

A Cherished Blessing for a Cherished Man



In August, 1996, Dr. Theodore P. Kalogris, known by Reliv distributors worldwide as Dr. Ted, was honored for his life-long devotion to the betterment of mankind with a prayer and a blessing by **Pope John Paul II**, in the Palazzo Pontificio of the pontiff's summer retreat.

Izabella Jedwabski, MD, a Reliv distributor from Danvers, MA, arranged the visit during her own audience with the Pope. She presented Dr. Ted with the invitation and a Papal blessing during an emotional ceremony at one of Reliv's international conferences. During their time together, Pope John Paul expressed gladness in Dr. Ted's philanthropic work of the Kalogris Foundation and his devotion to scoring a victory for mankind.

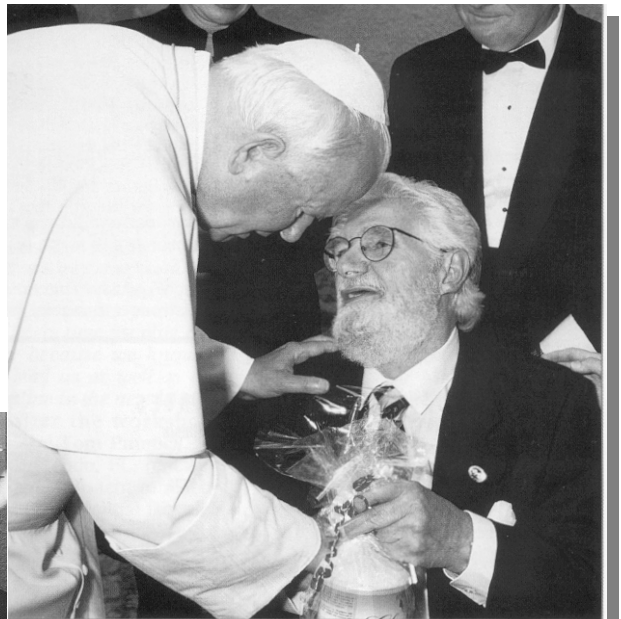
The Kalogris Foundation is a non-profit organization dedicated to relieving suffering around the world through the charitable distribution of the Reliv nutritional products. Since its creation in 1995, the Kalogris Foundation has contributed over a million dollars in Reliv products to a wide variety of enterprises that help people in need.

In October of 1998, Dr. Ted returned to the Vatican with 100 Reliv distributors for another audience with Pope John Paul II. The pontiff's own charitable organization—the John Paul Foundation gave recognition to the Kalogris Foundation with a special ceremony and hanging of a commemorative plaque on a wall in the Vatican.

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"The Holy Father bent down and whispered a prayer in my ear, and I whispered what was in my heart to him. It was the great moment in life which my parents and grandparents told me I would have," says Dr. Ted.