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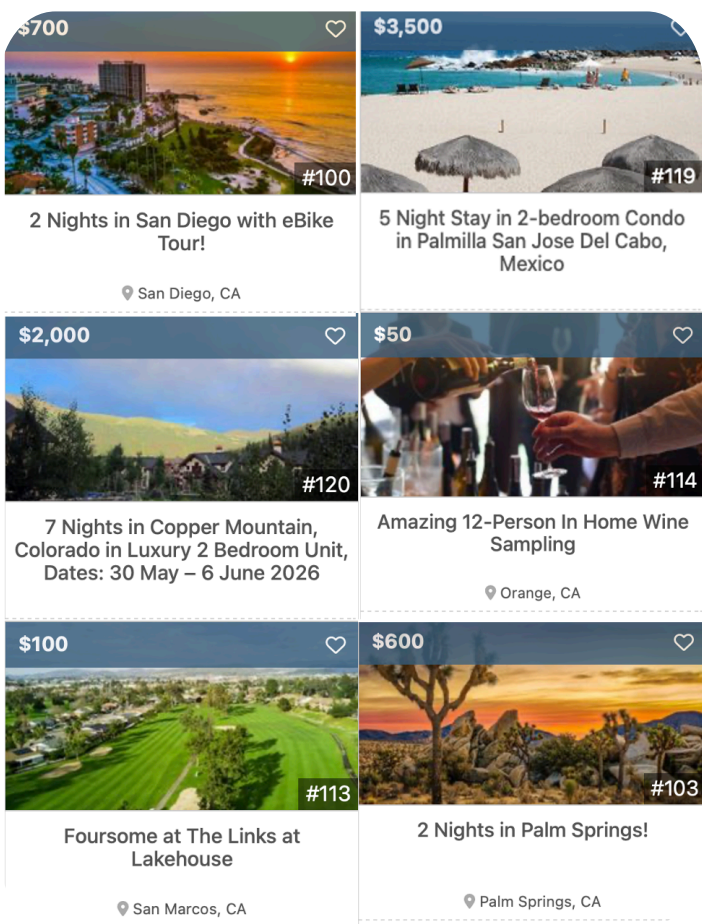
Dear <<First Name>> ,

As May blooms around us, we’re excited to share the latest from Olive Tree Projects—and to honor the incredible mothers at the heart of our work as Mother’s Day approaches. While the situation in Haiti remains unstable, recent outages from a key phone provider have made it harder to reach patients at critical times. We’re working tirelessly to adapt and keep care going. Despite these challenges, there’s still plenty of good news—read on for some uplifting updates from **Kay Akouchman** !

Looking for the perfect Mother’s Day gift?

The **online auction is *ON***—and it’s full of incredible **getaways and experiences!** Bid between **May 3–9** to support **life-saving care** for moms and babies in **Haiti** *and* surprise a **mom** in **your life** with something **unforgettable**. You can also choose to give through one of our impact items!

👉 To the right is just a sample of the incredible experiences up for grabs!



Join the Auction NOW!

Canadian supporters: Please note that the auction is in USD. If you’d prefer to support through our Impact Items and receive a Canadian tax receipt, please use the **Impact Item Donation** button below.

Impact Item Donations!

MIDWIFERY CENTER UPDATES

“Kay Akouchman”



Birth & Patient Registration Update:

- Babies born in April: 4
- New patients: 38

Cervical Cancer Screening Program Launch: IVA

Our IVA program officially launched in April! Treating diseases like cervical cancer is especially challenging due to limited access to specialized care in Haiti—so prevention is key. That’s why we’ve set an ambitious goal: to screen 500 women in the Sud-Est department this year. The program will raise awareness about cervical cancer, provide life-saving screenings, offer education on treatment for those who test positive, and ensure women return for follow-ups so precancerous cells can be caught early and treated.



From Birth to 1st Birthday :

This month, a family stopped by our birth center to celebrate their baby girl’s first birthday—one year to the day after she was born with us! It was such a joyful visit, full of smiles, hugs, and happy memories with Midwife Georgie, who helped welcome her into the world. Moments like these remind us why we love what we do.

Continued Education at Kay Akouchman: Ultrasound

In April, our four licensed midwives began a one-month comprehensive training on how to use an ultrasound machine and interpret the images—an exciting step toward improving the quality of care we offer our patients. This continued education effort is made possible thanks to the generous support we received during our Giving Tuesday 2024 campaign. A quick update: the ultrasound machine has been ordered and is currently en route to Haiti, and we can’t wait to put this new skill into practice soon!



FAMILY SUPPORT PROGRAM UPDATES



Our Family Support Program (FSP) currently assists 19 families. We had a new officer join the team last month. Our Family Support Officer, Darline Marcelin, has over 20 years of experience serving vulnerable families in Haiti. Darline is deeply committed to social justice and creating a better future for women and children. She joined us to continue this mission—restoring dignity, spreading joy, and empowering those in need.

Support **Olive Tree Projects** in its **life-saving** work—your donation **helps** provide **essential care** and resources that change lives for **mothers, children, and families** in Haiti.

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