Second Prize, Dear George Washington Contest 2013 Rashawn Wilson, Second Grade Shuman Elementary School

Dear President Washington,

My name is Joshua Smith and I live in Savannah, Georgia. I'm writing you about my uncle Kevin, he was out in the field and broke his arm chopping wood. He slipped when he was going to his boss to tell him that he was finished chopping the wood. His boss, Mr. Johnny, heard a loud bump. Mr. Johnny yelled are you ok Kevin! Kevin said I believe my arm is broken and I'm in so much pain! Ok, be still and don't move sad Mr. Johnny, I'll go get some help. I'm so sorry there's not a doctor nearby. I'll try to do the best I can until we get help. Mr. Johnny sent someone to the next town to get a doctor. The next town is far away and it took a long time for the doctor to come and see my Uncle Kevin.

We need more doctors in every village. President Washington, we are in need of doctors, supplies, and medicine. A lot of men got hurt in the war and our town tried to give our medicine to the men who were hurt. Now most of our medicine is gone.

My Uncle Kevin is feeling better but he will need some more medicine and a cast. He needs to go back to work so he can take care of his wife and children. Can you help our town find more medicine and a doctor? This would help a lot of people in our village.

We thank you President Washington. We believe in your that is why you are our president.

Yours truly,

Joshua Smith