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"Love only grows by sharing. You can only have more for yourself by giving it away to others."
- Brian Tracy

I send you my affectionate greetings and wish to thank you for your love and support to your sponsored child. Yes, this love which you share has doubled spreading its fragrance around, reflecting in the life of Deepak Naik and ensuring his the gift of a bright future. I thank you for your goodwill, support & love that you so generously share and pray God bless you in manifold.

I am Sr. Maria Goretti the Co-ordinator of St. Ignatius Health and Education Centre and also the Director of St. Ignatius Institutions i.e. the Hospital, the Institute of Health Sciences (School and College of Nursing) as well as this centre. I was in Honavar 10 years back and on my return, i.e. w.e.f 15.04.2013, I have taken over the post of Co-ordinator from Sr. Leena, who is rendering her service as Chief Secretary of St. Ignatius Hospital in the same campus.

Your sponsored child has written a beautiful letter to you and I am sending the same along with the drawings and Annual Progress Report. Lot of interesting details have been included about the family and holidays spent. I am sure that you will enjoy as you go through it. Also school requirements have been given to your child on your behalf, who is indeed fortunate to have your support and I am confident that during the coming academic year 2013-14, the performance at school will be excellent. We have also enclosed a pictorial report of our activities. Do go through it.

Many activities were organized during the last half year for the children and parents. Parents were also given tips during the village based parents meeting on how to provide moral support to the children during exams. On completion of their exams all the children were enrolled for the Summer Camp where they learnt to make various craft items and decorative flowers. Before the beginning of the new academic year a interactive session was held with parents on the topic "Behaviour Modification Techniques" and for children on "Becoming an effective student". It was very useful because parents gained insight on handling their children better and the students learnt the importance of inculcating values. Another informative talk was delivered by the ENT Surgeon on Throat Cancer -Detection and Cure. The General Surgeon spoke on First Aid and demonstrated the various techniques to be followed. The parents were very happy on gaining important information. They have also been encouraged to make use of the facilities and services of specialists being offered through the newly upgraded 150 bedded St. Ignatius Hospital which is in the campus.

I truly consider each sponsor parent very special for the good that you do especially in lighting the life and wiping away the darkness in the life of your sponsored child. I will shortly be visiting Prague and I do hope the occasion will help us to meet each other.

Thanking you once again and assuring you of my prayers,

Yours affectionately,

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