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Name: Luis T.
Race: Hispanic
Sex: Male
Age: 33
Spouse: Married for ten years to Delma R.
Children: Julio, Enrique, and Andre
Education: College @ University of Maryland; Degree in Education
Occupation: Teacher
Income: \$71,000 per year; wife does not work

Personality Profile:

Luis is a wonderful teacher in the Baltimore City School District. He teaches 5th grade, and his students love him! He worked hard to get his teaching degree at the University of Maryland. After college, he worked as a substitute teacher, while volunteering part-time at the local homeless shelter. He is dedicated to helping the students in inner-city Baltimore. He is in charge of the Homework Club, and he helps parents learn how to tutor their own children. Unfortunately, after running the Baltimore Marathon, Luis collapsed and found out that he needed a new heart. He is hoping for a transplant so he can continue his dream of helping kids in need.

Luis' wife, Delma, stays home with their young children. Julio and Enrique are five-year old twins, and Andre is seven. Andre has a severe case of asthma and needs frequent treatments. Without Luis, Delma will be forced to leave her home. Her kids will have to live with their aunt in Las Vegas, leaving them far away from their home. Also, many of the clubs that Luis is in charge of will fade away.

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Name: Kaskae Yazzie
Race: Inuit – Canadian Arctic
Sex: Female
Age: 41
Spouse: none
Children: 2-year old girl, Aglakti
Education: high school
Occupation: Independent fish and game supplier
Income: \$23,000 per year selling fish and game

Personality Profile:

Kaskae is part of the Inuit culture that is slowly declining. She lives in the Canadian Arctic, where jobs are not plentiful. Kaskae is living alone in a small hut on a ridge near the town of Inuvik. She fishes and hunts game locally and sells what she doesn't need to the local market. This does not provide her with much income, but it is enough for her and her daughter to survive.

Recently, Kaskae was diagnosed with a heart condition that will lead to an early death. Her heart is deteriorating at a rapid rate, and she has less than a year to live if she doesn't get a transplant. Since Kaskae has no other family members that are close to her, Aglakti would be turned over to a foster family. Despite her problems, Kaskae has great faith that she will get the transplant that she needs. She wants to see Aglakti grow up to be a successful young lady.

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Name: Chobry Weber
Race: German
Sex: Male
Age: 64
Spouse: Single – wife died three years earlier
Children: Daughter – Klara Weber – 23 years old
Education: Humboldt University - Berlin; Degree in Biochemistry
Occupation: Production Advisor
Income: \$150,000 per year

Personality Profile:

Chobry Weber is a man who is an adviser to Daimler, a car production company. Chobry uses his degree to help to develop efficient cars that will leave a small global footprint. Many of his colleagues believe that he is on the verge of creating the most energy efficient car in history. However, since he developed a heart condition, he hasn't been able to put the time into his work. This has created disappointing attitudes in the company because this efficient vehicle could help to solve the energy crisis. Daimler management is worried that Chobry holds all of the essential knowledge to develop this vehicle, and if he does not get the heart, all of the information will die with him.

Klara, Chobry's 23-year old daughter, wants time to work with her father so she can continue his legacy. Unfortunately, if he doesn't get the heart transplant, she will not have the required time.

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Name: Preston Smith
Race: Caucasian
Sex: Male
Age: 29
Spouse: Lisa, girlfriend, 25, legal secretary
Children: son, Adam, 3; son, Lee, 5 (Lee has cancer)
Education: degree in mechanics from Edison Mechanical School
Occupation: Garage Mechanic
Income: \$36,000 per year

Personality Profile:

Preston is deeply devoted to his family. He is working hard at the garage, and hopes to one day own his own. He is one of the best mechanics at the garage and is often requested by customers. His employer likes his work, but Preston is frustrated that he doesn't have the opportunity to move up the job ladder.

Lisa's mother, Glenda, takes care of Preston's children during the day. Glenda lives with Preston and Lisa, and this causes quite a strain on their relationship. Lisa works at the local Wal-Mart during the day and takes college courses in the evening. She hopes to become a dental assistant.

Preston is very involved in the community and the church. He often teaches Sunday School classes for the younger groups, and helps at the local soup kitchen.

Preston discovered that he needed a heart transplant one day last month when he felt a sharp pain as he worked on a Toyota. Since his son, Lee, has cancer, Preston is worried about his future. Without the heart, his family and parts of the community will never be the same.

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Name: Tara Newman
Race: Caucasian
Sex: Female
Age: 14
Spouse: none; father is deceased
Children: none
Education: student at NYMS
Occupation: N/A
Income: Mother makes \$34,000 per year; Special Education Teacher

Personality Profile:

Tara is a typical eighth grade girl. She is very popular with her peers, and she is involved in many school activities. She is the vice-president of the student council, and she helps at many school events. Before her heart condition was discovered, she was a member of the field hockey and basketball teams.

When Tara was ten years old, her father passed away after a long battle with Leukemia. Tara and her mother have become very close during the last few years, relying on each other for everything. If Tara doesn't get this heart, her mother will never be the same again.

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Name: Melvin Jennings
Race: African-American
Sex: Male
Age: 22
Spouse: engaged to 20 year old, Briana
Children: none; 12 year old sister
Education: Philosophy student at UCLA
Occupation: Garage Mechanic
Income: Inherited \$5,000,000 from his deceased parents

Personality Profile:

Melvin is a very passionate young adult. He is an excellent student at UCLA, landing on the Dean's List the past 2 years. He goes to many events to protest people being treated unfairly. He wants equality for all people, and he will always speak his mind.

Since Melvin has inherited the money from his parents, he has agreed to build a new wing onto the local hospital, but only if he is chosen to receive a new heart. This new wing would be used to treat underprivileged children with life-threatening diseases.

Melvin is currently engaged to Briana, a 20-year-old education major. Melvin doesn't want to die without doing what he can to help other people. He feels that with his money and ideas, he will be able to assist many people in the future. He wants a chance at life.

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Name: Gus Davidson
Race: African-American
Sex: Male
Age: 23
Spouse: none
Children: none
Education: college graduate with a degree in Physical Therapy
Occupation: training to become an Olympic sprinter
Income: none (training)

Personality Profile:

Gus is a soft-spoken, polite young man. He has devoted his entire life to becoming an Olympic athlete. He has been training since he was 11-years-old. He is considered to be the top 100-yard sprinter in the United States, if not the world.

Gus is a role model for thousands of young boys and girls. One day while working out, he collapsed on the track. He was found to have a rare heart disease. With this new heart, doctors have assured him that he could resume a normal life and “go for the gold.”

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Name: Dr. Wong
Race: Asian
Sex: Male
Age: 39
Spouse: Wife, Leslie; housewife
Children: son, 15; Son, 13; Daughter, 9
Education: Doctoral in Medicine from University of Pennsylvania
Occupation: Physician and Instructor at Univ. of Penn Medical School
Income: \$1,250,000 per year

Personality Profile:

Dr. Wong has been working with a medical team on cancer research. He seems very involved in this project. He still has not found a cure for cancer, but he feels as if he is on the verge of a major breakthrough in cancer detection. He has high hopes of finding a cure within the next 2 years. However, after being diagnosed with cancer himself, he has been told that he only has 1-2 years to live. He is a brilliant doctor, but sometimes is hard to work with.

His relationship with his wife has not been very good since the birth of his last son. Dr. Wong and his wife both agreed not to get divorced because of the children. Dr. Wong is rarely at home because he is always working on his research. He doesn't have much time with his family. His wife takes care of the children and also stays active in charitable and civic organizations.

Even though Dr. Wong has an incurable cancer, he hopes to receive a heart transplant. He has been told that without a new heart, he will die within the next 6 months. With a new heart, he might last up to 2 years, allowing him time to discover a cure for cancer.

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Name: Elizabeth Bradshaw
Race: African-American
Sex: Female
Age: 9
Spouse: none
Children: none
Education: 4th grade student at Hilton Elementary School
Occupation: N/A
Income: Family makes \$88,000 total

Personality Profile:

Elizabeth is an active 9-year-old student in fourth grade. Unfortunately, she has a heart disease that causes her to need a new heart. She is a very nice girl who works well with other students, but she struggles in her academics. The other students in the class really like her and help her whenever they can.

Elizabeth's parents are devastated over the news of her heart condition. She is the love of her life, and they have been told that they are not able to have any other children. They just opened their own beauty shop, so they are struggling to make ends meet. They have enough money to live, but not a lot for extras.

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Name: Dylan Harbaugh
Race: Caucasian
Sex: Male
Age: 14
Spouse: none
Children: none
Education: 8th grade student at Millersburg Middle School
Occupation: N/A
Income: family earns \$500,000 per year; Mom is V.P of local company

Personality Profile:

Dylan is a bit of a troublemaker at Millersburg Middle School. He has been suspended 3 times for getting into fights in the hallways. Even though he is extremely intelligent, he doesn't work very hard and tends to be lazy.

Dylan has a heart condition, which requires him to get a transplant as soon as possible. His friends are shocked by the news, and Dylan is having trouble containing his emotions. Recently, he was kept home from school for a week so he could get control of his anger. He feels that this condition is unfair, and he is blaming his parents for not finding out earlier.

One of Dylan's talents is his guitar playing. He won a contest when he was 12, which gave him the opportunity to play onstage with Aerosmith. Steven Tyler, Aerosmith's lead singer, was willing to sponsor a music contract for Dylan, but the heart condition has put things on hold.

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Name: Sally Albero
Race: Italian-American
Sex: Female
Age: 30
Spouse: 34, unemployed
Children: twin daughters, age 6, attend elementary school
Education: B.A., Master's, and Doctorate degree
Occupation: Minister
Income: family earns \$60,000 per year

Personality Profile:

Sally G. is one of the few female ministers in the United States. She has been heading her present congregation for the past six years. She came to it directly from the military where she was a chaplain. She built her congregation from five families to 470 families. Under Sally's leadership, the congregation has saved enough money to build a brand new church.

She is highly regarded as an inspiring leader, community builder, and fund-raiser. She originated and continues to operate a soup kitchen/mission for underprivileged and homeless people. Thousands of men, women, and children have benefitted from her endeavors. Her congregation has offered her a lifetime contract. Her husband is active in religious activities, teaches in a religious school, is raising their two children bilingually, and has enrolled in college courses.