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Dear Name,

We hope this letter and token of appreciation finds you and your family well. It is a hard time for everyone, and we sincerely salute you for thinking about others during this time.

Here at Chabad we are doing our very best to ensure that every individual and family has all that they need. The time and care that you, and others like you, have volunteered is what makes this possible!

Since the outbreak of COVID-19 we have had a total of 23 volunteers, with over 266 hours, helping The Faigel Shapiro's Kosher Pantry reach 405 families so far!

Whether the volunteering is by cooking, baking, delivering or something else, all are an essential part in sharing the food, love and care to people to which it can make a big difference.

As a volunteer, you don't always get the pleasure of hearing feedback from people that you help, and sometimes we don't either hear it, so we'd like to share but 1 example of many that came our way!

On Friday just about two weeks ago, an hour or so after the deliveries went out, we received a phone call from a senior who was clearly very, deeply touched, calling on behalf of herself and friends, she kept saying to Rabbi Levi over and over again: "Thank you very much that you think about us! Thank you for caring for us! Thank you from all our tenants!"

As we are now preparing for the upcoming holiday of Shavuot, when we celebrate the momentous occasion of all Jews standing as One United People and receiving the Torah from G-d at Mount Sinai.

"A healthy Jewish people is one big, caring family where each individual is concerned for the other as for his own self. Where one Jew faces rough times and the others hold his hands. Where one meets good fortune and all of us celebrate. Where no one is labeled or alienated for his or her beliefs, behaviors or background. Where each runs to do an act of kindness for the other, and shuts his eyes and ears to the other's shame." -Rabbi Tzvi Friedman

We are all blessed to be part of this community, where there are people like you, for whom giving and caring for one another is a priority.

May Hashem bless you with an abundance of only revealed good for you and your family, in everything that you need and desire! And in merit of the kindness that you are showing for another, may we witness the coming of Moshiach Now!

Sincerely,

CHABAD LUBAVITCH ALBERTA

Rabbi Menachem & Rebbetzin Rochel Matusof

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