March Progress Report

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JOHN L. KACHELMAN, JR visiting children orphanage for handicapped and disabled children.

March 2019, Kherson, Ukraine.

We crossed new milestones, met new people, created new connections and helped thousands of people. So much can be said for every day of this month, each day brought new achievements by our fellow humanitarians.

As any of you who follow our work already know, we are protesting corruption that has been created in Ukraine by UA government "Task Group". The situation got to the point where shipping humanitarian aid to needy people of Ukraine is equal to filling the pockets of bureaucrats with bribe money, which we are not willing to do. But like everything in life when one door closes, a new one always opens.



Charita Shteynberg meeting with Ghana Parliamentarians HON. ANGELA OFORIWA ALORWU-TAY and HON. MERCY ADU-GYAMFI

With that I would like to welcome a new member.



Armenian Relief and Development Association. "ARDA," has been assisting us on saving a valuable load of orthopedic shoes that were sent to Ukraine in January 2018 and almost confiscated by Ukraine customs. Finally, on March 30, 2019 this container was released and shipped from Ukraine to Armenia. This project was very costly, but

it allowed us to gift over 5,000 needy people in Armenia with brand new Dr. Comfort shoes.

In addition to shoes for Armenia, we managed to ship clothing, diapers and hygiene items to Moldova, school supply and furniture to Tanzania and medical supply Liberia. Value of exported goods totaling in a mind-blowing value of **one and a half million dollars**.



Moldova #61 Tanzania #55 Liberia #59

March was also kind to us in replies from our consignees who sent us heartbreaking <u>pictures</u> and <u>distribution reports</u>.

THANK YOU. WOC Team

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