

September 15, 2023

To Rev. Linda Ivey & the Board Members of YDH, Inc.

IN GRATITUDE

My deepest appreciation is extended to Rev. Linda Ivey and the Board Members of Your Destiny is Here, Inc. for the kindness and generosity shown to me.

I am an 80-year-old woman suffering with long term effects from a stroke, COPD and recently discharged from the hospital after suffering breathing problems and a severe case of bed sores due to my confinement to bed and a wheelchair.

Part of the treatment I received while in the hospital required placing me on a special type of disposable bed pad to assist with the bed sores. When I was discharged from the hospital, I was given 5 of these special disposal pads to take home. When I attempted to purchase more, I learned my Medicaid/Medicare insurance didn't cover the pads which cost over \$250 for a case of 60. Being on a limited monthly income there is no way I could afford to keep myself supplied with the pads.

Many resources were sought to assist me with obtaining the pads, to no avail. There was no one to help me but then, Praise be to God, I was referred to your agency. In less than a week, I received a case of the disposable pads.

I thank you from the bottom of my heart. May God bless each and everyone of you and may your organization continue to flourish as you have proven you are a gift from God to offer assistance to those in need.

Sincerely,

Mrs. O'Della Smith