



Thanking Giffords for human approach

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Tucson Citizen

August 21, 2007

Re: the Friday article "Local family reunited as Giffords helps four get back from Gaza":

I commend congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords and her staff for their tireless effort to evacuate the stranded family in Gaza, and I commend the new spirit of mutual respect projected by her decision to make the time to help this family.

She has proven to all of us that no matter what your ethnic background, no matter where you come from in the world, no matter what your religious preference is, we're all human beings and this family is part of our American society.

Thank you, congresswoman Giffords. You make us proud.

Mohamed EL-Sharkawy

Phoenix