

CHANGING LIVES IN ETHIOPIA



ZOZ AMBA FOUNDATION

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OUR MISSION

Zoz Amba exists to change lives! Here is how we are doing that.

- Restoring sight to rural people
- Providing safe well water
- Furnishing seed and animals to returning war refugees to restart their livelihoods
- Building rural schools with boarding accommodations
- Providing scholarships to outstanding students who can give back to their communities
- Helping girls stay in school after puberty by teaching them to make reusable hygiene products
- Empowering single mothers widowed by war to start small businesses
- Building flour mills which liberates women and girls from about 30 hours per week of grinding grain and reduces dental fractures caused by stone fragments

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PROJECTS

COMPLETED IN 2023

- Furnished 55,000 pounds of mung bean seeds to 250 farmers
- Provided 440,000 pounds of corn flour and 230,000 pounds of beans to 6000 people displaced by war



HUMANITARIAN APPROACH

- Empower recipients to be self-sustaining and independent.
- Maximize value for each donor dollar through efficient resource use, community partnership, and volunteer service

This strategy combines immediate relief with sustainable development, emphasizing community involvement and accountability.

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CURRENT PROJECTS

1. Water Well Projects

Zoz Amba drilled one water well that provides 30 liters/second which will serve over 49,000 people.



You can donate toward the \$80,000 needed for a submersible pump, solar power, water storage tank, and pipes. More wells are desperately needed in Ethiopia where only 13% of the population has clean drinking water.

2. Cataract and Trachoma Clinics

Sight was restored to 3,402 cataract patients and 1,049 trachoma patients.



You can give back independence to a blind person and the child who leads him/her. \$72 covers one cataract surgery. These clinics need a minimum of \$27,000 each month to continue.

3. School Projects

Zoz Amba constructed two school buildings with four classrooms each.



For just \$12,400 you can help furnish these eight new classrooms. 5000 students attending the crumbling mud structures at Ebinat Elementary School need their school rebuilt. This will take at least \$500,000.

4. War-displaced Family Assistance

Families displaced by war are now returning home to nothing. Zoz Amba procured 45 oxen for 45 families to plow their fields, and distributed 384 goats to 64 single mothers and families with children to help them restart their livelihoods.



Zoz Amba is trying to assist an additional 500 families to support themselves again. This will require \$562,800 or more.

TO DONATE

- PayPal donations can be sent directly to donate@zozamba.org
- Donations can also be mailed to:

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