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Dear Friends,

Please consider making a charitable contribution to ASISTA this year. ASISTA is a 501(c)(3) organization¹ that furthers the rights of immigrant women and children who are victims of crimes. We believe national leadership requires fearlessly opposing governmental xenophobia in a considered, strategic manner.

Over the past year we have worked closely with federal government decision-makers and with national and state domestic violence and sexual assault organizations to challenge national and state anti-immigrant laws and policies. By bringing the experiences of immigrant crime victims to the discussion, we have achieved some success in moderating federal policies and thwarting the new flurry of anti-immigrant state laws. We are now working with Congress and other national organizations on the next Violence Against Women Act, which we hope will continue to ensure immigrant crime victims can access justice instead of being deported.

Although our work has ensured policymakers consider immigrant survivors of gender violence in their political calculus, we must continue to provide leadership as we enter an election period featuring pandering to anti-immigrant bigotry. We cannot use our federal funds to pursue this work, so we need your help.

Please help us give hope to immigrant women and children who now fear seeking safety and justice. Make your tax-deductible contribution online at <http://asistahelp.org> via Network for Good or mail to:

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Have a good holiday season!

Sonia Parras-Konrad & Gail Pendleton
Co-Directors

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