



MILLENNIUM CAMPAIGN

VOICES AGAINST POVERTY



International - United Nations Millennium Campaign

www.millenniumcampaign.org

Canadian – Make Poverty History

www.millenniumpromise.org

Calgary –Children without Poverty

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Please do your part.

The millennium campaign was created in 2000 by the United Nations to eradicate extreme poverty and hunger by 2015. Please help. Read on to help and wear a white band to show your support. White bands are available for \$1 from www.millenniumcampaign.org.

‘A few weeks ago, I picked up a child from the street, and from the face I could see that little child was hungry. I didn't know how many days that little one had not eaten. So I gave her a piece of bread, and the little one took the bread and, crumb by crumb, started eating it. I said to her, “Eat, eat the bread. You are hungry.” And the little one looked at me and said, “I am afraid. When the bread will be finished, I will be hungry again.”’

Mother Teresa

Mother Teresa's quote reminds us that if our gift is consumed, it is gone & the need still exists.

It becomes important in our giving to ensure:

- We are helping to eliminate the source of the problem and not a symptom. If we donate to the symptom, the need continues. We want to put resources toward fixing the problem, so the symptoms do not occur. (Although for humane reasons it is important to also care for the symptoms, while fixing the root of the problem.)
- We are consistent & focussed. \$20 to many charities – is a very great gesture and your impact small. The same donation focussed on 1-2 charities will make a larger impact on something that is important to you. If you make that donation to the same charities year after year, your impact starts to snowball.
- We provide sustainability. Although we can do great things with \$10,000 now, we can provide sustainability for the charity if we give \$300 per year forever.

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CHILDREN WITHOUT POVERTY is not a registered charity. Please donate to the charity of your choice. Our aim is to educate people with facts and information so that they can make informed decisions around their own personal philanthropy.

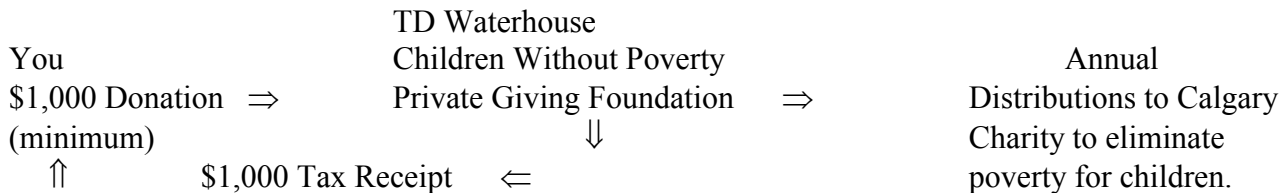
The Charitable Giving Fund

With the above in mind, focussing on a few causes, making a larger impact by choosing what is important to you and looking to provide sustainability, we look at ways to do this.

Children Without Poverty started looking at planned giving, estate planning and other financial tools that assist in creating a year after year distribution to charities. We found it, and can now make it available to you.

Children Without Poverty has created the 'Children Without Poverty' Private Giving Foundation. And you can contribute to the sustainability of charities that assist in eliminating poverty for children, in Calgary, by giving in \$1,000 increments to the foundation.

Here's how it works.



Who is this for? Everyone. But specifically:

- ✓ If you are interested in donating money to assist children living in poverty in Calgary.
- ✓ If you want to break the cycle of poverty for the children.
- ✓ If you have money but not the time to manage it or decide where it goes.

**To give to the TD Waterhouse Children Without Poverty Private Giving Foundation:
It can be set up through TD Waterhouse locations or the downtown office at: 502 2 St SW, just walk in (Account number = PGF7010641).**

For more information, give Richelle Wilson a call at 403-240-1266.

If you are interested in creating your own Private Giving Foundation through TD Waterhouse, you'll need \$10,000 to start and you can get information and set up by visiting any TD Waterhouse location.

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