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Dear Friends,

First, I want to thank each of you who have given toward my moving expenses. I can't tell you how much of an encouragement you have been. Each gift that has come in, no matter how big or small, has really touched my heart. Thank you so much, from the bottom of my heart.

Time is slipping by quickly. I made my last trip up north and now I am in the annual mission conference at Worth Baptist Church, my home church. Then I will have to concentrate my time on packing and getting ready for my move to Croatia. I have already started getting paperwork in order to begin the visa process. Johnnie and Tori Leslie are helping me find a place to live in Croatia.

I will be moving to Croatia the first part of October, but I need your help. Please **pray** that the money needed for the move comes in quickly. The cost of relocating is pretty high. So far \$7,000.00 has either come in or been promised. That means I still need a little over \$8,000.00 to cover expenses. Below is a list of the expenses involved in the move.

I know the Lord has a great work for me to do there and I am very excited to get there and get started. ***Please pray for me, that the Lord will continue to provide and to lead me through the next few months.***

#### Croatia Startup Costs

❖ Croatian Visa = \$400	❖ First Rent = \$1,000
❖ Small Car = \$4,500	❖ Sofa = \$600
❖ Air Conditioner = \$700	❖ Mattress = \$600
❖ Washer/Dryer = \$800	❖ 2 Wardrobes (no Closets) = \$350
❖ Fridge = \$400	❖ Plane Tickets = \$1,000
❖ Stove = \$400	❖ <u>Shipping Container = \$4,000</u>
❖ Freezer = \$400	<b>TOTAL = \$15,150</b>

Thank you all for your support, and love! In Christ,

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