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Dear Friends,

At Mission:Dignity®, the Christmas season is one of our favorite times of year as we celebrate the birth of our Lord and Savior. We count ourselves blessed to share in the joy of giving to our precious recipients who dedicated their lives to his service. **And it's all thanks to you!**

When you give more, we're able to give more! **Because of your generosity, we, yet again, have been able to give every recipient household an extra Christmas check this year.** We cannot tell you what a difference this makes for our Mission:Dignity recipients this holiday season.

"Thank you for the extra check for Christmas. I have 20 great-grandchildren and can't afford gifts for them, but I can cook goodies to send to each family. This extra money will help with the flour, sugar and other ingredients. God bless you."

— Barbara Lester, Pastor's Widow, Fort Smith, Arkansas

By the end of 2024, more than **\$11 million** will have been distributed to retired soldiers of the cross in financial need. And we hope to do even more in 2025!

**Thank you for your generous gifts to Mission:Dignity this year.** Your donation will help ensure that each household continues to receive a monthly grant in 2025 to pay for food, utility bills, medications and other basic needs.

We pray blessings and thanksgiving on you and yours this holiday season.

***Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you believe so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit. Romans 15:13 (CSB)***

In Christ,

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