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To Our Friends at the International Community Foundation and Legacy4Life fund,

On behalf of Making Memories Breast Cancer Foundation, I would like to express our sincere gratitude for your thoughtful financial gift this season. Your compassionate donation will enable our deserving wish-recipients to make lasting memories for their families.

As you know, Making Memories mission is to grant wishes and memory-making events for metastatic breast cancer patients, while continuing to support, educate and increase resource awareness. Our goal is to provide individuals and their families with a special time together, away from the realities of disease and financial concerns. We desire that everyone losing their fight against breast cancer, pass from this world comforted by the joy of having left one final beautiful memory for his or her family.

We are about more than "granting wishes," every day we are in the business of "touching lives" of those diagnosed with terminal breast cancer. The tragedy of this illness is not merely the physical and emotional impact, but the immense financial strain it puts upon a family. The toll can be devastating, when the insurance is exhausted and extensive medical treatments deplete bank accounts, there is often little or no money left for special moments set aside from the everyday sadness and turmoil of "saying goodbye."

Mere words fail to express the heartfelt appreciation I have for your organization's willingness to make the dying wishes of these women come true. It is the giving spirit of compassionate foundations such as yours, which enables us to continue providing wishes and memory-making events, to individuals for whom a cure is too late.

I look forward to a long and prosperous relationship with your organization, thank you for your compassion and desire to make a difference.

Warmest Regards,

Mary Helen McAnarney
President
Making Memories Breast Cancer Foundation