



Childcare Worldwide



2007
ANNUAL REPORT
HELPING CHILDREN
SURVIVE AND SUCCEED



PRESIDENT'S REPORT



I am pleased to present our Annual Report 2007 with information about the ministries of Childcare Worldwide. Last year we celebrated our 25th Anniversary and here are some statistics of 25 years of ministry:

- Total Income \$203,619,000
- We spent \$192,634,000 on ministry programs
- Our overhead was \$10,954,000
- We distributed about 24 million pounds of food, medicine, clothing and other relief supplies
- We helped an estimated 12,000 boys and girls through our child sponsorship program
- About 100,000 children participated in our feeding programs

I am also grateful that the Lord touched tens of thousands of lives with His Gospel through our ministries of *Helping Children Survive and Succeed*.

Tim and Beverly LaHaye were the main speakers at our Anniversary Celebration. We also brought a Ugandan Orphans Choir to help us celebrate. The response of the people was overwhelming and encouraged us to let the choir go on a tour of Washington and British Columbia. In 2007, a second group of children came for a tour of the West Coast and the third group is ready to come to the South of the United States by June 2007. These kids are ambassadors for children in need of help.

We have started a new project in India. It is called the "Center of Hope," and brings together elements of the Gospel, child sponsorship and self-help. The goal is to make a village church self-supporting by sponsoring children of the congregation and empowering the women of the church through micro-business projects. Where needed, we also construct church buildings.

Sincerely in His Service,

Max Lange, Ph.D.
Founder, President



HELPING CHILDREN SURVIVE



CHILDCARE WORLDWIDE HAS DEVELOPED SEVERAL PROGRAMS TO FIGHT MALNUTRITION IN ORDER TO LAY THE FOUNDATION FOR HELPING CHILDREN SUCCEED

FEEDING PROGRAMS

In some areas regular feeding programs are the best and most practical way to fight hunger and malnutrition. This is the case especially in Haiti, which is considered the poorest country in the Western Hemisphere, as well as in Peru with over 11,500 children in a daily breakfast program.



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CRITICAL CARE PROGRAM

The most vulnerable segment of children are those under five years of age. In the Critical Care Program, the young children receive nutritious meals including vitamins. They are medically supervised and receive treatment if needed.

CHILDREN'S HOMES

In special need situations, children's homes are often the best way to give children security, regular nutritious food, education, spiritual instruction and the chance to learn good values. • In India, four homes for extremely poor children are operated in Hyderabad and Chennai. • In Kenya, Childcare has four homes, two of which are homes for AIDS orphans. These are children who don't have AIDS themselves, but who lost their parents and relatives to the epidemic and have no place to go. • In Uganda, on Bugala Island, the largest of the Ssesse Island group in Lake Victoria, Childcare has built three complete children's villages with individual homes for AIDS orphans. • Also, a home for former street boys has been constructed in the town of Masaka, Uganda.



HELPING CHILDREN SUCCEED



THROUGH INDIVIDUAL SPONSORSHIP, CHILDCARE WORLDWIDE IS HELPING CHILDREN SUCCEED BY GIVING THEM A GOOD EDUCATION

The educational programs include elementary school, high school and trade school, either through Childcare's own schools or through available local schools.

By attending a trade school, students have the opportunity to become mechanics, electricians, tailors, shoemakers, bricklayers or carpenters just to name a few. If they are academically gifted, they can go on to institutions of higher learning to become teachers, nurses, accountants, secretaries, electrical engineers, computer technicians, journalists, and so on.

The young people have the chance to learn a profession according to their talents and interests. However, based on the economic situation of their country, counseling concerning the choice of study subjects is often provided through our career counselors. The practical education they receive goes hand-in-hand with an emphasis on Christian values – offering a solid foundation for life.



FASHION, KENYA • Wilkista Namunyak



PHYSICAL THERAPIST, INDIA • Anusha Chenuapati



TRANSLATOR AT A BIBLE SOCIETY, SRI LANKA • Subadashani Rajarathnam



UGANDAN ORPHANS CHOIR



Childcare Worldwide has started a special informational and fundraising ministry through an orphans choir from Uganda. These children, who are touring the United States, are ambassadors for thousands of AIDS orphans and other disadvantaged children, who have no one else to speak up for them.

The children have trained for several months to perform in front of a variety of audiences through songs and traditional dances. While they sing and dance, people are not only entertained, but also blessed and often motivated to reach out to children who are still without hope. The children exhibit an amazing vitality and reflect the joy they have found under the wings of Childcare and through their faith in Jesus Christ.

All of the choir children have lost their parents to AIDS. As orphans they know what it is like to have no one to turn to. Some time ago they were rescued, and now they help rescue others through their unique ministry.



