

## You can help change the life of a child today

There are many ways you can be involved, through The Sharing Way, in helping provide children with the opportunity to receive an education that can change their lives forever.



**Pray!** Uphold the world's children in your prayers. Poverty, disease, conflict, exploitation – these are everyday issues that affect millions of children in our world.



**Learn!** Spend time researching how you can advocate for the right to education for all children, both within your own community and around the world.

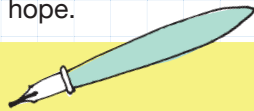


**Share!** Tell people within your sphere of influence what you have learned. Encourage your church to raise awareness about this issue.



**Give!** God instructs us not to be tight-fisted with the poor. Challenge yourself to live open-handedly so that all people in our world can live with dignity and hope.

### Get involved:



1. Participate in your church's *Hunger for Change - Learning for Life* campaign.
2. Visit us at [www.cbmin.org](http://www.cbmin.org) for more information on The Sharing Way's education projects.
3. Give a child the gift of education. Donate to The Sharing Way Annual Project online, by calling 905.821.3533 or by mail to the address below.

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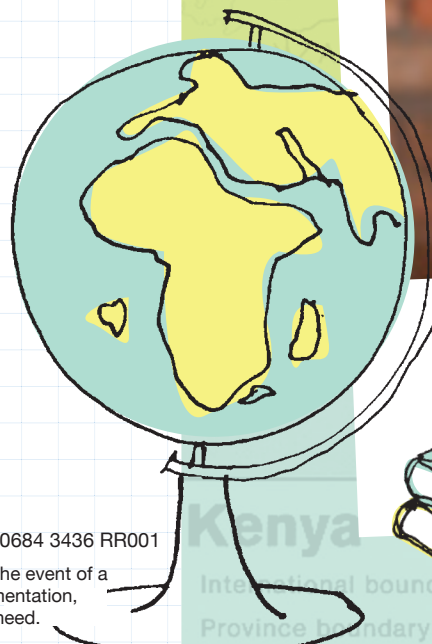
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Tax receipts will be issued for donations of \$10 or more. Charitable registration number: 10684 3436 RR001

The Sharing Way is the relief and development department of Canadian Baptist Ministries. In the event of a particular project being oversubscribed, or where local conditions prevent program implementation, The Sharing Way will redirect your donation to another program that helps people in need.

# HUNGER FOR CHANGE

## Learning for Life



The Sharing Way  
Annual Project

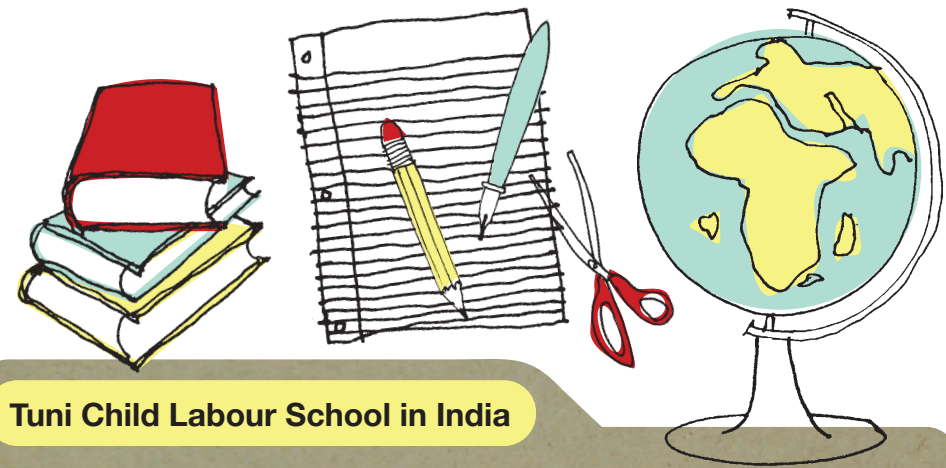
**"I have come that they may have life,  
and have it to the full." John 10:10**

**Education** is a gift that can never be taken away. An educated child is able to imagine a life that goes beyond the despair of today. School empowers children to develop a voice and make themselves heard.

However, the global reality is that millions of children will never receive this life-changing gift. Over 100 million children are not in school today. For families struggling to survive, educating children is a luxury they simply cannot afford.

As image bearers of God, every person should be given the opportunity to reach their full potential, as God has intended. **The Sharing Way believes that children everywhere have the fundamental right to receive basic education.** Through our education projects, thousands of children are being given the gift of learning that gives hope for a lifetime.

A gift to *Hunger for Change – Learning for Life* helps transform the lives of children, their families, and even whole communities.



### Tuni Child Labour School in India

After the loss of her mother and because her father was too sick to work, Durga, six years old, became a house servant. For a few pennies a day she cleaned dishes and did other household chores.

Though India passed a law in 1986 that prohibits children under the age of 14 from working in hazardous conditions, it remains hard to regulate.

Durga became one of the first students at the Child Labour Rehabilitation School in Tuni, where she flourished and eventually went on to college, where she took a health worker's training program.

Today, Durga is proud of her career as a nurse. She earns what is considered a good local salary, nearly \$70 a month, which provides for her family's needs.

The Child Labour Rehabilitation School in Tuni has been in operation for 15 years. Hundreds of children have successfully gone through the program and been empowered to break out of the cycle of poverty through the power of education. Today 56 children are enrolled at the school.

For only **\$50** a month you can provide a child with the chance to learn and the opportunity to break the cycle of poverty.

**"I was born to family of modest means. In my childhood I had to walk a long distance to go to school. I read under the dim light of a kerosene lamp. I am what I am today because of education."**

**Manmohan Singh, Prime Minister of India**

