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Dear ,

I would like to take this opportunity to let you know about an organization I have recently become a part of. Wings of Refuge is a non-profit organization that works with displaced women and children in Africa. Currently, we work in rural areas of Tanzania, as well as Northern Uganda. One of Wings of Refuge's goals is to care for, and educate, as many African orphans as possible.

Wings of Refuge is taking a team to Tanzania this coming December 2011 to climb Mount Kilimanjaro for the cause! The trip dates are December 15th through January 2nd, 2012. The purpose of this trip is to traverse Kilimanjaro to raise awareness and support for the orphans of Tanzania, and thus, it will be an especially exciting and productive trip! Our organization's goal for this trip is to raise approximately \$1 per foot of the climb, or roughly \$20,000. These funds will be used to break ground on our first fully-sustainable orphanage center in the remote village of Lawate, Tanzania, an area hit hard by malaria, drought and the various side effects of famine.

The team will be doing the following during this trip:

- Taking the Unique Rongai route up Mount Kilimanjaro, which will take 7 days to the summit, and 2 days down. We will be reaching the summit just before sunrise on Christmas morning, and what a White Christmas it will be!
- Immediately following the climb we will spend the next 5 days in our project village of Lawate
- Breaking ground on the orphanage center and helping with construction
- Traveling out into the "bush" to assess local living conditions
- Holding a feast for the community of Lawate
- And, of course, loving on the orphans!

All of these activities are important steps in shining the light of Christ into the darkest areas of Africa.

I would like to give you the opportunity to become part of this ministry and God's amazing works in Tanzania. This is how you can get involved:

_____ **Prayer**

At least ten prayer supporters are needed who are committed to praying daily for the entire team, both while they are gone, as well as while they are preparing to depart. We will be providing you with specific prayer requests as we move closer to their departure date, as well as updates during the trip. If this is something you would be able to do, please provide an email address where we can send our prayer requests:

_____ **Financial**

I need to raise approximately \$2,100 for my travel and accommodation during the week spent in Lawate, which includes lodging, meals, bottled water and transportation by a guide team. **Team members are paying personally for all Kilimanjaro climb expenses.** If you would like to sponsor any portion of this trip, it will not only be a blessing to the team, but most of all, the people they will be working with.

If you would like to support me in any way, please fill out this form and return it directly to me, or mail to: Wings of Refuge, 5075 Holly Lane Unit 3, Plymouth, Minnesota 55446. If you are planning on helping financially, checks should be made out to Wings of Refuge. Please write my names on the Memo line of the check to ensure that it is credited specifically towards my trip.

I am so encouraged to invite people to partner with this organization, and want you to know that your role as a "sender" is just as important as the role of "goer". We would also like to take the opportunity to once again thank all those who supported our team with prayer and financial contributions last year.

God bless you for considering, through prayer, the support of expanding God's Kingdom.

Sincerely,