

The Malishev Family

Dates of visits:

January 25th,
February 11th,
March 19h, 2008

Help received:

groceries (monthly),
baby food (monthly),
medicine (March)

Report: This was the Malishev family's first quarter in the "Care" program. In January, Larisa was in the hospital for weeks to have a cyst removed. Her mother cared for two-year-old Vanya during this time. In March, Larisa received the results of Vanya's tests from the German hospital. They confirmed that his rare form of leukemia is the result of a genetic abnormality. It is too late to perform a bone marrow transplant because the local doctors did not refer him for treatment in time. Larisa refuses to give up on her son, and will continue taking him to a medical institute in another city, so that he can get whatever care they will offer him. She has also taken him to an Orthodox priest for prayer. She allowed us to pray for him, as well.



Groceries include: milk, butter, canned meat and fish, canned peas and corn, tomato paste, oatmeal, dried beans, split peas, buckwheat groats, cooking oil, macaroni, flour, rice and dried soup mixes.

Baby food includes: vitamin-fortified infant formula and cereal

Medicines include: children's vitamins, fever reducer, cough syrup, rose hip syrup, cod liver oil, charcoal pills (first aid for poisoning), iodine, bandages and gauze.