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Dear Friend,

Thank you, friend! On behalf of the children of St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, I send you my utmost gratitude for your gift of \$1,520 in January 2020. Generous gifts like yours do so much to help support our research and treatment for all the children who walk through our doors each year. Sweet Marric is one of those kids.

Four-year-old Marric is silly and loves to giggle and smile. His mom said, "He's this blonde, blue-eyed little boy who just has a smirky little sweet grin, and he'll just walk up and hug you."

This sweet, smiley boy's life -- and that of his family -- changed forever when he was diagnosed with lymph system cancer.

Marric and his family were referred to St. Jude. Once here, our doctors placed him on a treatment plan that included chemotherapy to try to rid his little body of cancer.

And thanks to friends like you, his family will never receive a bill from St. Jude for any of it. No family ever receives a bill from St. Jude for anything -- not for treatment, travel, housing or food -- because we believe all a family should worry about is helping their child live.

Marric's family is so thankful for generosity like yours that helps make St. Jude a place where hope lives. His mom said, "I've never experienced anything like it, to be honest with you. They know we're going through this crazy trauma, so they're just overwhelmingly friendly and make sure you don't need anything."

St. Jude is leading the way the world understands, treats and defeats childhood cancer and other life-threatening diseases for kids like Marric. And we couldn't do it without friends like you. God bless your good heart.

For the children,

Marlo Thomas
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P.S. I've enclosed a picture of Marric and a sweet note from his mom, so you can put a face to the hope you're giving. Thank you for your continued support!

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