

LOVE 146

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EMPOWERING MOVEMENT
Asia Projects





THESE PROJECTS ARE ABOUT

Empowering Movement THROUGH STRATEGIC SUPPORT

Directed by Dr. Glenn Miles, our work in Asia is expanding the abolitionist movement into key areas of need that will end the trafficking of children. For decades, Dr. Miles has been in Asia identifying, supporting and walking alongside rock stars in the grassroots movement to protect children. Because Dr. Miles is connected globally and academically, yet lives and works in Cambodia, he is well-positioned to identify both gaps in the Abolitionist movement, and those who are stepping into these gaps.

As Love146 identifies fieldwork or research that is stepping into gaps, we initiate to kick start or strengthen these efforts, offering leaders strategic support through:

LEADERSHIP
MENTORING



STAFF
TRAINING



ACADEMIC
INPUT



BOARD
PARTICIPATION



FIELD
EVALUATION



FINANCIAL
INVESTMENT



Not every organization receives all forms of support. This work is about stepping into the gaps and doing what is needed. We customize our support of each organization in such a way that financial investment is the most effective for impact and stability.

Because working on the fringes of a movement is often lonely, Love146 is proactive in interconnecting those working in gap areas. Not only does this networking lead to shared knowledge and best practices, but builds relationships, which are crucial to sustainability.

Work with a Mission

Our mission is to end child trafficking and exploitation. Love146 is not a faith-based organization. However, many of us at Love146 are people of faith and we embrace faith-based programmatic responses that are often effective in combating child trafficking and exploitation. We are grateful for the many churches and people of faith who make our work possible. We know some of our supporters are interested in supporting and funding our Christian faith-based solutions as an expression of their personal faith or organization's values.

This program catalog uses the following three icons to help churches and people of faith connect with Love146 program work consistent with their unique values and missions:



FAITH BASED

While Love146 is not a faith-based organization, we often work with partners who are. These partners are selected solely on the basis of the effectiveness of their work. Often, our longest standing, most effective partners are faith-based.



GOSPEL DEMONSTRATION

Love146 program work inspired by Christian gospel themes of creation, fall, redemption and reconciliation and demonstrated through works of justice, mercy, charity and love.



GOSPEL PROCLAMATION

Love146 program work that allows for the Christian gospel to be taught and explained in addition to demonstrated.

Note: No Love146 Program is manipulative or coercive in nature. We do not proselytize. Where gospel demonstration and proclamation are active and present in our work, we respect that the spiritual transformation of the human heart is not the work of man.





\$16,000

A dormitory that bridges the gap



Limited education, unemployment and poverty are some of the key factors contributing to trafficking in Cambodia. Dropping out of school puts teens in Cambodia at a higher risk of being trafficked. Some youth in rural communities must travel long distances to continue their education, which also makes them more vulnerable. Combined, these factors leave a major gap in child protection.

Love146 and partner organization, Kone Kmeng, stepped up with a creative solution -- provide a dormitory near the high school at the provincial level and near the University at the capital city level, and allow children from rural communities to safely live there. The dormitory project provides safe housing to support young people from remote communities in their pursuit of high school and university education so that they can have a better future.

In the Bantey Meanchey province, a pastor and his wife lead the dormitory, turning this community into a family.

Let's bridge the gap for these empowered graduates and give them a future where they are safe from trafficking.

SUPPORTING PARTNER
Kone Kmeng





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Moving Men Towards Integrity



In Cambodia, many young men believe that purchasing sex is an acceptable way to relieve sexual tension before (or even during) marriage. As more and more men take up this way of thinking about sex, demand grows. As demand grows, so does the potential for children to be coerced and manipulated into trafficking and sexual exploitation.

Boroh La-or Pit is working with Cambodian churches to encourage men to be better fathers and husbands. They are educating men about the risks surrounding purchasing sex and empowering them towards integrity in their work and family lives. Borah Laor Pit is developing radio slots and other communication materials aimed at men.

Help us reach out to young men and challenge their beliefs about sex -- a battle that is absolutely crucial in protecting and defending children.

SUPPORTING PARTNER
Boroh La-or Pit



Boroh La-or Pit
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Pioneering Abolition Work with Exploited Boys



Boys are trafficked and sexually exploited -- a fact that is typically disregarded. Not only are the boys themselves generally ignored, the organizations and individuals who do work to help exploited boys are often isolated and under supported. Love146 has made addressing the exploitation of boys a key objective, and we often do this by partnering with those pioneering this work. Urban Light is one amazing organization doing just this.

Working in Thailand, Urban Light provides shelter, health services, employment and education to sexually exploited boys in an environment where aftercare workers will counsel to promote values of compassion, patience, love and honesty. As we work to grow the community amongst organizations working with boys, Love146 is funding and advising Urban Light as they provide holistic care. We are also working with Urban Light to assess the vulnerabilities of these young men through research.

Help us change the story for overlooked boys.

SUPPORTING PARTNER
Urban Light

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Empowerment Through Employment



Young men and boys are often overlooked when attempting to solve the problem of child trafficking. In Cambodia, young men are at risk of being coerced into a life of sexual exploitation and prostitution.

Hard Places Community is helping creating a space for them to develop sustainable livelihoods as an alternative to their previous life of exploitation. As Love146 provides funds and advises their team, the staff of Hard Places Community provides a place of professionalism, dignity, and welcome to these young men who have been so exploited. As they recover from experiences of trauma and childhood abuse, they learn skills in providing tourist guide services in Cambodia.

Help us provide these young men with job skills as they recover dignity and wholeness.

SUPPORTING PARTNER
Hard Places Community



The Hard Places Community.



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Improvement Through Research



There are countless women and men in Asia working with children who have been trafficked or exploited. But there is little research being done on the efforts of reintegrating these children back into their families or local communities. What's working? What's not working? How can we improve? These questions aren't being answered.

However, there's a team of researchers and social workers in Cambodia currently in their third of a ten-year project to analyze the effectiveness of reintegration programs within shelters and safe homes all over the region.

Help us sustain the efforts of these researchers. Help us greatly improve the quality of reintegration through research.

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Butterfly Longitudinal Research Project





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Reaching Out to Boys



In Thailand, few people are reaching out to transgender boys, leaving them vulnerable to isolation and exploitation. Often, their only community consists of fellow transgender boys and for many, this increases their vulnerability and risk of sexual exploitation.

Dton Naam, a new organization based out of Bangkok, is desiring to reach out to transgender currently being sexually exploited and provide them with renewed hope -- helping them walk with confidence towards alternative employment.

Help us mentor and equip Dton Naam's leaders as they reach out to transgender with vocational training.

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Dton Naam

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ministries

Thank You

Since starting our work in 2002, our impact and our influence have grown beyond what the founders of Love146 could have ever imagined. We could not have come this far without our eclectic mix of passionate supporters, including people of faith and local churches that believed in our people, our work, and who funded our programs.



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