

# Kids Against Hunger

Please, look at this website: <http://www.feedingchildren.org/>

**"When you feed a child, you feed our future."**

*Richard Proudfit, Founder of Kids Against Hunger*

Kids Against Hunger is a nonprofit organization with the mission to significantly reduce the number of hungry children in the USA and to feed starving children throughout the world. This is being achieved by getting volunteers involved, and by setting up food packaging satellites in the USA, and through partnerships with humanitarian organizations worldwide - enabling Kids Against Hunger to deliver its specially formulated rice-soy casserole to starving children and their families in over 40 countries. The Kids Against Hunger network currently includes 30 food packaging satellites in 16 US states.



**40,000 children die every day from:**

- **Malnutrition**
- **Starvation**
- **Hunger-related diseases**

So what's the solution?

The solution is a revolutionary food package that has been developed by some of the world's leading food scientists at Cargill, Pillsbury, General Mills and ADM. This one package provides six

nutritionally-complete servings to feed starving children around the world as well as the hungry here at home, and all for the low cost of **23 cents per serving**.

This is the solution to stopping death by starvation:



**"As simple as it sounds, food is essential in the global fight against HIV and AIDS. Nutritious food can prolong the lives of people suffering with HIV and AIDS. Food and good nutrition can also allow them to continue to earn income and feed their families."**

*from the [United Nations World Food Program](http://www.un.org/wrworldfoodprogram/) website*

**"More than 840 million people in the world are malnourished - 799 million of them are from the developing world. More than 153 million of them are under the age of five. 6 million children under the age of 5 die every year as a result of hunger."** *from the [Bread for the World Institute](http://www.breadfortheworld.org/) website*

**"I usually turn the channel when I see commercials about starving children. It makes me too sad. But**

*something about what you're doing touched me and I want to help. I'm only 16 but I think that I have to do something. I have to help these starving children."*

*Emily A., a sixteen-year-old girl in Oklahoma*



## **OUR SISTERS AND OBLATES IN THE NORFOLK-PRIORY, USA, ARE DOING SOMETHING - FOR THE FILIPINO CHILDREN...**

### **A letter from the Philippines:**

*Greetings from the Philippines!*

*Through Sr. Carmel Simpauco, OSB, we have been introduced to Kids Against hunger program.*

*Just a few data regarding Filipino Children. According to the latest UNICEF survey, 6 million Filipino children from different urban and rural areas are malnourished. More than 200,000 are living on the streets exposed to unsavory influences while 60,000 are in danger of sexual exploitation. Of children under the age of six, at least 66 percent do not have any form of childcare.*

*To provide a mental image of the plight of the poorest children in the Philippines, one just need stroll along the streets of Metro Manila and be confronted with sight of small children in tattered shirts begging for alms, kids huddled together sniffing rugby, children desperately crying for food, a six-year-old girl selling her rags to motorists in the middle of a busy highway, among others. Malnutrition is also at its worst in the country side.*

*Our Priory Socio-Pastoral Coordinators during it's recently concluded meeting discussed the possibility of extending the program to our 16 pastoral centers nationwide serving children of poor families in urban as well as rural areas.*

*In this regard, we would like to request that Filipino Children be included also in your food for hungry children program. Our Manila office will take care of the distribution to the different areas.*

*Thank you very much!*

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*Sr. Carmel Simpauco and her team are responding ...*

