Dear Reader,

This issue of ChildArt is path-breaking for two reasons. First, its focus is empathy—mother of all emotions which influences our perspectives and actions. Some never feel empathy or find the need for it, but the world cannot improve without it. We are most grateful to the experts who took the time to contribute to this issue to make you realize the importance of growing your own empathy.

The second reason is that this is the very last issue of ChildArt quarterly. Publishing this ad-free magazine since 1998 has been a labor of love. It is no longer feasible to persist against an environment that does not induce private foundations to lend support to worthy publications for young readers.

We are grateful to you and all ChildArt subscribers, some who have stayed with us for many years. We are sorry that this quarterly for a brighter future is now a thing of the past.

Happy reading and best wishes.