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Dominican Academy

Catholic College Preparatory School for Girls

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Every Thanksgiving, we look for a speaker to address our students to awaken in them a spirit of thanksgiving and generosity. By a wonderful quirk of fate, we learned about Laura and her inspiring book, *An Invisible Thread*. Laura's niece, a Dominican Academy alumna, brought Laura's story to the attention of one of our theology teachers who passed it along to me with a copy of Laura's book. When I read Laura's and Maurice's story, I knew that she would be the perfect speaker for our Thanksgiving assembly.

Laura helped our girls realize how very fortunate they are with loving parents, an excellent school and plenty to eat. She gave them a vision of how to respond in gratitude to someone less fortunate than they. It is unlikely that our students will have a similar opportunity but hearing about Laura's experience opened their imaginations to new possibilities for reaching out and connecting with others.

I have no doubt that there is now an 'invisible thread' between Laura and the girls at Dominican Academy who had this enriching opportunity.

Sincerely,

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