



Kidsave's vision is a world where every child is nurtured from birth, where the loss of human potential due to neglect is absent, and where people everywhere care enough that all children, even those abandoned, grow up in stable, loving families. In 1993 Terry Baugh traveled to Russia to adopt a child. She was not prepared for what she saw. The orphanage was a huge, cold institution with an insufficient number of caregivers for all the children. Children with shaved heads were sitting in playpens with no toys, and no stimulation. The caregivers meant well, but there were so few of them for so many children. For months after her return home, Terry could not get their faces out of her mind.

In the summer of 1999, Kidsave gave 177 older orphaned children summer vacations in the US with American families – and 97% were adopted. It was a miracle for these children and for Terry and Randi it provided the basis for creating Kidsave's Family Visit Model, a program that has now been successfully tested in Russia, Colombia and the US as way to help older orphanage and foster kids find parents and committed mentors. More than twenty years later, working in partnership with more than a dozen governments and local non-profits, and thousands of children later, Kidsave's work continues. Kidsave still brings foreign orphans to the US, but the great victory has been that Summer Miracles has taught countries how to 'fish' and Kidsave's Family Visit Model is now putting Russian orphans in Russian families, Colombian orphans in Colombian families, and orphans from Sierra Leone in Sierra Leonean families. And perhaps our most important work is right here at home – helping older, forgotten kids in US foster care find adoptive parents and lasting connections to caring adults.

Still, countless millions languish in orphanages and foster care. Kidsave's goal is to be a catalyst for creating much-needed change. Our goal is to inspire governments, communities and individuals to find and provide families and permanent connections for one million children by 2020. We hope you will join us in our efforts.

Dear Friends,

Thank you for joining us tonight as we celebrate another year of miracles! These extraordinary, life-altering moments -- when beautiful bonds are formed between kids who need families and loving adults -- were made possible because of your commitment to our work. I extend my sincerest gratitude to our supporters, guardians, families, volunteers, Board, and staff who, together, change the lives of children in the U.S. and abroad. For more than 20 years dedicated partners like you have helped Kidsave directly serve more than 13,000 children and influence change through policy work, partnerships, and training that has helped move more than 560,000 children out of institutions and into families.

Last year Kidsave's Summer Miracles program brought 50 older children from Colombia to the U.S. for visits with host families. Because of your support, 80% of these precious children were matched for adoption. This year we are steadfast in our goal. Forty-five (45) Colombian orphans (ages 6-14) will arrive on June 27th for a 5-week stay with host families. Our goal is to find a family for **every** child who travels. We need your help once again. Please spread the word!

In Los Angeles County, our flagship Weekend Miracles program continues to connect older foster youth to families through monthly events, weekend hosting and child-specific advocacy. In 2018 we served 122 Los Angeles County foster youth and will serve even more this year. As we ended our first quarter, we were actively serving 59 foster youth, a number that's growing. And this is not where our Weekend Miracles reach ends.

Kidsave-trained and inspired programs are thriving in Colorado, North Carolina and in Washington, DC. The exciting launch of Kidsave Texas Weekend Miracles in Houston is underway.

We are proud of our impact internationally. In Sierra Leone, we reunite Ebola orphans with extended family or identify new families for these children. In 2018 we served 165 orphans, and our dedicated staff there continue to weather treacherous travel conditions to help connect more kids to families. In Ukraine we are starting a two-year pilot to demonstrate our Family Visit Model's impact, and are supporting a national planning process for moving all 106,000 children in Ukrainian orphanages into permanent families.

Together, we will continue to make miracles happen for older orphans and foster youth. I am happy to share that we've strengthened our infrastructure, grown our staff, and diversified our Board of Trustees as we move in the direction of expansion and growth. This evening, and always, we ask for your continued support as we envision a world where every child is nurtured from birth, where the loss of human potential due to neglect is absent, and where people everywhere care enough that all children, even those abandoned, grow up in stable, loving families.

Randi Thompson, CEO, President and Co-Founder

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Kidsave's program's are innovative:

Rather than making interested adoptive families wait until training and home studies are complete before they can meet a child, we enable them to meet older kids through fun, interactive events.

Instead of allowing kids to remain anonymous in orphanages and foster care, we find them volunteer host families who get to know the kids, and help Kidsave introduce them to people who might adopt them.

We provide teens and preteens, who are reluctant to be adopted because of past disappointments, with opportunities and time to get to know adults they like before considering adoption.



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Kidsave works to create families for children growing up alone, without a connection to a caring adult. Without a parent or a lifelong connection to a caring adult, the odds are against a young person's success. Kidsave's programs provide global solutions to helping millions of older kids growing up alone.

United States

Our Weekend Miracles program provides older foster youth (ages 9-18) in Los Angeles County with host families, adoptive families, and lifelong mentors. Kidsave trains other states and counties to implement our model program. The Weekend Miracles Model currently operates in Los Angeles County, Washington DC, Denver, Colorado and Mecklenburg County, North Carolina.

Our international adoption program, Summer Miracles, provides older orphans from foreign countries with summer visits with American host families across the U.S. The host families and Kidsave work together to advocate for their adoption.

Colombia and Latin America

Kidsave trains professionals from government agencies, orphanages and other child welfare organizations to find families for older children who have lost their parents.

Sierra Leone and Africa

Kidsave reunifies Ebola orphans with their extended families, and helps kids who can't be reunified find new families through our interactive community events, and hosting. We are developing training to share our work with other African nations.

Russia, Kazakhstan, Ukraine and Eastern Europe

Kidsave trains government leaders, non-government organizations, and child welfare professionals in techniques to move children out of government care and into permanent families – especially older children. We focus on training child welfare professionals to implement our Family Visit Model and mentoring programs.





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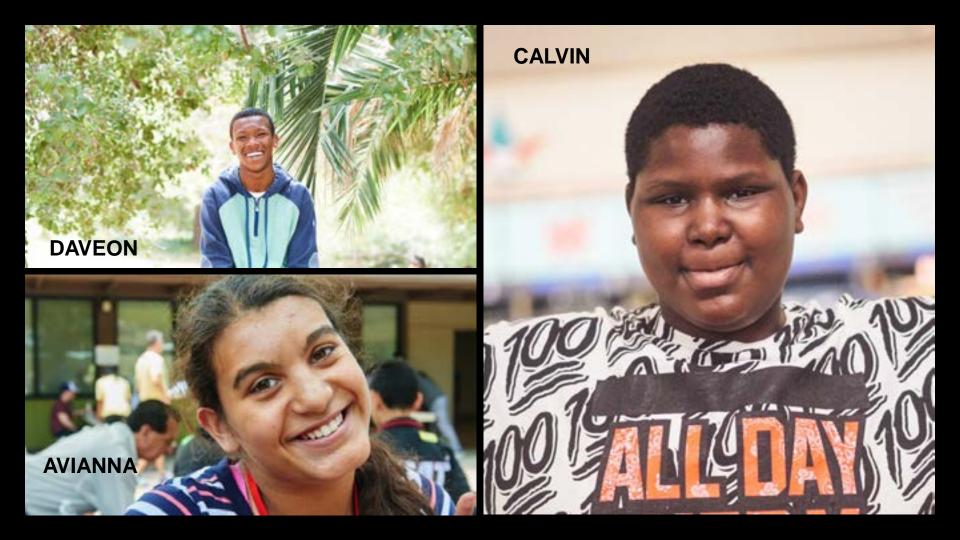














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Sheriff Alex Villanueva

for his dedication to improving the quality of life for children in Los Angeles County.

Congratulations

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thank you for your support of foster youth in Los Angeles County

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Alex Villanueva

On December 3, 2018, after more than three decades of law enforcement experience, Sheriff Alex Villanueva was sworn in as the 33rd Sheriff of Los Angeles County. Sheriff Villanueva is a distinguished leader and a tireless advocate for both the community and the hard working men and women who serve with the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department (LASD). He has challenged corruption and fought for reform since his early days as a deputy on the Department, leading him to become the first challenger to unseat an incumbent Sheriff in over a century.

Over the years, Sheriff Villanueva has served the community in many roles, both on and off duty. His work with the community takes more than commitment, it takes strength and courage. Courage to address head-on some of the most unconscionable acts in order to make progress within communities focusing on our youth. Love, courage, and justice are admirable qualities that Sheriff Villanueva possesses to work towards the elimination of racism and to empower all people, especially children and young members of our community. Sheriff Villanueva understands that early intervention is critical to effectively break the cycle of neglect and abuse within a multigenerational cycle. He advocates for a child's empowerment, skill building, and access to meaningful resources in order to effect lasting change in a child's life.

Sheriff Villanueva and his wife reside in Los Angeles County. He is the proud parent of son, Jared, a US Army and Iraq War veteran, and grandfather of Chrissy and Sophia. In his free time the Sheriff enjoys spending time with his family.



Andrew

Andrew, you will never be forgotten!

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Thank you, Jo, for your unwavering, dedication to Kidsave Summer Miracles!

Your hard work and commitment are greatly appreciated. We are beyond grateful to have you as our Southern California coordinator.

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Jo,

You are a remarkable woman. Your love for and dedication to your daughter are like a shining light.

Congratulations on this honor. No one deserves it more than you!

Amy Feldman





CONGRATULATIONS JO!

YOU ARE AN INSPIRATION TO EVERYONE YOU MEET!

YOUR LOVE AND DEDICATION TO KIDSAVE IS REMARKABLE!

MARLA AND DANIEL KENNEDY

With affection, admiration and respect for a truly outstanding friend, mother and wife.

Your dedication to helping so many children is inspiring!

What a wonderful honor for someone so deserving.

Susanna Nishikawa



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and Chloe Ditzel



Thank you, Ken and Chloe, for the amazing work you do for older foster youth! Your boundless enthusiasm and tireless commitment to Weekend Miracles has made it possible to connect many kids with hosts and adoptive families!

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Chloe and Ken

You make a great difference in the lives of so many children seeking permanent families. From one of the prospective families in the Weekend Miracles program, thank you for providing inspiration, support and an example of unconditional caring for all.

Tony Santorufo





Congratulations Ken & Chloe! The key to success rests on people like you who embody the spirit of greatness by saying....

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Amy Hill



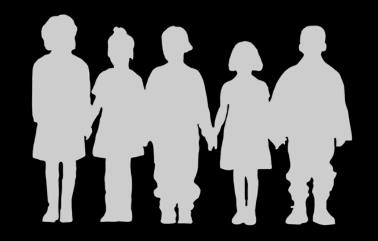


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KEN AND CHLOE

WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOU, YOUR DEDICATION AND THE LOVE YOU HAVE FOR KIDSAVE AND THE KIDS!

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"Thank you for all of your help and support connecting hosts with children"

LaRhonda Shavers

Ken and Chloe,

You're are a remarkable couple!

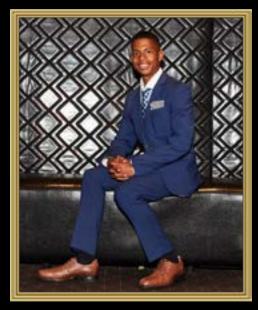
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Tig Notaro is a groundbreaking stand-up comedian, actor, writer, producer, and director originally from Mississippi. Hailed for her effortless storytelling and fearless stage presence, her subject matter ranges from the delightfully absurd to the monumentally serious. Rolling Stone recently named Tig "one of the 50 best stand-up comics of all time."

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This year, Tig and her wife/writing partner Stephanie Allynne sold the screenplay *First Ladies* to Netflix, with Jennifer Aniston attached to star as the first female President of the United States, and Tig starring as the First Lady.

Tig also appeared opposite Oscar Award winner Octavia Spencer in the Paramount Pictures comedy *Instant Family*. In 2013 Tig was nominated for a Grammy Award for her sophomore release, Live, the number one selling comedy album of 2012. Tig was also nominated for both an Emmy Award and a Grammy Award for her 2015 HBO special *Boyish Girl Interrupted*. She received a GLAAD Award nomination for the Netflix Original Documentary, Tig. Her memoir, I'm Just a Person, is a New York Times Bestseller.

Tig is a favorite on numerous talk shows, including Ellen, The Late Show with Stephen Colbert, and Conan. She is also a frequent public radio contributor. Tig continues to tour internationally, selling out Carnegie Hall in 2016. In her time off, Tig enjoys bird-watching with Stephanie, their twin sons, and cat, Fluff at home in Los Angeles.





INDIA CARNEY

A multi-talented performing artist, dedicating her life to developing the music and art she loves most. India is an American singer, songwriter, arranger and actress, best known for her passionate solo performances as a former semi-finalist on The Voice. India sings for award-winning pop artist, Katy Perry, as well as other artists including Meghan Trainor, H.E.R and Rita Ora, just to name a few. In 2019 India signed to UK publishing company, Phrased Differently to start the next chapter in her music career.





Luke Wade is a soul-inspired and Americana-influenced singer/ songwriter with a distinct rasp and honest songwriting, he is sometimes compared to emotive crooners like Ray LaMontagne and Otis Redding. Since ending his run as a finalist on NBC's The Voice in 2014, Luke has headlined shows nationally and internationally. He is currently working on a follow up to his 2016's album, Only Ghosts, which is due to be released in the fall of 2019.

Our heartfelt appreciation to Lamont, India, Luke and Dillion for making our 2019 Miracles Gala SPECTACULAR!







Damon Casatico

While Damon gets a lot of attention for his night of auction performances, it is his time spent with his clients that he credits most for his success. It is Damon's belief that, "if you don't know who you are raising the money for and how it will be spent, then you aren't going to be very compelling." Each meeting thousands of dollars are created by working with staff and volunteers on building an environment dedicated to fundraising. *Kidsave would like to express our sincere appreciation to all of our wonderful sponsors.*

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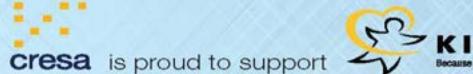
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Dad and Grandpa, you will always be our hero!

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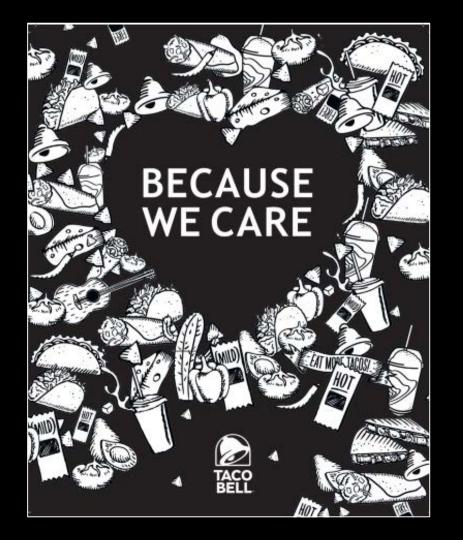
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