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W.H.O. Foundation Awards \$4,800 to Steven’s Hope for Children

Upland, CA – BeautiControl® Independent Senior VIP Sandra McBride has helped Steven’s Hope for Children, a local non-profit organization that provides housing and other essential needs for families of a serious ill or injured child, receive a \$4,800 Volunteer Service Grant from the W.H.O. (Women Helping Others®) Foundation.

The check presentation will take place at 5 P.M. on Tuesday, October 4th, at the offices of Steven’s Hope for Children, 879 Driftwood Street, Upland, CA. Expected guests include: Upland Mayor Ray Musser, members of Steven’s Hope for Children board of directors, local Chamber of Commerce members, volunteers, as well as BeautiControl Director Fran Boytos and Consultants on her team.

“I wanted to give back and when I attended Steven’s ‘Vision of Hope Tour’, I knew this was where I wanted to be,” McBride said. “What keeps me involved is when I see how Steven’s Hope helps families. When I found out about the grant, it felt so good to tell them about it. Goosebumps on all of us.”

Tony Cappelli, Executive Director, of Steven’s Hope for Children, said, “Receiving the W.H.O. grant is very special because of the passion and dedication volunteers like Sandy McBride feel toward our organization.” Cappelli continued, “Steven’s Hope for Children started out with a goal to provide temporary housing for families with children getting treatment for a serious illness or injury. Now, in addition to providing housing, we provide clothing, food, travel expenses, emotional support and so much more. There is still so much more to do.”

The grant funds will be used to help clothe seriously ill or injured children and their siblings through their “Klothing Kids” project. Many of the families the organization helps just don’t have the resources to buy their kids decent clothes

as they continue to grow. Klothing Kids helps address that issue, alleviating one more financial burden from these families.

The W.H.O. Volunteer Service Grant was established as a way to recognize those BeautiControl Independent Consultants for outstanding volunteer service in their community. Only BeautiControl Consultants may apply for this award, allowing them to give back to the community in which she works and lives.

“We are ever grateful for the generosity and support of our Independent Consultants. It is because of them that we are able to change so many lives,” says W.H.O. Foundation Executive Director Cindy Turek. “As the number of BeautiControl Independent Consultants and associates grows and support our vision, we will be able to help so many more organizations and change so many more lives!”

About the W.H.O. Foundation

Established in 1993, the W.H.O. Foundation is committed to encouraging women everywhere to help others through community service, supporting organizations dedicated to the needs of women, children and families in crisis. W.H.O. has been enlightening, educating and empowering women and families for nearly 18 years, and has awarded over 4.2 million dollars in grants.

About Steven's Hope for Children

Founded in 2002, Steven's Hope for Children, Inc., is a non-profit children's charity in Upland, California that assists children and their families during the financially and emotionally challenging time of a child's extended care and rehabilitation while away from home. Through its three programs, "Housing for Hope", "Fill A Need" and "We Care", Steven's Hope has been lessening the burdens of families by providing housing and other essential needs during the child's extended treatment and care.