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Family Members Profile

Woman: Stella, age 85, widowed. She has reasonably good health, but requires arthritis medicine not covered by Medicare/Medicaid.

Setting

You live in your own home, which is three stories, quite large, and has no storm windows. You live in the downstairs area with two cats. You took in two roomers last year. They left unexpectedly without paying you and left your place in some disrepair. You are a bit fearful of going out by yourself. In that you don't drive, you use public transportation and friends (you have no family) to get around. You are paying off a loan for furnace repair.

Income

You receive \$968.00 a month from SSI (Supplemental Security Income).

Budget

These are the bills you must pay during the month.

Housing (pay to mortgage and realty company)

Taxes:	\$100.00
Maintenance:	\$120.00
Insurance:	\$100.00

Utilities (pay to utility company)

Gas:	\$152.00
Electric:	\$24.00
Phone:	\$36.00

Food (pay to grocery store)

Per week:	\$60.00
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Clothing (pay to pawnshop)

Uniforms:	\$20.00
Other:	\$60.00

Medical (pay to clinic)

Pre-paid burial:	\$50.00
Medicine:	\$150.00

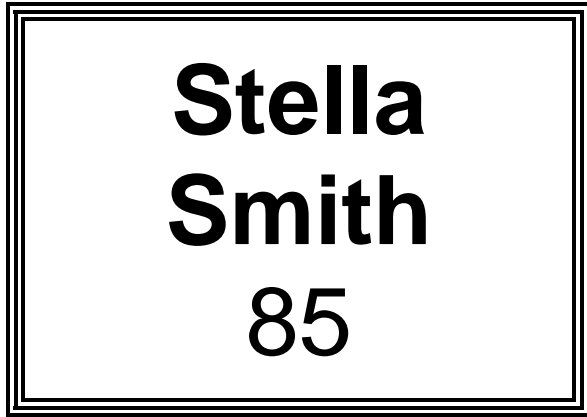
Loan Payment (pay to bank)

Per month:	\$250.00
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<p>SOCIAL SECURITY CARD</p> <p>132-65-7788</p> <p>THIS NUMBER HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED FOR</p> <p>Stella Smith</p> <p><i>Stella Smith</i></p> <hr/> <p>SIGNATURE</p>
<p>State of Poverty</p> <p>OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION CARD</p> <p>132-65-778</p> <p>STELLA SMITH</p> <p>106 EAST 24TH STREET</p> <p><i>Stella Smith</i></p> <hr/> <p>SIGNATURE</p>

<p>Social Security Administration</p> <p>State of Poverty, USA</p> <p>Supplemental Security Income</p>	<p>79-45</p> <hr/> <p>234</p>	<p>45921</p>
<p>Pay to the order of Stella Smith</p>		<p>Amount \$968.00</p>
<p>Nine Hundred Six-Eight Dollars and No Cents</p>		
<p>12000496 404 1001124</p>	<p>45921</p>	<p><i>Lottie Doe</i></p> <hr/> <p>TREASURER</p>

Nametags





Smith Family
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~Home Sweet Home~