

# The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International Louisiana State Organization

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North Carolina DKG  
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Dear North Carolina DKG Members:

On behalf of the Louisiana State Organization of Delta Kappa Gamma (LSODKG), I would like to thank all of you who donated Delta Dollars for hurricane relief in Louisiana. It is such a blessing to see sisters taking care of sisters.

Mary Beth Dailey, Beta Omicron Chapter President, NCDKG, contacted me on September 2<sup>nd</sup> after seeing the news of devastation from Hurricane Laura. I gave her names and email addresses of the chapter presidents in the Lake Charles area with members that had the most damage from the hurricane. She was able to connect with Charlotte McCallum, Alpha Gamma Chapter President, in Louisiana State Organization DKG. Eighteen members from Beta Omicron sent 19 gifts cards from Home Depot, Lowes, Target and Walmart to Alpha Gamma. This was amazing!

Hurricane Laura was just the beginning of the devastation that came through most of Louisiana. Hurricane Delta followed the same path and then Hurricane Zeta caused damage to sisters in the New Orleans area.

There were 35 emergency fund requests sent to LSODKG and DKG International. These were all approved, and the members were so thankful for the checks that they received. LSO gives up to \$200 and International gives up to \$500. Many members had thousands of dollars in losses and some had to start over completely. Even now when driving through the Lake Charles area, there is still evidence of the damage as there are not enough workers to make repairs. It is heartbreaking!

I was overwhelmed when I opened a card from your state President, Dr. Teresa Cowan, to find a check from NCDKG in the amount of \$3445.37 to be used for the LSODKG's Florence Amy Emergency Fund. We are SO appreciative of the love and compassion that you have demonstrated and shared through this monetary donation. You are all AWESOME!

Sincerely,



Sandra C. Pruitt  
State President