

2016-2017 GIFT CATALOG



CALF

Here is a story of how this gift helps others

When a family is living in poverty it can be challenging to get enough food on the table and providing basic necessities can be a stretch. Often these families aren't even able to send their children to school.

With the gift of a calf a family can have fresh milk to drink and sell or use the manure on their fields. The calves can also be sold or kept to herd. It can help a family break the cycle of poverty by providing an extra stream of income.

For example, Phum Sopheak lives in a small village with her husband and three children. Over the years her husband's salary hasn't been enough to cover their family's needs. To help make ends meet Phum tried to grow and sell her crops, but her agriculture skills weren't the best. She wasn't able to harvest enough to make a good profit.

Phum joined a savings group to learn about various topics such as health and agriculture. Through her community group she was also given a calf.

She now has manure to put on her rice and vegetable fields. With healthier soil Phum has been able to increase her crop yields. Now she can better support her family and send her children to school.

Your gift of a calf will help a family like Phum's. It will be the beginning of a brighter future for a family in need.

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