To whom it may concern:

I've know DeeDee foremaster for almost my whole life...  I've seen her tirelessly help people at the expense of her own life... when I talk about DeeDee I compare her to mother Theresa  in the spirit and light of compassion and love she shows those who are suffering in the carson city/ dayton community.. when I was going through a rough spot or dark period in my life, I felt like I needed to be of service to my brothers and sisters in my community.  I decided to help and volunteer at RCIL when she still had her drop in center on long... the space DeeDee has created for the people neglected in our town.. I would arrive around 6 am as the warming shelters close at 6 in the winter and freezing temperatures... there was always a well stocked pantry and fridge I could prepare chili, soup or another meal for the cold souls that make there way over from the shelters in dawn of day. This location was something I never knew existed nor fully comprehended in the beginning of this journey of the importance... this was a safe place where people could receive mail, get signed up for social security,  she even had a pretty good clothing closet for anyone in need from jackets to pants to shoes. I've seen her on many occasions take veterans,  mentally ill without shoes to get proper fitting shoes and socks to bring comfort to their spirit... all walks of life came through those doors, from families in cars living on the streets, disabled, veterans and the mentally disabled. Anyone that walk through the doors were treated as children of God with the love of heavenly angels... and could change to a tough loving mother to those who showed up under the influence of drugs or alcohol protecting the space and those who dwell within.. with compassion and grace... she's the most experienced soul I've met in that line of work.  Her efforts, ideas and love are invaluable to hundreds if not thousands of people each year she helps. I can't even start to describe the depth of importance of RCIL. It brings me to tears to even think her life long efforts and love compassion and caring of those who are mostly forgotten in our human family could be thwarted in anyway for any reason...

I could spend a life time sharing of stories and the love of DeeDee who is RCIL, she is the glue that held it together, for over 20 years..

I' have no idea who you are or your importance to RCIL sustainability,  and ability to continue to live on but I ask you this please feel free to call me and I'm happy to share and talk further if it can help RCIL in anyway....

May the heavenly waters of spirit water the seeds she has planted in your heart, and the hearts of so many in our community... may RCIL continue to bless and let the people who are forgotten be seen and loved in some way...

Umunguway,(thank you)

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Blessings to you

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