



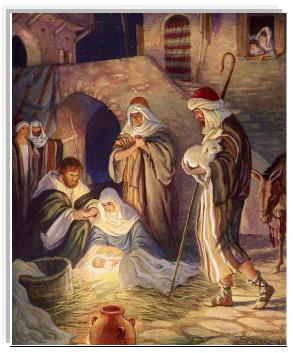
Dove Foundation Merry Christmas &

Dear friends,

"For unto us a Child is born, unto us a Son is given; and the government will be upon His shoulder. And His name will be called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace." Isaiah 9:6

The greatest angelic message ever given to mankind, even to the entire world, was this message. It was a message that brought the greatest joy from heaven that on earth was born the Savior, Jesus Christ. From that point the access to salvation of all people was guaranteed. It would be through His sacrifice we were granted redemption by faith in Him. What a marvellous truth it is. Since then, and until today, millions of people have accepted Jesus as their Lord and Savior in Romania.

Today everybody from the oldest to the youngest is preparing to celebrate Christmas. I believe the celebration of Christ's birth is one of the greatest joys for all mankind. It is the time of year when families get together and share beautifully



wrapped gifts to each other, exchange love and express their feelings to each other. Christmas is a time to rejoice, even in a time of crisis. I hope each of you enjoy the season that is now upon us. Orphan children around the world do not have loved ones to go to. They are so very lonely in the orphanages and abandoned in maternity wards. The joy of Christmas could be brought into their lives through you, the believers.

It is our chance to prove our faith by deeds and put into practice what we believe.

This season, as everyone goes shopping to buy gifts for friends and loved ones, I pray the



Lord will place in your hearts the importance of Christmas for orphaned children. You can make them very happy by helping to supply Christmas for just a few children. It is through your participation in providing presents for them that they will see a wonderful part of Christ's birth this year...the gift of giving. I have spent the last 27 Christmases with the poor and orphaned children, and I know what this holiday means for them.

European statistics declare Romania is the poorest

God is close to you and will answer your prayer. We must believe with all our heart.

country in Europe. In our area we have two large and very poor Gypsy communities, with many children. We have a lot of cases but few of them are the worst and they desperately need our help. In one family are 22 children and all live in two very small rooms with three beds. They live looking for food at the garbage dump. They live in shacks, in horrible conditions, they don't have money to buy fire wood for heat, taking in consideration the cold weather, food or clothes. Any help is very welcomed. You will help to make their conditions a little bit easier to bare.

"Blessed is he who considers the poor, the Lord will deliver him in time of trouble. The Lord will preserve him and keep him alive. And he will be blessed on the earth; You will not deliver him to the will of his enemies. The Lord will strengthen him on his bed of illness; You will sustain him on his sickbed." Psalm 41:1-3



Last year our children from Dove House wanted to share their blessings with other children who live in poverty. They know other children will not have the opportunities they have. Last Christmas the children wrapped gifts and helped distribute to 100 very poor children who live in very difficult conditions from Mures County area and we have you to thank for that!

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven" Matt 5:3

"But you have seen, for you have observed trouble and grief, to repay it by your hand. The helpless commits himself to you; you are helpless to the fatherless." Psalm 10:14

To all of our wonderful supporters camí and I say thank you for this year,

MERRY CHRISTMAS TO YOU & HAPPY NEW YEAR

"...but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord!" Romans 6:23

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