



CHURCH WORLD SERVICE

Best Gift

—MOMENT FOR MISSION—



Before the war in Ukraine, 13-year-old David was just like any other pre-teen.

He loved school, spent time with friends, and dreamed of becoming a professional footballer.

But when the war forced his family to flee, everything changed.

David stayed behind in his hometown for as long as he could, holding on to his life and his dreams.

But soon, he joined his family in Moldova, where they found shelter and support.

At first, David was withdrawn, missing his friends and the familiar life he'd left behind. But with time and care from the Anastasis Educational Center, he slowly started to smile again.

He made friends, joined fun activities, and even found new ways to enjoy life—just as a kid should.

When you support CWS Best Gifts, you give children like David the chance to just be kids again.

You provide toys, care, and the space to heal.

This Christmas, let's give our Best Gift—love—so children everywhere can play, grow, and dream.

