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Dear Friend,

I am a true believer. I have worked for this organization for more than 37 years in several different roles and departments, from a chart room file clerk at the Laconia Clinic to registration to Human Resources to my current position in Community Affairs. You name it; I've done it! With gratitude, I financially support our organization for all of the opportunities it has afforded me to follow my career path.

I believed in Lakes Region General Health (LRGH) and I believe in Concord Hospital today for the care and hope it provides family, friends and neighbors. And, I believe in you – my colleagues – and the compassion you share with patients and the community on a daily basis.

We are the heart of this organization. We are steadfast in our mission. And, we are true to each other. The Concord Hospital Trust Employees' Helping Hands Fund assists staff who experience unforeseen financial hardships, providing support when it is most needed. Last year, more than \$147,000 supported our coworkers throughout our health system, including Laconia and Franklin. So, I give because I know that my contribution makes a difference in the lives of some of the people I value most – my colleagues.

That's my story. What's yours? What do you value most about what we do? I hope there is something that our organization does, for our patients, the community or each other, which makes your heart sing. Please consider a contribution to support it! Like my gift, your gift can also make a difference.

Yours in caring,

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P.s. Every gift made, no matter the dollar amount, makes a significant difference in the lives of those around us. Let's champion the difference together!

***Together we are stronger!***