

Vasudhaiva kutumbakam -- The Rig Veda

'The whole earth is a family'



The Asian Tsunami of 2004 has taken over 150,000 lives, injured and made homeless millions of people, including children, in a dozen countries, and threatens to cause even more damage in the days to come. This has been described as the biggest catastrophe in a century and one that calls for billions in reconstruction aid for decades. People from all walks of life are reaching out. How can we not help? AIA calls upon you to donate generously to rebuild the lives of the affected people. Working through trusted local NGOs, AIA will use 100% of your precious donation, without any administrative cost, to meet the long-term needs of victims, such as restoring the means of livelihood of survivors, building schools, hospitals, orphanages, and other specific projects that will make a lasting difference and help the local economy in the process. As Kautilya said, *yah paraartham upasarpati satpurushah* "A noble person is one who strives for the good of others."



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