



This is Metropolitan Saba from the Archdiocese of Bosra Hauran.

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A THANK YOU NOTE FROM **METROPOLITAN SABA** of the Archdiocese of Bosra Hauran:

"Dearest beloved brother in Christ, Bishop Basil:

Christ is in our midst! It was wonderful news for me to learn of the help you gathered to help my Archdiocese through **THE HAURAN CONNECTION** project of your Diocese. Fourteen thousand dollars is a large sum of money. More than thank you. Indeed THANK YOU is not enough to say to you and the reverend priests of your Diocese.

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Sayyidna, God be with you. I am praying to spend some days together with you in Syria.

Yours in Christ, +Saba,
Metropolitan of Bosra Hauran"