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Dear Friends,

When I last sent a letter to you in May, Twelveacres was facing a severe financial challenge. I'm pleased to report that the response to that letter and our newsletters was immediate and generous. We are truly grateful for the love and support we received from you in our time of need. Thank you!

Twelveacres' Board and staff have had to prayerfully seek new levels of understanding to meet the great financial challenges we are currently dealing with. We know that only by seeking to understand God, can we find true wisdom and prosperity. Over the past two years, we have increasingly focused on finding new ways to make Twelveacres financially sustainable for the long term. This has led us to explore several promising ideas to help more people overcome developmental challenges.

One exciting possibility is to open a "day program" to provide an education for any Christian Scientist with special needs who wants to participate. Currently, during the day, our residents go to educational programs operated by other organizations. A Twelveacres program would provide the participants with an enriched educational curriculum consistent with Christian Science. Our research indicates that a significant number of other people with special needs might also be interested. A day program could actually provide Twelveacres with income—what blesses one blesses all. We're excited about the promise of this program, but during the months it will take to implement, we very much need your support to continue providing for the care and education of our residents.

Right now, your donations will go twice as far to support our mission. Thanks to several generous donors, a Matching Gift Program has been established with \$66,000 in seed money. All new contributions up to \$66,000 will be matched dollar for dollar, resulting in a possible total of \$132,000 contributed to Twelveacres. Your gifts, when combined with the seed money, will help us to continue the wonderful healing work going on at Twelveacres.

Mrs. Eddy defines angels as "God's thoughts passing to man." She tells us, "God gives you His spiritual ideas, and in turn, they give you daily supplies." The issue of supply, whether it is Twelveacres' supply or each of ours individually, is not about how many dollars are in our pocket but how many angels are speaking to us—"and repeating themselves." May we all listen—a little better each day—to those blessed, infinite angels speaking to us and guiding us every moment.

All of us at Twelveacres are very grateful for your support! Thank you so much. We wish you a wonderful Thanksgiving and a joyous Christmas.

Sincerely,

Christopher Wright
President

P. S. To make certain your gift is doubled as part of our Matching Gift Program, please send your donations, preferably by the end of the year, but not later than January 31, 2010. An envelope is enclosed for your convenience. We greatly appreciate your willingness to help us take full advantage of this matching gift.