

## Kiran Anjali Project - Sample Invite Email 2020

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 now graduated from junior college. Since then six 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:

- **Baale Mane** – a home for abused and exploited girls near Bangalore, currently expanding its facility to accommodate more girls.
- **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.

Here is my request to you. Join me at my table on **Thursday, March 5<sup>th</sup> for the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Kiran Anjali Project Opportunity Luncheon at the Hyatt Regency Bellevue**. *The last four 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,

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