gift can be to a young victim.

**I hope Cindy's note inspires you to make another life-giving gift today.**

**Your gift of \$<XX> or \$<XXX> will help us open another Child's Anti-exploitation Partnership (CAP) office.**

A single office serves over 500 at-risk children a year! That's 500 more children you can help save from sexual abuse and trafficking with your gift today.

Your past generosity has helped many children already. **Through you**, we have Crisis Aid staff working inside police departments for St. Louis city, St. Louis county, Jefferson county and St. Charles county in Missouri. We also have a Crisis Aid staff member working in the Wyoming Police Department outside Grand Rapids, Michigan.

**Through you**, Crisis Aid's CAP staff work closely with Child

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Protective Services and Child Forensic Units at Children's Hospitals through these offices, providing a 24-hour response. The Crisis Aid team works tirelessly to help children and families affected by sexual abuse or trafficking. In addition, **through you**, our US Refuge Home has provided a safe home for over 200 girls.

A social worker from one of the Children's Hospital emergency departments recently said this to Cindy:

***“When we refer children into the CAP program, Crisis Aid responds right away. I haven't seen any of the children we have referred into the CAP Program come back through the system. That's Success!”***

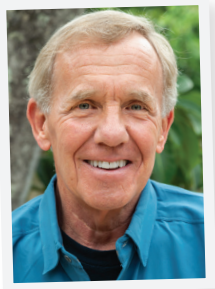
That's an amazing testament to the power of this work and how needed it is.

**There's so much more you and I can do to help these children. The need has never been greater.**

You can help us open another essential CAP office as soon as possible. You can help save more children across the United States who suffer from the horrors of sexual abuse and sex trafficking.

**Please, send your loving gift today.**

Thank you – and may God bless you beyond your wildest dreams!



With a grateful heart,

*Pat Bradley*

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Co-Founder, Crisis Aid International

*PS: YOUR LIFE-CHANGING GIFT CAN HELP  
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HORROR AND GIVE THEM A LIFE OF HOPE*

Please read this letter from Cindy.  
Pat

Dear Loving Friend,

It's always in the eyes. The eyes tell the story of the soul.

**When I first looked into Aleysha's eyes, they were lifeless.**

She looked like a cute little 13-year old girl, but she was sitting on the chair in front of me with ~~her~~ her shoulders hunched, body curled in to protect itself. She outright refused to admit that anything had been done to her - even though we had horrific video evidence of the terrible things she'd endured.

Things I won't describe to you, except to say **it would break your heart knowing Aleysha was treated that way. In a way no child should ever be treated.**

It took time and patience, but eventually, Aleysha did speak to me about what had happened to her. That was the first step.

Now, I'm not going to tell you it was an easy road; there were many ups and downs as we worked with her. But I recently received a photo from Aleysha's aunt. She was dressed in a fancy prom dress, smiling from ear to ear. Can I tell you... it sparked so much joy in my heart!

**And her eyes? They were filled ~~with~~ with life!**

It was a long road that started with a first, challenging step. **That step could not have happened without you.**

Through your amazing support of Crisis Aid International, you gave Aleysha the support she needed to open up about what was happening to her. I'm so grateful I had the honor to be there for Alysha, through the Child's Anti-Exploitation (CAP) Program, to give her that trusted space.

You had a hand in all the steps that came after that, too.

As a Crisis Aid employee working in partnership with the police, I was able to be there (and so were you!) to support Aleysha along the way. We (YOU and I) were able to walk alongside Aleysha as she slowly began to see the police department as a **safe place to go for help.** We stayed with Aleysha and her new family as they navigated the criminal justice process. We **held her hand as she bravely stood up** to be a part of the prosecution of her abusers - the people she no longer called family.

Aleysha moved in with her aunt and uncle to help create a more stable home environment. **You and I guided them** through a plan where Aleysha could be comfortable receiving mental health counseling and support.

There were certainly roadblocks along the way.

Aleysha had lived in a world without structure, a world of complete and utter neglect. She now lived in a stable home with proper boundaries and rules - which was a lot to get used to at first! But with support, her aunt and uncle stuck it out, and Aleysha began to respect the boundaries she was living with.

At first, I would see Aleysha almost every week. Now, we check in around major events or milestones, like prom or graduation. I love seeing those photos that show her living the kind of life a girl her age *should* be living! She even made all A's and B's on her most recent report card. I remember when her aunt called me. She ~~was~~ was so excited! I could just see Aleysha beaming from ear-to-ear through her words. I am so incredibly proud of her. She has shown amazing strength and resilience through all of this.

**That is what you have done for Aleysha. Thank you!**

Together, you and I helped her take the first step towards a new life filled with hope and possibility rather than one filled with pain and fear, and horror.

**Thank you for helping to put the spark of life back into Aleysha's eyes!** Thank you for reaching out your hand and showing her that the compassionate love of God can heal all wounds, given time and space to do so.

Yours in the utmost gratitude,



Cindy Malott  
Director of US Safe  
Crisis Aid International



PS: Your continued support of Crisis Aid International will help so many more children impacted by the horrors of the sex-trafficking and child sexual exploitation industry. **Thank you again for opening your heart to those innocent souls in need of God's love.**

*Note: name and details changed to protect privacy.*