

## **Marquette County Sheriff's Department**

Our department responded to a house fire in the Town of Montello this morning. Upon arrival fire was showing from the back of the home. All of the residents were out of the home and standing watching as their home burned. The home received extensive damage and is unlivable. The home was occupied by a husband and wife and their 5 children ranging in age from 20yrs-3yrs. I arrived on scene and spoke with the officers and firemen on scene. We then used your program and began to give the books away. One of the girls noticed a "Charlottes Web" book and stated she would like to have it as the one she had just burned in the fire. I didn't have the heart to restrict the number of books so I gave them the entire bag. The family was very thankful. The American Red Cross is attending to their needs and they will be housed in a hotel/motel temporarily until they can arrange long-term housing. Thanks again for supplying the book. I think it is making a impact in the emotional issues that victims go through. Take Care.

***Sheriff Kim V. Gaffney***

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