

Share a lasting Christmas Gift

Peace. Joy. Love.

Imagine if you could give a gift at Christmas which will be appreciated long after the end of the holiday season...

Imagine living in a tiny, leaky one room house. Crammed in are the rest of your family, their bedding, clothes, cooking pots and washing bowls — no sanitation or taps. Now imagine the frustration of a young person trying to study with all the distractions of noise, busyness, poor light, and lack of resources. For some young people that means working by lamp light or out under a street at night, once the noisy, crowded slum community around starts to quieten slightly.

Then imagine you are given a way out of this cycle of poverty. Asha ambassadors and staff are willing to encourage and enable you to develop your God-given gifts by mentoring, coaching and resourcing your study. They show you this is the best way to access training, life skills, internships and better employment.

Asha dreams of creating quiet study spaces within each Asha Community Centre, where young people can focus, free from distractions, with access to a desk, books and extra teaching from the Asha graduates who volunteer as ambassadors to support other young people in their communities as they study for National exams.



Maybe this Christmas, when writing your present list, you could add one long-lasting present and help Asha make this dream come true for many more talented young people trapped in poverty in Delhi's slums.



DONATE GENEROUSLY AND GIVE HOPE AND JOY TO THE SLUM DWELLERS OF DELHI.

Student Desk Chair: \$ 9

White Board: \$ 32

Light fixtures for study space in one centre: \$ 220

Renovation of study space in one centre: \$ 230

DONATE TODAY - AND MAKE YOUR GIFT GO FURTHER!

Australian Friends of Asha (ACN 161 085 650) can collect funds for Asha from Australia. Donations over AUD 2 are tax deductible.

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