

Relief for Human Need Worldwide Mid-Atlantic Branch

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Dear Friend of Orphan Grain Train,

"Oh, give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever!" Ps 106:1 [ESV]

As we begin our 22nd year, Orphan Grain Train Mid-Atlantic Branch rejoices with the Psalmist that God gave us generous friends like you. It is your donations, financial gifts, and time that deliver food, clothing, and Jesus' love to the poor, the elderly, and the socially vulnerable in economically devastated areas at home and abroad.

In the last 12 months, we sent a total of 3,915 cartons of clothing and linens; 92 bicycles; 176 medical devices; 126 other aids; 6,096 hygiene kits; and 180,360 meals in 40' containers to:

- **ት Liberia**
- ✤ Republic of Georgia
- 🕆 Lithuania
- ት Malawi

and as disaster relief to:

- **Baltimore MD for those impacted by the Francis Scott Key Bridge collapse**
- ✤ Asheville NC for those impacted by Hurricane Helene

Shipment costs now range from \$8,000 to \$18,000 for overseas containers and up to \$1,500 for domestic shipments. Your blessed contributions support much of the cost for the shipments. So, we again ask you to generously support our growing mission to help more people in need.

In the past, we have had matching grants as large as \$13,500. This year, some gracious donors have committed to a matching grant of **\$17,500**. This means that every dollar of your donations up to \$17,500 will be matched to provide **\$35,000** toward our costs in the next year.

Please prayerfully consider donating, and encouraging others to join you, so that people around the world may come to know their Savior's love for them through the life-giving supplies and Christian message of our mission.

The deadline to receive your funds is December 15th. Please give online at <u>www.ogt.org/branches/mid-atlantic/</u>, or mail your contribution to the address below. Your gift will give immediate relief, sharing the blessings that Jesus gives us so freely. Thank You!

"You will be enriched in every way to be generous in every way, which through us will produce thanksgiving to God. For the ministry of this service is not only supplying the needs of the saints but is also overflowing in many thanksgivings to God." 2 Corinthians 9: 11,12

To God alone be the glory!

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