

HELPING ALL WE CAN...ONE AT A TIME.

DIRECTOR'S NOTE

Deanna Wallace
AAO Executive Director

You are amazing! **Thank you for helping us raise \$6200 of the \$9000 we need for the month!** We are so grateful! If you can help us reach the rest of our goal this month, that would be incredible!

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I also want to let you know what we're doing to hopefully help us get out of this financial quagmire. As I write, we are working with a videographer in Sierra Leone to put together a video about All As One that will tell some of our children's stories. Once we have the video, we are planning to feature it on our website and through social media, to give people a clearer picture of the kids and how they've been helped through the years. Toward this effort, we're working with the wonderful musical artist, **Azania** (www.azania.com), who has been our goodwill ambassador over the past several years. Our hope with this video is to reach new donors to sponsor our work on a monthly or annual basis. The details of this effort will be coming when the video is ready, hopefully by February 2017.

Let me close by wishing you the warmest and happiest holiday season! Thank you for all of your support in 2016! **I'm anticipating a NEW year that brings more and more hope to the children in Sierra Leone! To accomplish this, your help is needed now more than ever.** Thank you!



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