

# Bundles of joy

## Illustrations of God's love

### From the Board

It seems that much water has passed under the bridge since we last communicated. It has been a busy and exciting summer! We have been taking advantage of opportunities to educate others about adoption and how GGAM can help adoptive parents. These opportunities have included adoption conferences in San Jose, CA., and Spokane, WA., a television interview, and most recently, a benefit in Pasco, WA. Our heartfelt thanks go to Brian and Polly Lynch for hosting and coordinating the fund-raising dinner during which \$3,500 dollars were raised to help adoptive families! We continue to celebrate as more families are bringing children home from near and far into forever families!



As always, we are unspeakably grateful for the prayers, interest, and financial support from you, our fellow laborers. Families that receive your support frequently express their gratitude and we would like to share some of their responses with

you. Thank you in advance for your continued support as the Lord directs you!

Darin Denlinger

"Now to the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory for ever and ever. Amen"

Timothy 1:20

### What's new?

Our third annual BBQ and auction last June was very successful. Despite a smaller turnout than the previous year, \$13,000 was raised for God's children and a good evening was enjoyed by those who attended! Thank you to all who participated and donated their time and talents! Hope to see you at next year's BBQ to be held in the first part of June. Keep this in mind when you look at your 2003 calenders.

#### Our Mission Statement ~

**Our goal is to promote the adoption of children by Christian families and specifically, to minister to the financial burden that adoptive families bear. God's Grace Adoption Ministry is a California non-profit organization and donations are tax deductible as allowable by the law. I.D. #77-0488466**

liberty dana



vladimir sundra



claire raddenbache

**From Spokane, WA,** *"Thank you for making this precious gift possible with your \$2,000 grant. We never could have done it without your help! We are deeply grateful to you and your ministry. Please tell everyone at God's Grace a big thank you for us! Your ministry has blessed us beyond words!"*- Todd & Julie



john and andrew dykstra



teddy wallace



**From Hillborough, OR,** *"I wanted you to know what an encouragement you have been to my family. This whole process has been one with a huge sense of mystery of God's ways. That every person on this planet is so special in His eyes, of the lengths that God will go to rescue just one from their sin.... I could go on and on. With deep gratitude we thank you for blessing us with this grant. We feel that Sasha belongs to so many, while we receive the privilege of raising her. May you both share in the eternal reward of bringing this child to a home where she will learn of God's love and the amazing grace in Jesus Christ."*-Jason & Daryl

# the children



olson and john baggott



sasha knudsen

**From Wooster, OH,** *"We just wanted to thank you for the \$2,000 grant you have given us. You have no idea how much this does for us, not only financially, but spiritually as well. God has taught us some wonderful lessons through a very long time of trial. We recently became discouraged, feeling as if this trial was never going to end! Your phone call was the second of two events through which God showed us His love and mercy and gave us hope once again. So, thank you, not only for your generosity, but for allowing God to use you to renew our hope and trust in Him. We are so excited about our adoption and are very thankful for your help."* Rich & Deanne

Baby  
Cason  
  
(not pictured)



allen cruz



tatyana, viktona and sergei gilmore

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## God bless you this Holiday Season

As we near the end of the year,  
we invite you to prayerfully  
consider financially supporting  
God's Grace Adoption Ministry.  
Whether you consider a year-end  
contribution or regular support for  
the coming year, we rely upon and  
appreciate your generosity!

### God's Grace Adoption Ministry

**YES!** I want to partner with you by  
contributing in the following way...

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- I will commit to pray for God's  
Grace Adoption Ministry

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