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"Yesterday we had a horrible situation. A child attempted to scale a fence and a fishhook section of the fence pierced her upper thigh trapping her impaled on the fence. It was awful, as we waited for EMS a gentleman working up on Mosby in an empty house asked if we needed help. We've recently learned his name is Steve Todd.

He was there in a flash and cut the portion of fence free so that the child could be lowered to the ground. His thinking was quick, decisive and cool headed.

EMS arrived to treat the child with the metal in place, they asked who had the forethought to cut her down and we told them a gentleman from the Properties but when we looked up to find him he was already back in the house he had been working in back hanging up the blinds.

Please let him know how much we appreciate his help. The child was in danger and we would not have been able to support her weight much longer and the metal would have torn out a portion of her leg. His quick thinking saved the situation from becoming much worse.

He's obviously not a person who seeks out praise or thanks but his actions were extraordinary.

Please let him know we're so grateful to have him part of our community.

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