

Loving Our Neighbor as Ourselves...

Mark 12:31

A child dies every twenty seconds because of a lack of access to clean water and sanitation. This is a world-wide problem and the need is so great it can seem overwhelming. But there is a way for the children in your church to make a significant difference across the globe.

Kids Helping Kids enables us to partner with children on their spiritual journey to:

- fulfill Christ's commandment to love God and our neighbor
- foster a larger kingdom view
- offer an opportunity to serve and obey God
- · provide a shared faith experience to build community

Kids Helping Kids has enabled children in United States and Canada to offer hope and opportunity to children in some of the world's most destitute places. The lives of children in these areas are marked by severe poverty and lack of access to clean water.

How can the children in your church help?

This booklet contains the stories of twelve children. There are millions more, but it is our hope that as we give the powerless voice, their stories will help shape the lives of the children in your care.

Examples of ways your gift will make a difference:

- Kenya—\$20 one water filter
- Honduras—\$12,700 construction and placement of distribution tank for water system; \$145 construction

of a new toilet

- Haiti—\$15,000 piping fresh water from a nearby town into a community that does not have access
- India—\$1,100 drilling of new bore well; \$250 construction of new water recharging unit to increase water availability
- Cameroon—\$2,000 construction of one well; \$50 bio sand filter; \$20 drip irrigation kit

Before taking an offering with the children each week, please read one of the stories and take some time to pray for the children. In this way, your children will connect with the bigger picture of God's kingdom and provide a tangible reflection of Christ's light in the world.

Gifts should be made out to:
"Kids Helping Kids: Clean Water"

Mail to:

The Evangelical Covenant Church, Attn: Covenant World Relief 8303 W. Higgins Road, Chicago, IL 6063 I

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