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Deborah didn't know how to be a parent of two young children in today's society. Instead of enjoying a weekend with the young ones she finds herself playing mom, dad, and grandma to her grandchildren.

After her grandchildren lost their parents she was facing the physical, emotional and financial toll of raising two young children while in the late stages of her life.

Finding out that her savings for retirement wouldn't suffice, she knew she needed help. As a senior citizen, she asked for a grant to gain training for a position to be able to afford the therapies she needed and the care her grandchildren deserved. Through several United Way funded Agencies she was able to find youth education and after school programs for her grandchildren and was awarded a grant so she could gain training for a more marketable position.

In 2010, as a senior citizen, she graduated with an Associate's degree in Health Care Management with concentrations in billing and coding.

Thanks to your donation to United Way, Deborah and her grandchildren have a stable self-sufficient home and bright future. "For all that United Way and their agencies do, thank you for giving my grandchildren every opportunity to succeed with a grandparent as a parent."

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