Dear Friend of World Vision,

As I look back on 2019, I am overwhelmed with gratitude for God’s blessing on World Vision’s work. With the support of our donors, partners, and staff, we have made miraculous impact for kids and families in need around the world.

Thanks to generous total gifts from our U.S. donors of $1.338 billion, we were able to dedicate $89 million more than the previous year to equip families—including 1 million children in our sponsorship program—to change their own futures.

With the partnership of donors around the world:

» We continue to reach one new person every 10 seconds and three more students every day with clean water:
  » Every 40 seconds, a family gets water; a hungry child eats; and a family learns the tools to overcome poverty.

» Because of our community-focused solutions, for every child you help, four more children benefit, too.

We also saw God’s favor on this year’s launch of Chosen®, our new invitation to child sponsorship. Through the partnership of donors around the world:

» Assisted 20.1 million
» Helped provide access to clean water† for 3.8 million in urban and rural areas; since 2011 we have provided 22 million people who were supported by caring sponsors in the U.S. for 3.3 million people, improve sanitation for 2.5 million, and support hygiene behavior change for 1.4 million jobs and improving the lives of 3.4 million kids†

» Helped equip over 3.5 million† children worldwide for brighter futures through our child sponsorship program, including more than 1 million children who were supported by caring sponsors in the U.S.

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» Used $92.3 million in food grants, including $102.5 million in food supplies to help nourish children and families

» Disbursed $664 million in microloans to 1 million hardworking people in 24 countries—starting 1.1 million families and improving the lives of 1.4 million kids

» Was the largest implementing partner of the World Food Programme’s 2018-2020 largest implementer of USDAG

» Assisted 4 million children and adults in the United States through disaster response and access to basic necessities such as clothing, school supplies, and building supplies

» Empowered children to protect themselves from abuse and violence, mobilized parents, targets, and faith leaders to nurture children, and influenced policy changes to prevent harm to kids*†

» Worked to improve quality of education for children in nearly 50 countries by engaging their teachers, families, and communities, helping them attain literacy numeracy, and life skills for brighter futures!

Our vision for every child, life in all its fullness. Our prayer for every heart, the will to make it so.

—World Vision’s vision statement

Seeing miracles happen Together with our donors, we are:

SAVING LIVES IN THE WAKE OF DISASTER

World Vision stands ready to protect kids and families by offering critical help within 24 to 72 hours of a disaster as well as train communities in local disaster response. And our 37,000 staff in nearly 100 countries are committed to helping families rebuild.

In 2019, World Vision:

» Responded to 112 humanitarian emergencies around the world, including the ongoing Syria, Venezuela, and Putumayo refugee crises. Cyclone Idai, the Ebola outbreak in the DRC, and Hurricane Michael in the U.S.

» Assisted 201 disaster survivors, refugees, and internally displaced people worldwide

» Used $17.0 million in private donations and public grants for global disaster relief efforts

» Spent $17.7 million worth of pre-positioned relief goods available for immediate use in disaster response*

CREATING HOPE FOR TODAY—AND TOMORROW

World Vision’s unique, holistic development model addresses a broad range of needs and empowers kids and families to create their own lasting change. Chosen, our new sponsorship invitation, puts the power to choose a sponsor in the child’s hands—affirming that kids living in extreme poverty are not passive recipients of donor generosity but can be beautiful messengers through whom God speaks to us.

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WORKING WITH PARTNERS

World Vision offers its partners—individual churches, church-based organizations, governmental and international organizations—powerful ways to impact the lives of children in need. These multiple funding sources allow us to leverage all donations efficiently and keep overhead low.

In 2019, World Vision:

» Joined with 46,700 individual donors and 15,100 organizational donors in the U.S. to care for our world’s poor

» Partnered with nearly 10,000 U.S. churches to bridge the gap between their communities and communities in need around the globe

» Received $393 million in grants of food and cash from the U.S. government and other agencies—Shipped 6,942 pallets of top-quality products including medicine, school supplies, shoes, and clothing—donated by corporations and valued at $131 million—to benefit communities in 36 countries

“How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!”

—Romans 10:15 (NIV)
WHO WE ARE

World Vision is a Christian humanitarian organization dedicated to working with children, families, and their communities worldwide to reach their full potential by tackling the causes of poverty and injustice.

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INDIVIDUALS

Share your faith with children. Through World Vision, you can empower kids and their communities for lasting change. Your gift of money or time will make a difference in the lives of many of our partners, equipping kids in even the world’s most difficult places to build their own brighter future.

Sponsor a child

Help one child reach their full potential.

Choirs and orchestras

Share God’s love with “the least of these”.

Missions and retreats

Go hungry for a demonstration of God’s unconditional love.

CHURCHES

Engage your members in the Matthew 25 legacy.

Helping the world’s poor.

Give your youth the chance to grow closer to God through the Matthew 25 Challenge—a week-long, multigenerational experience that encourages participants to engage in Jesus’ love for those in need around the world. Daily activities and impactful opportunities for participants to observe the world’s greatest needs and build a life-changing Matthew 25 legacy.

COMPANIES AND OTHER GROUPS

Share a better future with the world’s most difficult places.

World Vision brings together companies (small businesses to large corporations) and other groups that are passionate about ending global poverty to help create lasting change through proven solutions that target global health, education, clean water, and economic development.

World Vision’s objective for financial liquidity and reserves is to operate in a prudent range of stability, as quickly as possible. World Vision U.S. financial statements are available in PDF format at worldvision.org/financials.

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