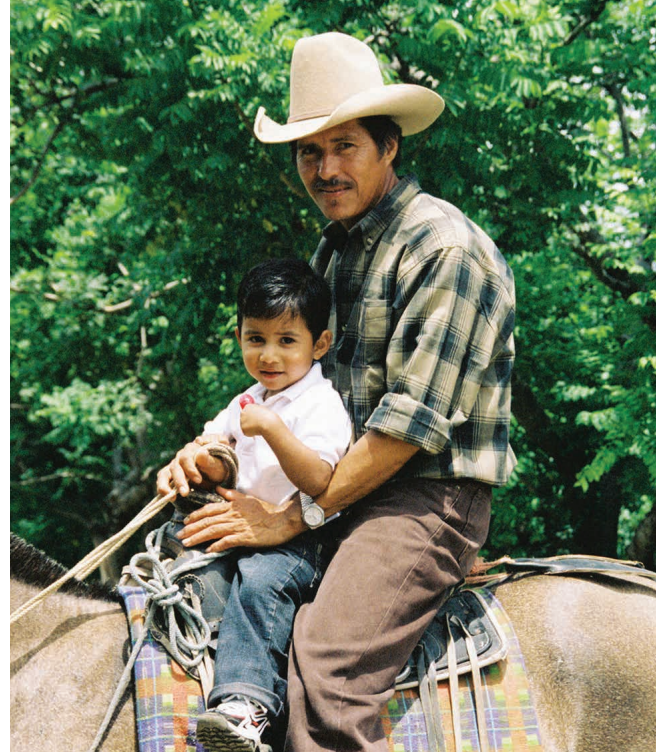




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Friends of SonLight Power

Here's how your gifts change lives every day!
+ Urgent Needs for 2020



December 2019

LIGHT & LOVE

How Your Year-End Gift Will Transform – even Save – Lives!

Dear Friend,

One of the greatest blessings as a parent is the ability to provide for all of your child's needs.

To have access to sustainable health care, with the proper equipment and medication, to care for your child if the need arises. Confidence that your health care facility will have the basic electricity required to power a simple nebulizer to treat your child's asthma.

This isn't the reality for many families in countries like Honduras. It is not uncommon for parents to rush their child to the nearest clinic only to find there's no electricity to power the equipment needed to save their child's life.

But, this Christmas season, there is good news as well. This is the kind of tragedy YOU prevent when you help SonLight Power bring life-changing — and life-saving — solar power to vulnerable communities.

Every gift you make brings the light of electricity — and the light of God's love — to children and families living in urgent need.

Your impact is truly immediate and lasting! That's why I've included a special **Donor Impact Report** so you can see just how your support is changing lives.

As 2019 draws to a close, there are countless families who still need the hope — the light — that your generosity provides. They are why I'm asking you to Shine Your Light and make a tax-deductible year-end gift today — to allow us to continue to build brighter futures, transforming and saving lives in 2020 and beyond.

In your Donor Impact Report, you'll see some of our critical goals for the coming year, goals that can only be realized with the help of caring people like you ...

(OVER, PLEASE)



As I listen to the news, I'm reminded of how vitally important our work is today. Stories of migrants, all across the globe, rekindle my commitment to the task at hand. I'm sure their stories touch your heart as well.

No parent wants to uproot their child and walk hundreds—if not thousands—of miles away from the only home they've ever know. But every day, hardworking families around the world are faced with those impossible decisions.

Without electricity, kids cannot get a quality education. There aren't enough jobs to keep putting food on the table ... children's lives can be cut short by something as routine as an asthma attack.



Thanks to generous supporters like you, SonLight Power installs solar-powered electrical systems to empower communities in every sense of the word.

Not only do communities gain access to dependable electricity — that's cleaner and less costly than using generators — but families also become empowered with real choices!

- Children receive a better education.
- Adults discover access to information and communication outside their remote communities.
- And local residents are integrated into the projects, providing them with new skills and understanding — as well as an uplifting sense of accomplishment.

When communities go from darkness to light, they also go from poverty to self-sufficiency. You give people reasons to stay in the homes they know and love ... to build and to grow. You give people hope. ***Let your light shine with your gift today.***

With a grateful heart,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kevin".

Kevin Sasson,
Executive Director



P.S. Don't forget to review the enclosed Donor Impact Report so you can see how much your gifts have accomplished this year! And *please send your tax-deductible year-end gift right now* to help SonLight Power share more of God's love through solar power.

Thank you for transforming lives in 2020 with your Christmas gift to SonLight Power.

By the Numbers: HOW YOU TRANSFORM LIVES WITH LOVE AND SOLAR POWER

With your generous help, SonLight Power designs and builds solar energy solutions for communities in remote locations around the world, bringing vulnerable communities clean energy for the first time.

Your support also allows SonLight Power to partner with other mission organizations to train, mentor and ultimately equip them to reach many more people than we could reach on our own, multiplying your impact again and again.

- Mission & Equipping Partnerships: 70+
- Volunteers: 350+
- Electrical power installed: 300kW+
- Payback vs. generator costs: 2 years or less
- Countries served: 19
- Solar projects worldwide: 200+
- Lives empowered: 300,000 and counting

LET MY LIGHT SHINE THIS CHRISTMAS!



7100 Dixie Highway
Fairfield, OH 45014

Yes! I want to help SonLight Power equip the world's most vulnerable communities with life-changing hope, love and solar power.

- \$5,000 means children can learn in safe, well-equipped schools
- \$1,000 allows mothers to deliver healthy babies who will receive proper medical care
- \$500 pumps clean water in a village where clean water is scarce
- \$100 gives young people access to meaningful job opportunities

My most generous gift of _____ equips communities to break free from energy poverty

WAYS TO GIVE:

- 1 Make your check payable to **SonLight Power** and mail in enclosed envelope with this perforated section.
- 2 Charge your gift. Complete back side of this perforated section and mail in enclosed envelope.
- 3 Visit sonlightpower.org/donate and make your gift online.

THANK YOU FOR MAKING THIS VITAL WORK POSSIBLE WITH YOUR GIFT TODAY!

DONOR IMPACT REPORT:

How You Changed Lives this Year + Urgent Needs in 2020



HONDURAS: ILLUMINATING EDUCATION

Merlin is a dedicated teacher who loves her students. That's why she walks two hours from her home ... to take a bus ... to walk another hour ... to get to her classroom in Yamaranguila.

Once there, Merlin is faced with shivering students in dark classrooms. Yamaranguila is in the coldest part of Honduras, marked by frequent rain and heavy cloud cover. Gray skies mean little natural light comes through the classroom windows — making it nearly impossible to teach or learn.

But your gifts changed all that ... *(over, please)*



HAITI: GENERATING JOB SKILLS

Your support fueled our work at the Beyond Relief trade school, where a new solar power system created a surge in enrollment — and a record graduating class — that would have been impossible without the expanded electrical capacity.

Reliable energy is vital to the 500-plus Beyond Relief students learning trades — including plumbing, tiling, sewing, computer programming and, of course, electrical installation and repair. Education and job skills empower Haitians to find sustainable employment ... which enables students to lift their families and communities.

The solar power system also allowed the school ...

(over, please)

Turn over to learn how, after Hurricane Maria devastated the island, you're helping transform lives in Puerto Rico...and how you can continue this vital work in 2020!



To give by credit card, print legibly and return in enclosed envelope, or visit sonlightpower.org/donate

MasterCard Visa Discover American Express **Gift Amount: \$** _____

Credit Card Number: _____

Expiration Date: _____ / _____ CV Code: _____

Name on Card: _____

Address, State & Zip _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Signature: _____

- In addition to my year-end gift, I would like to make a monthly gift. Please charge my credit card each month for the amount above.
- I am enclosing a matching gift from my employer.
- I have remembered SonLight Power in my will.

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(your impact in Honduras, continued)

Now, Merlin simply flips a switch to not only light up the room, but to power the children's curiosity and enthusiasm. Finally equipped with the tools they need, they're energized to learn ... and that means brighter futures for every child!

2020 GOALS IN HONDURAS

- Equipping a remote clinic to serve the people of La Unión, who need access to consistent medical care. You'll fight malnutrition in young children through a solar-powered water pump that sustains the clinic and a large vegetable garden.
- Completing a school project to serve children on a coffee farm, where they lack access to dependable power — and thus, to multimedia educational tools. Access to education will help these kids and their families break the cycle of poverty!

(your impact in Haiti, continued)

... to expand its curriculum for electricians and created apprenticeship opportunities for solar technicians, who will gain on-the-job training they can use to serve their communities right away.

2020 GOALS IN HAITI

- Training more apprentices in the fast-growing field of solar maintenance and installation, which creates jobs and promotes community self-sufficiency. *Solar powers not only electricity, but dreams as well!*
- Raising awareness of our work among other mission organizations so we can equip them with solar power and help them impact more lives in the name of Jesus. For example, your support connected us with Back2Back Ministries, which is now equipped to expand care to orphaned children thanks to cost savings after switching from diesel to solar power.

PUERTO RICO: POWERING RESILIENCE

With your support, we can help the island build resilience after natural disasters like Hurricane Maria and the intense tropical storms that blow through the Caribbean every season.

Through our ongoing projects, we've learned that when we equip churches with solar power, they're better positioned to serve their communities' needs when the power grid is lost during storms.

Your generosity is helping Puerto Rico not just rebuild but also prepare for a safer, more secure future.

2020 GOALS IN PUERTO RICO

- Providing reliable power to a food bank that's serving 55,000 people who are still recovering from Hurricane Maria — while working to improve their preparation for future natural disasters.
- Equipping families to meet their loved ones' specialized medical needs.

