



HOLIDAY WISH LIST

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Dallas-area nonprofit organizations have shared their hearts' desires with us, responding to the Texas Living section's call to publish their groups' needs in our 17th annual **Holiday Wish** List. Whether the requests are for books and computers to challenge the mind, for food to nourish the body, or for volunteers to rekindle the spirit, our hope is to bring people together in this season of giving.

This is your opportunity to help make a difference in someone's life. As Pablo Casals said, The capacity to care is the thing that gives life its greatest significance.

The Texas Living section publishes the **Holiday Wish** List as a public service, acting as a liaison between benefactors and recipients. We do not print requests for money because, as a business, we are prohibited from directly soliciting funding. The Dallas Morning News Charities does sponsor an annual campaign, but it is separate from the newspaper and has a group of preselected organizations that benefit.

Production deadlines do not allow us to publish forms received after last month's deadline. Other requests are not printed on the following pages because of illegible or incomplete information, phone numbers that don't work, or because they did not meet the newspaper's criteria for publication.

The giving season typically lasts well into the new year. In January, we would like to hear back from **Holiday Wish** List recipients: Was your fondest wish granted? Please contact us at **Holiday Wish** List, Texas Living section, The Dallas Morning News, P.O. Box 655237, Dallas, TX 75265, fax us at 214-977-8321, or e-mail wishlist@dallasnews.com.

Happy holidays!

Texas Music Project, 9999 Meadowbrook Drive, Dallas 75220, 214-665-1304, wants fund-raising opportunities with the goal of restoring music education to schools.