

Women to the World Annual Report 2008

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Rescuing Women and Children from Poverty, Dependency and Abuse



2008 AT A GLANCE

This year the work has extended strongly to Kenya, surveying the needs and choosing orphans and women's economic programs that can be measured throughout the coming year.

Because of your generosity, the work of *Women to the World* gains even more momentum in our struggles against women's poverty and abuse. Lives are transformed through education, a rare opportunity for women in the midst of war. This is our latest graduated class for teachers in Kabul, Afghanistan. Through hard work and personal sacrifice, these women will lead the way in training their own community of sisters in preparation for employment, small business ownership, or pursuit of advancing availability for educational pursuits. Futures have been rescued by your generous gifts.



Women to the World continues to touch lives in Burkina Faso, West Africa. More than 30 Technical Systems were sent from the U.S. to support WTW's Technical Education.



Many of the women here escaped the harshness of sexual and Gender abuse.

More for Afghanistan Women!



Women to the World completed the school term with more than **350** women and girls gaining computer skills in English, and learning basic bookkeeping applications.

The construction of Center 2 was completed, and this year we enjoy our dream of adding Literacy and Sewing Projects.



A Song of Welcome by WTW students as we arrived in May, 2008. Notice the beauty of the Traditional Afghan Dress, yet learning in the midst of a culture unfriendly to women remains an unwavering hope.

The year has brought many successes and surprising awards due to the advancement of our work among women and children in Afghanistan, Kenya, and Burkina Faso, West Africa, and the U.S. Change that has led to solid progress in the lives of women and their families has brought Women to the World to a new place of hope. Your support of our domestic work, Partnering Ambassadors for Life and Service (PALS), is also the foundation of promise for many adult women. This 2008 Annual Report is intended to give you a broad view and understanding of how your friendship has produced lasting results and held Women to the World true to the Mission.

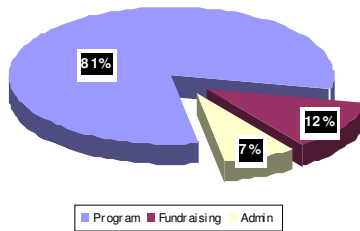
**Serving Together,
Doris Aldrich, President**

Strength in Numbers

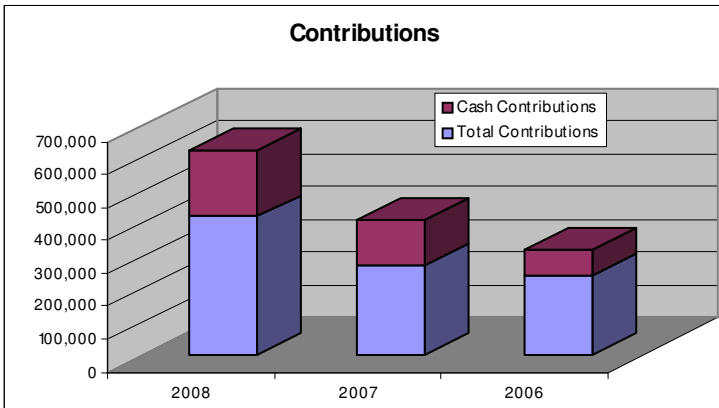
Contributions 422,542

Program	329,022	81%
Fundraising	47,518	12%
Admin	<u>29,656</u>	7%
	<u>406,196</u>	

Expense Breakout



As Donors contribute more...



WTW serves more!

