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James 1:16-18

"Don't be deceived, my dear brothers and sisters. Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of the heavenly lights, who does not change like shifting shadows. He chose to give us birth through the word of truth, that we might be a kind of first fruits of all he created."



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Merry Christmas!



SAFE HAVEN

Our Safe Haven Home has provided 13 kids so far with a safe place to live, warm meals to eat, clothes on their backs, school and a loving family in Christ. The children have all been provided with their own Bible and they are all excited to learn in their Sunday School classes! Many of the children have been taught of evolution and man coming from monkeys. We are working hard to teach the children about Jesus Christ and creation. We can always believe God's Word from the beginning to the end! We want to give them strong biblical foundations to have an unwavering faith in the Bible.



We ask for prayer for the children who come from backgrounds of drug addicts and demonic antics that they would find truth in Christ alone. We pray for the children that they will come to know Christ and find their true identity in Him. The children are mixing and bonding well with one another. The kids were able to take an educational outing to the Butterfly Park in Lahore. It is a nice park with beautiful landscaping providing education on the life cycle of butterflies and a playground. They had a picnic and we felt it had a great impact on the kids and turned out to be a wonderful day! We started all of the children at level one in their studies as they have not had proper schooling. Some of the kids passed on to the next level in the first week and were very excited! The home has taken in two German Shepherd puppies for the kids to play with. The puppies are so cute and get plenty of attention! We think they will also grow and provide excellent guard protection for the home and kids. The kids seem to be adjusting well. They feel very happy and blessed to have a home where all their needs are provided.

It is sad in the Asian culture many times, people think it is shameful to have daughters with no son. Many feel sons will provide for their parents and daughters are just a burden. It is often a very sad situation. Many women will get an abortion when they find out they are having a daughter. Some families are really upset and blame their wife or daughter in law if she does not have a son. They say if her first child is a boy she is a very good wife. They are just uneducated and do not know that it is God's plan which determines if a baby is a boy or a girl. They are both equally precious and valuable in His sight. We have a young girl at Safe Haven who does not want to dress or act like a girl. She is 13 years old and turning into a woman. We asked why she wants to dress like a boy. They told me her mother wanted a son so much after having 2 girls that when the third daughter was born she made her dress and act like a boy to cover her shame. So since birth she has been made to act and think as a boy. We ask your prayers as we seek to nurture this young lady and pray that Christ will reach her heart. Whom the Lord sets free is free indeed! We do not have to hide under false disguises.

Thank you to everyone who has made this home possible and for the continuing support that we receive to keep these children safe and provide them with a Biblical foundation to live their lives!

Many blessings in Christ,

Azeem and Clara



Colossians 3:1-3
"Since, then, you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things. For you died, and your life is now hidden with Christ in God."