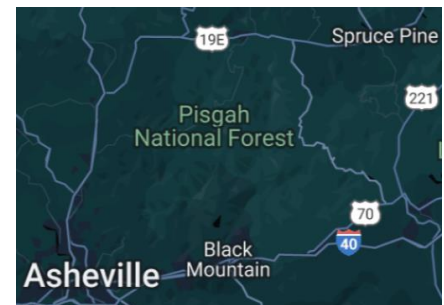


CRI Children's Relief International



Dear Friends of CRI,

All of us at CRI are deeply grateful for your continued prayers and generous contributions to our relief efforts for those impacted by Hurricane Helene in North Carolina. Thanks to your support, Joe and his team safely arrived in Spruce Pine, north of Asheville, where they immediately connected with local relief efforts in rural Appalachia.



Using ATVs to navigate the muddy paths, the team has been conducting welfare checks, delivering much-needed supplies, and cutting down fallen trees. The blankets, laundry detergent, and other essential items were met with immense relief and gratitude from the families they've reached.



In a conversation with Joe earlier, he shared two unexpected blessings. First, the people receiving help have been incredibly open to prayer, and Joe has heard countless stories of the Lord's provision and protection. Second, there has been an overwhelming opportunity to witness to the other volunteers—people who have hearts for service, but may not know Jesus as their Savior. He is even leading a nightly Bible study at their hotel, with a motley crew of individuals choosing to attend!

Your support is making a direct impact—in both Word and deed—bringing comfort and hope to those navigating these difficult circumstances.

Please continue to pray for Joe, his team, and all those within our reach.

With a thankful heart,

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