

Family #1

Sarah just moved to Monrovia a few months ago with her two children. Her youngest son is on the spectrum so even though he is 12, he still believes in Santa and really enjoys the holidays. She's a victim of domestic violence and has a restraining order against her husband, very traumatized by it all. She not only had to move quickly but at the same time lost her job at Pathways. With no job or SNAP it is hard for her to survive now by herself. She has a credential in working with substance abuse individuals. The apartment is small, clean and she is the kind of person who wants to pick herself up and keep going to have a good life again. She is very grateful and no one asked for any expensive gifts.

Please visit the gift registry to sign up for a gift and see their most requested items/clothing sizes.

Mom: Sarah

King, 15

Jordan, 12 (On The Spectrum)

Special Items for Family:

Bed Pillows

Queen sheets, Queen bed frames (2) Twin beds (both boys sleep in one queen bed)



Christmas Dinner Items:

Turkey, ham, Stuffing, yams, mashed potatoes, collard greens, green beans, sweet potato pie, apple pie, white cake mix, rolls, macaroni (for homemade macaroni and cheese)

Need:

- Chrome laptop for children's homework (have internet)
- Printer (all members of family need one and will save them \$\$)
- Medicine Cabinet Items
- Christmas tree, ornaments, lights and stand

Family #2

Emily and Ed have two little girls and have a gym in Monrovia. Emily has worked in Irvine for 20 years but the gym is doing badly. They gave up their apartment and now live in the gym and sleep in a small camper trailer outside the back door. She drives for hours a day and is the sole source of income. They can not make it to the end of the month on their money and often go without food. She has supported her husband in trying to get the gym going but it is not going well. She asked for absolutely nothing for her or her husband, only things for the kids. The little girl told me her mom needed "makeup" and her dad liked "chocolate". The girls are adorable. The items on the mom/dad's wish lists are things we thought would help them the most. They don't have a lot of room. When they dig themselves out, they are the kind of people who would likely not need help again and would certainly help others.

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Mom: Emily

Dad: Ed

Ellie, age 6

Evie, age 5 in Jan.



Special Items for Family:

Did not ask for anything special. They don't have much room, just a storage room in the gym. They will have a tree in the gym.

Christmas Dinner Items:

They only want gift certificates to places like Olive Garden and area restaurants along with grocery store gift certificates.

Need:

- Servicing on their only car (Rav4), too many miles driven and it's going to break down. It's a 2020 if an area shop can help.
- Medicine Cabinet Items