MISSION STATEMENT
Zakat Foundation of America (ZF) is an international charity organization that helps generous and caring people reach out to those in need. ZF transforms charitable giving into actions that alleviate the immediate suffering of poor communities and build long-term development projects to foster individual and community growth worldwide.

VISION
ZF believes that those whom God has granted wealth must cleanse that wealth through charity, and those whom God has tried with loss must be provided a rightful share from the resources of the affluent.

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Dear Friends,

As-Salamu ‘alaykum. Peace be with you.

By God’s grace – and your steadfast support – we made 2017 our best year of delivering good to those in greatest need, no matter their faith, ethnicity, race, or home country. Thank you for helping Zakat Foundation bring relief to the world’s poor and hope to its afflicted like never before.

Neither toxic politics nor fear mongering against Islam made you forget who you are. So you remembered well who we are. You are Americans, still synonymous with humanitarians – Muslims and from every other way. You live to give for a better world and a brighter day. We are a global American charity dedicated to reaching the destitute and helpless, orphans and widows, refugees and the displaced, at home and abroad. Together, we put the very best of American values into action.

The year 2017 saw many disasters, manmade and natural. Zakat Foundation rushed to the forefront with your aid and comfort for victims, seeing only their need. Hurricane Harvey flooded Texas. Your Zakat Foundation “Caravan of Love” trucked tons of relief goods directly to thousands of needy Texans, hardship our only criteria. I went myself to organize this effort because it was that important to you as Americans – and because I too hoped to have a hand in helping my fellow citizens.

In no time, our nation faced the gales and torrents of Hurricane Maria’s barrage of Puerto Rico. Propelled by your outpouring, Zakat Foundation became a first responder, thanks also to the Navy ships that moved our ready relief goods from the Dominican Republic to Puerto Rico. Six months on, and Puerto Rico still struggles to survive, half the island yet without electricity.

Then the planned killing and forced migration of the Rohingya people shocked the world. To date, 750,000 children, women, and men have crossed into impoverished Bangladesh. Your Zakat Foundation was there, our Dhaka office among the very first to receive the waves of exhausted survivors.

Special thanks to Senator Dick Durban for visiting the Zakat Foundation-sponsored Rohingya Culture Center (RCC) in Chicago, and for leading a delegation to Bangladesh and Burma to see the situation for himself. Once more, the Senator made Illinois proud of his leadership.

Good news. People are recognizing zakat’s promise as a source of global economic change. Many scholars, economists, and business leaders engaged with our work now see zakat’s great potential for uplifting the world’s fortunes. We are honored as Zakat Foundation to be at the forefront of mobilizing this fulfillment of the zakat obligation, bringing it back into the lives of many Muslims.

We invoke God’s grace, again and again, grateful. And we thank you, praying for your blessing on behalf of the world’s desperate and needy. Your unwavering support and faithfulness are humbling. Together, may we prove the kind of economic miracle the zakat wealth of Muslims can work in our world.

I thank you with all my heart. Peace and blessings,

Halil Demir
Executive Director
Our hearts break when we see the horrendous conditions refugees must endure; but our spirits are lifted by the crucial, effective work of the Zakat Foundation and its founder, Mr. Halil Demir, who I have come to know and admire. Clearly the efforts of the Zakat Foundation have made a very great difference in the lives of countless refugees and I’m honored to join them in asking God to bless everyone connected to the Foundation.

“Martin Sheen, Acclaimed American Actor”
After traveling to Gaziantep to witness the work of Zakat Foundation, I am very moved and impressed by how hard their staff work and the tangible, powerful impact on lives of refugees. There was such joy in the eyes of young people I met, because now they could continue their education and build their future — a notion that seemed impossible just months before coming to the ZF schools. And, I am in awe of how frugal Zakat Foundation is! No one knows how to squeeze a dollar better than they do! The work of Zakat transforms the lives of refugees from despair and isolation to hope and direction.

**Rev. C.J. Hawking**
Executive Director of Arise Chicago
A YEAR OF TRAGEDY & GROWING RESPONSE

MILLIONS The poor and needy in Bangladesh and India – widows, orphans, and refugees in Syria, Iraq, and Afghanistan; those giving their all to deliver mental healthcare in urban America; the enslaved, besieged, and captive of Gaza and Mauritania; the debt-ridden of Pakistan and Ghana; those striving to save exploited girls in Kenya, and heal in Mali; climate and weather wayfarers in Houston and Puerto Rico; the starving, sick, wounded, displaced, and ravaged by drought and war in Yemen – you strove to uplift, feed, shelter, enrich, educate and comfort them all. You braved the tides of toxic politics at home. You gave millions against catastrophe abroad. You fed millions of needy fasters in Ramadan. You gave meat from your udhiya sacrifice to millions of poor in Somalia and Cambodia, the Middle East and Asia. You stood strong against the Rohingya genocide. You poured a cascade of charity to dig wells in Asia and relieve the evaporation of wealth in the Horn of Africa. You grew your Zakat Foundation. You rescued millions. May God bless you – your health, wealth, families and loved ones – now and ever after.
Americans struck by hurricane flooding and devastation in Houston and Puerto Rico welcomed relief from America’s Muslims, prepared and delivered with compassionate hands by Zakat Foundation staff and volunteers.

Houston
Dubbed the “Caravan of Love,” Zakat Foundation staff and supporters journeyed to Houston after Hurricane Harvey. They distributed truckloads of your aid from mosques – hygiene kits, food, baby formula, cleaning supplies and necessities. The mission stood out. Media like USA Today highlighted Zakat Foundation as a key charity to donate through.

Puerto Rico
Zakat Foundation officers coordinated massive relief efforts before Hurricane Irma, in early September. When Maria hit, volunteers poured in to Zakat Foundation HQ from Muslim and Latino communities across Chicago.
Your Contributions
Zakat Foundation overcame muddled bureaucracy, flew in three major ferry shipments of relief, two field missions, and a medical group. You directly helped 13 communities in 7 regions in Puerto Rico. Here’s how:

- 2,000 Patients Served
- San Juan Pediatric Hospital Resupplied
- 400 Hygiene Kits to Families
- 200 First Aid Kits to Families
- 400 Treated via Mobile Wellness Clinic
- 1,872 Liters of Water to the Isolated
- 1,000 Families Given Food & Essentials
- 425 Families Granted $100 Debit Cards to Purchase Necessities

“We were left with nothing after the storm. I cry every day. It is very bad here, very bad. Now with Zakat Foundation’s help, I can start over. I am very grateful to the donors. You are angels!”

Mariam Melcado Cruz, Puerto Rico
EMERGENCY RELIEF

FAMINE, FLOODS, EARTHQUAKE


EAST AFRICA – No gift of food and water was timelier than the metric tons of rice, drinking water, and other sustaining foods you gave to save the lives of the drought-stricken and famished of Kenya, Somalia, and Ethiopia.
Yemen

Man and climate combined to strike more than 17 million Yemenis with hunger, threatening starvation. Zakat Foundation of America stocked and distributed 600 food bushels with your donations, enough to feed 3,000 families. But we did not stop there. Looking to ensure future food-security, with our partner Mercy Corps, you helped 1,305 local sesame farmers increase yields by 25 percent, raising cooking oil production to benefit Yemen’s hungry victims and their economy.

Iraq

On November 13, the deadliest earthquake of 2017, 7.3MMS, killed more than 530 in the Iran-Iraq border area. Zakat Foundation rushed new winter clothing you gave to warm 5,000 people.

Sri Lanka & Nepal

In May and August, flooding and landslides struck millions in Sri Lanka and Nepal. Zakat Foundation sped your aid of rice, local staples, clothing, sanitary and healthcare items, utensils, tools, and school supplies to 575 families.

Horn of Africa

For the third year, scant rains fell on Somalia, Kenya, and Ethiopia. Again, you hastened in good-doing with food and precious water for cattle farmers and their animals, especially of minority clans.

Nor shall you spread corruption in the earth, after it has been set aright. So call upon Him, in fear and hope. Indeed, the mercy of God is near to those who excel in doing good.

— The quran, 7:56 —
Exhausted, wounded, starving, and deeply traumatized Rohingya refugees – fleeing mass slaughter in Burma – received food, clothing, and lifesaving care from Zakat Foundation healthcare providers and relief workers.
Epic Need
Some 700,000 Rohingya Muslims, fleeing the most savage persecution of our time, flooded Bangladesh from their incinerated homes in Myanmar in the last four months of 2017.

From day one, your Zakat Foundation workers were there – with food, clothing, blankets, medicine, and loving care.

Years of Helping Rohingya
Your gifts have long enabled our helpers to serve earlier Rohingya refugees. So we quickly planned with Bangladesh’s government officials.

We trekked to remote border areas to find Rohingya refugees getting no aid. We set up a free medical health camp with five doctors and other caregivers.

With your generosity, we treated 4,500 patients – nearly two every hour for four months. Most are women and children, ill and injured from their long jungle escape.

Feeding Families
Your support helped us keep 1,000 refugee families nourished with rice, flour, oil, potatoes, lentils and salt.

SHE PRAYS FOR YOU…

Muslima, pictured below, is a Rohingya woman. Born blind. Her husband prized her. They had two sons. Then he died, leaving Muslima a widow raising orphans. She fell penniless.

Then the Burmese attacked her village. She lost both her sons. She fled. Walking 600 miles. Blind. Through jungle. To India.

Muslima owned one cloth. She shivered in the dark. On the ground. Unseeing. Then one of you sent her a faux mink blanket. Thank you.

Her hands touched its softness. Tears spilled from blind eyes.

“God give you long life. You who sent me warmth.”

There is no veil between God and the prayer of the oppressed. And she prays for you.
India – No gift is more precious than food to the hungry, destitute, refugee in Ramadan, and you gave this to the ethnically cleansed and traumatized out of Burma. Look at the smiles and gratitude you put on the faces and in the hearts of these Rohingya women who have lost everything.
Ramadan Meals for the Fasting

7,670,296 Nothing builds love like feeding Ramadan’s fasting. Your gracious offerings enabled Zakat Foundation of America to provide iftar meals and food packages to 227,681 poor and hungry in 43 countries — for all of Ramadan. Glad tidings of the divine blessings that await you!

Food Where It’s Needed
The Zakat Foundation Ramadan Food Security Program feeds families who need it most: The poor, the war-weary, and those struck by disaster.

Our people and partners live and work among the hungry in 43 countries. They know the needy firsthand — their urgent nutritional needs, the foods they eat, what they can store. And they know how to get it directly to them.

Iftar Across the World
We use your designated Ramadan gifts to provide wholesome, halal nutrition to impoverished Muslims on four continents. It gives them strength to fulfill their worship and help others.

Your kind donations reached the malnourished and fasting in 11 countries in the Middle East, 14 in Africa, 10 in Asia and 8 in North and South America. No provision is more blessed than the food and drink we give to our hungry sister or brother.

—Prophet Muhammad peace be upon him—

Whoever gives iftar to a faster shall have its like in reward, not diminishing the reward of the faster in the slightest.

PALESTINE – This will probably be the first Ramadan that little Amira* remembers, and you are forever part of that with your gift of food security.

* Names are changed for confidentiality
CAMBODIA – The Udhiya, Hajj Sacrifices, you sent for the Cham Muslims of Cambodia gave them halal meat and the joy of wholesome nutrition and food sustenance.
HAJJ SACRIFICES
and BIRTH OFFERINGS

217,650 Through these *udhiya* sacrifices at Hajj time, and *aqeeqah* offerings for births, you enabled the Zakat Foundation to provide some 10 million pounds of meat to the food-insecure and poor in 43 countries.

Preventing Starvation
In a time of hunger, the Prophet Muhammad, on him be peace, commended his Companions to eat of and distribute all the meat from their Hajj sacrifices within just three days. In 2017, your *udhiya* sacrifices enabled the Zakat Foundation to feed nutritionally needy families in 14 Middle East countries, 14 in Africa, 10 in Asia and 5 in North and South America.

Some 20 million now face famine in Yemen, Somalia, Sudan, and Nigeria. A third of that number are in Yemen, including 370,000 suffering children. So last year, we added Yemen’s starving to those we distribute your *udhiya* and *aqeeqah* sacrifices to, along with the 1.7 million malnourished of Niger.

**SYRIA –** The Udhiya, Hajj Sacrifices, you generously marked for Syria’s refugees and internally displaced, the Zakat Foundation faithfully delivered, even to the littlest ones to improve their nutritional well-being and to give them a taste of Eid happiness.

Thus have we subjugated the sacrificial animals to feed you all, so that you may all give thanks to God.

— The Quran, 22:36 —
14,756 Disadvantaged, vulnerable girls and women received your help through Zakat Foundation of America in 2017. You gave them knowledge, skills and resources to feed, clothe, shelter and earn for themselves and their families — that God might make them the hands that lift up their neighbors and the hearts that bind their communities.

Ghana’s Cassava Cooperatives
Zakat Foundation organized two cooperatives for rural Ghanaian women, turning them into business owners and directly benefiting 124 families — more than 500 people — including widows, their elderly, and enabling their children to go to school.

The women of Jugboi and Bole process Cassava, a carbohydrate-rich root crop tolerant of seasonal drought, into garri (a meal like farina), and then into ma flour. It is the perfect staple for Ghana’s tropical climate, converting into an amazing array of sustaining foods, from bread to tapioca.

The women could process only three bags a day — until your generous assistance installed two grinding mills, one in each co-op. This increased their production to 50 bags a day, making the mills profitable.

Also in Ghana, the Zakat Foundation’s Sewing and Stitching Centers teach rural girls who are unable to go to school high-end machine sewing for income, a respected and gainful skill in the Bole and Kumasi communities.
GHANA – Your support has gifted these Ghanaian women with a cassava farm co-op to promote well-being, gender equality, and build sustainable, resilient infrastructure. The women plant, harvest, process and sell their cassava products in the market for earnings, which makes them self-sustained, empowered, and very happy.
Bangladesh Sewing & Vocations

The Zakat Foundation sewing center gave 53 impoverished Bangladeshi women a highly marketable skill in tailoring. In six months, they learned to make 20 different types of garments and were gifted with a sewing machine. We have opened a new center in Boubazar to expand enrollment.

Zakat Foundation Basic Computer Training for 1,000 unemployed Bangladeshi women and youth also launched in 2017. Opened in the extremely impoverished Barisal District, with your gifts we purchased 25 computers with an uninterruptable power supply, along with scanner, printer, projector equipment and furnishings.

BANGLADESH – You gave these Bangladeshi women tailoring skills to make more than 20 different types of garments and promote decent, productive employment – along with providing them these free sewing machines to start their own businesses, support themselves and their families, and create sustainable, inclusive economic growth.

Dominican Republic Start-Ups…

You launched the Women Entrepreneur Support Program in Santa Domingo to help women head-of-households’ business start-ups. Zakat Foundation partnered with two trade schools to give their graduates legal, business, and marketing support.

…And Domestic Workers

Zakat Foundation, with your gifts, provides twice-monthly training for domestic work in Villa Mella and Pantoja, with the Smile Foundation.

…And English Classes

Your aid let Zakat Foundation, with Smile Foundation, offer English Classes for Villa neighborhood girls in Santa Domingo.
Kenya’s Girls Empowerment
Zakat Foundation is a partnering sponsor of Heshima Kenya, a safehouse, outreach, education, and economic project for African girls and young women exposed and at risk of sexual violence.
Chosen to host UNHCR Ambassador Angelina Jolie on World Refugee Day, Heshima Kenya sponsored 150 women to educate communities on gender-based violence, 13 violence-prevention workshops that reached more than 12,000 refugees, taught vocations in its Life Skills program to 475 girls with children, hired a psychosocial counselor and enabled 54 refugee women to learn to make beautiful scarves and prepare for their own businesses, all with your Zakat Foundation support.

Jordan Vocational Center
In Irbid, Jordan, 397 mostly Syrian refugee women enrolled last year in 17 income-making specialties, ranging from soap production to English. The Center graduated 245 women in sewing, knitting, ICDL (computer skills certification), web design and handmade retail production. It also offers family counseling and public safety workshops.

Afghanistan Girls School
Your donations pay all tuition and fees for 60 girls in the Zakat Foundation’s Farda e Afghans School, and 21 female teachers and staff.
Livestock Husbandry Program

Started in 2014, the Zakat Foundation’s cattle project in Africa and Asia has had great results. It targets three household increases:

1. Smallholder farm family livelihoods
2. Family incomes
3. Nutritional value and food availability.

By these measures, it is a proven ongoing charity (sadaqah jariyah), duly celebrated by local dignitaries and media.

The Quran calls cattle, literally, “blessings,” “an’am.” These 1,100 families — once impoverished — know this meaning deeply. Their lives have transformed since you gave them a mating pair of goats. From one pair, they now have herds that provide a consistent source of dairy foods to enjoy and sell for profit. They can afford to send their children to school. Some families have saved up and started small businesses. Others bought or leased land to grow crops. Now these families sustain themselves.

Grateful for the blessing of your benevolence, farmers pay it forward, gifting animal offspring to kin and neighbors, extending the program’s benefits and supporting their communities.

A Year of Favor

In Ghana, Burkina Faso, and the Ivory Coast, gift animals nearly doubled their number in 2017. Some 20 cattle gave birth in Mali, with 9 more near delivery. Other program countries include Uganda, Kenya, Niger, Ethiopia, Bangladesh and India.

“I was just a refugee with nothing. But now I can buy my own food and pay fees for my own children. I am somebody today in society because of the Zakat Foundation, alhamdulillah.”

Salim Taraja, Kenya
“I received two mating goats from Zakat Foundation in 2014. Now I have five! I milk three containers-full every morning and two every evening. It is just a miracle for us. My children used to go to school on empty stomachs, but now I make them milk tea. I have never been so happy. I feel good and proud when I take my goats for grazing. The people in my village view me with respect, whereas two years ago I had not even a chicken! To the Zakat Foundation donors, may God bless you more and more! If it wasn’t for you, I could not be where I am.”

Rehema, Kenya.
REBUILDING LIVES

2,516 That is the number of refugees and displaced people you gave a home to and helped resettle, get jobs, and rebuild their lives. That includes Syrian refugees in Turkey, Palestinians in Gaza, and Rohingya Asylum Grantees and other refugees in America.

GAZA — Your heartfelt gifts helped at least 64 homeless families (at least 364 people) professionally repair and return to their homes, badly damaged in the relentless 2014 aerial bombing — like the Hijazi family, pictured here.

Rebuilding Gaza

In 2017, your funding let the Zakat Foundation partner with UNRWA to rebuild 64 family homes in Gaza. That put a roof over at least 364 people bombed out in 2014. The program completed 20 more homes for 114 people by January 31. That’s 147 homes since 2016. Gaza, we will rebuild you — one home at a time!

And whoever gives ease to one in difficulty, God shall give ease to him in this world and the hereafter.

— Prophet Muhammad peace be upon him —
New Home for the Rohingya

Some 1,500 Rohingya, ethnically cleansed from Myanmar, have resettled in Chicago.

With your donations, Zakat Foundation of America established the Rohingya Culture Center (RCC) in West Rodgers Park, Chicago. It instantly became the focal point of Rohingya community life.

In October, Sen. Dick Durbin came to see the “important work they are doing.”

The center’s programs — which include ESL, after-school tutoring, summer enrichment, family wellness, Quran, and religion classes — help the Rohingya community integrate into their new home country while offering a shared communal space for retaining their treasured traditions.

RCC also provides home finding, translation, and job-search assistance.

CHICAGO – It has been 2 years since you enabled the Zakat Foundation to establish the Rohingya Culture Center in West Rodgers Park for some 1,500 refugees ethnically cleansed from Myanmar. This year, you funded a dramatic increase in youth education, enrichment, and resettlement programs. As shown here, RCC has become a vital Rohingya community hub.
Muhammad Ali Safe House

Your compassionate charity for Syria’s refugees enabled Zakat Foundation to continue to house, feed, support, and teach 44 refugee families of widowed mothers and their 165 orphaned children in the Muhammad Ali Safe House in Gazientep, Turkey.

The Safe House building, partially purchased in 2015 with your donations and partially donated by its original owners, has 44 fully furnished apartments — couches, appliances, tables, closets, desks, full bathrooms and more.

Each refugee family has its own apartment, utilities paid, education and transportation provided, along with $50 monthly stipends for each child.

The Safe House offers vocational programming for the mothers, as well as Turkish language education to enable them to function in their new locality. Upon completion of the program, Zakat Foundation helps each mother find sustaining work, graduating families into self-support situations.

A ground-floor classroom provides for comprehensive education of young, Arabic-speaking children, including Turkish. Supervised playtime and educational toys and games are an important part of the healing experience you give them.
UPWARDLY GLOBAL PROJECT

In just 5 months of 2017, your gifts to Zakat Foundation for refugee resettlement enabled UpGlo (Upwardly Global Project) to train 443 asylees in America in English, furthering their professional skill sets and placing 229 in jobs. That means you allowed Zakat Foundation to help nearly double UpGlo’s 2017 goals!

With offices in New York, Maryland, Chicago, and San Francisco, this project prepares refugees with ESL training, interview-access, pre-interview coaching, and business communication. With your generosity, Zakat Foundation facilitated for UpGlo to settle enough refugee parents to bring stability to the lives of 50 children, more than double its 2017 goal of 20.

After three months of employment, a phenomenal 93 percent of refugees remain on the job and report high satisfaction with their work. Thank you.

SYRIAN REFUGEES

Your contributions provide a true safe haven for Syrian refugee orphans and mothers in the Muhammad Ali Safe House in Turkey. The newly constructed building is equipped with beautifully furnished apartments, classrooms, and children’s activity rooms. Mothers receive vocational training and help finding sustaining work.
Refugees, orphans, poor youth and children, east and west, have this in common: They know someone out there—you—believes in them. And by some miracle, a group called Zakat Foundation strung those prayer beads of belief together to deliver them a sacred thing ... the trust of education.

Nepal Orphanage School
Zakat Foundation built this school with your generous funding and underwrites its costs. It enrolls 55 students, both boys and girls with separate living and studying quarters. Students previously studied in the open air, with no other schooling option.

One who follows upon a path seeking knowledge, Allah shall ease for him a path unto Paradise.

— Prophet Muhammad peace be upon him —
Zahraa University

Located in Gaziantep, Turkey, and educating Syrian refugees in Arabic, Zahraa University is an unparalleled achievement among nonprofits helping Syrians whose higher education has been interrupted due to war. Restoring their ability to complete their studies and earn professional degrees is key to securing the future of the Syrian people. Your gifts have had outstanding results:

- 710 Employed Certified Graduates
- 560 Arabic Studies Enrollees
- 236 Graduates in 2017
- 230 College Prep Enrollees
- 13 Professors
- 19 Branch Teachers
- 14 Administrators

Zahraa University has six faculties: Economics, Computer Engineering, Education, English, Arabic, and Islamic Studies.

Syrian Refugee Schools

Zakat Foundation supports five schools for Syrians, with your donations. Three in Syria educate the internally displaced. Two in Turkey enroll refugee children and youth. Zakat Foundation covers their 115 teacher and administrator salaries, and provides school textbooks, materials, and uniforms for their 2,000 students.

Bangladesh

Pre-primary-aged children from severely impoverished families attend this two-year head-start program. Your gifts cover tuition, books, fees, and school materials.

In addition, Zakat Foundation continues to extend your support to Bangladesh Orphan Center School. The school’s high academic notoriety has spread, with seven of its students receiving the country’s “Golden Status” scores on national exams. Prestigious University of Dhaka admitted the school’s eldest pupil, out of 30,000 candidates, as one of only 1,250 selectees.

Pakistan – Solar for Schools

With your contributions, Zakat Foundation installed solar energy systems for two primary schools and one middle school. This directly led to increases of 60 percent and 40 percent more students in the primary schools. More than 1,430 students, teachers, and staff benefitted.
FOSTERING ORPHANS & VULNERABLE CHILDREN

75,488 Orphans and vulnerable children of war, disease, and disaster in 14 countries found love and kindness in your support of the Zakat Foundation’s growing Orphan Sponsorship Program and your big-hearted care for powerless children.

World Orphan Crisis
At 151 million (some say twice that), the global orphan population is exploding. Zakat Foundation is expanding its Orphan Sponsorship Program and care for the helpless with your generous support. In 2017, our orphan program doubled — a trend we plan to continue, with your help and God’s blessing.

Middle East
Your charitable gifts enabled Zakat Foundation to sponsor 879 orphans in Iraq, Jordan, Palestine, Syria, Syrian refugee orphans in Turkey, and thousands more exposed children.

Turkey (Syrian Refugees)
Your contributions sustain the Muhammad Ali Safe House in Gaziantep. It shelters 165 Syrian refugee orphans with their mothers. Zakat Foundation gives a $50 monthly stipend to each child, and covers utility, transportation, and all service costs. Our staff helps mothers find sustaining work. This graduates families from the Safe House.

Asia
In Bangladesh, India, Nepal, Pakistan and Sri Lanka, your compassionate donations provided nutrition, shelter, food and care for 359 orphans, and countless more children in need.

Sub-Saharan Africa
Blessed with your devotion to orphans in Ghana, Kenya, Mali, and Niger, Zakat Foundation fed, clothed, housed, schooled and tended to 304 orphans, and provided health care, food, shelter and schooling to hundreds more.

“I and the one who fosters the orphan shall be in Paradise like this,” and he raised his middle and index fingers together, slightly apart.

— Prophet Muhammad peace be upon him —
The Story of Two Orphan Girls…and You

Meet Halima and her daughters Zulea (left) and Zaina (front). Now hear the story of how your gracious support has transformed these orphans’ lives:

Orphaning Brings Indigence

Zulea and Zaina are two orphan girls living in deeply rural Changara, Kenya. Their father’s 2011 killing plunged their mother, Josephine, and their three siblings into bottomless poverty.

Financial pressures drove their once-contented mother to despair. Josephine took a desperate decision. She would illegally brew grain alcohol, locally known as chang’aa, a play on the word “milk” in their language. Then she would host underground drinking nights in her own home. Zulea and Zaina would witness drunken men wreaking havoc in their home, threatening them with abuse. The police regularly raided and confiscated their mother’s earnings.

The nightly horror in their home drove the young sisters to a neighbor girl, Madina, an orphan like them living with her devout mother, happy, but in abject poverty. Madina befriended Zulea and Zaina. Her mother welcomed the girls into her home.

Giving Brings Wealth

Madina and her mother, despite their own urgent need, shared meager food, scant belongings, warmth, love, and light with Zulea and Zaina. Madina took the girls to school with her. They loved it. They went every day for a month.

No schoolgirl’s family had enough food. But their hearts found a way. They arranged to bring Zulea and Zaina to their homes for lunch, each one in turn. They had little to eat themselves. They ate less.

Zulea and Zaina wanted to live right, wanted so with all their hearts. But Josephine’s situation remained dire. Her heart felt empty, confused. She had seen the loving-kindness her impoverished, widowed neighbor had shown her daughters. She had seen the new light of hope flickering back at her from her daughters’ eyes.

Josephine went to her neighbor. Help me. Console my heart. Madina’s mother reassured her, with empathy, with truth.
**A Start**
The schoolteacher applied for the sisters to Zakat Foundation’s Orphan Sponsorship Program. Approved. Your aid made this possible. But the story of your loving help does not stop there. No. This was a beginning.

Zakat Foundation local directors made sure to include Zulea and Zaina in every program, including their sports days. They insisted on including their mother, too. No judgment. Josephine watched Zulea and Zaina laugh from their hearts at play with the schoolgirls. She witnessed their joy, their release.

The other mothers insisted on bringing Josephine herself in to their play and fun competitions. Guess who won the women’s sprint!

**Kindness of Strangers**
The program ended with an awards assembly. Zulea and Zaina won awards, to the thrill of their friends.

Then Zakat Foundation’s local coordinators surprised Josephine beyond her dreams. They called her name before the crowd, thanked her for supporting her daughters’ desire for education and a virtuous life, and placed a large cash stipend from you for her family in Josephine’s hand. She was stunned speechless.

Josephine welcomed the coordinators in her arms and for five minutes wept uncontrollably. Who are these strangers near, these strangers far, who care?

**Rejoice!**
Josephine would not accept a ride home that day. She wanted to sing, to sing out with her daughters, to rejoice in the praises of God.

For their two-and-half-mile walk home, Josephine sang her heart out with her daughters, laughing arms about them both. Zulea and Zaina could scarcely be happier.

But they became happier still.

Josephine entered her home. There was the distillery. There was the drinking ware. Then she destroyed it, destroyed it all.

That day, Josephine became Halima (the forbearing one). She used your Orphan stipend to buy clothes and shoes for Zulea, Zaina, and her other children. To keep them in school. To feed them nutritious, wholesome food.

The magic of your donations did not end there. No. Zakat Foundation workers enrolled Halima in the Livestock Husbandry Program you fund. Your compassionate donations gave Halima two mating goats.

**Coming at You**
Blessings flowed. The goats bore two sets of twins in one year. Some, Halima sold, buying a dairy cow with the return. Now she sells real milk, not chang’aa grain alcohol. Halima’s neighbors esteem her, uphold her as an example...as she expands her herds, stores up food for the year, and earns a clean, consistent income.

Here is what Halima, the mother of Zulea and Zaina, says to you:

“I have no words to express my gratitude and feelings. Where this program has pulled me from, it is only Allah who knows. It is unbelievable! It is like a dream, a big dream. The program has put food on our table. The program has covered our nakedness. The program has boosted our self-esteem. The program has shielded us from immorality and social evils. Above all, the program has put a smile on my face and that of my kids. Thank you Zakat Foundation donors. Thank you.”
Free Healthcare Abroad…

60,304 Bodies, minds, and souls received top-quality medical care and counseling through your gifts to innovative Zakat Foundation health initiatives in Asia, Africa, and the U.S.

And whoever saves a life, it shall be as though he has saved the life of all humankind.

—The Quran, 4:75—
Turkey’s Syrian Refugees
Zakat Foundation’s Sigharuna-Kibaruna (Our Little Ones, Our Venerable ones) free clinic in Turkey’s Hatay province continued its specialized care for 576 mentally and physically challenged Syrian refugee children. Many have hearing, speech, eye, and brain trauma from the war. Its 12 doctors and specialized staff, all funded by you through the Zakat Foundation, treated 350 new patients.

Sudan
Zakat Foundation launched a new care program for mothers at the Sudan Obstetrics hospital. With the aim of reducing infant mortality, it gave 47 women free pre- and post-natal care and birthing services in 2017.

Bangladesh
In the Dhaka Hazaribagh Slum, the Zakat Foundation’s Mother & Child Health Center marked its ninth year of free care and health education in its twice-weekly clinic.

Chicago’s South Side
Your generosity helped the Zakat Foundation sponsor the Oral Health Center project of the widely acclaimed Inner-City Muslim Action Network (IMAN). From ages 6 to 81, 202 low-income and uninsured men, women and children from the South and Southwest sides received high-quality dental care.

Bay Area & Midwest
No need received more attention this year in America than its mushrooming mental health crisis.

With your benevolent support, Zakat Foundation’s Khalil Center treated and counseled 12,964 people. It also launched a WebTherapy program, offering internet-based mental health services to 46 clients. In 2017, Khalil Center opened its sixth clinic, its third in the San Francisco Bay area. It has three others in Chicago and its suburbs.

The project treats Muslims and others, specifically providing interventional care and family counseling to those who might not seek treatment due to cost barriers, and to others seeking spiritually based care.

The Khalil Center also advanced plans to open clinics in New Jersey and New York.

Domestic Violence
With your aid, Zakat Foundation supports the South Suburban Family Shelter in greater Chicago. It offers domestic violence counseling, legal help, emergency shelter and medical advocacy. It screened 3,862 women, identifying 589 as victims last year.
CHARITY, EVER-FLOWING

50,700 People in 14 countries are sending continuous blessings into the divine balances of your late loved ones. On their behalf, you installed water sources for thirsting communities in Asia and Africa. And you built mosques for God’s worship and their benefit hereafter.

**Wells and Hand Pumps**

Zakat Foundation givers sponsored the digging of 46 wells in Burkina Faso, Cambodia, Ghana, India, Kenya, Mali, Niger, and Somalia. They installed 44 hand pumps in Bangladesh, Cambodia, India and Pakistan.

**Mosque Construction**

**PHILIPPINES** — Zakat Foundation sponsors constructed a new, larger replacement for the Tandu Patong mosque of Sulu province. In October 2015, fire incinerated the mosque and 520 homes in its village.

Now, its 3,600 residents have a central place to pray, school their children, conduct community affairs, and plan the rebuilding of their homes.

**ETHIOPIA** — In the impoverished rural Somali Region, new mosque construction began for 1,200 worshipers. Unrest has delayed its completion.

**GHANA** — Your benevolent gifts also built the Wazir Hussein and Saif Hussein Mosques for 900 worshipers in two communities in Ghana.

**GHANA** — Your perpetual charity for your loved ones completed three mosques in 2017, like Masjid Wazir Hussein in Ghana, benefiting more than 400 worshipers, and another under construction in Ethiopia.

When a person dies, his deeds end for him, except for three kinds: charity that continues to flow, or knowledge imparted that benefits others, or a righteous child that entreats God.

— Prophet Muhammad peace be upon him —
You kept the good deeds flowing to loved ones after their death by installing 44 hand pumps on their behalf in India, Africa, and Southeast Asia, and by digging 46 water wells as a perpetual charity for them — like this one in Yellandu, India, freely serving up to 35,000 people.
Volunteer hours have been dedicated by good-doers of all ages, all around the United States, bringing comfort and relief to those in need. 3,185 Americans — mostly youth — hosted a total of 120 events, collectively raising $188,400 for healing humanity’s hungry, impoverished, traumatized and displaced. They desired neither reward for their efforts nor thankfulness, purely seeking the Face of God.
TOP LEFT: VOLUNTEERS PACK HYGIENE KITS FOR HURRICANE HARVEY VICTIMS
CENTER, RIGHT: VOLUNTEERS WRAP 1,000 EID GIFTS FOR ROHINGYA REFUGEES
CENTER, LEFT: VOLUNTEERS PREPARE 850 BACK-TO-SCHOOL KITS FOR CHICAGO’S LOW-INCOME YOUTH
BOTTOM: 1,000 EMERGENCY FOOD PACKAGES FOR PUERTO RICO HURRICANE VICTIMS
COLLECTIVELY, ZF VOLUNTEERS...

CONSTRUCTED 18 WATER WELLS
REBUILT 15 HOMES FOR DISPLACED GAZANS
EDUCATED 252 SYRIAN REFUGEE CHILDREN
SPONSORED 139 ORPHANS
A TOTAL OF 21,417 BENEFICIARIES!

GetInvolved@zakat.org
Partnerships extend an organization’s reach, exponentially multiply its impact, and promote trust in its mission and name. Zakat Foundation of America has forged 84 partnerships with the most reputable relief agencies in 39 countries on four continents and the Middle East. This includes 31 organizations in the United States and its territories.

**OUR PARTNERS**

**PARTNERSHIPS MAKE THE HUMANITARIAN WORLD GO ROUND**

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ANERA  
Arise Chicago  
Chicago Youth Centers  
Constitutional Law Center for Muslims in America  
Council of Islamic Organizations of Greater Chicago  
Council on American Islamic Relations  
Family Promise of Delaware  
Feed the Children  
First Defense Legal Aid  
Heshima Kenya  
Inner-City Muslim Action Network  
InterAction  
International Organization for Migration  
Islamic Relief  
Jewish Voice for Peace  
Mercy Corps  
Palestine Childrens Relief Fund  
Rainbow PUSH Coalition  
Ronald McDonald House  
South Suburban Family Shelter  
UNICEF  
UNHCR  
UNRWA  
Upwardly Global

*Leaders from the largest NGO alliance in the U.S., InterAction, enjoy lunch with Zakat Foundation staff during their visit to ZF’s refugee programs in Gaziantep, Turkey. Sam Worthington (right, second front) is CEO of InterAction and leads U.S. NGOs’ engagement at the highest levels with the UN, governments, and civil society groups around the world. With more than 220 members and partners, InterAction brings together the country’s leading charities — including the U.S. Fund for UNICEF, American Red Cross, Relief International, World Vision and Save the Children. Zakat Foundation is a proud member of InterAction.*
In 2017, protracted conflict drove global humanitarian needs to levels not breached since World War II. Food insecurity increased in the world for the first time in more than a decade. The displacement of people continued to rise. Secondary protection crises spiked at hospitals, schools, and playgrounds. For example, more than 30 million people in Yemen, Somalia, South Sudan, and northeastern Nigeria are food insecure, with a staggering two-thirds at immediate risk of famine, according to Reliefweb.

People have a voice, but the muffled cries of the world’s poor, displaced, and starving — wracked by war and disaster — desperately need amplifying. Zakat Foundation of America’s advocacy for the downtrodden has two main focuses: Strategic policy reform, and collaboration with governmental and non-governmental organizations to alleviate systemic issues of burgeoning refugee and orphan crises, women’s and girls’ vulnerability, water and food shortages, unsanitary conditions and energy deprivation, inadequate safety for the weak and impoverished, broad access to well-funded healthcare and education, and amelioration of economic and social hardships at home and abroad.

In this light, Zakat Foundation recognizes the surging necessity for all humanitarian agencies to rapidly grow their charitable funding and streamline operations, while at the same time improving, elevating, and quickening their ability to deliver targeted relief to remote regions of the earth to the neglected suffering. This conundrum has become infinitely more complex for Muslim humanitarian organizations with devastation increasingly affecting Muslim peoples across the planet, and a pall of suspicion descending on their institutions. This concomitantly raises the responsibilities and risks Muslim philanthropy.

Zakat Foundation’s relationships with local, state, and federal governments have always formed an integral part of administering effective programs. Our representatives regularly meet with our community leaders. Our officers attend regular meetings with USAID, the Department of State, the Department of Homeland Security, the Department of Treasury, the Government Accountability Office, and the International Affairs and Trade agency. We keep contact with our home Senators Dick Durbin (D-IL) and Tammy Duckworth (D-IL), with legislative staff from Republican and Democratic offices, and their counterparts at the United States Senate Committee on Appropriations.

The National Prayer Breakfast recently invited the participation of Zakat Foundation’s CEO. We helped fund InterAction’s “Together Project,” as well as the Charity and Security Network’s financial access research to make humanitarian organizations aware of the unique difficulties Muslim-run, U.S.-based charities endure.

In 2017, Zakat Foundation international policy work brought attention to Iraq’s earthquake victims, Yemen’s famine, the Rohingya community’s ethnic cleansing from Myanmar, and the slide into hunger and climate displacement of the drought-stricken in the Horn of Africa. At this writing, the United States has interrupted its crucial and substantial funding of UNRWA for work in Palestine and decreased its overall humanitarian and disaster aid. This shifts an incredible weight onto organizations like Zakat Foundation. Along with that pressure comes an inevitable responsibility to publicly magnify the ever-feeble voices of the ignored and forgotten suffering.

Domestically (while serving Hurricane Harvey’s Houston victims, Maria’s Puerto Rican devastated, and a host of other programs for inner-city children, the homeless, and mental health treatment), Zakat Foundation officials have been compelled by this organization’s increasing and unusual operating difficulties to comment on domestic policy issues like the Foreign Agent Registration Act and the Bank Secrecy Act. Bank accounts were closed suddenly without explanation in the midst of crucial relief work. Overseas transfers to humanitarian organizations were rejected without rationale. Staff endured intimidating questioning and burdensome delays when traveling, or in their home-country offices.

Zakat Foundation is a publicly recognized and industry-lauded charity. Its executive director is esteemed by his peers, sought after for his knowledge and counsel within the humanitarian community, and awarded by his colleagues and fellows in relief work for his lifetime of groundbreaking achievements.

There is no question that the Zakat Foundation will continue to build relationships with government officials and adapt to ongoing scrutiny. Yet its leadership, staff, volunteers — and most especially its supporters — remain steadfastly committed to the mission of alleviating the poor’s most urgent needs wherever the call for humanitarian help goes up. The Zakat Foundation charitable community likewise continues its devotion to establishing long-term development projects that ensure equitable economic growth, robust health, and access to literacy, vocational training, and the basic human right of education and fair earning.
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Humanitarian professionals know well that our global charity net has dangerously frayed, especially in the last several years — and there are no signs that world leaders will bring to it an essentially needed expansion and mending. **Zakat Foundation officers therefore call upon all people to support local and national charities and ask of Muslims in particular to give generously to the needs of their fellows in humanity, whatever their creed, race, gender, nationality, or condition of statelessness and wherever human palms thrust up to the heavens in hope of a hand up.**

**NEW YORK** – Zakat Foundation of America was a main sponsor of the Ramadan Iftar dinner hosted by New York City Mayor Bill de Blasio and First Lady Chirlane McCray at the historic Gracie Mansion in Manhattan.

**WASHINGTON, D.C.** – Zakat Foundation Director Halil Demir with General Counsel Lara Kalwinski, Esq. routinely hold meetings with civic leaders at Capitol Hill to amplify the voice of Muslim philanthropy.
Halil Demir Selected for “Faith in Humanity Award”

Halil Demir, Executive Director of Zakat Foundation, received the 2017 South West Interfaith Team (SWIFT) “Faith in Humanity Award.”

“I think with this was a spectacular selection,” said Rob McManamy, SWIFT board member from St. John’s Episcopal Church of Flossmoor. “Especially at this time when some folks are turning away from the Golden Rule and each other, it was a wonderful reminder of the good in humanity and all of us.”

SWIFT honors through its Faith in Humanity Award someone in the communities of greater Chicago who demonstrates either one of two ideals: Building bridges between faith groups and promoting tolerance and understanding of the various faiths; or performing an extraordinary act, such as saving a life or helping a large number of people anywhere in the world.

“The Chicago community is blessed in our midst to have such a person who is compassionate, selfless, and a man of peace — a humanitarian in every sense — and brave, too!” said Khalid Mozaffar, one of two co-founders of SWIFT in 2004.

ZF Executive Director Honored with Human Rights Champion Award

The Abolition Institute, one of America’s leading anti-slavery organizations, honored Zakat Foundation Executive Director Halil Demir with its highest award for “carrying on Abraham Lincoln’s legacy by fighting modern-day slavery.” This was the Abolition Institute’s 5th Annual Aichana Abeid Boilil Awards, which took place at the DuSable Museum of African American History in Chicago and commemorates Abraham Lincoln’s birthday by honoring those who fight to end institutionalized slavery and human trafficking.
President George H.W. Bush personally thanked Zakat Foundation for its work in serving the people of Houston after Hurricane Harvey. The former president invited the foundation’s director, Halil Demir, to his office in Houston to express his gratitude for the organization’s leadership and efforts in response to the catastrophic Category 4 storm. "Zakat Foundation did amazing work. Thank you," said President Bush.

Zakat Foundation sent an urgent “Caravan of Love” from Chicago to Houston and distributed truckloads of aid including hygiene kits, food, baby formula, cleaning supplies, and other necessities. USA Today highlighted Zakat Foundation’s rescue efforts in Houston, distinguishing it as a key charity to donate through.
Zakat Foundation of America Honored as 2017 Top-Rated Nonprofit Organization

We are honored to be named a Top-Rated Nonprofit based on your positive online reviews at [GreatNonprofits.org](http://GreatNonprofits.org), and we are proud of our accomplishments this year, thanks to your support.

Zakat Foundation Recognized As a 4-Star Charity

“Zakat Foundation of America outperforms most other charities in America...”

--- Michael Thatcher, President and CEO Charity Navigator

“On behalf of Charity Navigator, I wish to congratulate the Zakat Foundation of America on achieving our coveted 4-star rating for sound fiscal management and commitment to accountability and transparency. Receiving four out of a possible four stars indicates that your organization adheres to good governance and other best practices that minimize the chance of unethical activities and consistently executes its mission in a fiscally responsible way. Approximately a quarter of the charities we evaluate have received our highest rating, indicating that Zakat Foundation of America outperforms most other charities in America. This “exceptional” designation from Charity Navigator differentiates Zakat Foundation from its peers and demonstrates to the public it is worthy of their trust.”

Michael Thatcher
President and CEO Charity Navigator
SPECIAL TRIBUTE TO HUMANITARIAN & PERMACULTURE PIONEER:

Ali Ahmad Sharif

On August 27, 2017, I received a phone call from my friend Omar in Johannesburg, South Africa. Omar told me that Ali had died waiting for a heart transplant in a Johannesburg hospital. I could not believe that Ali Ahmad Sharif had died so suddenly.

People talk about heroes. I promise, whatever a hero is, Ali Sharif certainly was one. A heroic pioneer in merging permaculture with humanitarian work.

Ali had a brilliant mind, and was one of the most creative people I had ever met. When his eyes would see a desert, his mind would plan how to transform it into a heavenly garden.

Ali was born in Iran and educated in London. He was a senior student of permaculture founder Bill Mollison of Australia. He completed his permaculture studies in 1981 and was ready to dedicate his life to the practice. He went to Latin America, where he spent more than 20 years of his life developing permaculture sites throughout the Amazon. He established Permacultura America Latina, where he trained thousands of students to be expert permaculturists. His institute became a model for producing experts and was one of the first organizations to bring the concept of permaculture to the U.S. Today, no doubt, every Latin American country has permaculture projects run by Ali’s students.

Ali had visited me at the Zakat Foundation office in Chicago. I prepared a Turkish breakfast for him. He would never forget that breakfast. He would often call me and jokingly say, “Agha Halil [Persian: Dear mister], I’m coming for Turkish breakfast again.”

I recall when he told me of his desire to move to Africa. I asked him why, and he said, “Well I’m tired of living in the air and water; always on planes and boats in the Amazon. I would like to finally live grounded, on the earth!” He smiled, and then on a more serious note, he explained, “Africa has resources. Africa does not need to experience famine, poverty and hunger. By introducing permaculture, we can change the destiny of Africa. At least, we can create food security.”

He asked me if Zakat Foundation would support such an effort. I told him his vision was perfectly in line with ZF’s, and we would certainly support his project.

With this goal in mind, he made his way to Mozambique and spent the next six years developing sustainable permaculture sites in areas suffering severe malnutrition, HIV, and oppressive poverty. He established Instituto Permaculture Mozambique (IPERMO), of which ZF was a proud sponsor.

Ali was one of the kindest, most selfless people I know; he helped the world become a better place for thousands of people. He left us on a hot August day. Both the worlds of philanthropy and permaculture have lost one of their most valuable and dedicated friends. It will be very difficult to replace Ali, but we can try to make his dream come true. We can continue to work toward his goals to make the world a better place.

May Allah, Lord of the heavens and earth, shower Ali with mercy and forgive his shortcomings. Indeed, we will miss him! Rest in peace my friend, my brother Ali.

Halil Demir
Executive Director
ZAKAT FOUNDATION IN THE NEWS
INDEPENDENT AUDITORS’ REPORT

To the Board of Directors
The Zakat Foundation of America

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of The Zakat Foundation of America (an Illinois not-for-profit corporation), which comprise the statements of financial position as of June 30, 2017 and 2016, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management’s Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditors’ Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors’ judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity’s preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity’s internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of The Zakat Foundation of America as of June 30, 2017 and 2016, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the years then ended, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Darien, Illinois
February 5, 2018
THE ZAKAT FOUNDATION OF AMERICA
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2017

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ANNUAL REPORT 2017

FINANCIAL EFFICIENCY

PROGRAMS & SERVICES
89.7%

FUNDRAISING
3.7%

ADMINISTRATIVE
6.6%

FUNDRAISING
ADMINISTRATIVE
PROGRAM & SERVICES
ZAINA is on her way to A HOPEFUL FUTURE because of you

SPONSOR AN ORPHAN TODAY

Read Zaina’s full story on page 32