







Hope for Haiti®

Third Airlift is the Sweetest!








After the storms that devastated Haiti last fall,  **Hope for Haiti** orchestrated two airlifts to rush medication, food and medical supplies to the island nation. On January  **Hope for Haiti** Haiti completed a third airlift. This time the payload was different. Food and medical supplies were loaded onto an aircraft in Naples but they shared space with 600 pounds of chocolate and colorful baby blankets.

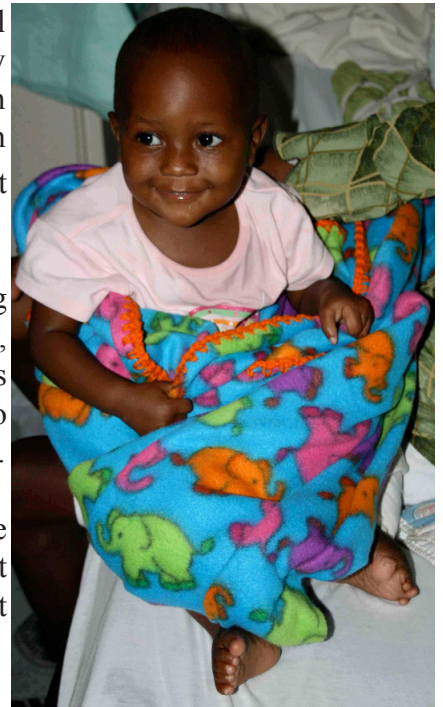
The chocolates were donated by Gertrude Hawk Company of Dunmore, PA, to the people of Haiti for the hardships that they endured last year. The baby blankets given by Sheryl Buchert and the quilters of her church in Red Bluff, California, were enjoyed by the children at orphanages supported by  **Hope for Haiti**.

Naples resident Bill Earls piloted the first two airlifts and flew to Haiti again with son Luke as co-pilot. Bill donated his time and the fuel. They joined  **Hope for Haiti** staff in delivering the goods. The children

will never forget the pilot and his son who delivered such joy. "They reach out to you, not just with their hands, but with their eyes," said Bill.

 **Hope for Haiti** continues to reach out to the people of Haiti by supporting programs that improve the quality of life of the Haitian people, especially children, through education, nutrition and healthcare. Gertrude Hawk and individuals like Sheryl, Bill and Luke make  **Hope for Haiti**'s work possible. Thanks to them,  **Hope for Haiti**'s airlift brought a smile to people in desperate need.

 **Hope for Haiti** accepts monetary and in-kind donations that benefit the programs it supports. To make a donation, call  **Hope for Haiti** at 239.434.7183 or visit www.hopeforhaiti.com. Your generosity will support those who have no voice.



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