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A Christian Science Outreach Program

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*"The rich in spirit help the poor in one grand brotherhood, all having the same Principle, or Father; and blessed is that man who seeth his brother's need and supplieth it, seeking his own in another's good."*  
Mary Baker Eddy, *Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures*, p. 518.

December 7, 2009

Dear Friends,

Our 2009 Christmas theme is "... Where meekness will receive him, still The dear Christ enters in." (Hymn 223)

Year in Review: Like many other non-profits, this past year presented us with challenges in adjusting to the global economic rollercoaster. We felt it wise to place all our workers on a volunteer basis, except for the Executive Secretary who receives a stipend and the Workshop Presenter, who receives a fee.

The Information Line: Our round the clock toll-free help line number that offers relevant field and local resources to callers, has been faithfully maintained by a group of cheerful volunteers. Let's hear a Hurray for them! Another hearty "Job well done!" to the steadfast Visiting Volunteer Team who make house calls to those confined to their homes or in care facilities to bring encouragement and spiritual uplift. Four Art of Visiting Workshops were presented throughout the year, giving tips on effective outreach ideas to over 100 attendees in Hemet, Berkeley, Los Angeles, and Palm Desert.

A recent caller from out of state said, "Thank you for what your group is doing. I found the Website helpful as it connected me with someone to help my mother."

Our Information Line and Visiting services are free and we rely on contributions to help cover the monthly operating expenses. Below you will find some of the needs. Please consider helping by a one-time donation or by making monthly donations.

\$15-\$25 = Monthly post office expenses, Website costs.

\$35-\$50 = Presentation materials for a Workshop.

\$75-\$100 = Information Line phone bill for one month.

\$150-\$250 = Cost of running the Office each month.

\$350-\$500 = Underwriting the cost of a Workshop.

Any amount will help meet a need and is very much appreciated! Please make your tax-exempt donation to:

Caring For One Another, P.O. Box 137, Sun City, CA 92586. An envelope is enclosed. If you prefer, donations can be made on-line at [www.caringforoneanother.com](http://www.caringforoneanother.com).

May the dear Christ enter into your hearts and homes this year, as well as into the homes of those you visit!

Sincerely,

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