



Dear We Care Family,

As the holiday season approaches, we find ourselves reflecting on the profound impact of your generosity. Because of you, families facing seemingly insurmountable challenges found real help and hope. Their children who were once at risk received the care they so desperately needed.

For all that you've made possible, we are deeply grateful.

**Today, I want to share the story of one child whose life was transformed because of people like you.**

Sam was five years old when her family came to We Care. Her home had been fractured by abuse allegations, and Child and Family Services stepped in. With her father removed from their daily lives, Sam's mother was left to care for her children's emotional, educational, and medical needs alone.

She didn't know where to begin.

That's where We Care stepped in. Through our Wraparound program—which provided intensive therapy, connected the family to critical services, and empowered Sam's mother to advocate for her children—the family found stability. Sam's mother gained the confidence to push for the care she required.

And both parents learned how to co-parent effectively, creating a safe and nurturing environment for their children, even while living separately.

**Today, Sam is thriving.**

She is learning, growing, and finally experiencing a sense of safety that had seemed out of reach. Her mother, once overwhelmed and unsure of how to move forward, now has the strength to give her children the future they deserve.

**But for every Sam, many other young children are still waiting for their chance.**

Every day, children and families in our community confront overwhelming challenges and while We Care is here to help meet these needs, the demand continues to grow. Your gift this holiday season is the reason another family won't fall through the cracks. It is the beginning of a new chapter for a child who needs someone to believe in them. Together, we can help more families like Sam's rebuild their lives and move toward something better.

Thank you from the bottom of our hearts for being such an essential part of this work. If you share our belief that every child deserves a real chance at a better life, please consider giving again this season. Your generosity will carry us forward, one family at a time.

With heartfelt appreciation,



Pete

P.S. To learn how your investment helps so many at-risk children, please email me at [pcaldwell@wecarechildren.org](mailto:pcaldwell@wecarechildren.org) or call (925) 849-8892. I welcome the opportunity to connect!

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