Protein is an important part of a child's development, but families in rural Tanzania don't always have access to it. Your gift represents that access - and it's a gift that lasts! Chickens provide a constant supply of eggs (protein), and those eggs can also be sold to pay for healthy vegetables. Thank you for helping children become stronger and healthier through a balanced diet!

PHOTO: SEAN HAWKEY
Giving someone a fish doesn’t do much if they live with hunger. But giving someone 500 baby fish is a whole different scenario - especially in rural Honduras, where there isn’t enough protein. Your gift represents a healthy and long lasting way for families to support themselves. Thank you!
How do you keep a farm running and families fed when you lose your animals and crops to floods? Families in Kenya are turning to livestock that live higher than the flood lines: bees. Your gift helps these families return to stable jobs working with nutritious honey that they can eat and sell. Even better, it’s a caretaking trade that helps the environment thrive, too! Thank you!
You don’t need to live on a farm to know the value of sheep. From milk to fertilizer to the clothes you wear, these animals literally keep us covered. But disasters like floods in rural Kenya hurt sheep populations and local shepherds. Your gift helps these shepherds recover their livelihoods after disaster hits. Thank you for supporting small-scale farmers and their families.
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TWO PIGLETS in Myanmar
Goats are a big deal in Haiti. They produce milk, fertilizer and...baby goats! Goats can also be sold in markets so that families can pay to meet other needs. Through your gift, you’re supporting hunger solutions for small-scale farmers and their families. Thank you!

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Your gift represents a brighter future for farmers in Haiti who rely on corn plants for income and nutrition. Thank you for helping these seeds take root for families recovering from disasters or looking for stability!

**FIVE CANS OF CORN**
for farmers in Haiti to plant

**Tools**

**SEEDS &**
Your gift represents more than just vegetables growing in a community garden in Nicaragua. It’s teamwork among community members, who can share great ideas about what works best for growing certain plants. It’s the nutrition that comes with having fresh vegetables to diversify diets. And it’s extra income from selling produce. Thank you for the many ways you’re supporting healthy communities!

GARDEN STARTER KIT for a community in Nicaragua

PHOTO: SEAN HAWKEY
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Home gardening has two valuable impacts on family life in Indonesia: better nutrition and extra income. Your gift represents diversified diets for three families - including plenty of nutritious veggies! Thank you for planting seeds today for healthy futures!
In rural Haiti, even the most basic tools in a growing toolkit can be too expensive for farmers dealing with poverty. Through your gift of a tool set - including a pickaxe, rake, machete, shovel, hoe and watering can - new seeds can take root! Thank you for supporting a brighter future for small-scale farmers and gardeners.
In Laikipia, Kenya, sweet potatoes have been a surprising crop. Unlike maize, which is difficult to plant during drought season, sweet potatoes have been thriving. Your support allows families to continue to access food and income generating profit through sweet potato farming. Thank you!

AN ACRE OF SWEET POTATO VINES in Kenya

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Frequent droughts in Laikipia, Kenya make it hard to stay healthy. But sweet potatoes are growing surprisingly well here. Your gift represents an acre of sweet potatoes PLUS agricultural classes, a flock of chickens and education about how to raise those chickens. Thank you for making a healthy, well-balanced diet your priority!
You know how terrible it feels when your body isn’t getting enough water. Dry mouth, dry eyes, dehydration migraines... and worse. Fortunately for many of us, a remedy is just within reach through faucets and stores. But clean water is a luxury that many refugees in Serbia can’t access. Your gift represents a way for one refugee to stay hydrated and healthy. Thank you!

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In Kenya's dry season, water is hard to come by. Families have long daily commutes in the dangerous heat to find water - precious time they could be using to farm, study or work. Your gift represents year-round access to clean water for a family through your support of community water projects. Thank you for helping others stay hydrated and healthy!
Having water and having CLEAN water are two very different things. Dirty water can contain deadly diseases...and for families in rural Vietnam, every sip is a risk. Your gift represents a daily supply of fresh, clean water for drinking, washing and cooking. Thank you for supporting a cost-effective and efficient way to keep a family hydrated and healthy!
In one of the driest regions of South America, every drop of water counts. When rain does come, it’s short-lived and torrential. Your gift represents a way to catch and store that supply of rainwater. Thank you for giving a family in Argentina a year-round supply of water for drinking, bathing, cooking and farming!

100 GALLONS OF CLEAN WATER STORAGE in Argentina
We all need clean water. Some of us can easily get it through faucets in our homes…but many of our neighbors in rural Cambodia struggle to find it anywhere nearby. Your gift of a share of a well for a family changes everything. It will cut down on the time it takes families (mostly women and girls) to get clean water so they’ll have more time to go to school, plant gardens or start businesses. Thank you!

SHARE OF A WELL
in Cambodia

PHOTO: SHANLEY STUDIO
Whether it's droughts or floods in rural Kenya, clean water is hard to find. You’re supporting students with year-round water through a school-wide water system. Thank you for keeping children healthy and ready to learn with your gift!

A SCHOOL WATER SYSTEM in Kenya

PHOTO: SHANLEY STUDIO
“Going to school” for many children means they have to first find a way to get there. That’s a huge obstacle for refugee children in a big city like Cairo, where they may not speak the language or have money for public transportation. Your gift means one refugee student can travel to and from school for a month. Thank you for giving children one less thing to worry about while they focus on what’s really important: learning and dreaming big!
For a Roma child who is at risk of living and working on the street in Serbia, enrolling in preschool can be life-saving. But this basic service for kids is often not offered to Roma families. Your gift makes it an option. Thank you for preparing a child for a lifetime of learning!
Children in Haiti want so badly to have uninterrupted education. But disasters, school closures and increased poverty are taking their toll on this young generation. Your gift equips 12 students with pens, pencils and notebooks so they can study both inside and outside of the classroom. Thank you for giving children one less thing to worry about while they focus on what's really important: learning and dreaming big!
You’ve experienced it before; a book creates new worlds and lets a child’s imagination soar. For rural or impoverished schools in Vietnam, though, new books for students are expensive. Your gift represents a chance for young minds to explore new ideas and amazing places through reading. Thank you for making the future more vibrant for students!

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A desk and seat may seem like simple pieces of furniture, but imagine a preschooler trying to learn without them. Your gift represents a simple improvement to classrooms in Vietnam that makes learning much easier for preschoolers. Thank you!

PHOTO: SHANLEY STUDIO
Teachers work hard to make sure every student has a bright future. That makes your gift doubly meaningful...because when you show appreciation to a teacher, you’re supporting the future of a whole community, too! Your gift helps equip a classroom in Haiti with educational posters, a globe and chalk. Thank you for encouraging teachers and children alike!
In energy-poor Moldova, hot water is hard to come by. And in cold weather, that means kids have to wash up with icy water. Your gift represents an innovative solution: solar technology! With this technology, you’re helping heat up water in bathrooms and the kitchen. Thank you for giving students and the school community one less thing to worry about while they focus on what’s really important: learning and dreaming big!

HOT WATER
for a school kitchen and bathroom in Moldova
For many girls in rural Kenya, going to school isn’t an option. Early marriage and time-consuming household chores like finding water make attendance difficult. And if a girl is able to attend school, it means she must walk long distances – often in the dark – to get there. Your gift represents space for one girl at a dormitory for three years so she can safely attend classes and prepare for her future. Thank you!
You've experienced it before; a book creates new worlds and lets a child's imagination soar. For rural or impoverished schools in Vietnam, though, new books for students are expensive. Your gift helps children get the books and encouragement they need to read and explore new ideas. Thank you for supporting special school events that make reading a priority!
After back-to-back years of natural disasters, many families in West Pokot, Kenya are experiencing a food crisis. Their farms, livestock and homes have been destroyed by a new cycle of floods and droughts. And their children’s health is on the line. Your gift helps provide a month of food to a child during this precarious time so they can stay strong and healthy. Thank you for your compassion!
Unaccompanied refugee children who arrive in Indonesia have taken long, difficult journeys for safety - without their families. Their bodies have been exposed to extreme physical and emotional burdens along the way. Your gift helps a child meet their health needs...and provides strength in the days to come. Thank you for your compassion!
Even for children, it’s hard to have fun when you’re worried about the basics like food and shelter. And in Haiti, disasters and increasing poverty make the burden even heavier on this youngest generation. Your gift lightens the load by supporting a child’s recreational time for a month, complete with a soccer ball. Thank you for providing joy and laughter during difficult times!

A MONTH OF SPORTS
for a child in Haiti

PHOTO: PAUL JEFFREY/ACT ALLIANCE
A WEEK OF DROP-IN SHELTER SERVICES for a child in Serbia

For a child who is currently at risk of living and working on the street in Serbia, your gift represents a week of meals, showers and a safe space to play and complete their homework. You’re also helping parents enroll their children in school...and providing support for kids once they do enroll. Thank you for the many ways you’re protecting these kids!
It's great to know the nutritional value of fruits and vegetables. But that's only one part of the equation: your gift is the other part. You're helping moms in Myanmar learn how to actually cook these fruits and vegetables in a way that's tasty and healthy! It means they can take the nutritional knowledge they've learned and put it on their child's plate every single day. Thank you for making fresh food accessible, affordable and approachable to families!
Refugee children have often lived through traumas, life-altering moves and persecution. So when they find home in the United States, it’s important that they also find their childhood again. Your gift represents a chance for these precious children to just be kids. Thank you for providing joy and laughter during difficult times!

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Every baby deserves a strong, healthy start. But for infants who enter this world as refugees, the basics - nutrition, hygiene and protection - aren't guaranteed. Even worse, many refugee children have lost their caretakers in the journey to safety. Your gift supports these babies in Cairo with a month of formula (when breastfeeding isn’t an option) diapers and a nurturing environment. Thank you!
We want to live in a world where every child has the chance to go to school and dream big. We want every child to have a safe place to call home and a nurturing environment to grow up in. And no one is more important than a parent or caregiver when it comes to making this vision a reality. Your gift helps a caregiver in Haiti learn what rights children have and how to best protect them. Thank you for creating healthier futures for kids!

PHOTO: PAUL JEFFREY/ACT ALLIANCE
Sometimes the most important part of nutrition is information. What can parents do to ensure that their children are eating the right foods to grow healthy and strong? What are the best practices for farming and growing vegetable gardens? Your gift links communities in Vietnam to this information. More importantly, your gift supports healthy kids. Thank you for sharing life-saving parenting and farming tips!
One night in the cold. That’s all it takes to remember how important a blanket is. So for people around the world struggling to sleep on freezing sidewalks, in unfamiliar evacuation centers and shelters or in drafty homes, your gift is a treasure. Thank you for covering someone with warmth... and the reminder that they’re not alone.
Personal hygiene is one of the first defenses you have to protect your body - and your community - from transmittable diseases. But imagine not being able to find or afford basic toiletries like soap. How would you follow best practices for washing your hands? How would you keep yourself clean? Your gift helps families who are struggling to answer those questions. Thank you for protecting the best hygiene practices for our most vulnerable neighbors!
Starting a new school year is exciting... but if you don’t have school supplies, it can also be terrifying. Your gift supports children who need these supplies, especially when they’re recovering from a disaster or living in other tough circumstances. Thank you for setting students up for a successful school year!
Refugee women are often at risk in every phase of their transit from persecution to safety. But for those who arrive in Serbia, your gift offers protection for their health, their bodies and their dignity. Each kit includes basic hygiene supplies, women’s underwear, a flashlight and a whistle. Thank you for your helping hand on this difficult journey!
Refugees who have fled to safety in Bosnia often arrive with very little but the clothes on their backs. And this winter, many will face subzero temperatures in tents or on the street. That’s why your gift is so meaningful. Each kit includes a backpack, scarf, hat, raincoat, gloves, underwear, toothbrush, toothpaste, towel, soap, shampoo and sleeping bag. Thank you for sharing the warmth - and love - this winter!

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When floods submerge homes, they destroy everything. They corrode walls and floors, eat away at personal belongings and create a waterlogged environment that mold and bacteria love. Your gift represents the supplies that a family needs to safely and quickly recover from floods. Thank you for helping a family get back to normal life!

A CWS EMERGENCY CLEANUP BUCKET

BLANKETS and Kits
Earthquakes, hurricanes and torrential downpours - families in Haiti know that a safe home can be the difference between life and death when a natural disaster strikes. Your gift represents walls that stand strong, whatever comes their way. Thank you for protecting families!

10 CONCRETE BLOCKS for house walls in Haiti

PHOTO: PAUL JEFFREY/ACT ALLIANCE
Having water and having CLEAN water are two very different things. Dirty water can contain deadly diseases, and for families in rural Cambodia, every sip is a risk. Your gift helps equip one household with a daily supply of fresh, clean water for drinking, washing and cooking. Thank you for supporting a cost-effective and efficient way to keep a family hydrated and healthy!
Refugees who have recently found safety in Cairo are working hard to rebuild their lives. But it can be a costly learning curve; the job search, public transit, monthly bills and fees all add up. You’re giving peace of mind through one month of rent as a family settles into their new lives. Thank you!
A safe, sanitary bathroom is a vital part of a healthy home. Without proper latrines, waste can contaminate water sources and make people sick. Trips to fields or forests as bathrooms are also dangerous, especially at night. Your gift helps keep a whole family in Cambodia safe and healthy and makes a huge difference in their daily lives.
In rural areas of Georgia (Eastern Europe), energy bills are extremely expensive. That means there isn’t much left for basic needs like food. Your gift represents renewable warmth at a fraction of the cost, giving a family more room in the budget to make ends meet. As an added bonus, this gift heats homes with much less firewood (and smoke), so families can preserve their forests and health. Thank you for helping a family stay warm while also keeping the environment in mind!
For many girls in rural Kenya, going to school simply isn't an option. In part, it's because it's a fairly recent option, so parents aren't even sure how to enroll their daughters in classes. Your gift represents a customized informational session with one family so they can learn more about enrollment, overcome whatever obstacles stand in the way and maximize the benefit to the whole household. Thank you for opening the door to learning for a girl...and her entire family!

“ENROLLING YOUR DAUGHTER IN SCHOOL” session for a family in Kenya

PHOTO: SHANLEY STUDIO
Women from Roma settlements are some of the most marginalized groups in Serbia. They face extreme inequalities, but your gift represents a chance for one woman to open doors out of poverty. Literacy means they can read street signs, use the internet, apply for jobs and earn a stable income. Thank you for helping women in Roma communities achieve independence and opportunities!

PHOTO: RYAN DOLE
COUNSELING for a mother in Nicaragua who has faced gender-based violence

Your gender shouldn’t make you a target of violence. But for many women, that’s exactly what’s happening...and when it does, they need all the support they can get. Your gift helps a mother in Nicaragua who has faced gender-based violence get the healing she and her child need. Thank you for supporting women in their most painful moments.

PHOTO: COURTESY INPRHU
Roma women face numerous obstacles to entering the workforce in Serbia, often including a lack of formal education. Your gift represents a month of classes so a woman can develop the skills she needs in order to find a job or start a business in woodworking or decoupage. Thank you for opening new doors out of poverty!

WOODEWORKING CLASSES
for a month for a woman in Serbia so she can start a business

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For girls in rural Kenya, a period can totally hit the brakes on education. Many schools aren't equipped with menstrual supplies - they may not even have a women's restroom on site. It means that girls end up staying home for days at a time... which puts them behind in their schooling. Your gift gets a student through their hardest moments by supporting menstrual health education and a year of sanitary supplies. Thank you!
Refugee families fleeing violence are in desperate search of safety...and by the time they reach places like Serbia, that flight takes its toll. Your gift represents a hot dish of noodles for 10 exhausted men, women and children. Thank you for your warm welcome on this difficult journey!
Buying healthy food is hard when you’re new to an area and have a limited income. For refugees who have recently found safety in Cairo, every month can feel precarious and unfamiliar. Your gift helps them settle into their new situation and shows them that someone cares about their daily wellbeing. Thank you!
After back-to-back years of natural disasters, many families in West Pokot, Kenya are experiencing a food crisis. Their farms, livestock and homes have been destroyed by a new cycle of floods and droughts. You’re providing a month’s worth of food to a family so they can stay strong and healthy while they work hard to rebuild their livelihoods. Thank you!
A “WELCOME HOME” MEAL for a refugee family

On their first night in the United States – when they have finally arrived in a new community after hours of travel and months or years of waiting – you are making sure that a refugee family can sit down together to a meal. Thank you for welcoming them home!

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