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Subject: **I hope this brightens your Holiday...**
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Dear Christiana,

Thanksgiving is Thursday, and we here at Defenders have a lot to be thankful for.

Here are just a few things we've accomplished in the last few weeks, thanks to your efforts...



[Southwest wolves will have a fresh start at recovery.](#)



[We've taken a vital first step toward getting key protections for polar bears and the places they live.](#)



[And the use of a deadly toxin that has killed millions of birds and poisoned other wildlife will end in the U.S.](#)

But we're most thankful for the people who made these latest wins for wildlife -- and all our work -- possible: **you and the hundreds of thousands of caring Defenders of Wildlife supporters.**

Our wildlife still faces some enormous challenges. **But with the ongoing support of dedicated supporters like you, we can face these challenges head on.**

From all of us at Defenders, **thank you for all you do to protect our wildlife and wild places.**



Happy Thanksgiving,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rodger". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Rodger Schlickeisen
President
Defenders of Wildlife

P.S. As a reminder of your dedicated support for wildlife, [please download our free "I'm a Defender" wallpaper](#) for your computer.

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