



"You are not here to save the world, but to touch the hands that are within your reach."

June 5, 2011

Greetings Kathleen and Mission of Love,

This letter is to express our happiness for the generosity and alliance demonstrated to us through action in your work to help us complete the construction of our Kiza Park Community House. As you know this project has been years in the making. On the Pine Ridge Reservation there are inadequate facilities that the community has access to for use to have meetings, film, forums, etc. The Community House will be utilized quite often and regularly by Owe Aku in our work to create social change, preserve our Lakota Way of Life, and keep our community informed on issues impacting our people and environment.

It is with true generosity and organization and people working together that good things happen, we all know that we need good things to happen in this land of 85% unemployment, inadequate housing and medical care, high youth suicide rates, high diabetes sickness, etc. So this is a very positive outcome from our alliance and we wish to say" Wopila" (thank you) and hope we can continue to work together.

Wopila, to you all, hecetuyelo.(Thank you, it is so.)

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