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Dear Family Member,

Greetings wonderful friends and supporters of **Serving Our World!** After spending a month out in our projects, possible because of your generous support, I really felt compelled to share with you some of the amazing things that touched my heart.



I know you care, like me, so much for those in need, be it exploited children or families living on the edge of despair. As I spent time in the villages and gave out the Christmas gifts you helped to provide, I saw in the faces of the people a look of great hopelessness as crowds filed into tents and open fields. They are so grateful, yet I can sense the anguish that living on the edge brings.

We have great plans established and are working to bring opportunities for these families. At the beginning of 2010 help us literally build a facility that will empower the whole village and bring lasting hope to everyone. You can review our blueprints of East Timor on our website and get involved in making it possible for this village.



Then, for the children who live on the streets, looking to beg from everyone they meet, life is tragically difficult. Their situation isn't a one-time disaster but a daily fact of life. On the streets they hope to find compassionate people who take pity on them and not evil strangers who will exploit them. Unfortunately,

it is the latter who often offer immediate help, only to crush these little children later when they take complete control of their lives.

Child Rescue begins when we get involved in the everyday lives of children and bring positive change. As we support and teach in the community and surrounding villages, the children gain knowledge and slowly their lives improve. Our tremendously successful Skill Training Center in Thailand is bringing change for many children as well as adults who will all have the chance to reach their future goals.

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Touching Lives, Building Futures



Your caring gift is the key to open the door of the future for these precious lives. Your gift provides new hopes and dreams in a safe environment, away from the predators that seek to enslave and exploit these small children for their own gain.

So if you haven't made a decision to get involved, let me encourage you to make Today the day you make a difference in an innocent child's life. Your donation will make it possible for **Serving Our World** to extend our hand to those who desperately need us, to families who are wondering how they will survive another day.

Your help is greatly needed right now! With your gift, YOU can bring a wonderful change into the lives of those who come every week, excited to learn a skill.

In addition, YOUR gift rescues these children from the sex industry by providing the training they need to be self sufficient. As you give you become an integral part of **Serving Our World**, offering hope to people in need.

Thank you so much for your support and commitment to the poor. The love you demonstrate with your generous donation will make an extraordinary difference in the lives of these children. We cannot thank you enough.

Together reaching those in need,



Michael Thomforde
Founder/President

P.S. Please visit our website and catch the vision of what we all can do together to change lives!