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Subject: Applying for House Arrest

I am writing to you for your help. I am in desperate need to be placed on house arrest. I was the caregiver of my parents, my Dad age 81, and my Mom age 76, which has a crippling disease of R.A. (A form of Arthritis). They are no longer able to take care of themselves any longer. I have been taking care of my parents for a while now since they cannot afford to hire someone to come to their home or cannot afford an assisted living facility. I am asking to be placed on house arrest at my parents home to be their caregiver. I am sure you know the hard work that goes into be a caregiver. I am their only means of care which they are in need of. I know that it is my responsibility to take care of them thru the last years of their life.

I have suffered greatly for the crime I did commit. I have given up all my assets including, my home, vehicles, 401K retirement and furnishings. I have paid back a great sum of the money I owe. I am planning on paying back the entire sum that I owe. I know what I did was wrong and have taken all the steps necessary to make things right. I am 55 years old and this is my first offense. I have been married for 35 years and have two children and my family is now homeless. I have ask Jesus Christ my Lord and Savior for his forgiveness and now trying to put my life back together. Before I came to prison I was under weekly counseling with my Pastor and would like to continue it.

Also, I was under the care of a psychologist every 30 Days and also under the care of a psychiatrist for weekly counseling. I would like to continue the care I was under, I had made a lot of progress with their help. I am not receiving any type of help in prison.

I understand that I qualify for house arrest under the requirements and I am looking for help to assist me with this request. I would save the State of South Carolina a lot of money by being placed on house arrest. I will follow all of the necessary guidelines for being placed on house arrest and I promise not to violate any of the rules or guidelines. Give me a chance to spend the last years of my parents life with them taking care of all of their needs.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter and I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Thanks again,
DeAnne Ogden

Bible Scripture:

1 Timothy, Chapter 5

Honor the Elders

It is the child's responsibility to take care of their parents and grand parents when they are in need.