

# My Act of Kindness for One Young Girl

## "Immeasurable Love"

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Helping people is one of my greatest gifts from God; helping young ladies to enable them to do something immeasurable is self-satisfying.

In my travels, I met a family with two teen-age daughters. The mom was struggling and going through a tough time. No one told me this, I could see it from their lifestyle. The youngest always sold some things along with others within her age group so that she could attend different events. I would buy from others, but always bought more from her and gave her extra for herself. She was the sweetest and most respectful teenager that I had come to know in a long time. I was drawn to her with love and admiration. She was so grateful and always thanked me with a shy, but big smile and strong hug.

Throughout her teen years I would send her \$100 or a gift card at the beginning of each school year so she could buy herself something nice. We never spoke about her need, it was just something I saw and God blessed me to bless her, and for that I am thankful to Him.

A few years back, she reached out to several people and explained she was having trouble meeting her financial obligations to school and was asking for support. I know that this took a lot for this child to ask for help, but she was determined to continue on her journey. At that time I could not help her and I felt awful; I couldn't even think of a way to tell her I was unable to support her. I prayed about it and asked God to make a way. I reluctantly responded and said may God bless you to continue on. Well, God made a way and she graduates from college this year. Thank the Lord, she persevered.

Sometimes young people forget those who helped them along the way and do not have time for adults. If this were the case, I would not have ill feelings because my kindness was for the glory of God. However, this sweet young lady will speak and give me love every time I see her; she sits and holds conversations with me; this is a beautiful feeling. God blessed me to bless another and I would do it again.

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