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# YOU ARE THE REASON FOR SO MUCH GRATITUDE!

Since 2022, Caregivers Appreciation Day has become a heartwarming tradition at our Angels Of Hope-supported homes. It's a day where we honor the incredible dedication of the caregivers who make every day special for the children in

their care. But that's not all! Birthday celebrations are additional bashes, where all the kids celebrate their special days together. Imagine the joy, the laughter, and the cake (lots of it!) – all made possible because of **YOU!**





# THANK YOU FOR BEING A YEAR-ROUND BLESSING!

We're so grateful for your unwavering support of the precious children in the Angels Of Hope program. Your kindness shines in every smile and happy moment. A special thanks to the children and staff in Honduras for sharing their hearts and helping bring this newsletter to life!





# HEARTFELT THANKS FROM THE HOMES

The children and caregivers at Angels Of Hope-supported homes want you to know just how much your support means to them! With big smiles and warm hearts, they've shared their thoughts on how you make a difference in their lives. From the kids' sweetness to the caregivers' heartfelt gratitude, one thing is clear – your kindness is felt every single day. Thank you for being such an important part of their journey!

*"You are the true angels who take care of us, value us and show us that there are no limits or barriers to serve with love. You motivate me to continue doing good just as you do. I have no words to describe the positive impact you make. You must always exist because with you on our side, we have happy homes and happy children."* – Alcira, caregiver

## LET'S CELEBRATE! CAREGIVER APPRECIATION DAY

For the caregivers at Angels Of Hope-supported homes, Caregiver Appreciation Day is more than just a celebration – it's a heartfelt reminder of the love and support that makes their work possible. Many shared how this day fills them with pride, gratitude, and a deep connection to the children they care for – all thanks to **YOU!**

*"Caregiver Appreciation Day is very special to me because I see that what I do creates a greater closeness with the girls we care for, because they see us as their family and they can count on our support every day."* – Aracely, caregiver

“Seeing the smiles on the children's faces and knowing that they are also participating in the Caregiver Appreciation Day celebration is a very rewarding experience.”  
– Flor, caregiver

*"Caregiver Appreciation Day is a special day for me, where the children show us their affection through the art they create. They sing, paint, make cards, and dance and I feel that everything I do with each of the young people I care for is important and is reflected in the love that my young people show me through their abilities."*  
– Mayra, adolescents' caregiver

## WHY OUR CAREGIVERS ARE SO SPECIAL

When we asked the kids at Angels Of Hope-supported homes what makes their caregivers so amazing, their answers were full of love and joy. From hugs to helping with homework, the children shared how their caregivers make every day brighter. And it's all thanks to your support that these special bonds can flourish!

*"I feel so grateful for the people who take care of me and I try to show them every day how much I love them, that's why I always give them hugs and help them and try to be obedient at school so that they feel happy for my achievements."*  
– Dilma, 13





# LET THEM EAT ALL THE CAKE!!!!

For the children and caregivers at Angels Of Hope-supported homes, the birthday celebrations and Caregiver Appreciation Day are wonderful events that everyone enjoys! Read on to see how the kids and caregivers cherish these celebrations filled with cake, joy, and memories - made even sweeter because of **YOU!**

“My favorite foods are cake and cotton candy, although I also loved the freshly made pupusas they gave on one occasion. Any celebration that includes games is fun for me, especially if I can eat, enjoy the slides and trampolines, and play with the younger girls. I value those small moments of happiness very much.” – Zoe, 16

*"What I enjoy most about the annual birthday celebration is seeing the joy and excitement on the children's faces. It is a day full of smiles and moments that they will remember fondly. Also, I love the opportunity for each child to feel special and valued."* – Bessy, caregiver





## A NOTE FROM THE DIRECTOR



Dear Friends,

As we enter the holiday season, we reflect on what we are thankful for in our lives – God, family, friends, health, our job ... the list goes on. Here at Angels Of Hope, we are grateful for YOU! Whether you sponsor one child or multiple children, whether your sponsorship started this year, or you have been an *Angel Of Hope* for many years ... we cannot do what we do without you.

The quotes of gratitude in this newsletter focus on celebrations for caregiver appreciation day and also include birthday celebrations for the children. The children and home staff know that it is only because of your faithful support that these joy-filled events are possible.

For the caregivers, these special occasions have validated their career decision to help children. The kids simply love having traditions in the home that make them feel loved and part of a family.

Thank you for making Angels Of Hope a practical and relevant program that makes a difference in the lives of vulnerable children.

Wishing you and your family a safe and blessed holiday season.

In His service,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Leann".

Leann Chong  
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