



## **What \$1 Buys**

**Sometimes it can be difficult to comprehend how donations make a difference in people's everyday lives. For people carrying the burden of disease and disability, every bit of help counts. Some donors may feel that if they aren't able to give a large gift, then they cannot make a difference. Nothing could be further from the truth. Every amount donated makes a difference in people's lives.**

**\$60.00 per pay period provides the funds for a sick child to spend one day in ICU.**

**\$35.00 per pay period provides a CT scan for a woman with cancer.**

**\$20.00 per pay period provides 5 therapy sessions for a senior with a disability.**

**\$10.00 per pay period provides a lightweight wheelchair for a physically challenged person.**

**\$5.00 per pay period provides five wigs for children undergoing chemotherapy.**

**\$4.00 per pay period provides a home health aide to bathe a patient who can no longer get out of bed.**

**\$2.00 per pay period provides medication for a woman with terminal breast cancer for one day.**

### **The Power of One Dollar:**

**\$1.00 per pay period provides printed materials, video and earplugs for two "Hear for a Lifetime" classrooms.**

**\$1.00 per pay period provides a morning of summer camp for a child with epilepsy.**

**\$1.00 per pay period provides an educational booklet for a person newly diagnosed with multiple sclerosis.**

**\$1.00 per pay period supports the *Trish Greene Back to School Program*, which allows children with leukemia to catch up on schoolwork that they have missed due to hospital stays and treatments.**

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