



## This Holiday Season Can Help More Children Find Safety, Joy, and a Chance to Begin Again

As the holidays approach, we at We Care Services for Children are filled with gratitude for the compassion and generosity that sustain our mission year after year. Because of our community's unwavering support, hundreds of children and families find safety, healing, and hope each year—families who might otherwise face life's hardest challenges alone.

### One of those families is Maya's

When Maya and her mother came to We Care, they were living in their car after escaping domestic violence. Maya was frightened and withdrawn—her days filled with tears and her nights with fear. Her mother was doing everything she could to keep them safe, but she had run out of options.

Through our **Wraparound Program**, we helped them find stable housing, access therapy, and connect with another parent who had faced similar struggles. With guidance and support, Maya's mother began to understand how trauma had shaped her daughter's behavior, and learned new ways to bring calm and reassurance into their lives.

As their world became safer, Maya began to sleep through the night. The tears gave way to laughter and the fear was replaced by play. What could have been a childhood lost to chaos became a story of renewal and healing.

This transformation—Maya's smile, her mother's relief, their restored sense of safety—was made possible because people in our community chose to care.

### Each contribution—large or small—builds a bridge from crisis to hope.

Our generous community enables We Care to provide essential early childhood mental health and developmental services for children who have faced trauma, developmental challenges, or the instability of poverty and displacement.

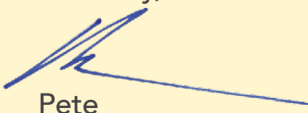
As we celebrate 65 years of serving young children and families, we know that the need has never been greater. Families continue to reach out, searching for understanding, stability, and care. With your help, we can be there for more children who need us.

This holiday season, please consider making a gift to We Care. Together, we can ensure that more children like Maya find safety, joy, and the chance to begin again.

Thank you so much for standing beside us and believing in the power of compassion to change lives.

With gratitude and best wishes from all of us to you and your families.

Sincerely,



Pete

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