

The Starfish Story

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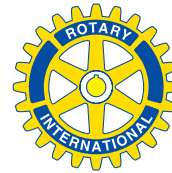
One day a man was walking along the beach when he noticed a boy picking up a starfish and gently throwing it into the ocean.

Approaching the boy he asked, "What are you doing?" The youth replied, "Throwing starfish back into the ocean. The surf is up and the tide is going out. If I don't throw them back, they'll die."

"Son," the man said, "don't you realise there are miles and miles of beach and hundreds of starfish? You can't make a difference!"

After listening politely, the boy bent down, picked up another starfish and threw it back into the surf.

Then smiling at the man he said...
"I made a difference for that one.."



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"I made a difference for that one.."



Making a Difference— Teaching the Teachers

In Tarime only 74% of children attend primary school and a mere 24% will go on to attend high school.

Families in Tarime value education highly, but schools are poorly resourced and few current teachers are formally trained.

We aim to make a difference by providing a scholarship to train teachers for service in the Tarime district of Tanzania.

Local villagers will be given the opportunity to receive teacher training and to teach within the district.

Teacher training, along with better teacher resources being provided by The Peter Hewitt Care for Africa Foundation, will make a difference to the opportunities of these people.

Your tax deductible donation will be added to a capital fund to provide a sustainable scholarship to train Tarime's teachers. The current cost of training a teacher is \$1,000 over 2 years.

Together, we can make a difference.

The Christopher Strong Education Trust

Christopher Strong AM, was an educator who spent the first part of his career in Africa and saw first hand the injustice of poverty on the people of Tanzania. Christopher spent his life as an educator, believing passionately that education for all was a foundation for World Peace.

Make a Difference Now

Christopher's colleagues have committed a legacy in his memory to provide teacher training for Tarime's teachers. This project is aligned with The Peter Hewitt Care for Africa Foundation and is supported by Rotary Australia World Community Service.

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