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Reverend David Caron, O.P.
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Dear Fr. Caron,

During this Easter Season, we hear readings from the Acts of the Apostles during the Liturgy of the Word at Mass. We hear about the actions of the apostles and the early church, which included caring for the poor.

Cross Catholic Outreach has admirably assisted bishops and Catholic missionaries around the world for many years now in addressing the material and spiritual needs of the poor. Only when the entire social ecology of the human person is addressed, can there be conversion of heart and thus lasting change.

For your work approaching the problem of global poverty with the model of Integral Human Development, you have my prayers and encouragement.

As we celebrate the Risen Christ during this Easter Season, may all the priests and staff of Cross Catholic Outreach continue to grow in love for the Lord Jesus Christ and for the poor.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+David L. Toups

Most Reverend David L. Toups
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