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*Caring for people with bleeding disorders in developing countries
one at a time*

January, 2019

Dear friends,

Change is in the air for the new year at Save One Life. After almost 10 years of service, Martha Hopewell has moved on to other pursuits. We deeply appreciate her hard work and compassion; she truly cared about the families with bleeding disorders we enrolled. Martha took us from a small organization to one with a larger presence, bigger budget and greater responsibilities. We will honor her legacy by continuing to improve and expand.



And we welcome new executive director Chris Bombardier! Chris hardly needs an introduction, as he goes down in history as the first person with hemophilia to achieve the Seven Summits. We now look forward to Chris applying his ability to set goals and engage a team to take us to new heights. It's going to be a great year, in which we will continue to bring care to families with bleeding disorders in developing countries. Thank you all for being with us on this incredible journey!

Laurie

Welcome Chris Bombardier, Save One Life's New Executive Director

Christopher Bombardier, famous for being the first person with hemophilia to climb the Seven Summits, is taking the helm as executive director! Chris began his Seven Summits climbs in 2011 to raise global awareness of bleeding disorders. He has severe factor IX deficiency, also known as hemophilia B.

"I loved pushing myself, mentally and physically, throughout my climbs of the Seven Summits, but knowing that, by reaching the summit, I could bring more awareness and help to individuals living with bleeding disorders around the world, inspired me in the most challenging moments," says Chris.

Chris has been a board member for the past few years and has already raised over \$100,000 dollars for Save One Life through his climbs!

We are excited to have Chris join our dynamic team. We are eager to bring better care and

funding to those in need in the 13 developing countries we serve.

[Click here for the full press release.](#)



Chris Bombardier on Mount Vinson



Representing Save One Life as a board member at an NHF annual meeting

Important Message to Sponsors

This morning many of you received a message for *each* child you generously sponsor. This was a mistake. We have been working with a development team to enhance and streamline the sponsorship program. Unfortunately, we mistakenly thought only *one* e-mail would be sent per sponsor, *not* beneficiary.

Please be patient as we work on our internal processes and reach out if you have any questions at all. Our goal is to make our small team at Save One Life more efficient so we can focus more on growing our programs to reach more people in need.

If you need assistance, please contact [Jodi](#).

If you would like to set up your password-protected account in order to manage your donations and see photos and information on your beneficiaries, please follow the steps below.

Click on [My Account](#) in the upper right corner of our homepage and click on "I Forgot My Password." A temporary password will be sent to you.

We do encourage you to enter a payment method rather than sending a check. This helps reduce the time our small staff spends on administrative tasks.

SABHA 2018 Sponsor of the Year

Announcing our 2018 Sponsor of the Year! Congratulations to Shanta Kalyanasundaram and her family and friends who support her organization, SABHA, in Atlanta, Georgia. Originally established to assist victims of the 2004 tsunami that devastated the coast of Tamil Nadu in India, SABHA now engages in various charitable activities in southern India, including sponsoring 25 beneficiaries. Former Executive Director Martha Hopewell traveled to Georgia on December 12 to present the award. Thank you, Shanta and SABHA, for your generosity and wonderful encouragement!



Welcome New Sponsors

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A Child to Sponsor

Save One Life Supporting a Future Pharmacist in Uganda



For the past two years, Save One Life has provided scholarships to Emmanuel Abraham Opio to pursue his dream of becoming a pharmacist. After Emmanuel lost his father when he was three, Emmanuel's mother raised him on her own, working as a nursery school teacher to support her family. At 21, Emmanuel was admitted to Kampala International University and has successfully maintained a GPA. of 3.20 or better. Congratulations, Emmanuel, and good luck earning your bachelor's degree!

Scholarships and Micro-Enterprise Grants Awarded

Scholarships average \$750 each:

- D. Nakul of India was awarded \$1000 for a B.S. in Computer Technology.
- We have 10 scholarships waiting to be approved for January!

Micro-Enterprise Grants average \$800 each:

- Bagh of Pakistan for a laminating print shop (\$747)
- Gabriel from the Dominican Republic for a grocery store (\$1,000)
- Lateef of Nigeria to start a business selling eggs (\$730)
- Jerry, Jerico, Jhio and Rowe from the Philippines to start separate IT support businesses (\$955 each)



A sponsorship is just \$35 a month!

Please sponsor Pitu Thorn from Cambodia

Pitu is 13 and lives in Cambodia with his parents and three sisters. Painful bleeds have caused Pitu to miss a lot of school. He and his family live in a rural village which makes accessing health care difficult. Both of his parents work in a garment factory and money and time are tight.



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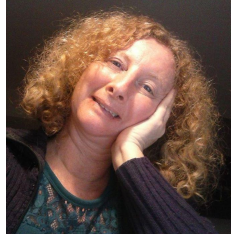
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