

CYCLING4WATER

One Well Challenge



Providing access to clean and safe water to a village changes so many things...

Death and Disease: It is estimated that 785 million people on this planet do not have access to clean water. As a result, around every 90 seconds a child dies from a water-related disease. This means close to 1,000 children die every day from preventable water-related diseases. (Source: UN and WHO) This is tragic! By providing deep-capped water wells, Global Aid Network (GAIN) helps bring an end to the cycle of disease and death that plagues people all their lives.

Life Styles are Transformed: Women and children no longer have to seek out and carry water long distances. They have better general health to lead productive lives. This frees them to engage with their families and in productive activities such as school and work.

To see transformation all areas of a villager's life, GAIN also provides hygiene and sanitation training to aid villagers in preventing disease as well as Gender Sensitivity Training that teaches the equal value of men and women. In some villages, Family Health Training Maternal, Newborn and Child Health Training and other community development is conducted.

Living Water is Offered: Through GAIN's partnership with the local indigenous church, villagers have an opportunity to hear about the unconditional love of Jesus Christ through the JESUS film and one-on-one evangelism and grow in their faith. This results in the strengthening of existing churches and new churches planted. Through GAIN's partnership with the local church, 2,215 new churches were planted.

One Well Challenge of \$8,500: Consider a...



- ❑ **Family Well:** Invite the family...mom, dad, brothers, sisters, aunts, uncles, cousins, and grandparents to adopt a village. Create a deep bond and family identity by working together to reveal hope and restore life.
- ❑ **Memorial Well:** Honour the memory of a loved one by giving life to others.
- ❑ **My Heroes Well:** Honor your personal heroes, living and dead, people that have impacted your life and made a significant contribution to who you are today.
- ❑ **Company Well:** Improve your business and work culture by creating a team spirit around a humanitarian impact. Your charitable project creates an opportunity to communicate your heart to employees, customers and the community.
- ❑ **Church Well:** Adopt a village by involving the whole church community in a very tangible project that will provide access to clear water and the Living Water to a village. Think of ways to involve each segment of the congregation from kids to grandparents.
- ❑ **Community Well:** Make a community to community commitment. Adopt a “sister” village. As a school or service organization project, a village campaign is set up to build community spirit and transform a village through the gift of clean water.
- ❑ **Friends Well:** Be a catalyst in your circle of friends. Use your influence to give others the opportunity to do something good. Divide a well in shares and ask your friends to invest in one share of your “Friends” well. Example: 100 shares at \$85 dollars each or 10 shares at \$850 each.
- ❑ **Birthday Well:** Do you have a significant birthday coming? After a certain age, they are all significant. Tell all your friends and family you would like their help to give a present rather than receiving one. Make a memorable birthday and transform a village at the same time.



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WATER FOR LIFE

Let's break the cycle of poverty and death caused by contaminated water through the provision of a water well.



Jody's Christmas Wish

We often, if not always, take for granted the fact that we have unlimited and readily accessible water while approximately 615 million people around the world do not.

\$50 \$100 \$250 \$500

Other: \$ 100.00

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