

Letter to my Sponsored Child

Your note of encouragement will make such a difference in your child's life!

Many children say their sponsor's encouragement is what keeps them going and gives them hope. It's so important for your child to know that you believe in him or her. Your words — even just a few lines — can make all the difference.

You can find tips on the back to help you write. Also, if you'd like to include a monetary gift for your sponsored child, please indicate that below.

Gift amount \$ _____ (between \$10 and \$100)

- Check enclosed
- Add this one-time gift to my automatic payment plan [Payment to be withdrawn immediately]

For: Birthday Christmas Other _____

Children's Ministry at Calvary Baptist Church
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Thank you again for encouraging your child!



Tips for writing to your child!



Encourage. Remind your child that he or she is special and loved. Let your child know you're praying for his or her entire family!



Tell your child about you. Your child is eager to learn about you! Describe your family, job, hobbies and even pets. Include prayer requests and tell them what God is teaching you.



Ask questions. Let your child know you want to learn about them. Some great questions to ask are: What do you want to be when you grow up? What's your favorite subject in school? What do you do for fun? How can I pray for you and your family?



Include a favorite Bible verse. Share an uplifting and encouraging Bible verse with your child as a reminder that God cares deeply for him or her.



Share photos. Your child loves getting pictures from you! Share a photo and include a "caption" letting him or her know what you were doing and who is pictured!



Send a digital note. You can write a note on your phone or tablet using the Compassion® app! It makes it easier than ever to upload photos and send your message. You can also write online by logging in to compassion.com/account and clicking the "Write My Child" button.

Please take a moment to write today. Your sponsored child can't wait to hear from you!