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Thirty-nine projects will funded by the convention offering received in August, 2006. As projects progress updates appear in *Your Evangelism Dollars at Work*. To participate in touching lives all over the world, contact ASI!

2006 PROJECTS

Contributions received will fund the 37 projects listed for a total of \$1,287,800. The overflow offering will be divided equally with 50% financing Electronic Books and 50% a Picture Roll / DVD project.

ACTS \$40,000

This organization headquartered in Florida functions in disaster relief. Evangelism efforts follow the relief efforts with the use of a mobile sound stage, truck and tent. Requested funding will support volunteer leader training, supplies, warehouse space strategically located in the United States to allow rapid response to disasters, and more.

A DOOR OF HOPE MINISTRIES \$10,000



A Door of Hope Ministries expands its adult residential program to touch the lives of teenage girls. This new program is designed to strengthen, nurture, educate, guide, love, comfort, and heal the hearts and lives of hurting young girls. Funding for this project will be used to purchase a van that will provide adequate transportation for the girls to attend church, go to medical and dental appointments, serve the community, complete work assignments, and attend recreational and educational activities.

ADVENT HOME YOUTH SERVICES \$10,000

Advent Home is a residential care program for boys ages 12-16 with ADHD, learning and behavior



problems based on restoring wellness through lifestyle changes.

A Wellness Program for the surrounding community will include seminars on topics such as healthy cooking, diabetes and smoking. Health Expos at shopping centers and schools will also be offered to meet the physical and spiritual needs of the community. Funds will purchase supplies such as blood pressure cuffs, body fat analyzer scales, laptop computer, handouts, Bibles and other literature.



AMAZING FACTS \$50,000



Amazing Facts will be producing a high definition documentary, bringing to life the great controversy between Christ and Satan. Beginning with the fall of Lucifer in the glorious courts of heaven, the struggle over the souls of men will be the focus. Highlights will include the fall of man, the flood, Christ's first coming, the new earth and much more. This high-definition program will be a wonderful presentation for large group settings; the DVD version can be used as a soul-winning tool.

ASIAN AID ORGANIZATION \$20,000



Asian Aid's Sunshine Orphanage and School in Bangalore, India has no permanent place of worship and currently holds church services in the school computer classroom. This project will provide a two-story church building, including a worship hall and a number of multi-purpose rooms that can be used for Sabbath School and other purposes. The new church building will also provide a place for outreach programs to share the love of Christ in the local community.

ASSOCIATION BARAKA SENEGAL \$15,000

ABS was formed to provide lay medical-missionary work in Senegal. Medina Yorofoula is a Fulani small town in Senegal. Through radio programs the people heard about the Adventist faith. An evangelistic series resulted in several families' requests for further studies. Muslim civic leaders welcomed the Association and offered a plot of land to build a



church. Funding will be used to plant a new congregation, including a simple church building, in this country of less than 400 Adventists.

COUNTRY LIFE MINISTRIES \$10,000



Country Life has been involved with vegetarian restaurants since the 1960's—gospel seeds must be sown if a harvest is to be reaped. The ASI project funds will be used to furnish and open the new Country Life Garden vegetarian restaurant just outside of Portage, Wisconsin. The facility will also host health and family seminars and will be used as a springboard to open other restaurants around the state.

COUNTRY LIFE STORE (Liga de Servicio Cristiano) \$10,000



Liga de Servicio Cristiano is comprised of a health food industry which began in Santo Domingo in 2003 and currently is distributing products to over 40 stores.

Bible workers are leading people to Christ—in the past two years, 280 have been baptized; in the first quarter of this year there were 35 more baptisms. Funding will help with the procurement of a sound system, Bibles, literature, a motorcycle for use by Bible workers, medicines and food for the poor. For a group newly formed in an area with no Adventist presence, a tarp with bamboo poles will serve as a place of worship.

EDEN GARDEN ORPHANAGE \$25,000

Eden Garden Orphanage operates an orphanage for 40 children in Haiti. It also operates a school which serves 252 students; and a small clinic with a doctor on staff and a nursery for very young infants. The project funding will be used toward the construction of an x-ray room and laboratory.



EDEN VALLEY INSTITUTE \$23,000

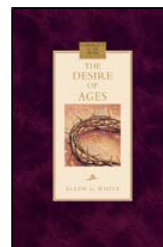


Eden Valley has been in existence since 1962. Some of the buildings are in need of improvement—one of the most needed additions is insulation. Loose insulation has already been blown into buildings that require it most, and it is making a positive difference. Also, roads which tend to turn to mud in the spring

need to be topped with new gravel. ASI funding will help with both of these projects.

ELLEN WHITE INTERNET BOOK PROJECT \$40,000

The Ellen G White Global Digital Book Project will create a system to deliver the primary Ellen G. White Books in multiple languages in digital format over the internet.



These books will be free and accessible by individuals using a computer. The writings of Ellen White have contributed significantly to keeping the church united. As the membership expands rapidly, there are many areas that have limited or no access to these books--this will provide the availability and will enhance the spiritual growth of new members.



FAMILY DEVELOPMENT INT'L. \$45,000

The new "educational boom" in Tanzania has kindled the interest of church members and leaders to start more Adventist schools in order to keep the youth within the church and grant them a solid

Adventist education. The ultimate goal is to train children for service and prepare them for mission work. The funds will help to build the basic structures necessary to start three Adventist primary schools.

FANANTENANA TRAINING CENTER \$15,000

The grant money will be used to organize health evangelism series in the major cities of Madagascar using the "health expo" concept. This is an excellent tool to use to bring the Adventist message to the people. At the same time the local churches will benefit from training in health topics.



FRONTLINE BUILDERS \$42,000

There is a desperate need in Mongolia for church buildings that will keep the believers warm during the extremely cold winters. Many worship in homes or make-shift churches. A location that will benefit from a church building will be selected

in concert with the local Seventh-day Adventist mission. During the summer of 2007 volunteers will travel to Mongolia and join with local members to construct the church. A building for worship is something we take for granted; in Mongolia, this is a dream.



**FUNDACION
PROVIDENCIA
II \$20,000**

This medical missionary facility in Chile which includes worker training and evangelism has been in operation for 16 years. Income from the Lifestyle Center and the sale of health food covers operational costs. The gift from ASI this year will provide raw materials, bags and boxes for granola made at the facility, design costs for the bags and boxes, advertising, and a vehicle for delivery.

GLOBAL VESSELS INC. \$20,000

Global Vessels is dedicated to uplifting humanity with short-term mission projects. The main focus is constructing buildings, but

volunteers also get involved in evangelism, seminars, and medical missionary work. An orphanage village in



Tanzania, East Africa is currently under construction. Poverty and the outbreak of AIDS have left many children homeless. Havilah Children's Village will be a haven of safety where children can be educated and trained to be productive in their society and to know Jesus. The first house is 90% complete. Funding will be used on the next house in the village.

GOSPEL OUTREACH (Bhutan) \$10,800

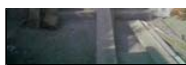
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Located on the northeast corner of India, the tiny Himalayan country of Bhutan has Buddhism as its state religion. Breaking the state law against proselytizing is punishable by imprisonment or death. However, acceptance of the Gospel is moving forward with good success; workers are finding people willing to accept Christ.



**GOSPEL OUTREACH
(Serbia) \$10,000**

God has opened the door of opportunity to reach out to Gypsy youth in the Balkans. In southern



Serbia alone there are about half a million Gypsies, mostly youth.

Each evangelistic series results in about 100 baptisms, but there is little suitable space for large gatherings. Plans are being laid to build an evangelistic center in the university city of Nis, the second largest city in Serbia. The building will serve as center to evangelize young Gypsies in the whole region.

***GOSPEL OUTREACH
(Sunderban
Islands) \$41,000***

The people of India and the Sunderban Islands say that a church building wins almost as



many souls to faith in Jesus as a pastor. Most of these people are from the lowest Hindu caste and are not permitted inside a temple. A church in which they can worship, sing praises and offer thanks to God is of great value to them. This grant will provide five churches in the Sunderban Islands.



***HEARTGOOD
FOUNDATION \$50,000***

More and more students are coming to the European Bible School—the program has expanded to include a nine-month organic agriculture course, a culinary course, and six-month mission training in the field of health and nutrition. An upgrade in housing is needed. Six cottages that will house up to six students each will be built, starting with just one or two at a time, rather than a large dormitory. These may be available for families to rent during the month of July when few students are at the school, providing a small income to help with maintenance.



HERGHELIA

SANITARIUM \$10,000

Since 1996, more than 5,000 patients have come to Herghelia Lifestyle Center to find physical, spiritual and emotional health. Over 150 graduates of the Herghelia Medical Missionary School are now serving in various missions. For ten years

Herghelia Lifestyle Center has extended its service, greatly improving the ability of the institution to support itself. With increased patient capacity there is an acute need for staff housing. ASI will help us build much needed apartments, thus alleviating the overcrowding condition our staff experience now.

HERITAGE ACADEMY
\$25,000

The school provides Christ-centered education combined with practical training. The present need is for a chapel for worship—students now meet in the gym. Staff and students will do the construction work as part of the vocational training program, with the project progressing as funds permit.



INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN'S CARE ***\$30,000***

The Guatemala Well Project will continue its efforts to bring clean water to as many villages and people as possible. To date six wells have been finished and an abundant source of clean water for the ICC facilities in Guatemala is now available. Evangelistic efforts held concurrently with the drilling have resulted in the baptisms of 170 people. To see the joy in the faces of the people is what the Guatemala well project is all about. An orphanage in El Salvador, an Adventist hospital in Belize, the village of Carrisal—all these projects and more are in the future.

LIVING SPRINGS OVERSEAS MISSIONS ***\$30,000***

A 6,000-square-foot building will be constructed for the orphanage in India that will house vocational programs such as tailoring, auto mechanics, small engine repair, electrical motor rewinding, and carpentry. The proposed building will also accommodate storage of the two rice crops per year from an ongoing agriculture program; and it will have a mill to help provide whole grains in the diet. The second floor will have space for a business office and some much-needed staff housing.



MIDDLE TENNESSEE SCHOOL OF

ANESTHESIA \$5,000

MTSA's mission statement is "Reflecting Christ in Anesthesia Education." One way to demonstrate this belief is the provision for nurse anesthesia trainees and instructors to participate in mission settings. With the help of ASI funding two licensed instructors and two senior trainees will accompany a team of healthcare professionals to Dominican Republic where 40-60 operations will be performed by volunteer surgeons. In addition they will take Sabbath School supplies and other materials to the two small churches located near the clinic.

MISSIONARY ASSISTANCE PLAN (MAP) \$60,000

MAP has helped dozens of missionaries throughout the years. As workers leave the comforts of home for the frontlines of developing countries, they face many challenges—adjusting to a new culture, learning how to communicate the gospel in unfamiliar settings, encountering illnesses and other obstacles. MAP has helped these individuals and families by providing moderate financial assistance while they are in the field and when returning on furlough. The funds will help sustain dozens of overseas workers in the mission field, enabling them to work more effectively as they introduce people to Jesus Christ.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE PREVENTION OF STARVATION (NAPS) \$30,000

There are more than 200,000 African Indians in India.

NAPS has purchased 15 acres of land and is already building a school in Halyal. The need for the gospel story to be preached to these people is great (evangelistic programs have resulted in 183 baptisms). NAPS will use ASI funding to build three churches/schools for the African Indians in Karnatika, India.

***NEW LIFE HEALTH CENTER \$30,000***

New Life Health Center (Kiriakovka) has been serving patients from Ukraine and the



surrounding countries since 1999. when the 10-bed center was built, people said it would never attract paying patients since medical care is free from the government—but from the beginning there were too many patients, some waiting 6 months for a session. An annex building has been purchased—ASI funds will complete this building which will offer more patient rooms and adequate dining space for all guests.

SHELTER FROM THE STORM, INC. \$20,000

SFS provides a structured living environment for recently released male prisoners, providing them with housing for up to six months, assisting with finding



employment and training in life-skills. There is a great demand for admittance, and men have been turned away due to capacity restraints. Funding will allow expansion of the facility and an additional six residents to find shelter—three bedrooms and two bathrooms will be added. It will also allow more space for general meetings and classes.

SPRINGS OF LIFE FOUNDATION \$60,000



For 15 years this organization in Poland has been reaching people through its printed evangelistic materials. More than 160,000 copies of *The Great Controversy* and 170,000 copies of *Steps to Christ* were sold in recent years. Books for children, *Signs of the Times* and Sabbath School lessons are also being produced. The press has recently been upgraded, improving the quality and the speed of production. Funding will help enlarge the small, inadequate facility housing the ministry.

THE K.I.D. CENTER \$5,000

Kids In Discipleship (K.I.D.) is a volunteer-led, church-based mentoring ministry designed for families and focused on children. The K.I.D. Center at Collegedale, Tennessee equips church teams of volunteers to establish K.I.D.



ministries for their congregation and community families. The Walthamstow Church in South England Conference and Avondale Memorial Church in North New South

Wales Conference, Australia will become K.I.D. Training Centers to equip churches to support parents and disciple kids—helping them enjoy personal time with God, understand the Bible, discover their gifts and share Jesus now.



**THREE ANGELS
BROADCASTING
NETWORK \$100,000**

3ABN's potential viewing audience literally doubled in 2004 and 2005. All three networks, 3ABN English, 3ABN Latino and 3ABN Radio are growing at an unprecedented rate. In the very near future a new network will be launched that will reach the inner cities. The construction of the 44,000 sq. ft. Worship Center and studios is completed, providing space for camp meetings, seminars, church services, conferences, and more. This grant will help equip the studios so that sharing Christ-centered services with the world can be even more effective.



**TWING ASSOCIATION FOR
HEALTH, EVANGELISM AND
EDUCATION**

DEVELOPMENT \$46,000

In many parts of Tanzania people have never heard the Seventh-day Adventist message. In December, 2006, 24 lay evangelists and 18 pastors-in-training will conduct multi-site evangelism in 12 villages. At the same time, five churches will be constructed. The funds will help with the evangelistic meetings, construction costs, and the support of 12 lay evangelists who will make follow-up visits to care for the newly baptized members.

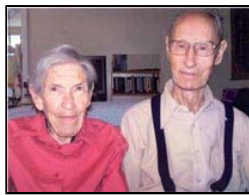
VITA SALUS \$50,000

An out-patient medical clinic in downtown Lisbon is sharing God's love with many people in need of medical care, but there is no Adventist medical facility in this



country for in-patient treatments. A beautiful property has been located near Lisbon and Porto (population 7 million) with all the buildings necessary to run a 20-30 bed lifestyle center and a 20-student training program in health evangelism. Funding will allow major renovation work on the buildings. This Center will expand the work of Health Expos which has reached over 40,000

people in the past 3 years.



**WILDWOOD
SANITARIUM \$100,000**

Wildwood has a number of workers who have put in many years of faithful service and continue to work into their 80s, and even 90s. There are some who require special attention and care to accommodate their physical needs. A facility with eight apartments will be built, along with an apartment for a live-in couple who will provide moral and practical support. There will be space for meal preparation, laundry, visiting and gathering for worship and activities provided for those who want to continue to serve.

**YOUNG DISCIPLE
MINISTRIES \$10,000**

Naturally Healthy! includes 26 fully-scripted, well-illustrated programs on a variety of health and lifestyle topics for children ages 6-13—it is ready to go and requires minimal preparation and planning. In PowerPoint or DVD format, it can be projected onto a screen or used with a TV or computer. It is an ideal complement to the Truth 4 Youth evangelistic series. Naturally Healthy! can be used in classrooms, Vacation Bible Schools, camp meetings, and more. Prototypes have been received enthusiastically in the US and overseas.



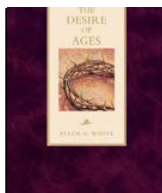
**YOUTH FOR JESUS
\$190,000**

The ASI youth evangelism program for 2006 in Dallas began in early spring with the arrival of teams of Bible workers. Many area church members participated as well in prayer walks, knocking on doors, doing religious surveys—all aimed at discovering Bible study interests. Miracles happened—one lady said she was contemplating suicide, but asked God to show her if He loved her by sending someone to the door. That someone was one of the Bible workers. Your offerings will support the youth program which culminates in evangelistic meetings at several sites just prior to convention.

Overflow Offering



ELLEN WHITE INTERNET



BOOK PROJECT

This project which is described above will also receive funding from the overflow offering. These books will be in many languages and free to people with internet access—they can be downloaded and read on the computer or printed any place in the world. The different translations will be approved by the Ellen G. White Estate and the world church. ASI has contributed in many areas of church growth; this is an incredible opportunity to aid the spiritual growth of new members everywhere.

PICTURE ROLLS / DVD Project

The picture roll project was funded in 2000—there were some 125,000 printed and distributed around the world.

These are durable and waterproof and packed in water-tight tubes for carrying. For evangelism, children's ministries, Bible studies, Sabbath School, and more—pictures make a lasting impression on the mind, telling stories even without words! -- A second part of the project involves supplying New Beginnings DVDs and support equipment to Divisions around the world, equipping lay people for evangelism using materials ASI has already created.



The principle illustrated on the cross is to give, give.
This, carried out in actual benevolence and good works,
is the true fruit of the Christian life.
(from *Counsels on Stewardship*, p. 14)