

Saying “I love you” 95,500 times: You were a part of it!

On November 12, 2009, a shipping container packed with 83,000 children’s storybooks started on a journey to Liberia.

These books were in addition to 12,500 textbooks sent to Liberia in March. That’s a total of 95,500 books!

And each book represents a bond of love between two hearts.

It all happened because hundreds of caring people in Kansas responded to a need halfway around the world. Each book will open a window to the world for dozens of children. Imagine that happening 95,500 times!

As a volunteer who helped collect the books said, “It’s nothing short of a miracle.”

The children in Liberia who benefit from these books will never know you were the reason for their joy. They will never know how you reached out to touch their lives.

So, on behalf of those children, we at Trees for Life thank you.

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President, Trees for Life





Hundreds of people of all ages volunteered to collect, sort and pack the books.





Even the giant “card” signed by hundreds of youth in Kansas was just a token of their love and friendship for the children of Liberia.



The giant card packed for sending to the president of Liberia, Her Excellency Ellen Johnson Sirleaf.



November 12, 2009: A truckload of books and love from the heart of Kansas leaves for Liberia.



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