Your Legacy: A Brighter Future

Leaving a gift in your will to Build It International, will ensure a lasting, brighter future for children and young people in Zambia.
“Our lives will be done, but there will be many young people in Africa whose lives are only just beginning; who will have much better opportunities because we have been able to leave this gift. What a privilege it is to be able to do that.”
Build It donor, September 2020
Remembered by Building Brighter Futures

Build It International has a proven track record of creating opportunities for young people and communities in Zambia through skills training, work experience and essential community building projects.

We have developed a simple and effective approach; it is enabling hundreds of young, unemployed people to learn essential building skills, and at the same time help to build vital schools and clinics for thousands of children.

So far we have trained over 1,000 young people and completed 47 community projects, reaching over 300,000 lives.

We remain ambitious with a long-term vision to empower communities to thrive for generations.
Why leave a legacy?

Leaving a gift in a Will is a cost-effective and tax efficient way of ensuring you leave a legacy impacting the poorest and most vulnerable in Zambia, and providing a brighter and sustainable future for whole communities.

Your gift could provide the following vital contribution:

- Training unemployed, unskilled young men and women in vital building skills enabling them to gain meaningful employment and support their families
- Ensuring at least 20% of trainees are female - women typically invest a higher proportion of their earnings in their families and communities than men
- Supporting skilled workers in building essential schools and clinics in disadvantaged communities
- Providing effective sanitation in schools to reduce the risk of disease and enable more children remain in school, particularly girls once they reach puberty
- Building health clinics to improve the health and well-being of local people
**How to make a Will**

If you would like to leave a gift in your Will to Build It International, we highly recommend you consult a solicitor to ensure that your wishes will be carried out exactly as you would like them to be.

You will need to provide your solicitor with the following information:

**Charity Name:** **Build It International**

**Registered address:** **The Pump House, Coton Hill, Shrewsbury, SY1 2DP**

**Registered charity number:** **1115989**

**Different kind of gifts:**

**Share of Assets**

A whole sum or percentage of what is left of assets after any specific gifts and other expenses have been left to others.

**Fixed Sum**

A fixed sum chosen by you to gift to Build It International.
How to remember Build It

When you contact your solicitor you may want to include the following suggested text:

I leave my [share(s) of my residuary estate] [fixed sum of £_] for Build It International, The Pump House, Coton Hill, Shrewsbury SY1 2DP, registered charity number: 1115989, absolutely for its general charitable purposes and I declare that the receipt of the treasurer or other proper officer for the time being shall be a sufficient discharge to my executors.

Inheritance Tax

If a person is liable to pay inheritance Tax on the remainder of their Estate, giving a gift to charity equal to 10% of your Estate could mean you pay a reduced rate of Inheritance Tax. It is highly recommended that all tax advice is given through a solicitor.

If you have included Build It in your Will, or intend to in the future, please do let us know. This allows us the opportunity to pass on our sincerest thanks to you and plan for the future at Build It. All information you provide will be treated with discretion and confidentiality, and will not be legally binding.
Having laid the foundations for growth, we want to take a big leap forward. By remembering Build It in your Will, you will be ensuring a long-lasting future for Build It.

**Building brighter futures in Zambia**

£12,000 could sponsor a trainer for a year

£25,000 could build a school latrine block - essential for good hygiene and sanitation and encourages children to stay in school longer, especially girls as they grow up

£30,000 for painting, bricklaying or carpentry scholarships for 20 young people

£100,000 could train 66 women at a cost of £1,500 per person with a trade to earn a living forever

£150,000 could fund a Community School to include three classrooms, latrines and a staff house
If you would like more details about leaving a gift to Build It, please contact:

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