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Annual Report 2013

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Aid & Relief

In times of crisis and desperation, the first question we must ask is, "How can we save as many lives as possible?" The second question: "How can we build trust through meeting basic needs?" Finally, the most important question: "How can we share the Gospel throughout this process?"

The order of these questions is critical. Sharing the Gospel with people—the most important task—is what we do after showing true compassion in action: a package of rice and beans for a starving family, medicine for a dying child, clothing for refugees in the dead of winter. We have seen

the incredible effect time and time again: Meeting someone's immediate physical needs opens doors for the Gospel to be shared ... earning us the right to be heard. We believe this approach honors God and paves the way for genuine, lasting change—both inside and out.

"One does not ask of one who suffers: What is your country and what is your religion? One merely says: You suffer, that is enough for me."

— Louis Pasteur



Crisis Response

A timely and effective response is absolutely essential in an effort to save lives. Our global network of aid workers and distribution experts are strategically positioned to provide immediate support to those affected by disaster or conflict. Each intervention is designed to give life-saving assistance through temporary provisions, with plans to foster long-term solutions for progressive community restoration.

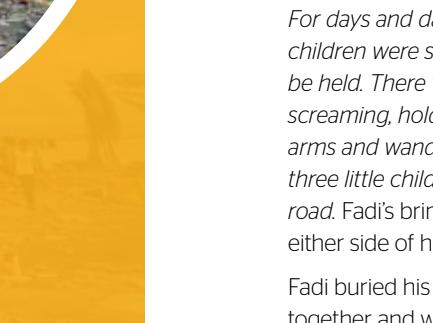
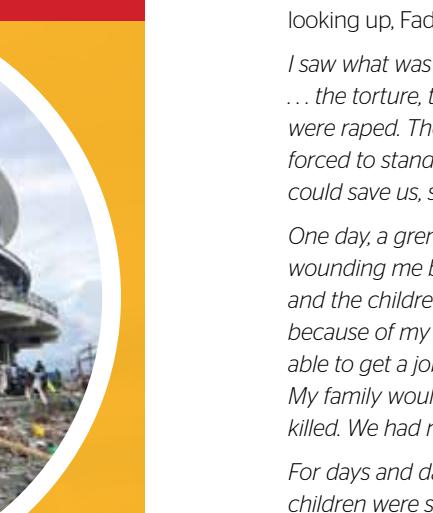


Typhoon Haiyan:

Using Strengths to Make a Difference

On November 8, 2013, the largest tropical storm ever recorded made landfall in the Philippines, claiming the lives of more than 6,000 people and wiping entire communities from existence.

As Drew Burdick watched the chaos unfold, his heart sank for the nation he had called home during the majority of his childhood. Witnessing the devastation from afar left him feeling helpless, but it wasn't long before he had thought of a way to reach out. He turned to what he was best at—apparel design. Drew's company, Billionaires Apparel, partnered with World Help to raise over \$700 in t-shirt sales, which supports World Help's emergency aid provisions for hundreds of Filipinos.



Syria: I am a Syrian Refugee

by Suzanne O'Dell

Our small aid convoy sat on the cool cement floor of a crumbling cinder block building. Facing us was a man sprawled out on a single threadbare mattress with several sleeping children ... his eyes fixed on some invisible object that seemed far away.

My name is Fadi. My family and I are refugees from Syria ... and we can never go back.

Fadi clenched his jaw tightly, trying to suppress the pangs of grief that threatened to contort his expression. A member of our team leaned forward, extending his hand in reassurance. "Tell us. Tell us what happened there." Without looking up, Fadi continued.

I saw what was happening to my friends and neighbors ... the torture, the beatings, the slaughter. Their women were raped. Their children were ripped from their arms and forced to stand on the frontlines of the fighting. No one else could save us, so I fought to protect my family, my home.

One day, a grenade exploded in the street where I was, wounding me badly. My wife begged me to leave with her and the children, to cross the desert into Jordan. I knew that because of my involvement in the fighting, I would never be able to get a job. My home would be burned to the ground. My family would be murdered. I would be tortured and killed. We had no choice but to run.

For days and days we walked from town to town. Our children were scared and hungry, always begging to be held. There was misery everywhere. Women were screaming, holding the bodies of dead children in their arms and wandering through the streets. Then we saw three little children—two girls and a boy—crying alone in the road. Fadi's brimming eyes motioned to the children on either side of him. These children.

Fadi buried his face in his shirt. Everyone in the room sat together and wept. No one tried to speak to fill the silence.



Syria Crisis at a Glance

(by the end of 2013)

- More than 125,000** have been killed since the spring of 2011
(Over one third were innocent civilians)
- 6.5 million** are internally displaced
- 2.3 million** are refugees
(Over one half are children)
- 9.3 million** are in need of humanitarian aid
- Over 500,000** of Syria's 1.75 million Christians have been displaced due to conflict
- 3 million children** have been unable to attend school

Aid + Provided:

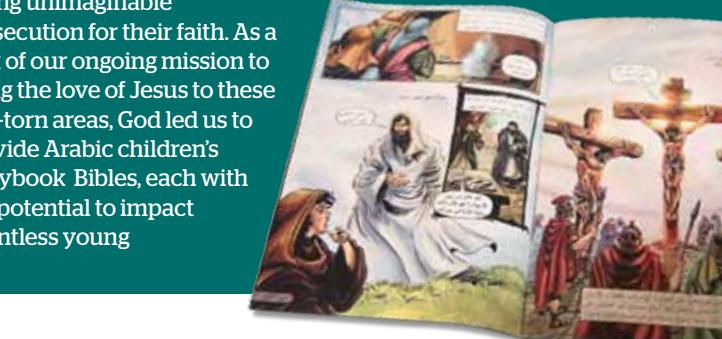
- Water
- Staple foods
- Warm blankets
- Clothing
- Stoves for cooking
- Wood-burning heaters
- Medication



Storybook Bibles

people living in crisis situations

with the hope of the Gospel. In 2013 alone, 250,000 storybook Bibles were funded through our donor family.



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Feeding Centers

Each day, over 842 million people—most living in the developing world—go to bed hungry. Hunger is ruthless and indiscriminate, killing more people every year than AIDS, malaria, and tuberculosis combined.

World Help has established feeding centers in key areas where the hunger epidemic is extreme. Offering regular, nutritious meals to these families and children has kept thousands from starving needlessly.

"For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in..."

— Matt. 25:35 NIV

1,604,448

meals distributed in 2013



Impressions From the Field

Just outside of Zacapa, Guatemala, there is a trash dump where surface fires smolder day and night.

It is dangerous, ungoverned, like a flickering scene from a nightmare.

It is also home to hundreds of impoverished Guatemalans . . . and one of World Help's largest feeding centers.

Six times a week, men, women, and children gather for nutrition-filled

meals, clean water, and support from World Help partners. For the majority of them, these are the only meals they eat.

I saw everyone covered in soot . . . the little children taking care of themselves as the parents and older siblings dig through trash. There is little or no water and there is no place for the mothers to cook food for their family. There is nothing in

place for these families to make a better future for their children.

Our partner shows up every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday . . . no matter what. It gives people hope—hope that someone cares for them and that they will be taken care of.

— Travel Director Khristina Kanagy on a recent visit to one of our Guatemalan feeding centers.



Operation Baby Rescue

At times, the battle against malnutrition, hunger, and disease becomes far too much to bear alone. For children fighting against these ailments, opportunities for help are often few and far between. Some have parents who, despite their best efforts, cannot adequately provide for their children. In other cases, babies are born to frightened teen mothers who are unprepared to receive them as gifts. For all of these children within our reach—children struggling to survive in remote Mayan villages in Guatemala, poverty-stricken shanty-towns of Haiti, and the streets of Uganda's most notorious slums—restoration and hope is possible through rescue.



373 babies rescued in 2013

Rescued from a Real-Life Nightmare

It seemed that poverty and destitution had set out to rob the world of Jenifer's life.

Born into an impoverished village without access to basic resources, the odds of Jenifer's survival were small to begin with. Then, at only 13 months, she fell unexpectedly into a water basin. Minutes passed before she was discovered completely submerged in the basin, lying terrifyingly still.

Rushed by her mother to the nearest hospital, Jenifer was miraculously revived . . . but something was terribly

wrong. In the minutes she went without oxygen, Jenifer suffered severe brain trauma, leading to cerebral damage. She would be unable to speak, walk, or even eat on her own.

The impoverished conditions in their rural mountain village only

confounded the effects of her disability. To her mother's disbelief, Jenifer's frail body began to shrink more each day . . . her breathing grew shallow, and her expression became distant and unresponsive.

The desperation in her mother's tear-

filled eyes communicated all that was necessary at the doorstep of the Baby Rescue Center. Without hesitating, the rescue staff took Jenifer's motionless body from her mother's arms and began to administer treatment for severe malnutrition.

Today, Jenifer is a beautiful 2-year-old girl with joy quickly returning to her eyes. Although she will continue to face the hardships of her disabilities, Jenifer is an example of the value of life and the role we must continue to take in restoring health and hope.

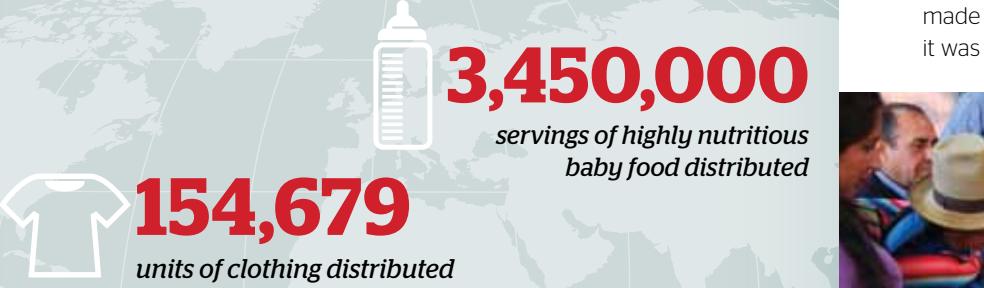
"We have a responsibility to show up and be a voice for those who can't speak . . . you matter . . . your contribution matters. And I'm amazed at the ripple effect that stepping out in faith has had on our family. We thought we were giving to help someone else . . . but God has been doing far greater work in our hearts."

— Darlene Collazo,
2013 Operation Baby
Rescue fundraiser

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Humanitarian Aid Shipments

The unequivocal generosity of our donors enabled us to procure and ship thousands of units of clothing, food, and medical donations to people in the midst of conflict or economic shortages, saving and enriching countless lives along the way. Through gifts-in-kind donations, federal and excess property grants, and other established shipping programs designed to offer practical assistance to overseas locations, we have made considerable contributions to the needs of our international programs without incurring significant cost. The efficiency of this program alone allows us to bring temporary relief in times of crisis without impeding the growth of sustainable, long-term initiatives.



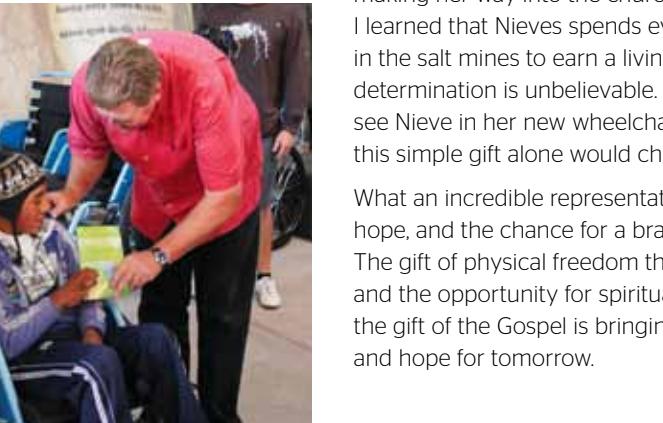
Peru: Help and Hope Align

by Vernon Brewer

World Help's mission is secured to the simple idea that a person's needs—immediate and eternal—matter deeply to God. This principle has reinforced our commitment to meeting the needs of a whole person, addressing both physical and spiritual deficits with holistic plans of solution. The results are undeniable: When help and hope align, true transformation happens.

A perfect example of this model at work is our wheelchair outreach in Peru. This program benefits some of the most vulnerable and forgotten people in the world, offering the gift of independence and mobility along with the hope found in God's Word.

During several trips to our Peruvian programs last year, our team distributed hundreds of wheelchairs to disabled people of all ages in a rural area called Urubamba. Along with a wheelchair, each person also received a Bible in their native language. Many made the decision to give their lives to Christ . . . it was incredibly moving to witness.



There was one woman there who I'll never forget—her name is Nieves (which means "snow"). She is 65 years old and has been unable to walk since she was three. When the vans pulled up outside, she wasted no time—literally crawling on her hands and knees out of the vehicle and making her way into the church without any help. I learned that Nieves spends every day working in the salt mines to earn a living. Her strength and determination is unbelievable. I was so thrilled to see Nieve in her new wheelchair . . . realizing that this simple gift alone would change her life.

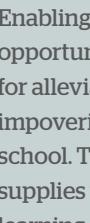
What an incredible representation of freedom, hope, and the chance for a brand-new beginning. The gift of physical freedom through a wheelchair and the opportunity for spiritual freedom through the gift of the Gospel is bringing help for today . . . and hope for tomorrow.

Education & Sustainability

Investing in long term solutions for change is World Help's ultimate goal for every project and program. Biblical training, increasing childhood access to education, and opportunities for adults to benefit from vocational programs, are just some of the initiatives that allow families to play an active role in lifting themselves from poverty. Educated individuals have what most in the developing world lack: options . . . and rekindled hope for a better and brighter future.



Building Futures Through Education



Enabling young people to thrive through educational opportunities is perhaps one of the most effective strategies for alleviating generational poverty. Oftentimes, children from impoverished backgrounds lack the basic capital to even enter school. Tuition fees, uniforms, and the costs of acquiring school supplies tragically sidetrack willing students from the halls of learning every day. We desire to reverse this debilitating trend by breaking the cycle of poverty . . . one educated child at a time.



Ravi's Eyes

Outside of the leper colony, no one would look Ravi in the eyes.

His parents had been covered in pale sores for as long as he could remember. By the time he was 5 years old, they no longer had the strength to leave their dilapidated home. Leprosy had cast a dark shadow on his life and it seemed there was no way out.

Ravi wasn't sick like his parents, but he was continually shunned and ostracized by others. Eventually, he learned that he was unfit for society . . . and no one expected anything to become of him.

However, in 2009, Ravi became a student at Abundant Life Children's Home where he encountered the truth of his worth and potential. At first, he struggled to believe in

himself, but with time and steady support, his confidence started to grow.

In 2013, Ravi earned a 98 percent in his science class—the highest score he'd ever received—and his teachers are confident this is only a glimpse of the exceptional student he will become.

Through education, Ravi now has the power to develop emotionally, spiritually, and intellectually. Today, Ravi's eyes no longer hold the weight of an outcast, but wrinkle with his bright smile and the joy of being an active participant in society. And no doubt, he will become a well-equipped advocate for his broken community one day.

Vocational Training

Conflict, displacement, disease, abject poverty, and other extenuating circumstances have robbed many of the chance to regularly attend school during their childhood years. These children grow up into adults who have no other choice but to work in unskilled, low-paying positions.

World Help chooses to take the approach of sustainable investment by giving uneducated adults a chance through a spectrum of vocational-training opportunities. Graduates of these programs go on to be successful seamstresses, welders, beauticians, and experts in the culinary professions. This strategy produces something much more valuable than temporary help...it upholds the dignity of individuals who—like each of us—long to participate in meaningful work.

301 vocational scholarships
were provided in 2013



Claiming Dignity

Like many of her peers, Jennifer's story is a complex but beautiful thread woven into Uganda's intricate tapestry of hope. Abducted as a child by the Lord's Resistance Army, she was left with a shattered childhood and little schooling, followed by an early marriage that produced three children. Her husband—an alcoholic—abandoned Jennifer and their children, leaving her with no income to survive. Stripped of everything, she couldn't remember what dignity felt like.

After being provided with a scholarship to a World Help sponsored vocational school, Jennifer worked to earn her tailoring degree. It was within those classroom walls where she found healing, laying claim on her gifts and abilities. Today, she runs a tailoring co-operative with three other women. Her children are well-fed and excel in school. She doesn't fear the future...dignity is hers.



Go online now to meet Colin, a former child soldier from Uganda whose life is being transformed through World Help's vocational program in Northern Uganda.

worldhelp.net/vocational

Sponsorship

The journey of sponsorship is a two-way street, the cultivation of a meaningful relationship between a sponsor and a child that develops a strong, lasting bond. Relationships require trust, and they require giving—giving of time, communication, understanding, as well as plenty of emotional and spiritual energy. This continual investment by our sponsors produces radical change in the lives of thousands of disadvantaged boys and girls...the priceless gift of transformation—body, heart, mind, and soul.

A Love that Crosses Borders

Cristian is one of three children living in an area where crime and poverty keep most young people from ever living out their full potential. When Cristian's father abandoned the family, the sole burden of provider fell to his mother who worked as a maid in town. Cristian and his siblings went to live with their grandmother, enabling his mother to work extra hours to make ends meet, and yet, the family struggled greatly. There was no extra money for school, medical care, or even regular meals.

When Deana Frye began sponsoring 12-year-old Cristian from Honduras, everything began to change for him.

In his first letter to Deana in 2010 he wrote, "I greet you with lots of love. I am happy because I will be attending the day-care center where I will receive a rich lunch and snack, and the teachers will teach me Bible stories." With every letter, photo, and update, the relationship grew more precious to Deana, and she longed to meet Cristian, if only to tell him how much she enjoyed being

his sponsor. She never imagined being able to meet him in person, but in the summer of 2012, Deana found herself on a trip bound for Honduras. There she met Cristian, his mother, sister, and the director of our Honduras programs.

"They were gracious, friendly, and so appreciative for the things we brought for them," remembers Deana. "It was the highlight of my trip." Since meeting, Deana and Cristian's friendship continues to grow. After their visit, Cristian wrote, "Thanks for being part of my life with your valuable help. Hugs and kisses."

One of the many privileges of being a sponsor is journeying through life alongside a desperately needy child. The financial investment means a great deal, but it's nothing compared to what is received in return: gratitude, love, and the miracle of being a part of a child's second chance.

14,317 sponsorships
active in 2013

World Help's Child Sponsorship Program spans

23 Nations



Why Sponsor?

Read some of the reasons our faithful sponsors choose to get involved:

"I think children are our most vulnerable population and I want to do something to help."

"I wanted to share in the life of a child to help better her life and to encourage her through love and support."

"In order to provide an avenue for bringing the life-changing Jesus Christ into the life of a child who may not have such an opportunity."

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Agricultural Initiatives

Offering the tools to jump-start sustainable initiatives in agriculture is one of the most promising ways we can create lasting change. A farmer with seeds, equipment, fertilizer, and a workable plot of land can feed his family, pay his bills, and help save for the future. An entrepreneurial widow with a couple of pigs can start a lucrative business. A school with a working poultry farm can help offset school fees and pay for books and supplies. These practical, cost-efficient solutions account for some of the most incredible examples of individual and community transformation we've ever witnessed.



Hundreds of these resources were provided in 2013:

- ▶ Livestock bundles
- ▶ Chickens
- ▶ Goats
- ▶ Harvest-producing seeds
- ▶ Beehives
- ▶ Fruit trees
- ▶ Rabbits
- ▶ Bicycles
- ▶ Sheep
- ▶ Pigs



Gifts of Hope: Livestock

In 2013, 700 children on the campus of Star School in Rwanda received two new, very large residents . . . a pair of dairy cows generously provided through *Gifts of Hope*. Before long, the two cows multiplied to four, providing plenty of fresh milk to every sponsored child on a regular basis. On average, a dairy cow can produce six to seven gallons of calcium-rich milk a day. Multiplied by four happy cows, that's 24-28 gallons of milk readily available for a fraction of the cost it would normally take to supply the needs of the school. The arrival of the dairy cows has provided a wholesome, reliable source of nutrition, while also allowing Star School to invest in other areas of growth for the future.

gifts of hope



Church-Planter Training & Support

World Help's global network of church planters is comprised of some of the most passionate and courageous individuals we have ever known. They are willing to risk everything—their safety, their possessions, even their lives—for the sake of proclaiming the Gospel to the unreached. Properly equipping these great men and women of God requires rigorous programs of training, study, and field experience. After a church planter is strategically positioned for outreach, the true challenge of faith begins. Our desire is to empower and support each church planter to confidently reach entire communities for Christ and establish churches that will shine brightly in the surrounding darkness with faithfulness, fearlessness, and hope.



8,681

churches planted



868,100

lives impacted through our church-planting ministry



249,401

Bibles provided around the world



122,509

new Christ followers



Bible Distribution

Even in the most unreached and persecuted areas of the world, God is drawing multitudes of people to Himself through the indisputable power of His Word.

Providing Bibles to our brothers and sisters suffering under the constant threat of imprisonment and oppression continues to be our most effective tool for sharing the Gospel. Our approach to this task continues to grow as we seek out better methods for distribution, the

production of portable digital copies, and safeguarding our partners who daily risk their lives so this work can be accomplished.



Bringing Light to the Darkest Places: North Korea

The nation of North Korea has been named the most dangerous country on earth for Christians to live by the World Watch List. Notorious for its ruthlessness and brutality toward any demonstration of faith in Christ, it is estimated that more than 200,000 Christians are struggling to survive in the confines of North Korea's prison camps. Hundreds have been publicly executed.

Still, even amid unimaginable persecution, the greatest request of these dedicated brothers and sisters is for more copies of God's Word to distribute, enabling new believers to grow and stand strong in their faith. Our partners have worked relentlessly to this end, risking their lives to smuggle secret shipments of Bibles to safe houses and underground churches.

We are dedicated to continuing this urgent work, knowing that God has the power to comfort and intervene, unleashing hope even in the darkest of places. Please continue to pray with us for the persecuted church of North Korea.

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Community Development

Developing communities often lack the basic infrastructure to facilitate true transformation on a practical level. Without access to clean water, proper housing, buildings dedicated for school and church, and nearby medical clinics, progress is stifled—if not halted—altogether. Providing essential facilities like these is a crucial step in the objective of community transformation.



6,200 lives impacted through World Help's medical clinics

Around the world, treatable illnesses can often become a death sentence. In Haiti alone, 40 percent of the population lives without access to clean water, and even more lack basic healthcare. Thousands of children die every year from the effects of contaminated water and poor sanitation—a tragedy. World Help is committed to ending through the construction of medical centers where treatment can be given to those in grave need.

In 2013, one part of that vision was manifested before our very eyes.

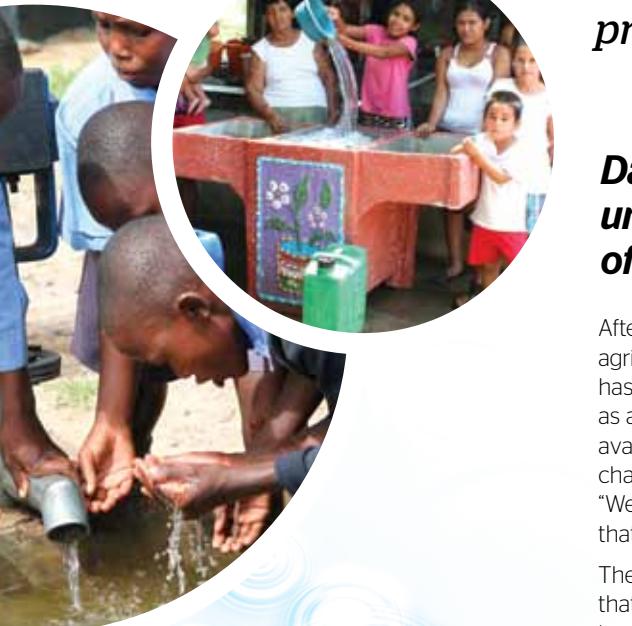
After 12 years of praying, dreaming, and planning, our national partner Danita's Children, along with World Help, opened the doors to a state-of-the-art medical clinic, which now serves hundreds of children and families. The facility runs a rehabilitation program for severely malnourished children, hosts traveling medical specialists from around the world, and tends to the students of the adjoining children's home. It is a life-saving answer to bold prayers and the result of an unwavering commitment to a healthier Haiti.

Clean-Water Projects

74,347 people impacted with clean water



90+ water projects provided in 2013



Dan and Betty Ganger understand the power of clean water.

...the ability to share the most important thing in life—Christ—by providing others with the most essential resource."

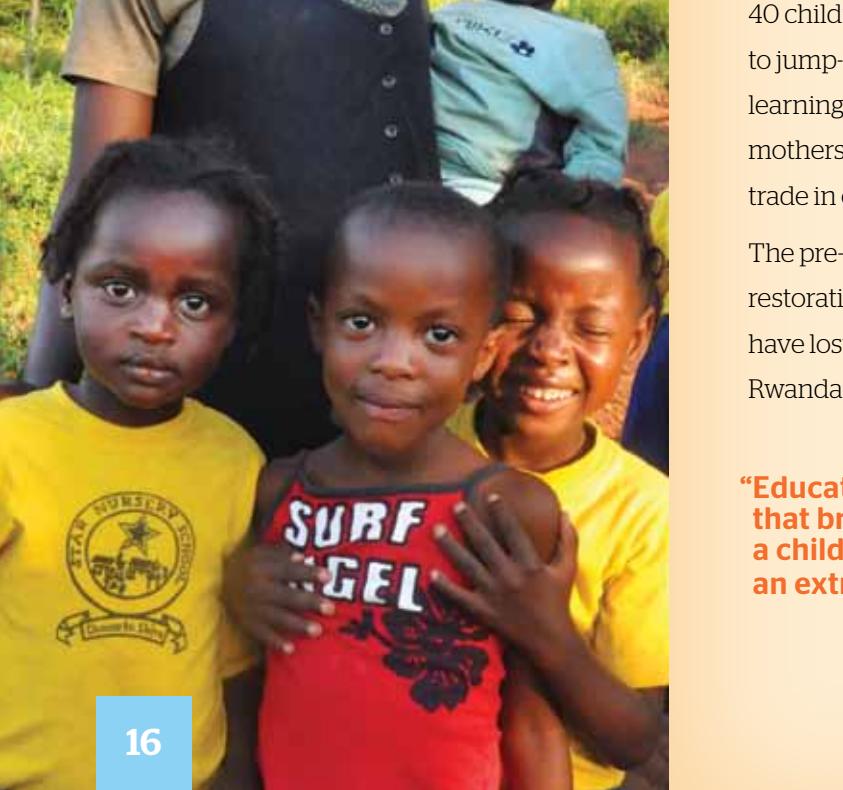
As the 2013 *Change the Present* campaign was drawing to a close, the Gangers' donation came just in time—allowing us to meet our goal to provide 10 Bhil communities with water-retention systems. Through their kindness, and the generosity of many other passionate supporters, 50,000 Bhil people will now have a path to holistic transformation.

"This seems to clearly parallel God's saving grace to each of us as believers," Betty said.

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10 Reasons Why Water Changes Everything

- HEALTH.** Improving access to water, sanitation resources, and hygienic education prevent 1.5 million child deaths every year.
- TIME.** Women and girls spend an average of six hours a day fetching water. Clean-water sources free up precious time for work and school.
- ECONOMY.** Hours of extra time translates into greater economic investment and more dollars earned to meet basic needs and to save for the future.
- AGRICULTURE.** Equal access to global water sources enables farmers' crops to produce 20-30 percent more, alleviating hunger for 150 million people.
- SAFETY.** Eliminating long treks to fetch water significantly decreases the risk of harassment or abuse for women and girls.
- EDUCATION.** If the world's children all had a dependable supply of clean water, 443 million hours of school would be redeemed every year.
- EQUALITY.** Women with more time are able to open their own businesses and become key influencers in their communities.
- DIGNITY.** Clean water empowers people to give their families a better life without encouraging a cycle of dependence.
- TRUST.** Once a community has access to clean water, a foundation of trust and friendship is built, allowing our partnering staff to meet other needs and to gradually introduce the Gospel.
- HOPE.** Providing for physical needs through clean water opens the doors to share the love of Jesus, the source of Living Water, to families and communities with whom we have developed strong relationships.



Building Schools

The nightmarish genocide of 1994 all but destroyed the nation of Rwanda, leaving children orphaned, families dismantled, and communities crippled by fear and hatred. Women who were widowed by the slaughter faced a desperately uncertain future as sole providers for their families.

World Help identified an entire community of these widows and their children, and we are committed to supporting their development. In partnership with Liberty University, who has been serving the widow's village since 2011, we have built a pre-school for the children in the village. More than 40 children now attend the school, enabling them to jump-start their education. While children are learning in a safe, structured environment, their mothers are also taking steps forward by learning a trade in one of our vocational programs.

The pre-school stands as a proud symbol of restoration, a way out of poverty for children who have lost everything, and the building of a better Rwanda for generations to come.

"Education is the most important tool that brings transformation in the life of a child from being ordinary to becoming an extraordinary citizen of the world."

— Nathan Amooti
Rwandan National Partner



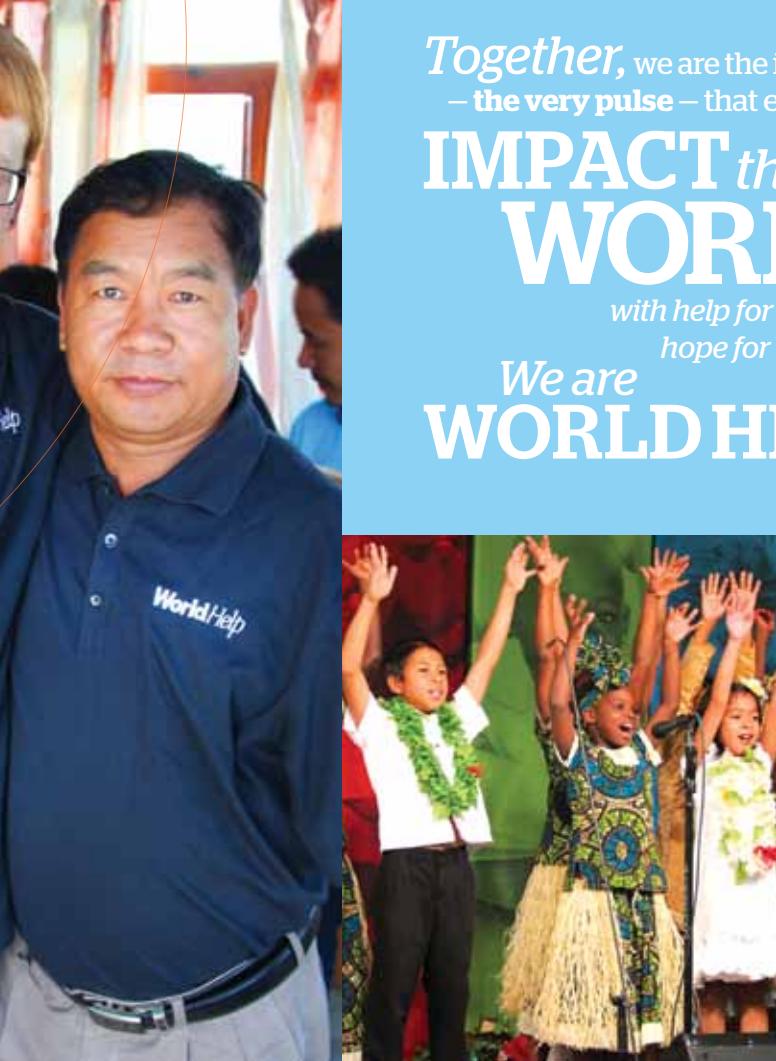
Church Building: Immeasurable Impact

For Christians living in areas saturated by religious persecution, a church building is more than just a gathering place . . . it is a refuge. Assembling in homes is difficult for large congregations and can elicit harassment from community members. But by establishing places of worship for spiritually oppressed people groups, the body of Christ is strengthened and eternal investments abound.

In the mountains of India where Shyamal lived, Hindu idol worship was practiced by virtually everyone in the community. His wife was plagued continually by nightmares and sickness; and tragically, the couple's daughter died unexpectedly from a fever.

In 1997, a group of Christians visited the community and shared the Gospel with Shyamal and his family. The transformation was immediate. His wife's nightmares stopped and the sickness ended. "I felt loved for the first time in my life." Strengthened by his newfound joy in Christ, Shyamal began telling everyone he knew about the Jesus who had changed his life.

Eventually, over 150 people from the village became Christ followers because of one man's testimony. World Help partnered with Shyamal in 2013 to provide the first church ever built in the village. Seventy families are now able to worship God in this brand-new facility, which serves as a beacon of hope and healing for miles around.



Together, we are the identity — the very pulse — that exists to IMPACT the WORLD with help for today and hope for tomorrow.
We are WORLD HELP.

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TRANSFORMATION
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World Help is the child who sells lemonade to raise money for clean water and the business owner funding projects. World Help is stay-at-home moms campaigning on social media, bloggers who lend their words and their voices, caretakers who serve nutritious meals to our sponsored children, and church planters who risk their lives to share the Gospel. World Help is the church in rural America that comes together to build a medical clinic.
World Help is you. World Help is us.

Trip Participant

Michele-Lyn Ault

"What I love about World Help is this: They find where God is working and meet Him there—partnering with those who are already doing a great work helping people in relative countries and providing them support."

After Michele-Lyn Ault and her husband, Jay, visited Haiti as young adults, she remembers praying, "Bring us back here, Lord. Haiti has my heart." Over the next 15 years, she dreamed of returning—even



"As Christ followers, we should always be looking for opportunities to serve the orphaned and the fatherless..."

Rwanda, and Haiti. Experiencing the needs of people firsthand inspired the Chiltons to share the opportunity for impact with their closest friends and family. In 2013, the Chiltons also hosted a benefit banquet with "Partners in Hope," dedicating the proceeds to World Help's projects globally, including two homes of hope and a medical clinic in Uganda. Each home will provide children of Northern Uganda with love, safety, and the consistency of regular personal and spiritual development. The accompanying medical clinic will offer the promise of accessible healthcare to many of these same children as well as the residents of the surrounding community. Having just returned from a vision trip to Africa, the couple was able to



Visit worldhelp.net/trips and learn more about the opportunities to go with us where God is working around the world.

- Robin and Craig Chilton

World Help supporters since 2008

Supporting Partner Story:

Why World Help?

visit the building sites for each project. "As Christ followers, we should always be looking for opportunities to serve the orphaned and the fatherless. It brings us great joy to know that these children will finally have a place to belong. It blesses us beyond words to play a small part in their transformation," said Robin.

Robin and Craig's purposeful investment in individuals and communities has been nothing short of extraordinary. We are privileged to partner with such passionate supporters in an effort to love and serve the needs of people around the world.



"World Help gives me the chance to see real impact every day—this motivates me during even the most tedious parts of my role."

Tim Wilson
Logistics Coordinator
Joined our team in 2008



"Working at World Help has given me a sense of purpose and fulfillment. What we do each day is impacting the lives of children, families, and communities around the world."

Christa Henderson
Humanitarian Aid Administrator
Joined our team in 2008



"World Help is a group of people working together for a common goal...a family of sorts."

Bethany Gibbs
Director of Donor Services
Joined our team in 2002



"World Help is ordinary people making extraordinary impact."

Wendy Adams
Regional Development Director
Joined our team in 2012

"At World Help I get the unique opportunity to re-interpret what the world often discards as ugly, dirty, and poor by communicating the true beauty and value of potential and change. Who wouldn't want to be part of that?"

Mitch Santos
Graphic Designer
Joined our team in 2013



Partner Highlight: *Isam Gaddas*

Our work with refugees along the Syrian/Jordanian border is as complex as it is dangerous. Unstable government structures and collapsing social systems have caused tensions to escalate and desperation to grow. Isam Gaddas, our lead field strategist in Jordan, has been the mastermind behind each of our aid initiatives in the region. Isam's cultural awareness has proven invaluable in navigating logistics, identifying families in need, and effectively distributing life-saving supplies as quickly as possible. Isam has been a faithful partner of World Help, enabling our reach to grow amid some of the most urgent times in recent history. His leadership has translated into thousands of lives saved and countless hearts uplifted with hope. We are continually grateful for Isam's commitment to the Syrian people and for the sacrifices he has made to impact those who need help most.

National Partner

The functionality of World Help's programs is built on the foundational model of international partnership. We choose to work with and empower seasoned national partners who are well-acquainted with the language, geography, and people within developing communities in need. This cultural insight is absolutely integral to producing effective and sustainable transformation and is the life-blood behind every measure of success we have overseas.



Vernon Brewer
President and Chief Executive Officer

Vernon's visionary leadership fuels the creation and development of every facet of World Help. He travels extensively year-round to oversee our strategic projects overseas, invest in the growth of partners, and personally introduce donors to the needs of impoverished communities around the world. Vernon is also a renowned speaker on college campuses, churches, and conference venues nationwide. In his free time, you can find him at the ball field with his wife, Patty, cheering on their grandsons.



David Day
Chief Operating Officer

David's mastery of organizational logistics, financial stewardship, and day-to-day operations enables World Help to function efficiently and effectively on all levels. Harnessing his love for sports, David emphasizes teamwork and intentional communication in and between departments, galvanizing our staff together on a mission for excellence.



Mark Hogset
Vice President of International Programs

Mark uses his exceptional organizational skills to oversee the production, implementation, completion, and sustained health of each of our international projects. His knowledge in global partnerships and strategic planning has proven invaluable for the growth of our programs as a whole. Mark's passion for cultivating strong partner relationships has opened countless doors for future growth and development.



Noel Brewer Yeatts
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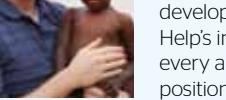
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Allyn Lytle
Director of Communications

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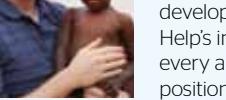
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Tom Thompson
Senior Vice President

Tom's commitment to our global church-planting efforts has enabled the Gospel to go forth to some of the most unreached and persecuted areas in the world. His deliberate work to forge strategic partnerships and improve current programs has paved the way for millions to experience the hope of Christ.

Working closely alongside Vernon, Tom's passion is to communicate the vision of World Help to individuals and churches in search of meaningful ways to make a difference.



Noah Barnett
Director of Growth

Noah is an initiator of progress, growth, and development opportunities needed for World Help's influence to broaden and mature in every area. His experience in marketing, brand positioning, and digital presence has advanced key programs and initiatives, while producing a highly engaged contingent of advocates and supporters. His ability to integrate intelligent, cutting-edge technology to benefit our supporters continues to be a crucial component to our future success.

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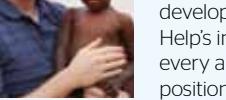
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= Financial = COMMITMENT

Trust is the thread that holds our organization together. Practicing total transparency builds confidence in everything that we do. We are committed to the highest standards of ethical and financial accountability and we always take the high road.

Our supporters are informed of the impact of their gifts and the effectiveness of our projects and initiatives. Our reputation not only says who we are, it serves as a marker for where we are going.



We believe in always doing the
RIGHT THING,
total transparency,
and sharing the Results *of the impact we make.*

In establishing and maintaining this vital trust, it is our hope that every donor, every staff member, and every participant in our work will be fully aware of the impact of their contributions.

Financial Overview:

World Help is committed to upholding the highest standards of financial stewardship and ethical accountability. We believe in practicing transparency in all we do—from sharing the results of our impact with supporters to providing detailed proposals on the advancement of upcoming projects.

To further reinforce this commitment, we submit ourselves to guidelines of independent auditors and affiliates, as well as several leading nonprofit financial accountability groups, including the Evangelical Council for Financial Accountability (EFCA) and Ministry Watch. We also align ourselves with the Accord Network's Principles of Practice for the express purpose of implementing the highest standards as a development agency.

Communicating our intentions—both financially and organizationally—to our supporters continues to be our utmost priority. In establishing and maintaining this vital trust, it is our hope that every donor, every staff member, and every participant in our work will be fully aware of the impact of their contributions.

We have enclosed selected financial statements from our 2013 audited financial statements. For a complete report, please visit worldhelp.net/financials or request a hard copy by calling 800-541-6691.



WORLD HELP Statement of Financial Position
December 31, 2013

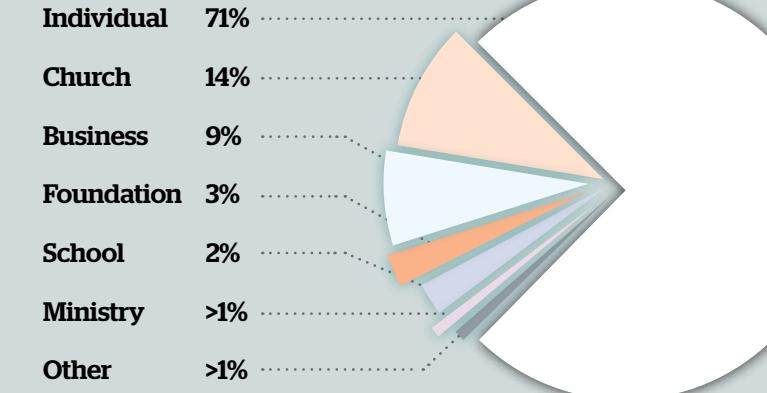
ASSETS:	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 898,685
Investments	899,687
Prepaid expenses and other assets	233,370
Inventory	1,631,832
Property and equipment-net	758,921
Investments held for long term purposes	52,800
Total Assets	\$ 4,475,295
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS:	
Accounts payable	\$ 249,675
Accrued payroll and payroll taxes	161,643
Grants payable	294,399
Deferred revenue	152,921
Notes payable	518,365
Total liabilities	1,377,003
Net assets:	
Unrestricted:	
General	162,765
Board designated	10,000
Equity in property and equipment	758,921
Temporarily restricted	931,686
Permanently restricted	2,102,306
Total net assets	64,300
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$ 4,475,295



WORLD HELP Statement of Activities
Year Ended December 31, 2013

	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restricted	Permanently Restricted	Total
SUPPORT AND REVENUE:				
Contributions and grants:				
Cash	\$ 10,037,271	\$ 1,583,113	\$ —	\$ 11,620,384
Gifts-in-kind	9,414,680	—	—	9,414,680
Special events-net	441,973	—	—	441,973
Product sales	131,828	—	—	131,828
Investment income	103,235	—	—	103,235
Loss on sale of assets	(729)	—	—	(729)
Total support and revenue	20,128,258	1,583,113	—	21,711,371
RECLASSIFICATIONS:				
Satisfaction of program restrictions	1,441,420	(1,441,420)	—	—

Cash Contribution Sources:



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Statement of Activities

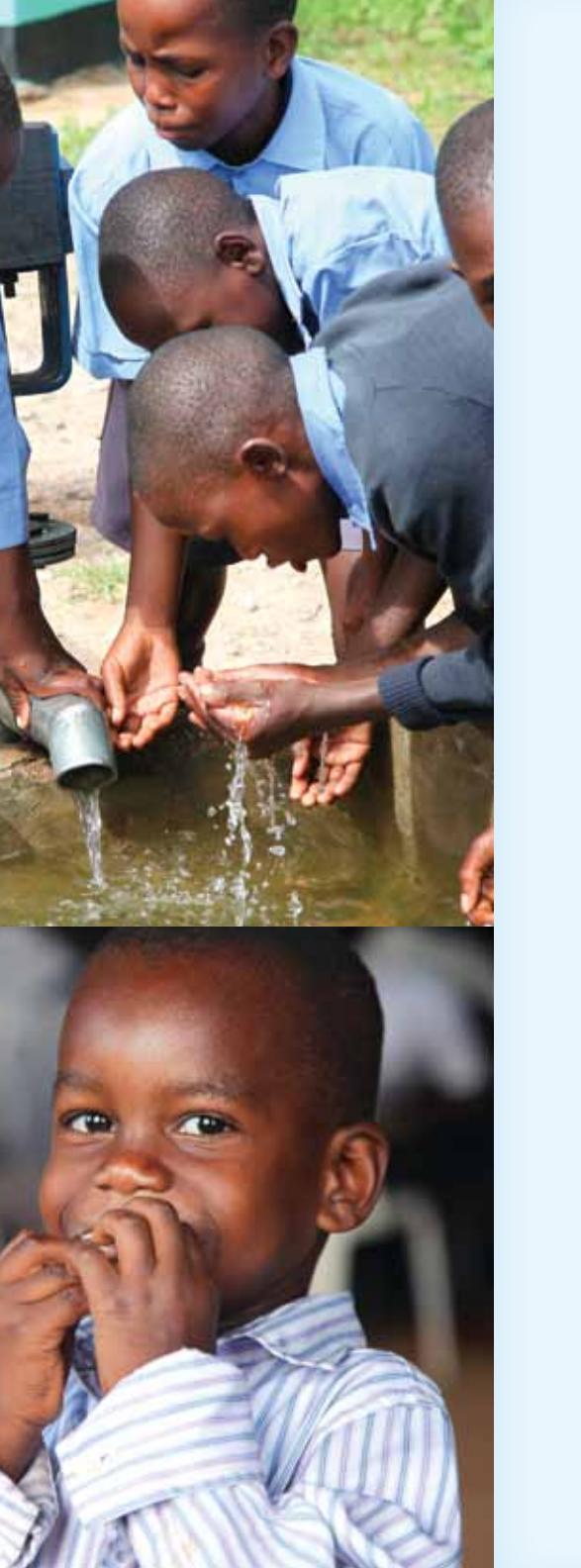
Year Ended December 31, 2013

	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restricted	Permanently Restricted	Total
EXPENSES:				
Program services:				
International ministries	16,539,638	—	—	16,539,638
Outreach ministries	1,249,246	—	—	1,249,246
Total program services	17,788,884	—	—	17,788,884
Supporting activities:				
Management and general	2,757,824	—	—	2,757,824
Fund-raising	1,206,357	—	—	1,206,357
Total supporting activities	3,964,181	—	—	3,964,181
Total expenses	21,753,065	—	—	21,753,065
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	(183,387)	141,693	—	(41,694)
NET ASSETS, BEGINNING OF YEAR				
As previously reported	(642,655)	1,960,613	64,300	1,382,258
Prior period adjustment	1,757,728	—	—	1,757,728
As restated	1,115,073	1,960,613	64,300	3,139,986
NET ASSETS, END OF YEAR	\$ 931,686	\$ 2,102,306	\$ 64,300	\$ 3,098,292

82% Projects

13% Administration

5% Fundraising



WORLD HELP

Statement of Functional Expenses

Year Ended December 31, 2013

	Program Services			Supporting Activities			
	International Programs	Outreach Ministries	Total Program	Management and General	Fundraising	Total Supporting	
Humanitarian Aid	\$ 9,479,505	\$ —	\$ 9,479,505	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 9,479,505
Ministry projects	6,193,999	37,295	6,231,294	—	244,996	244,996	6476,290
Payroll and payroll tax	662,891	741,076	1,403,967	1,470,880	338,306	1,809,186	3,213,153
Travel	49,459	212,463	261,922	108,077	108,077	216,154	478,076
Professional fees	—	44,802	44,802	358,707	20,477	379,184	423,986
Postage and freight	124,582	6,835	131,417	854	190,448	191,302	322,719
Printing and mailing	—	10,306	10,306	1,288	215,591	216,879	227,185
Taxes and licenses	—	—	—	204,472	—	204,472	204,472
Employee benefits	29,202	271,82	56,384	64,112	14,220	78,332	134,716
Depreciation	—	62,611	62,611	59,256	7,826	67,082	129,693
Repairs and maintenance	—	55,966	55,966	49,685	6,996	56,681	112,647
Product costs	—	3,161	3,161	85,207	—	85,207	88,368
Rent	—	—	—	71,116	—	71,116	71,116
Telephone	—	5,439	5,439	59,176	680	59,856	65,295
Office supplies	—	14,845	14,845	47,654	1,856	49,510	64,355
Promotional items	—	15,373	15,373	21,735	55,398	77,133	92,506
Insurance	—	3,028	3,028	45,094	378	45,472	48,500
Dues and publications	—	—	—	31,560	—	31,560	31,560
Utilities	—	4,447	4,447	23,950	556	24,506	28,953
Accounting fees	—	—	—	28,020	—	28,020	28,020
Interest expense	—	4,417	4,417	18,752	552	19,304	23,721
Miscellaneous	—	—	—	8,229	—	8,229	8,229
Total	\$ 16,539,638	\$ 1,249,246	\$ 17,788,884	\$ 2,757,824	\$ 1,206,357	\$ 3,964,181	\$ 21,753,065



About World Help

World Help functions dynamically around the world as the hands and feet of Jesus on the ground. We believe in accomplishing God-sized tasks by centering our mission, our energies, and our collective focus on bringing physical help and spiritual transformation to communities in need. We believe that by honoring God in every step along the way through genuine love and sacrificial service, He will continue to restore countless lives, overcoming the impossible for His glory and our good.

Help for today. Hope for tomorrow.

We believe true transformation is only possible when the needs of the body and the soul are addressed simultaneously. This holistic approach of HELP and HOPE shows people that they matter to God both now and for eternity.

World Help fulfills this two-fold strategy by investing in sustainable programs that enable individuals and communities to thrive physically and spiritually while building lasting change for generations to come.



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OUR PRINCIPLES:

We believe ...

- all people matter.
- an active faith extends far beyond Sunday's four walls.
- in equipping the right partners with the resources they need in order to affect sustainable transformation in people and communities.
- in building long-term relationships with our donors that allow us to be the hands, feet, and heart of Jesus.
- in working with passion, enthusiasm, and fanatical attention to quality and detail.
- in always doing the right thing, total transparency, and sharing the results of the impact we make.
- in accomplishing God-sized tasks that last for eternity.



MISSION:

World Help is a faith-based humanitarian organization that exists to serve the physical and spiritual needs of people in impoverished communities around the world.

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Pray With Us

We recognize that nothing of significance happens apart from us. Please join us in praying for what we store for the future of World War III.

- Pray for God's favor and protection as we grow, expand, and improve our ministry worldwide so we can impact as many people as possible with help.
 - Pray for peace in countries where war and conflict are destroying lives and crippling communities.
 - Pray for the safety, growth, and development of each of the children within our sponsorship program worldwide.
 - Pray for our brothers and sisters around the world who face discrimination and persecution for the sake of the Gospel.
 - Pray for the millions who are suffering from hunger, disease, abandonment, belittlement, abuse, and the cycle of extreme poverty.
 - Pray for our pastors and church leaders who are passionately committed to sharing the hope of the Gospel to their communities.
 - Pray for wisdom, guidance, and discernment for our staff and volunteers as they seek to follow God's will for the organization.
 - Pray that God would stir the hearts of our supporters—old and new—to increase their involvement so we can accomplish God-sized tasks together.

Who is World Help

World Help was created in 1991 as a faith-based humanitarian organization that exists to serve the physical and spiritual needs of people in impoverished communities around the world.

How We Work

By working with national partners in strategic locations worldwide, our desire is to sustainably invest in the development of people—body, mind, heart, and soul.

Why We W

We believe that all people matter to God and have been created to join in His redemptive story. The revolutionary compassion Jesus demonstrated compels us to reach beyond Sunday's four walls and into the heart of hurting communities. In all we do, we aim to honor God and serve people made in His image with dignity and excellence.

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When you partner with World Help, you have the opportunity to change the world in practical, God-honoring ways. Together, we can impact countless men, women, and children with life-saving help for today and eternal hope for tomorrow. To learn more about opportunities to get involved, visit **worldhelp.net** today.



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