



Clean Water, a Human Right not a Luxury

Buy A Filter!

Fill out the form and mail to the address below OR donate online at www.waterforcambodia.org

☐ YES, I would like to purchase _____ filters at \$60.00 each.

☐ YES, I would like to donate \$ _____ toward the purchase of a filter.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Tel _____

Make check payable to:
Water for Cambodia

Mail to:
Water for Cambodia
P.O. Box 1121
Bristol, RI 02809

Charge my Credit Card:

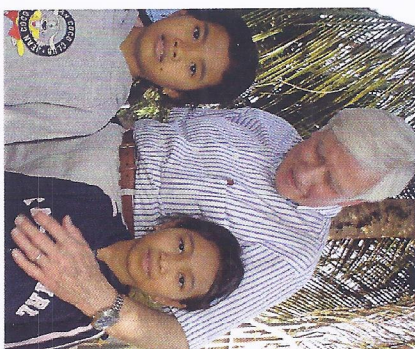
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Signature _____

100% of your donation goes to this project.

Water for Cambodia has tax exempt
501(c)(3) classification.



Gunther with two Cambodian children

History

In 2002 Middletown Rotarian Gunther Hausen visited the Angkor Hospital for Children in Siem Reap, Cambodia. While there, he learned of the hundreds of children arriving at the hospital with preventable waterborne diseases due to the lack of clean drinking water. In response to the hospital's urgent request for help, Gunther originated the Water for Cambodia project.

Mission

Our mission is to provide clean water, hygiene and literacy education to rural Cambodian families, improving their health and helping to break the cycle of poverty.



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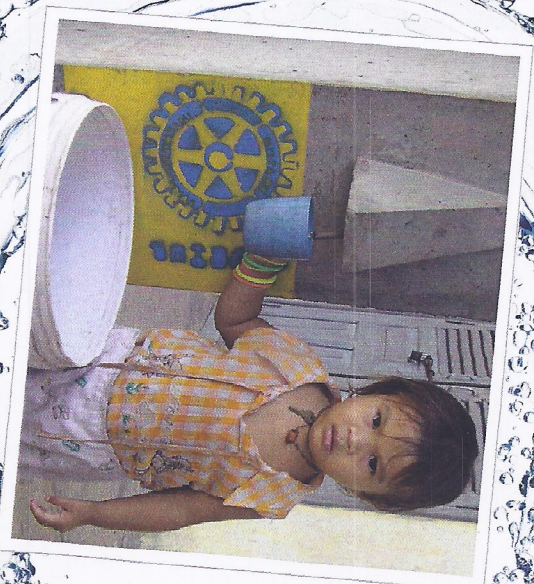
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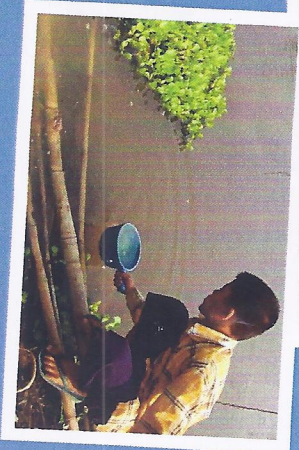
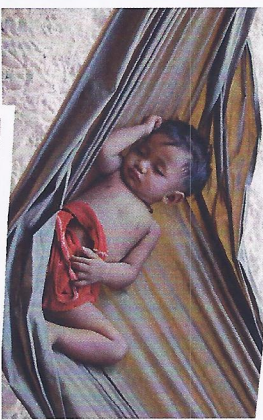


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Problem

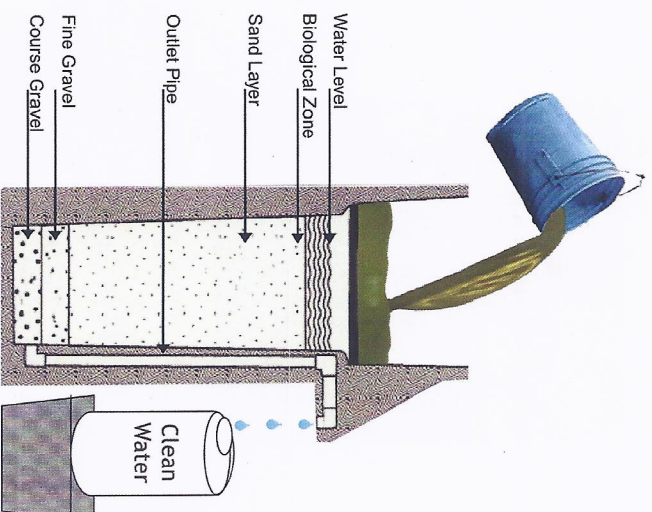
Cambodia is an impoverished country of 14 million people.

Over 60% of the rural Cambodian population does not have access to safe drinking water.

Only 18% have access to improved sanitation.

20% of the deaths of children under 5 are due to waterborne diseases.

You can save a child with the purchase of a biosand filter that will be placed in the home of a Cambodian family. Each filter costs \$60 to build and install, lasting years with very little maintenance. One filter will provide clean drinking water for an entire family.



Solution

Biosand water filters are household units that can produce clean water directly from contaminated sources. Dirty water is poured in the top, filtered through the sand and gravel layers and within minutes clean drinking water pours from the spout. The biological zone consumes harmful bacteria and other pathogens.



Project

The project uses a holistic approach to improve the lives of Cambodian villagers. In addition to installing biosand water filters, literacy classes are offered to young village women providing them with basic reading, writing, and math skills. Our libraries help cultivate further reading interest. As the primary caregivers they also receive instruction in health, hygiene and the proper use and maintenance of the filters. Our water-testing laboratory monitors filter performance. WFC partners with other organizations that provide wells and latrines to maximize our impact.

Help Us

- Continue to build and install over 2000 biosand filters per year
- Produce clean drinking water for thousands of families
- Save the lives of hundreds of children per year