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The William J. Martin Foundation 161 Espanong Road Lake Hopatcong, NJ 07849

Dear Vince and GREAT Committee!!!

Gary stopped by and presented our Foundation with another extraordinary donation from the proceeds of your ever successful golf day in "Memory of Billy Martin". Our Foundation is deeply honored to have this support and we are proud to "name' another scholarship in memory of William J. Martin as we have done in the past. His memory will live on in the education this donation will help provide for the child of MSgt. Travis William Riddick, USMC. MSgt. Riddick gave his life 19 January 2012 in Helmand Province. He leaves behind his wife Jennifer and two children. His daughter Victoria is only 11 years old and her scholarship will be designated as *The William J. Martin Memorial Scholarship*.

I hope, again, to be able to attend the next tournament to just walk around and thank you folks. The continued support that you give us means so much because it affirms that you believe in our mission and how we accomplish it. The awesome friendship you continue to show to your pal Billy and to each other is a joy to behold. I am always humbled by that friendship when I attend the dinner. I do wish I had the opportunity to meet Billy but meeting you all I sure feel like I know him.

You all have a great committee and your golf tournament is awesome. The volunteer support and "love" that day is the highest tradition of loyalty to a friend. There is nothing better! To the committee we wish to extend our thanks and the thanks of the children we serve!

Most respectfully,

Pete Haas President