

# GIVING **2017** hope gift catalog

A Special Publication  
of HEAVEN'S FAMILY

See page 6 to learn  
how you can help a  
disabled child

Save this gift catalog! Use it for any gift occasion through the end of 2017!

# THE SOLUTION

## TO A COMMON PROBLEM...

Dear Friends,

Is there a way to say “I love you” to family and friends this Christmas (and other special occasions like birthdays) and also advance Jesus’ kingdom? The answer is yes! Using this gift catalog, you can honor your friends and family, express your love for Jesus, and help send the gospel, make disciples, and lift the very poor among our spiritual family around the world.

We’ve made the process very simple. Once you’ve made your gift selections, we’ll mail you custom gift cards that you can give to your loved ones.

Please note that the enclosed Gift Order Form can be used not only to order custom gift cards in honor (or in memory) of your loved ones, but also to designate your own personal contributions to your favorite *Heaven’s Family* Ministries.

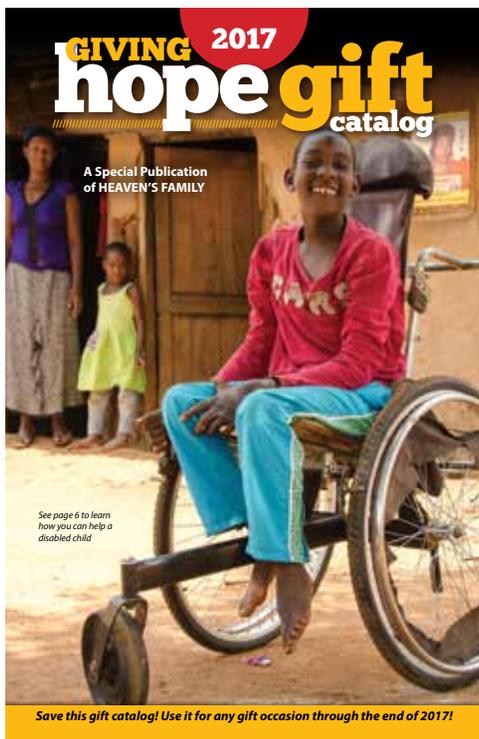
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David Servant  
Founder and President



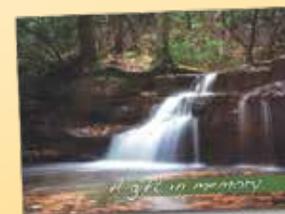
David Servant and a little friend in Argentina



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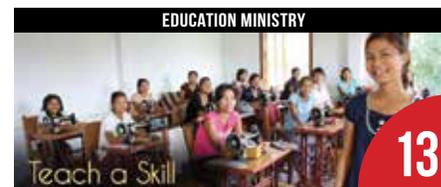
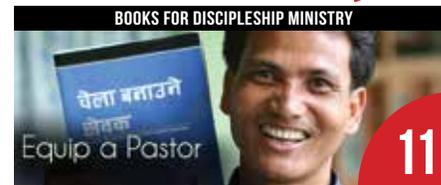
THE 21

# MINISTRIES of Heaven's Family

Heaven's Family is a special, "One Stop Shop" to help you be a blessing in many different ways. Our 21 Focused Ministries are all listed below and numbered to help you find the page that highlights unique investment opportunities from all over the world.

Use the enclosed response form to make a difference in many ways.

*Thank you!*



# PURIFY UNSAFE WATER

Safe drinking water is a rare commodity for many of the “least of these” whom we serve around the world. Their water sources are often muddy, polluted or bacteria-ridden, causing chronic illness and even death.

Heaven’s Family distributes Sawyer water filters, digs wells and cisterns, and installs rainwater collection systems for orphanages, schools and villages.

This young boy from Khawpui Chipp, a rural Christian village in Myanmar, is very grateful his family now has dependable, safe water—and he doesn’t mind having to fetch it from an outside faucet because water is now in his village, not a distant hike away.

You can provide safe water for others like him.

*I was thirsty, and you gave Me a drink.  
Matthew 25:35*



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**\$50** Provides one Sawyer water filter kit (1 filter can serve 5 families/30 people)

**\$250** Provides 5 Sawyer water filters for a church, orphanage or school

**\$1500** Supplies a village in India with a well

# REACH THE UNREACHED

An Unreached People Group (UPG) is a distinct ethnic group that is less than 2% Christian. UPGs make up one-third of the world’s population.

Currently we are reaching the A-Che, Nisu, Hani and Dong people of Asia with the gospel, training new believers, and equipping national missionaries to go to the unreached.

We are also about to take the gospel to several “unengaged” groups, among whom no known ministry, missionary, evangelist, or church is yet attempting to reach. We can be the first to take Jesus to these groups!

Please help us reach the unreached, like this young Nisu girl who can finally hear the gospel in her native tongue. The number of believers is growing!



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**\$20** Provides a digital music player loaded with an audio Bible, teachings and music for new believers in China

**\$350** Sends two evangelists to an unreached/newly reached tribe to preach the gospel and encourage new believers for one week

**\$3000** Provides a week of discipleship training for 20 new believers

*How shall they believe in Him of whom they have not heard?*

*Romans 10:14*

# PROTECT A CHILD

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*He has sent me to proclaim liberty to the captives...to set at liberty those who are oppressed...*

*Luke 4:18*

This young girl's life hangs in the balance. But for millions of other young women, girls, and even boys around the world, the balance has already tipped—in a tragic direction. They now live in the bondage of modern slavery.

*Heaven's Family* is currently protecting children from human traffickers in Cambodia, Mexico, Nepal, Laos, Myanmar and the Philippines. We do that through education, counseling, economic initiatives and preaching the tranformational message of the gospel, which is the ultimate solution to the problem.

Help protect other children like her.

- \$30** One month of food assistance, school uniforms, medical care and discipleship for an at-risk child
- \$550** One month of outreach to rescue street kids trapped in Cambodia's sex industry
- \$900** One year of shelter, counseling and skills training for a young woman who has fled sex tourism

# RESTORE HEALTH

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*He sent them to preach the Kingdom of God and to heal the sick.*

*Luke 9:2*

Most members of our spiritual family around the world have no medical insurance, and many cannot afford even a visit to a doctor—if there is one in their region. Hospitals, when available, often require advance payment, an impossible hurdle for the poor.

*Heaven's Family* comes to the aid of very poor brothers and sisters in Christ in such places who are suffering critical medical conditions.

Bethual Wafula was born without some of his toes and found it difficult to walk. We paid for him to see a doctor and receive a special pair of shoes. Within days he was walking—and then running!

Help bring healing to an ill or injured brother or sister in Christ.

- \$25** Removes painful jiggers from the feet of an African family and fumigates their home to prevent reinfestation
- \$300** Provides a lifesaving medical procedure, such as an appendectomy
- \$2000** Funds a medical clinic in an African village for one month

# TOUCH A LEPROSY VICTIM

**H**ands without fingers and a terribly broken arm cannot mar the beauty of this sweet-spirited patient from a leprosy colony in Hyderabad, India, who received a splint thanks to *Heaven's Family*.

She is also very thankful for the new custom-made sandals which have special micro-fiber soles to cushion her ulcerated feet. In the past year, we provided almost a thousand pairs of these special shoes for leprosy victims in and around Hyderabad. We also served with our ministry partners to provide medical clinics for seventeen colonies, which were also provided with food and toys for the children.



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Bring joy to a leprosy patient.

*I was sick and you visited Me...  
Matthew 25:36*

**\$95** Provides a sewing machine for a woman with leprosy (or her ostracized adult daughter) to support her family

**\$135** Provides 3 goats (one male, two female) to a poor family with leprosy for milk, meat and offspring to sell

**\$300** Provides a scholarship for the child of a leprosy victim to receive vocational training to be a beautician, computer specialist, car driver or other

# LOVE A DISABLED CHILD

**I**t is heartbreaking to witness disabled children crawling along filthy streets—or worse, kept locked in their homes—because they cannot walk. But in the world's poorest places, children with physical disabilities grow up to be adults who must survive by begging.

Bless a child like Lawrence, who lives in rural Uganda, with mobility...and a future.

*Mephibosheth, who was crippled in both feet...ate regularly at the king's table.*

*2 Samuel 9:13*



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**\$25** Provides 2 days worth of fuel for a medical truck visit in rural Guatemalan villages with medical care to the severely disabled

**\$65** Provides one month of vocational training for a physically disabled woman in Mombasa, Kenya

**\$150** Provides an abandoned, disabled child with 1 year of residential care offering education and spiritual mentoring

# CARE FOR A WIDOW OR AN ABANDONED WOMAN

**W**idows and abandoned women living in poor countries can be easily forgotten, considered undesirable and useless, or even kicked out of their own homes by family members. *Heaven's Family* helps these women become self-sufficient and to see that, because of God's love for them, there's hope.

When Claris Oyolo's husband died, she was left alone to raise their seven children in Saiya, Kenya. She's now thriving because of a grant that helped her to start a small business selling small fish and vegetables.



*As for me, I am poor and needy, but the Lord takes thought for me. You are my help and my deliverer...*

*Psalm 40:17*

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- \$75** Helps an abandoned wife expand her produce or dry goods business
- \$200** Purchases a rooster, chickens, and builds a coop for a widow to have necessary protein for herself and to sell
- \$375** Provides a widow the opportunity to learn to sew and start a small tailoring business

# HELP A PERSECUTED BELIEVER



*Help those in trouble. Then your light will shine out from the darkness, and the darkness around you will be as bright as day.*

*Isaiah 58:10b*

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- \$30** Provides a persecuted believer living in a hostile region with emergency shelter and relief supplies for one week
- \$300** Operates a safe house where undercover missionaries and pastors are equipped for ministry
- \$2000** Provides relocation for a persecuted family and gets them started in a new location

Every day around the world, countless numbers of our brothers and sisters in Christ suffer persecution—sometimes even torture and death—for their faith. *Heaven's Family* is serving our persecuted family members in Syria, Lebanon, Jordan, North Korea, Myanmar, Pakistan, India, Colombia, Laos, Ethiopia and Oman.

Help sustain or rescue persecuted families.

# SUSTAIN A REFUGEE

*Rescue the weak and the needy; deliver them from the hand of the wicked.*  
Psalm 82:4



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Refugees have been forced to leave their homes, lands, cultures and countries because of religious persecution, violence, natural disaster or war. Many are women and children, and they are often followers of Jesus.

*Heaven's Family* provides refugees with essentials like food, shelter, blankets and medicine, and helps them rebuild their lives to become self-sufficient.

Help a refugee like this little boy, who's holding some bread from a bakery that *Heaven's Family* helped start in a refugee camp in Iraq.

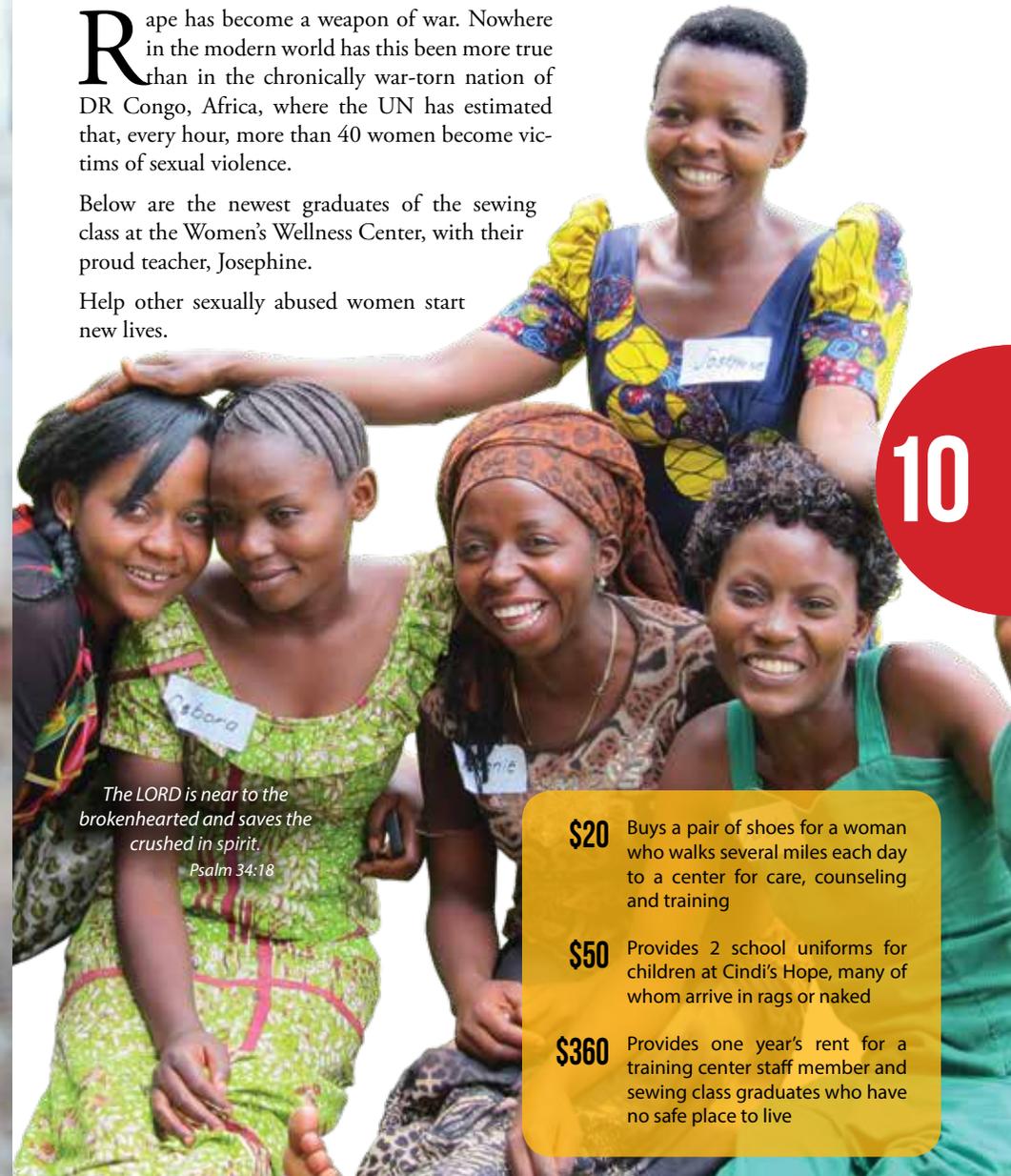
- \$30** Provides a simple mattress for a refugee in DR Congo
- \$130** Provides a sewing machine and training so that a Congolese refugee widow can provide for her children
- \$5000** Provides food and hygiene kits to sustain 100 Syrian refugee families for one month

# CARE FOR VICTIMS OF SEXUAL VIOLENCE

Rape has become a weapon of war. Nowhere in the modern world has this been more true than in the chronically war-torn nation of DR Congo, Africa, where the UN has estimated that, every hour, more than 40 women become victims of sexual violence.

Below are the newest graduates of the sewing class at the Women's Wellness Center, with their proud teacher, Josephine.

Help other sexually abused women start new lives.

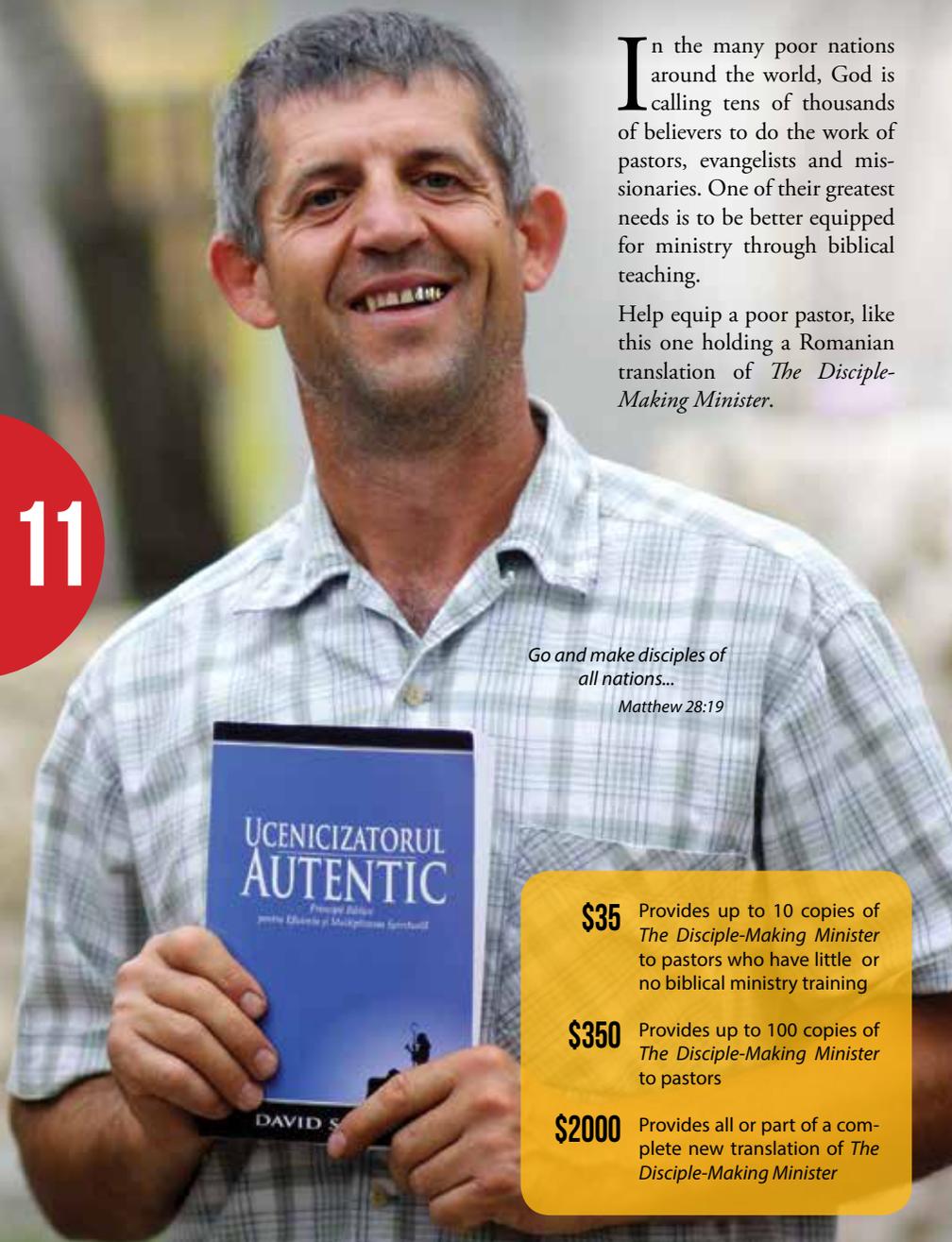


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*The LORD is near to the brokenhearted and saves the crushed in spirit.*  
Psalm 34:18

- \$20** Buys a pair of shoes for a woman who walks several miles each day to a center for care, counseling and training
- \$50** Provides 2 school uniforms for children at Cindi's Hope, many of whom arrive in rags or naked
- \$360** Provides one year's rent for a training center staff member and sewing class graduates who have no safe place to live

# EQUIP A PASTOR



In the many poor nations around the world, God is calling tens of thousands of believers to do the work of pastors, evangelists and missionaries. One of their greatest needs is to be better equipped for ministry through biblical teaching.

Help equip a poor pastor, like this one holding a Romanian translation of *The Disciple-Making Minister*.

*Go and make disciples of all nations...*  
Matthew 28:19

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- \$35** Provides up to 10 copies of *The Disciple-Making Minister* to pastors who have little or no biblical ministry training
- \$350** Provides up to 100 copies of *The Disciple-Making Minister* to pastors
- \$2000** Provides all or part of a complete new translation of *The Disciple-Making Minister*

# LOVE AN ORPHAN



*Caring for orphans and widows in their distress...*  
James 1:27

In the world's poorest places, poverty can compel desperate parents to send their own children to faraway orphanages, just so they can eat and attend a school.

Thankfully, Kunaraj Ratheshka in Sri Lanka has been enabled to stay with her mother instead of being sent to an orphanage, all because of our Orphan's Tear Ministry.

Help more parents keep their kids home. And also help parents who've already sent their children to orphanages to bring their children home.

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- \$40** (a month) Sponsors a child currently in an orphanage so that she can be placed in a family
- \$300** Provides a micro-loan to a family so they can afford to care for a foster child
- \$2500** Pays for a social worker, who can safely place children who are in institutions back into families, for 6 months

# TEACH A CHILD



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In many parts of the world, education is a child's only hope to escape the cycle of generational poverty. In developing nations, however, public education is often not free. *Heaven's Family* helps children from Christian families receive an education by supplementing tuition payments, funding the purchase of books and desks, and sometimes even building schools.

Doreen Chepchumba lives in the slums of Nairobi, Kenya, and one day hopes to be a policewoman, a dream that just might come true thanks to her compassionate sponsors who make school possible.

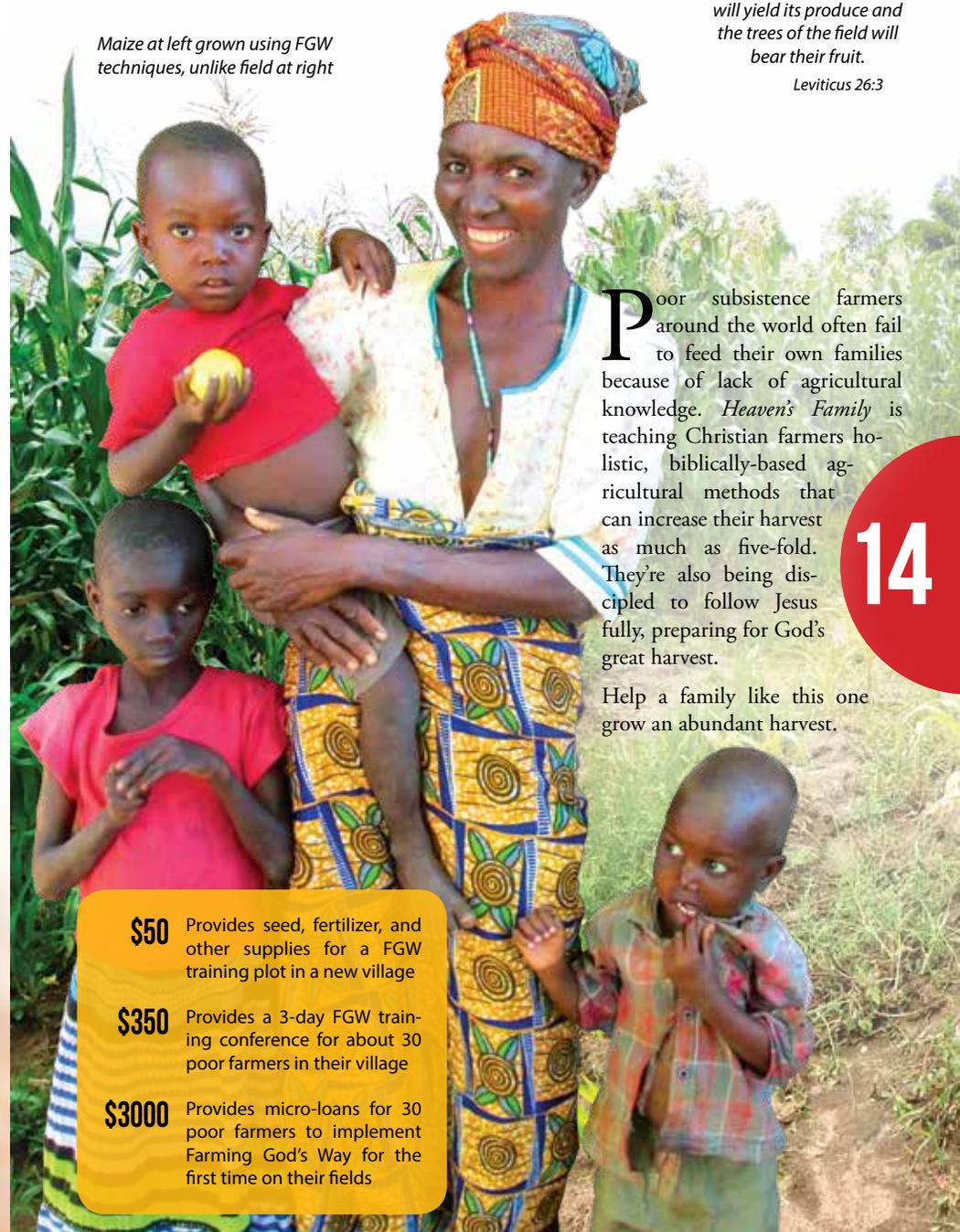
Please sponsor another child's education!

*Train up a child in the way he should go, even when he is old he will not depart from it.*

Proverbs 22:6

- \$20** (a month) Sponsors a child's schooling, including daily meals, school supplies
- \$125** Provides a sewing machine for a graduate of a tailoring school
- \$450** Provides a computer for a poor private school in Africa to help teach students basic computer skills

# FARM GOD'S WAY



Maize at left grown using FGW techniques, unlike field at right

*If you walk in...My commandments...the land will yield its produce and the trees of the field will bear their fruit.*

Leviticus 26:3

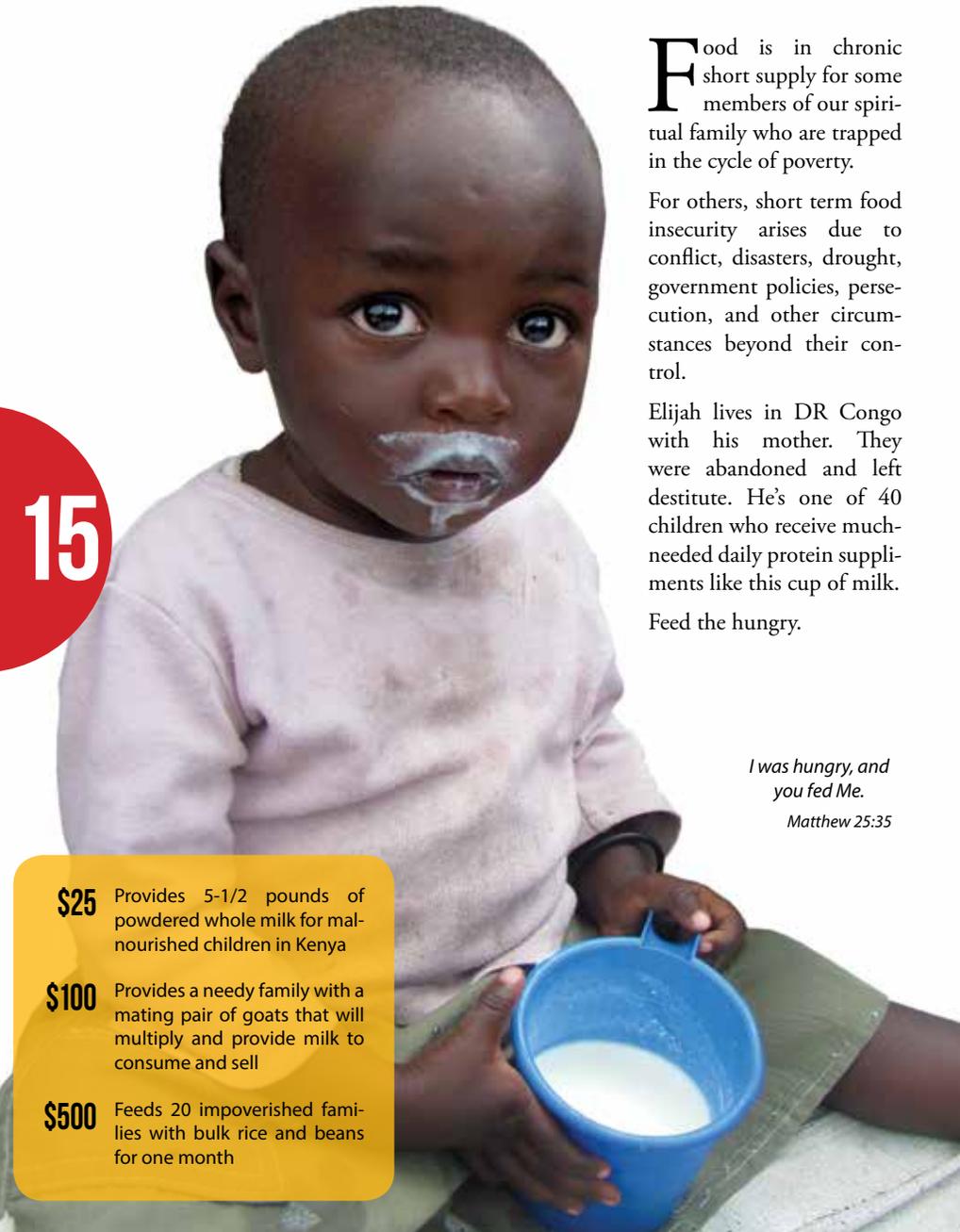
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Poor subsistence farmers around the world often fail to feed their own families because of lack of agricultural knowledge. *Heaven's Family* is teaching Christian farmers holistic, biblically-based agricultural methods that can increase their harvest as much as five-fold. They're also being disciplined to follow Jesus fully, preparing for God's great harvest.

Help a family like this one grow an abundant harvest.

- \$50** Provides seed, fertilizer, and other supplies for a FGW training plot in a new village
- \$350** Provides a 3-day FGW training conference for about 30 poor farmers in their village
- \$3000** Provides micro-loans for 30 poor farmers to implement Farming God's Way for the first time on their fields

# FEED A CHILD



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Food is in chronic short supply for some members of our spiritual family who are trapped in the cycle of poverty.

For others, short term food insecurity arises due to conflict, disasters, drought, government policies, persecution, and other circumstances beyond their control.

Elijah lives in DR Congo with his mother. They were abandoned and left destitute. He's one of 40 children who receive much-needed daily protein supplements like this cup of milk.

Feed the hungry.

*I was hungry, and you fed Me.  
Matthew 25:35*

**\$25** Provides 5-1/2 pounds of powdered whole milk for malnourished children in Kenya

**\$100** Provides a needy family with a mating pair of goats that will multiply and provide milk to consume and sell

**\$500** Feeds 20 impoverished families with bulk rice and beans for one month

# HELP A DISASTER VICTIM



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Earthquakes. Monsoons. Tsunamis. Typhoons. Natural disasters strike with little or no warning, and often affect millions. They also provide unique doors of opportunity to show our love for Jesus by serving Christian victims, and to reach those normally resistant to the gospel.

Touch the life of a survivor...like this woman and her granddaughter, victims of 2015's earthquake in Nepal.

*The Lord is a shelter for the oppressed, a refuge in times of trouble.  
Psalm 9:9*

**\$50** Provide a family with a month's supply of rice, beans or corn and cooking oil

**\$100** Provide the food listed above, plus basic medicine and a blanket

**\$450** Rebuild a simple home or fishing boat damaged by a typhoon or flood

# LOVE A NORTH KOREAN CHRISTIAN

**L**ife in the isolated communist nation of North Korea has proven to be a death sentence for many of its citizens. Whether as a result of frequent famines—some natural, others created by government policies—or from incarceration in a labor camp, millions of North Koreans have perished in the last few decades. Our family in Christ are among them.

Help a North Korean Christian family.

**\$25** Provide a month of food, medicine, and clothing to sustain a NK Christian family

**\$400** Funds the operation of a border safehouse for a month

**\$2500** Rescues, provides safe transport, and secures refugee status in South Korea for a NK believer whose life is in danger

*But the needy will not always be forgotten, nor the hope of the afflicted ever perish.*

Psalm 9:18

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# GIVE GOD'S WORD

**I**magine being a follower of Christ without a Bible. Many believers in poor countries have little hope of owning even a New Testament—either because they cannot afford one or they are illegal.

Saw Kho Phaw, from the Sqaw-Kar-en tribe in Myanmar, is 81 years old. Since becoming a believer in 1952 he's longed for a Bible of his own, but such a simple desire was denied him for 63 years due to poverty and no access to Bibles where he lived. He now owns one, thanks to *Heaven's Family*.

Put a Bible into a poor believer's hands...you can be an answer to their prayers!

**\$5** Provides a Bible for a believer who is praying for one

**\$500** Provides 275 Bibles for the secret underground church in China

**\$1250** Provides 10 tablet media players for North Korean Christians that come loaded with a digital Bible, Christian books, and visual/audio teachings

*Your word is a lamp to guide my feet and a light for my path.*

Psalm 119:105

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# REMEMBER A PRISONER

*I was in prison and you came to Me.  
Matt. 25:36*



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In developing nations, the small children of women found guilty of committing crimes are sometimes incarcerated with their mothers, and some prisons provide no daily food for prisoners, depending on those outside to keep them alive.

Such prisoners often become broken, fertile ground for the message of God's mercy and grace found in Jesus Christ.

*Heaven's Family* works with many chaplains—many former prisoners themselves—to bring the message of love and reconciliation to those imprisoned. The two hugging men in this photo are such chaplains, serving in the dark prisons of Cuba.

Reach a prisoner with the love of Jesus.

**\$40** Buys a good pair of shoes for a prison chaplain in DR Congo who has to walk everywhere he goes

**\$300** Provides Bible teaching, discipleship and a teacher for a women's prison in Africa

**\$2000** Helps build an aftercare facility and residential Bible college for ex-offenders

# PROVIDE OPPORTUNITY

*If you help the poor, you are lending to the Lord—and He will repay you!  
Proverbs 19:17*



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In the world's poorest places, opportunities are very limited. Generations of people are trapped in the poverty of subsistence farming or working for slave wages.

"Opportunity loans" between \$50 and \$500 can help a believer start a bicycle taxi business, sew school uniforms, sell prepared food, raise chickens or goats, plant cash crops, or open a shop.

These women, borrowers from Nakuru, Kenya, have doubled their vegetable business's profit in less than one year—thanks to a \$250 loan.

Help a brother or sister in Christ lift themselves out of poverty.

**\$50** Helps a Cuban Christian start a flower business to support his family

**\$250** Supplies a poor believer in Kenya so she can open a hairdressing salon

**\$1500** Expands the wholesale grain business of a believer in Uganda, lifting his community and creating jobs for other poor believers

# SEND A MISSIONARY



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*How beautiful are the feet  
of messengers who bring  
good news!*

*Romans 10:15*

**\$20** (per month) Link your life with a national missionary, helping him or her advance Jesus' kingdom among their people

**\$140** Provides a rugged mountain bike for a missionary in Sri Lanka to reach remote unreached mountain villages

**\$800** Equips an evangelist in India with a motorbike to reach distant villages more quickly and safely

**N**ational missionaries are men and women who are passionate about making disciples of Jesus Christ in nations that often prohibit Western missionaries. They rarely need language training or cultural acclimation, and their living and ministry expenses range from only \$150 to \$400 per month.

Monthly sponsorships of any amount will make you a vital part of his or her ministry.

Send a national missionary.

# TROUBLE DECIDING?



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## If that's you, join the club...

*Heaven's Family's* Compassion Club, that is!

The concept is simple. Compassion Club members make a commitment to invest—according to their means—on a monthly basis. And every month, we select a worthy project to fund with those investments.

Those monthly projects span the spectrum of all that *Heaven's Family* is doing to advance Jesus' kingdom around the world through our 21 Ministries. In 2016, for example, we built houses for Rohingya refugees in India, purchased a mobile medical clinic for disabled children in Guatemala, purchased and sent Bibles to remote villages in Myanmar, dug a well in Kenya, added a classroom onto a school in Rwanda, built a house for homeless street children in the Philippines, purchased solar panels for victims of sexual violence so they can learn to sew, trained hundreds in Malawi to grow bumper crops using Farming God's Way methods, and provided months of relief to Christian families trapped in Syria. We report every month to Compassion Club members to inform them of what their investments are accomplishing.

Compassion Club members will be reaping eternal rewards for their compassion! Would you like to be a part of reaching the lost, making disciples, and helping the "least of these" on a monthly basis? Join the Club! Any monthly contribution amount makes you a member!

# 3 EASY WAYS TO GIVE HOPE

1. Use the enclosed response form
2. Call toll free: 1-855-333-2211
3. Visit [HFcatalog.com](http://HFcatalog.com)



*The master said, "Well done, my good and faithful servant. You have been faithful in handling this small amount, so now I will give you many more responsibilities. Let's celebrate together!"*

Matthew 25:23



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