



# American Red Cross

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Special Forces Association Chapter LXXII  
Attn. Mr. Bill Herr  
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Dear Mr. Herr,

Thank you for your donation of \$550.00 in honor of Mr. Mau Pau in support of the Red Cross Disaster Relief Fund. With your contribution, the Red Cross provides shelter to those forced to evacuate their homes, hot meals to those without electricity, and many other relief and recovery resources that change the lives of those impacted by disaster. When people face a disaster like the recent tsunami that hit American Samoa, your gift ensures the American Red Cross is there with the aid and comfort needed.

The Red Cross is engaged in disaster relief 24 hours a day, 365 days of the year, and your compassion makes these vital lifesaving services possible. The Red Cross provided comfort and relief in American Samoa after a powerful 8.0 magnitude earthquake spawned massive tsunami waves that wiped out coastal villages and left thousands of residents without a roof over their heads. Dozens of Red Cross volunteers responded immediately and were able to provide food and supplies to affected residents and emergency workers, clearing roads of debris and assessing damage across the island. We are working closely with FEMA to provide meals and clean-up supplies to those in critical need.

Your contribution to our Disaster Relief Fund enables the Red Cross to provide these immediate, lifesaving services to victims of disaster. This fund also enables the Red Cross to prepare for emergencies before they strike by mobilizing personnel and supplies at a moment's notice.

Our highest priority is to help those who face disasters like the current tsunami in American Samoa, and the Disaster Relief Fund allows the American Red Cross to act immediately when help is needed most. On those rare occasions when donations exceed Red Cross expenses for a specific disaster, contributions are used to prepare for and serve victims of other disasters. Thank you for being a part of our humanitarian mission.

Warm Regards,

Rebecca Justice  
Executive Director

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