

A Proclamation
By
Governor Ronnie Musgrove

WHEREAS, Angels On Earth Inc. is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that is committed to helping stop domestic violence and helping children who have life-threatening illnesses receive the operations and medical treatments needed to prolong a normal life; and

WHEREAS, summer of 2002 holds many events to help promote the end to our nation's #1 crime, domestic violence, which destroys more families than any other crime in this country; and

WHEREAS, domestic violence has no gender or age preference, even though most reported cases are those that involve abuse toward a woman; and

WHEREAS, men, women, children, the young and the old alike, are potential victims of domestic violence and it is happening in every town, city and state, in every ethnic group, culture and neighborhood:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ronnie Musgrove, Governor of the State of Mississippi, hereby proclaim the month of August 2002, as

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in the State of Mississippi to raise awareness of domestic violence in our state and across the nation, as well as the physical and emotional effects to the victims, the survivors and their loved ones.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE in the City of Jackson, February 18, 2002, in the two hundred and twenty-fifth year of the United States of America.

RONNIE MUSGROVE
GOVERNOR