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In a world so divided, I have dreamed of a place where differences can be put aside and people can work together toward the common, noble objective of helping a child in need. Matthew 25: Ministries is such a place; a place where we can care for a needy world with the things we throw away.

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Following a trip to Nicaragua in 1990 and seeing millions of people in deplorable conditions, Reverend Wendell Mettey founded Matthew 25: Ministries. In the early days, supplies were carried to Nicaragua in suitcases, then aboard United States Air Force cargo planes. Now, aid is shipped in forty-foot seagoing containers and by semi-trailers to the poorest of the poor and disaster victims.

Since 1991, Matthew 25: Ministries has grown from a small suitcase ministry to an international relief organization distributing over 15 million pounds of products each year throughout the U.S. and to more than 60 countries worldwide.

Matthew 25: Ministries is a registered 501(c)(3) not-for-profit, faith-based ministry which helps those in need regardless of religious tradition or political persuasion.

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OUR PROCESS



AS YOU DID IT TO THE LEAST OF THESE MY BROTHERS AND SISTERS, YOU DID IT TO ME.

**MATTHEW 25:40** 

The mission of Matthew 25: Ministries is to fulfill Matthew 25:34-40 by providing nutritional food to the hungry, clean water to the thirsty, clothing to the naked, affordable shelter to the homeless, medical care to the ill, and humanitarian supplies to those in need. Additionally, Matthew 25: Ministries is committed to educating the public on the conditions and needs of the "least of these" and by providing resources for action.

These goods are processed by staff and volunteers at Matthew 25: Ministries' 168,000 square-foot facility in Cincinnati, and then shipped to more than 20 million people in need each year within the United States and around the world.

Products are distributed through partner organizations, hospitals, clinics, orphanages, feeding centers and schools in developing nations and in the United States.



MORE THAN 99% OF MATTHEW 25: MINISTRIES' CASH AND IN-KIND DONATIONS GO TOWARDS PROGRAMS.



Matthew 25: Ministries accepts monetary contributions and product donations of misprinted, slightly damaged, over-stocked or gently used supplies from corporations, hospitals and individuals nationwide. We also supplement outside donations by manufacturing, assembling and blending products in-house including school notebooks, pencils, rice-soy meals, and latex paint.

Matthew 25: Ministries' goal is to help the poorest of the poor and disaster victims locally, regionally, nationally, and internationally.

The people we help are not receiving a handout, but a helping hand. By providing for their most basic needs, we are positioning them to become self-reliant.