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Dear

Thank you for your support of Agape Interfaith Ministries (A.I.M.) in prayers and in giving. At this Christmas season, my Cecelia story should inspire and encourage you to know and share God's love in Christ.

\*On Sunday, August 16, 1987, Northwest Airlines flight 225 crashed just after taking off from the Detroit airport. One hundred fifty-five people were killed. One survived: a 4 year old from Tempe, Arizona, named Cecelia.

News accounts say when rescuers found Cecelia, they did not believe she had been on the plane. Investigators first assumed Cecelia had been a passenger in one of the cars on the highway onto which the airliner crashed. But when the passenger register for the flight was checked, there was Cecelia's name.

Cecelia survived because, as the plane was falling, Cecelia's mother Paula Chican, unbuckled her own seat belt, got down on her knees in front of her daughter, wrapped her arms and body around Cecelia, and then would not let her go.

Nothing could separate that child from her parent's love, not tragedy or disaster, not the fall or the flames that followed, not height nor depth, not life nor death. Such is the love of our Savior for us. He left heaven, lowered himself to us, and covered us with the sacrifice of His own body to save us.

(Phillip Gunter, Round Rock, Texas)

Please remember A.I.M. needs your help in giving this Christmas season, and in the New Year of 2021. God bless you always.

Rejoicing,  
Pastor Duane and Trena McCracken

