**Kiran Anjali Project - Sample Invite Email 2018**

Dear <Friend>

I invite you to share in the power and joy of watching a life transform.

In 2008 two local women (or you could say my friend, Linda) founded the *Kiran Anjali Project* after living in Hyderabad, India and seeing grassroots efforts transforming lives of destitute children through caring, nutrition and education. Their original investment, made possible by many local donors, went to *The Wings School*. *The Wings School* proudly, and against all odds, graduated the first nine destitute and neglected girls in May 2015. These girls who had been poorly fed and destined for early, impoverished marriages have just graduated from junior college. Six are currently enrolled in university. This makes them the first in women in their family to avoid early marriage and potentially earn a middle class income.

*I am an orphan. When I joined Wings School, it was a turning point for me. The Kiran Anjali Project guided me as a teacher, friend and family. My goal is to have a good job, and I’m 100% certain I’ll reach my goal. I’m proud to say the Kiran Anjali Project is my family. –* ***Sravya, Wings graduate and Plus2 Scholarship recipient***

Building on this success and the growing commitment and passion of donors, three more investments were possible:

* **Carnation Learning Center** – a preschool and after-school support center serving boys and girls from a Bangalore slum. Enrollment is increasing family income as many mothers can now work while their kids are in school.
* **Plus2 Scholarships** – granted to Wings and Baale Mane graduates for enrollment in junior college.
* **Baale Mane** – a home for abused and exploited girls near Bangalore, currently expanding its facility to accommodate more girls.

Here is my request to you. Join me at my table on **Thursday, March 22 for the 7th Annual Kiran Anjali Project Opportunity Luncheon at the Hyatt Olive 8 in Seattle**. *The last two years this event has sold out*. You’ll be inspired, informed, fed a delicious Indian lunch and entertained. And I believe you’ll be happy in your heart as you see there’s real hope for education and a path out of poverty for these kids *whose names we know*. I hope you’ll join me and experience *this child’s chance, made possible by you and me.*

All the best,

<Name>