



## Giving kids around the world a chance!

G4G (Gulf for Good) is supporting or has supported over 40 non-profit organizations through exciting challenges held in different regions around the world. These organizations aim to give hope and provide better living conditions to children that are in dire need of it. Some examples of the aid we have provided in the last 11 years through sponsorship:



1.1 The children of Lifeline Express expressing their thanks!

- Lifeline Express (an eye hospital that restores sight and returns hope): Most of the poverty stricken Chinese living in rural areas depends entirely on working in the fields to survive, so, without sight they have lost the power to make a living and are burdens

on their families. Blind babies are thrown away and rejected by families for being burden. The eye hospital trains, provides free cataract operations, restores sight. Gulf for Good's support through the Great Wall of China Challenge in 2004 enabled the construction of the first training centre and funds raised by participants of the Walk the Wild Wall Challenge in 2006 bought further medical equipment.



1.2 The children of RAEY and G4G

- RAEY: In 2007, husband and wife team Mengesha and Frehiwot clubbed their money together to educate 40 children in their community who had lost one or both parents to HIV/Aids. Raey gives the children more than food, clothing, medical care and a safe place to learn. "We give them, and their families, hope and love. In the beginning some were so traumatized they wouldn't even speak." As quoted by Frehiwot. RAEY is being rebuilt and expanded by Gulf for Good with sponsorship raised through 'Trek Ethiopia 2011'. Stage 1 was completed in time for the start of the school year, creating rooms for Lower KG, KG, Prep, Years 1 & 2, a sleep room, resource room and

office. Construction has commenced for stage 2 which will include further classrooms kitchen, dining area and medical and dental rooms.



1.3 One of G4G'S challengers with the Amani children

- Amani Children's Home: The 2008 challenge supported Amani by building toilet blocks and a washing/drying room in the orphanage. We continued to support Amani children's home with the Trek to the Roof of Africa 2012 which raised **AED 424 461**. The drop-in centre proposed for the sponsorship raised will offer recreational activities, the possibility to sleep/relax during the day, facilities to bathe, and 24/7 short-stay options (as a bridge between living on the street and moving into Amani) for 8 children/youth at any point of time). The Amani psychosocial counsellor will also be at the centre several times per week, to speak to individual children and to run group-based Life Skills sessions.

Watch an incredible video about Amani's wonderful work with the unfortunate street children of Moshi, Tanzania (4 minutes). [Click here](#)



#### 1.4 Bethel Foundation - Roula Zainieh teaching blind orphans how to help them selves

- Bethel Foundation: a Beijing charity that provides foster care, education and training for visually impaired children in China; The **AED 301,272** raised by the Wild Wall Challenge 2012 will be used to complete an aqua therapy pool for 60 visually impaired children living at the Love Is Blind Village plus swimming lessons for another 200 orphans from 4 orphanages in the vicinity.

These are just examples of the work we do towards fulfilling our aim which is to Give Kids Around the World a Chance. For information and progress reports on the charities and projects that we support please visit: <http://www.gulf4good.org/en/section/charities>

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