

Dear Lion,

The terrible earthquake that has upset Italy in August 2016 has affected not only the inhabited centers but also many small breeders' homes.

They could not be moved to the hotels of the marine resorts because they needed to stay close to their animals so that they could care for them and avoid losing not just the house but any assets tied to farming.

In this sense, BikersLionsClub MD 108 Italy, together with the Lions Club Montalcino Val d'Arbia and d'Orcia and the Misericordia of San Quirico d'Orica, moved to look for some family of farmers to help.

With the participation of caravan and camper manufacturers and freight forwarders, on December 3, 2016, a caravan and two camper carriers were delivered.

The caravan, in particular, was donated to a couple of farmers: Benito of 79 years old and his Graziella wife of 75 years old !!!

When we arrived near their home destroyed by the earthquake, Graziella told us: "Are you the Angels coming to help us?"

The emotion was great, and as always happens in these cases, what we Lions receive is far more than we can donate.

More than a year has passed and much has to be done.

The uneasiness of losing the home is compounding the difficulty of finding food for animals that are the only source of income for these families.

the BikersLionsClub MD 108 Italy, intends to complete its service for the earthquake, by purchasing and delivering food for animals.

The active participation of the Lions Club Murnau, through its ambassador Ekkerhard Alsweight, is a clear demonstration of how important our service organization is.

Attached, some photos taken during the delivery of the caravan and camper and soon others because we are cycling here to find these beautiful people.

A collective embrace from all BikersLions and an endless thank you for the thought of the Lions Club Murnau.

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